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F. E. & M. V. R. Time Table.
Going West. Going East.
No. 51, passenger, 5:31 No. 52, passenger, 6:30
No. 53, freight, 11:35 No. 54, freight, 2:05

HARRISON MARKET.

Corn—per hundred	50
Oats—per hundred	55
Shells—per hundred	75
Beans—per hundred	75
Feed—chopped—per hundred	1.00
Potatoes—per hundred	1.05
Butter—per lb.	12 1/2
Eggs—per doz.	10
Poultry—per doz.	1.75 @ 2.00
Onions—per lb.	4
Beans—per lb.	4
Coal—per ton	4.50
Wood—per cord	3.50
Lumber—native—per m. ft.	15.00

—Fresh pies at the restaurant.
—Corn at 50 cents a hundred at Turner's.
—Prunes, prunes, 18 pounds for \$1 at C. R. Wells.
—The celebrated Anchor, patent brand of flour at C. R. Wells.
—Chas. Snyder had the misfortune to lose a horse the first of the week.
—Go to Dr. Clary, Chadron, to get your eyes, ears and throat treated.
—Best vinegar in town at 30 cents per gallon. C. R. WELLS.
—E. M. Carrier has purchased a fine, young team to use in improving his farm.
—Go to Dr. Clary, specialist in eye, ear and throat diseases. Office in Central Block, Chadron, Neb.
—We are informed that R. K. Post expects to go to Wyoming in the near future to remain for some time.
—If you want the very best terms on farm loans, go to the Bank of Harrison before making application elsewhere.
—Get your loans from H. T. Conley and avoid the red tape incident to procuring loans through loan companies.
—We have added a full line of window glass to our stock. Call and get prices. GRISWOLD & MARSTELLER.
—The Northwestern hotel always takes good care of its

—Hard times ball March 17th.
—Meat at all hours at the restaurant.
—Good flour at 90 cents a sack at Turner's.
—14 pounds of extra C sugar for \$1, at Wells.
—C. R. Wells is receiving new goods daily.
—18 pounds prunes for one dollar at Turner's.
—14 pounds dried apples for one dollar at Turner's.
—12 pounds granulated sugar for \$1 at C. R. Wells.
—Any kind of cake desired made at the restaurant.
—When you want a nice clock call on Griswold & Marsteller.
—California canned goods at 25 cents per can at C. R. Wells.
—12 pounds granulated or 14 pounds C sugar for one dollar at Turner's.
—I cannot, I will not, I shall not be beat in low prices. Respectfully,
C. R. WELLS.
—A choice family flour \$1.15 per sack, no better for the price sold.
C. R. WELLS.
—For farm loans go to S. H. Jones.
—Farms bought and sold by S. H. Jones.
—We need some wood on subscription at once.
—SPECIAL BAKE—Friday, 10 a. m.—Jelly buns, 15 cents per dozen, at the restaurant.
—Mrs. J. A. Snyder has received a nice stock of fancy goods and notions which she is selling very cheap.
—H. T. Conley has received his new abstract books. They are fine ones, gotten up on the Tyler system.
—When you want a farm wagon, plow, harrow, or anything else in the implement line call on Griswold & Marsteller.
—H. T. Conley has consummated arrangements whereby he is authorized to make loans for private parties on Sioux county real estate.
—E. E. Livermore had the misfortune to lose a horse recently. It was all the worse for having occurred just as spring work is coming on.
—We have the biggest stock of hardware, implements and building supplies

Old Time Tactics.
When the old administration was in power the gang used the courts to assist them in carrying on their warfare against their personal or political enemies and letting the taxpayers of the county pay the expenses, but it was hoped after the new officers were seated that such a system of persecution had come to an end. But such does not appear to be the case. For the old gang have apparently established a cost mill in Bodarc precinct, whence are issued the necessary papers to bring people from other parts of the county to answer to complaints made by parties with no other evident purpose than to cause trouble.
The case began before J. W. Hunter, justice of the peace of Bodarc precinct, against County Attorney Walker to get county property out of the hands of the proper custodian, and the termination thereof has been given in the columns of THE JOURNAL.
On Feb. 26th, 1890, Harrison Merrifield filed a complaint in the name of the state, before J. W. Hunter, charging Geo. Walker, S. L. R. Maine and John Thornton with embezzlement.
Now the statute fixes the punishment for embezzlement at service in the penitentiary from one to twenty-one years. A crime punishable in that manner is certainly a felony, but the complaint against the defendants above named does not charge that the embezzling was done feloniously. The adverb "feloniously" does not appear in the complaint. It charges that the defendants embezzled funds to the amount of \$2,000 on the 10th day of Feb., 1890, in the office of school district No. 7, but does not state what funds were misappropriated. The records will show that Geo. Walker was not a member of the school board of district No. 7 at that date.
On Monday the defendants were arrested by Constable Columbia and taken a dozen miles into the country to be ready for trial before Hunter on Tuesday. On Tuesday morning a number of witnesses also repaired to Bodarc.
On the opening of court the defendants filed a motion to dismiss the complaint; did not show that any demand had been made on the treasurer for the amount alleged to have been embezzled. The motion was over-ruled by Hunter and the following remarkable instrument was filed and the request granted:
STATE OF NEBRASKA,
vs.
George Walker, S. L. R. Maine, John Thornton.
The state moves that case be adjourned until Thursday, March 6, 1890, for service of summons on M. Gayhart, county treasurer, and for other witnesses at 12 o'clock p. m. of said day.
L. O. HULL, Atty. for state

Citizens' Meeting.
The following is a report of the meeting of citizens held at the store of W. R. Smith, at Harrison, Neb., on Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, 1890:
Meeting called to order by E. D. Satorlee, and C. E. Holmes elected chairman, and C. R. Wells secretary.
On motion the chair appointed the following committee to select candidates for members of the village board: C. H. Weller, Thos. Reidy, S. W. Cox, Conrad Lindeman, C. C. Jameson, who recommended the following for village trustees for the ensuing year: Thos. Reidy, J. C. Northrop, C. H. Weller, S. Barker and C. R. Wells.
On motion the report of the committee was adopted.
On motion S. W. Cox was recommended for village clerk, and C. E. Holmes was recommended for village treasurer, for the ensuing year.
On motion the sense of the meeting was taken as desiring that the board of trustees curtail expenses for the ensuing year as much as possible.
It was resolved that it is the sentiment of this meeting that the indebtedness of the village of Harrison to school district No. 7 be cancelled by the construction of a cistern near the school house and the laying of a pipe thereto.
A motion prevailed that every one present express his views on the above resolution and each expressed himself as in favor of the resolution.
On motion the meeting adjourned.
C. R. WELLS, Sec.

War Bonnet.
Mr. Ferguson, step father of John Anderson, was visiting at the S-E ranch last week.
The roads through the canyons are very bad and the people of these parts would sooner go to Montrose than to Harrison. The old Ring never had any money to have the roads for the valley people worked.
The War Bonnet literary and debating society has been always well attended. Sometimes the school house proved too small to be sufficiently roomy for all who attend. The question, "resolved that the present herd law should be repealed," was recently debated and won by the negative.
Mrs. Chas. Clark came down from here and found that some one had broken into the house during their absence and taken everything of value. Nothing like that has been done in this neighborhood before.
We are glad to see Bill Rich home again.

Complete Line of General Merchandise.
New Stock of CLOTHING Just Received From BOSTON.
A 4lb Package of GOLD DUST Washing Powder; "The Best on Earth," for 30c.
GOLD DUST IN PAYING QUANTITIES

At Ranch Supply House.

Eye, Ear or Throat treatment, go to Dr. Clary, specialist, Chadron, Neb.
—G. W. Hester expects to put out about one hundred acres of crop this season and others are reported as intending to put out a good acreage.
—G. W. Hester has commenced work on the house over the steam pump and boiler and it will not be long until it will all be protected from the weather.
—For comfort and good living go to the Northwestern hotel when in Harrison. Everything is done that can be to make it pleasant for those who stop there.
—Word has been received that new settlers with live car loads of goods will arrive in Harrison tomorrow morning. That is certainly a good indication that a good many new people will come to this locality this season.
—On last Tuesday F. Findley who lives near Sugar Loaf butte, called at our office and showed us some gold nuggets which he had picked up in his vicinity. The metal had been tested by a jeweler and said to be of excellent quality. It may be that in the near future gold in paying quantities will be found in Sioux county.
—The Herald office has again moved across the street and is now located in the north room of the Bartell building. Mrs. C. F. Slingerland will conduct a restaurant in the main rooms of the building. She has had large experience in the restaurant and confectionery business and expects to keep a complete assortment of everything in that line.
—Harrison needs a harness shop and needs one bad. New settlers are coming in and those here are preparing for farming operations, and it is a great inconvenience to be unable to purchase a new harness or get those they have repaired without going to some other town. Cannot some one induce an acquaintance who is a harness maker to come here and engage in business?
—Last week B. F. Thomas was making delivery of the first order of "Stanley's Wonderful Adventure in Africa." The book excels the expectations aroused by perusal of the prospectus. It is at once pleasing and instructive, and gives the reader a pretty clear idea of the dangers and triumphs incident to such an undertaking. The book sells at sight, almost, for its worth is apparent to all. Mr. Thomas is meeting with excellent success, his sales already exceeding one hundred volumes.
Wells Drilled!
I have a good well drilling machine and am ready to drill any sized well on short notice. Terms good and prices low. Postoffice, Harrison.
HENRY ARMSTRONG.

meeting in Harrison last Saturday, which was attended by about half a dozen. The people are not going to be misled by any such outfit.
—CATTLE HERDED—The undersigned will take cattle to herd during the coming herd season at reasonable rates. Plenty of range and excellent water. Full information given by E. Rohwer, Range 10 miles east of Harrison.
EDWARD SCHWARTZ.
—The Bank of Harrison has closed ten or twelve loans during the past week and in consequence money is much more plentiful than it has been for some time. Farmers can now be sure of getting loans as the bank is making all good loans offered, with no delay after application is submitted. They loan at straight ten per cent.
—In the report of Mr. Anderson getting injured by jumping from a moving train recently, THE JOURNAL was misinformed as to the medical attendant. The railroad physician did not come down to attend him, but his injuries were treated by Dr. Ziegenhagen, of Harrison. Mr. Ramp, son-in-law of the injured man informs us that under the skillful treatment of Dr. Ziegenhagen the patient is rapidly recovering.
—On last Tuesday evening a few of the business men gathered at W. R. Smith's store and fell to discussing the affairs of the town. It was suggested that it would be a good plan to have a meeting of all the citizens to discuss the matter and believing there is no time like the present, a general roundup was made and all the voters except three, and a majority of those interested in the town who are not voters were soon gathered in. The fact was soon apparent that the business men and tax payers were in favor of no salaries, plenty of water and every effort being made to keep down the running expenses of the town. The work done as reported by the secretary, appears in another column. The selection made for a board of trustees for the ensuing year was a good one, all the men on the ticket being well qualified for the place and all have the advancement of the interests of the town at heart. A number of matters of importance were discussed and good results are sure to follow.
Here it is, and it fills the bill much better than anything we could say: "It gives me the greatest pleasure to write you in regard to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. During the past winter I have sold more of it than any other kind, and have yet to find any one, but what was benefited by taking it. I have never had any medicine in my store that gave such universal satisfaction." J. M. Roney, Druggist, Geuda Springs, Kansas. 50 cent bottles for sale by C. H. Andrews.

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STATE OF NEBRASKA,
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1. John W. Hunter, J. P., do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of motion as filed in my office in the above action.
JOHN W. HUNTER, J. P.

It will be noticed in the above motion that the case is asked to be adjourned until "Thursday, March 6, 1890." That is a date on which it will be hard to hold court, as it is a year past. The motion does not state that M. Gayhart and other witnesses are material witnesses in the case. The hour set is for "12 o'clock p. m. of said day." Perhaps some one has a time piece which indicates that hour, but it would be pretty hard to make a person understand when he was expected to report in order to be on hand at the right time.
There were about eighteen witnesses subpoenaed to appear at the cost mill in Bodarc precinct to-day.
The result of the matter will be something like this: A large number of men will have been taken from their business to go to the cost mill at Bodarc. The defendants will have been kept in the custody of the officers and dragged before the justice a couple of times and a cost bill amounting one or two hundred dollars ground out which the taxpayers of the county will be asked to pay, all for no other apparent reason than to give an opportunity to a man or two to vent his personal spite.
The question may be asked: How long such a system of persecution of citizens and cost creating actions is to be continued to the great inconvenience of the people who are subjected to the suits brought and the great expense which the county is asked to pay, to continue? All such proceedings will have the effect of keeping people from coming here to live and it is to the interest of all who have the prosperity of the county at heart to have all such legal farces stopped if any such thing be possible.
If a public officer does wrong let him be prosecuted, but to drag a set men off to the country as defendants and a large number of others as witness, so that the mileage alone amounts to a good, round sum and then have the papers so defective that they will not keep the case in court, is not justice, either to the parties charged with the crime or the tax payers of the county who are charged with the costs.

Montrose Items.
There was a pleasant birthday party at the home of Miss Bessie Powell on Tuesday evening.
A new school district has been formed north of Montrose and at the recent school meeting E. C. Meyers was elected director.
D. Anderson expects to start a feed mill at his place soon.
Messing & Heckman have a contract for placing a wind mill on lower Hat Creek.
The Montrose school is making preparations to make a school exhibit at Lincoln during the session of the State Teacher's Association.
B. B. Smith spent Saturday and Sunday at the county Hub.
Theo. Piekenbrock went to Hot Springs, Dakota, last week, where he will work at his trade.
NELLIE BLY.

Bodarc Buds.
C. F. Coffee went to Harrison Monday. Last Thursday morning the thermometer registered 28° below 0, 60° below freezing point. It was the lowest register for several years.
B. B. Smith passed through Bodarc on last Sunday.
Miss Ella Conor teaches another term for district No. 6, commencing about the middle of March.
Buff Coffee was in Harrison Monday. Fine weather now that storm has past.
DON CARLOS.

PERSONAL.
Prof. B. B. Smith, of the Montrose school, was in Harrison on Saturday and called at our office. He says he has the best school he has ever taught.
J. J. Zumbrennen was down from Wyoming the first of the week.
Z. G. Deuel was in Harrison the first of the week.
I. B. Hendrix was in Harrison on Monday.
C. E. Holmes spent Sunday at Rushville.
Mrs. Jas. W. Scott has been quite sick for some days past, but is slowly recovering.
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Murphy, of White Wood, S. D., are visiting relatives and friends in Sioux county for a few days.
W. H. Davis returned on Monday from Wyoming, where he went to establish a paper. It is not settled yet whether the plan will be carried out or not.
N. D. Hamlin called on Tuesday and gave us some cash on subscription.
G. W. Greger contributed to the welfare of THE JOURNAL on Monday.
B. F. Thomas went down the road on Monday to sell some more books.

- DON'T -
BORROW MONEY
FROM US IF YOU CAN
Get it for 9 1-2 per cent. straight some where else.
We don't make 9 1/2 per cent. loans but we will make you a reasonable loan and

ON BETTER TERMS
Than those who advertise the
9 1-2 per cent. racket.
Reidy & Pollard.

HERE, WE ARE READY FOR SPRING TRADE WITH OUR
Building Jammed FULL.
Hardware, Tinware, Stoves, Agricultural Implements, Furniture, Etc.,
At the Lowest Living Prices. We Have a Big Stock of Barbed Wire on Hand Which

We are Selling 25c. Below Market.
COME IN AND SEE US,
GRISWOLD & MARSTELLER.