

The Nebraska Herald. LOCAL NEWS. RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

To take effect Monday, January 31, 1870. ARRIVE. DEPART.

From Saturday's Daily. Lieut. J. Newt. Hays, of the Fremont Tribune, arrived on the cars this morning.

Our streets are thronged with teams, and our merchants are enjoying a splendid trade.

We publish to-day a well written article on the subject of Homesteads and Homesteaders from the pen of that eminent scholar and traveler, Prof. J. D. Butler, L. D. of Madison, Wisconsin.

It would be a good idea for our storekeepers to scatter a little of their surplus ashes on the sidewalks. It gives one the filigree to see folks stepping as though they expected a fall every step.

We notice that enterprising auctioneer of this city—Platte Saunders—is branching out and advertising in the Omaha Republican. That is a first rate paper for Platte's wholesale dealers to advertise in.

Mr. C. B. Bellows has opened an Oyster and Fish Market on the corner of Main and Third streets. He received a fine lot of fresh trout and white fish last evening, direct from Lake Michigan.

The warm weather yesterday weakened the ice on the river very much. Many people considered it unsafe for loaded teams, while hundreds continued to cross all day.

J. L. Brown, of Salt Creek, gave us a call to-day. Mr. Brown is a young man of energy and ability, and is always welcome at the Herald's sanctum.

H. M. Ghost, Esq., of Lincoln, was in the city to-day attending the meeting of Real Estate Agents. He goes to Lincoln to-morrow.

We were pleased to meet Mr. Frank Reed, of Michigan, to-day, who has been induced to come to Nebraska through the truthful accounts found in the columns of the Herald. He arrived this morning, and will proceed westward on a tour of observation.

The B. & M. Company in Nebraska will have ten miles of the best track in the west for the Commissioners to inspect on the 15th of February.

The track for that distance out from Plattsmouth is now superior to any road in the west, and still the work of ballasting and leveling up goes ahead.

Among the arrivals at the Platte Valley House on the 25th, we notice the following: D. C. Newton, Batavia, Ill.; H. T. Moore, Batavia, Ill.; G. S. Smith, Glasgow, Ill.; C. F. Corwin & wife, Osceola, Ia.; F. G. Tapp, Osceola, Ia.; W. K. Syp, Afton, Ia.; Jno. Billock, Glenwood, Ia.; Jas. M. Woods, Factoryville, Neb.; Pat O'Haws, Omaha, Neb.; Isaac Cox, Neb. City, Neb.; C. W. King, Omaha, Neb.; Jas. Murray, do.; C. Davis, do.; O. Payne, Aurora, Ill.; Madam LaFour, Clairvoix; Lyman Wyukoop, Hamburg; Wm. B. Parker, St. Louis, Missouri; Isaac Moore & wife; J. A. Smith, Erie, Pa.; Jno. Burley, Glenwood, Ia.; L. H. Richardson, Providence, R. I.; Erastus Woolcut, Ashland, Neb.; Jno. Manly, R. R., Neb.; P. Davis, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Fred Holka, Viola, Toden, Ashland, Neb.

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The new Methodist Church is completed, and will be dedicated next Sunday.

Gen. Logan is expected to open the ball in Congress, at an early day, in favor of the removal of the Capital to the West.

Dr. M. H. McClusky, the "world renowned" tooth extractor is "at his post" again. He will remain until Friday. "Old mouths fixed up as good as new." Call and see him.

A man named Carl Grote, formerly a resident of Nebraska City, a civil engineer by profession, recently stabled a man named Arthur Clay, in St. Joseph. There was an old grudge between them.

The youth who "grinds" out the locals for the News heads a column of something with the startling line: "An Hour in Pinney's Mill." Why in the name of common sense didn't you stay there? Didn't the wages suit?

Road Master Egbert keeps a force of hands constantly employed in leveling up and putting track in first class order, ready for passenger trains, which will be put on sometime during next month if all things work favorable.

Billy Miller speaks of such menas Capt. Anderson, John McCarthy, Mr. Martin, and others of Wyoming peep net and Thos. Meadville, Lawson Cook, Mr. Carmichael, etc., of Oteo precinct, as discontented grumblers. Maybe they are, Billy; but when we lived in Oteo these men were considered among the "solid men" of Oteo county.

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The surrounding country is level, rich, fertile, well watered, well timbered and settled, and there is every facility and convenience for its becoming one of the finest and most thriving cities in the west. All the Railroad Buildings are located and built on this town site. Daily lines of stages to Plattsmouth,

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