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F. E. & M. V. R. E. Time table.  
Going West. Going East.  
No. 2, mixed, 11:00; No. 4, mixed, 7:30

### HARRISON MARKET.

Wheat—per bushel	60
Oats—per bushel	25
Corn—per bushel	40
Shorts—per hundred	1.25
Flour—per hundred	1.00
Feed—chopped—per hundred	1.15
Potatoes—per bushel	25
Butter—per lb.	20
Eggs—per doz.	20
Poultry—per doz.	2.50 @ 3.00
Onions—per lb.	3
Beans—per lb.	4
Coal—per ton	4.50
Wood—per cord	3.50
Lumber—native—per m. ft.	15.00

Corrected every Thursday.

—Hides wanted at the harness shop.

—Plug tobacco for 25 cents a pound at Turner's.

—Salt \$2.65 per barrel at GIESWOLD & MARSTELLER'S.

—Eighteen pounds of granulated sugar for \$1.00 at Turner's.

—T. O. Williams has returned from Dawes county with his well drill.

—Four pounds of Arbuckle's coffee for 90 cents at TURNER'S.

—FOR SALE—A first-class sewing machine, new. Inquire at this office.

—Seven choice cigars for 25 cents at TURNER'S.

—Work to get good roads established while land is cheap and they can be established at small cost.

—Bring in your oats to the Ranch Supply House. Will allow \$1.00 per hundred in trade.

—LUMBER—First-class native lumber and shingles constantly on hand at my mill on East Boggy, 13 miles east of Harrison. J. E. ARNER.

—STRAYED—About November 6, 1891, two yearling steers; one red and the other white, branded AM connected on left hip. A suitable reward will be paid for information leading to their recovery. A. W. MOHR.

—Three car loads of cattle were shipped from here last Thursday evening, two belonging to B. E. Brewster and one to Alex. Steele.

—THE JOURNAL family will enjoy a nice, fat turkey for their Christmas dinner through the kindness of E. J. Wilcox. An editor's family can appreciate such things.

—A snow storm, accompanied by a pretty high wind, began last night and kept it up until nearly noon to-day, but as we go to press the indications are that it will soon abate. It is simply preparing the ground for a big crop next season.

—On Tuesday J. H. Brown, of Antelope precinct, was arrested on a complaint made by John L. Kay, charging him with defacing and altering brands on stock. The hearing is set for January 4, 1892, before the county court.

—Membership tickets in the Sioux County Agricultural Society can be obtained at the office of the secretary, H. W. MacLachlan at the Ranch Supply House, at the cost of \$1 each. It will be a dollar well invested.

—A full-blooded Sioux Indian girl arrived here last week and will be employed as a domestic at the Agate Springs Stock farm of J. H. Cook. She has attended school in the east for a number of years and is said to be intelligent and quite well educated.

—The supreme court overruled the motion to vacate the mandamus in the case of Wessel vs. the county commissioners. The question of the offsets was not taken up in the consideration of the motion. What action the commissioners will take in the matter now is not known.

—A donation party was given to Rev. and Mrs. Glasner at the Bodaro school house on last Tuesday evening. A pleasant social time was had and a good supply of the substantial of life and a fair amount of cash were donated to support of the pastor.

—Quite a number have brought in samples to be sent east to show people how crops grow in Sioux county. More are needed so if you have anything to be used for such a purpose, do not hesitate to bring it in. Only a small quantity is asked for.

—La grippe is again sweeping over the country and thousands of people have been attacked by it. The disease does not appear to be as severe as it was a couple of years ago, very few cases being serious, while fatal cases are exceedingly rare.

—An entertainment was given at the Bodaro school house last Friday evening and was largely attended, a number going from Harrison. The program passed off nicely. At the close the teacher, Miss Anna Kieby, was presented with a handsome tablet set to show the appreciation of her by the scholars and patrons of the school.

### Mill Assured.

The work on the flouring mill matter has progressed finely and has reached a point where it is safe to consider the erection thereof a certainty. Word was received on Tuesday that the party to whom the proposition was submitted had accepted it and would be here this week. He intended to start from Lincoln on Monday, but arranged to meet a representative of a firm which manufactures mill machinery and he deferred starting for a few days in order to purchase his machinery before he comes and then will know just what kind of a building to erect.

The proposition was for a twenty-five barrel mill, but the information is sent that it will be a forty or fifty barrel mill, which will be erected. The building of the mill will prove an important factor to the people of Sioux county, for it will greatly assist in getting people to come here to locate and will also help to encourage the establishment of other industries.

Hurray for the mill! What will be the next acquisition?

—Apples 90c per bushel at Turner's.

—Blankets and robes at Cunningham's.

—Go to Turner's for bargains in everything.

—One applicant for a certificate to teach was examined last Saturday.

—Twenty-four bars of soap for \$1 at Turner's.

—Highest market prices paid for grain at the Harrison Lumber Yard.

—WANTED—30,000 pounds of oats. Will give \$1.00 per hundred pounds in trade. RANCH SUPPLY HOUSE.

—The snow of Monday still remains on the ground, so a "white Christmas" will occur in Sioux county this year.

—FOR SALE—A barber outfit, complete at Harrison, Neb. CHAS. PALMER.

—THE JOURNAL clubs with all the leading papers and periodicals published and will save its readers money if they will order through this office.

—A move is on foot to organize two new school districts south of town. Now is the best time of the year to get such matters in shape.

—County Attorney Conley has been retained as attorney in a number of cases in the district court of Box Butte and Grant counties.

—J. W. Hunter was in town on Tuesday and informed us that an effort was being made to get a mill at Bodaro. We did not learn the name of the party who contemplates erecting it.

—The fall term of school closed in district No. 15 on last Friday and at the close of the exercises the scholars presented their teacher, Miss Lilly Thomas, with a handsome plush photograph album and expression of good wishes.

—A. R. Kennedy has a new windmill and pump on his farm northwest of town. There is no improvement which pays the farmer better than an ample and convenient water supply, and the number who are getting windmills indicate that the farmers are prospering.

—A car of wheat was shipped on Wednesday and another will be loaded Saturday. With a good mill here a great deal of this wheat could be converted into flour which would be consumed right here and thus the freight both ways would be saved to the people and kept at home.

—There is no use of the people of this locality paying freight on lime from the east. Otto Tietze informs us that a good quality of lime can be obtained from the stone to be found along the hills. He intends to experiment further in the matter in the near future. This fact is another point in favor of the sugar beet interest as that takes a great deal of lime.

—The article on the subject of subsoiling which appears on the third page of this issue should be carefully read and considered by every farmer in Sioux county, and at the proper time the experiments suggested therein should be made by our farmers. All new counties have to go through an experimental stage before the best results can be obtained and if the farmers of Sioux county expect to derive the best results of their labors they should go at their work in an intelligent manner.

—THE JOURNAL office has recently printed several thousands of circulars, which have been sent to eastern agents to be used in the work of getting new settlers to come to Sioux county. The reports are that a good many people will be induced to come here to locate, through the efforts that are now being made in that direction and every property owner in Sioux county should do all they can to assist in the work. It will prove a matter of profit to all and the harder it is pushed the sooner it will bring results.

### PERSONAL.

Dan Klein was in Harrison last Friday.

Frank Nutto was in town the first of the week.

Commissioner Knott and wife were in town on Monday.

T. B. Snyder contributed on subscription last Thursday.

Miss Ida Schwarz was down the road the first of the week.

Surveyor Dew was in town Saturday and called at this office.

Mrs. Coffee and children returned Monday from their visit south.

H. W. MacLachlan made a business trip to Chadron the first of the week.

Bull Coffee left the first of the week for Texas where he expects to spend the winter.

L. M. Ormsby called last Thursday and added his name to our list of readers.

Mrs. Laura Owens came up from Rushville on Monday to visit her father, Dr. G. J. Shafer.

The family of A. R. Kennedy will stay in town this winter to enable the children to attend school.

Marion Post returned from Buffalo, Wyo., last week and on Wednesday went to Crawford to visit relatives.

A. L. Baumgartner, the new editor of the Herald, returned Tuesday from down the road accompanied his wife.

Presiding Elder Julian held quarterly meeting at the M. E. church last Sunday. He made a pleasant call at this office on Monday.

Henry Lindeman returned to Iowa Monday evening. He will be back with his family and personal effects about the first of March.

S. L. R. Maine and family expect to start the first of the week for California where they intend to make their home in future. Their friends here extend best wishes for their prosperity wherever they locate.

C. N. Keith, representing the Dakota Loan & Trust Co., was in town yesterday looking after interests of that company, and found their loans in good shape in Sioux county, with one or two exceptions. He says his company intend to resume loans after the first of the year.

—The work of getting the road up Sawbely canyon is progressing. It will take some time to complete the details and will also take some work to get it in shape, but when it is completed it will make a road with a grade of only five feet to the hundred, and farmers in the north part of the county can haul good, big loads of their products to the markets here. It is quite likely that the road will be in good shape before another crop is ready for market.

—Quite a number have responded to our request for settlement, but there still remains a number of hundreds of dollars on our books unpaid. The first of the year is nearly here, at which time business settlements are made and we hope our friends will call and settle their accounts in order that we may be able to meet the bills which come due at that time. We hope each one who is owing us will make it a point to attend to this. It takes money to carry on any business and we need all that is due us.

—There are some people who run down the country every time they get a chance," said a farmer to us a few days ago, "and I used to wonder why it was. I investigated the matter and found that as a rule the object was to keep people away until they could secure some choice piece of land adjoining or near their own and I made up my mind that a man who discouraged people from settling near him and at the same time kept getting all the land he could, was so inconsistent that his talk did little harm." That farmer evidently knew what he was talking about and if people watch a little they will see that he is about right. When a person runs down a country and still remains in it and does not hesitate to invest in more land when opportunity offers, it is safe to believe that he simply has an ax to grind.

—About the first of January a change will occur in the management of the Commercial Bank. C. C. Jameson, who has been cashier ever since the organization of the bank will resign that position to become cashier of the First National Bank of Chadron. During the three years in which he has had charge of the Commercial Bank, Mr. Jameson has demonstrated his fitness in that capacity and it is a recognition of his business ability that he is offered so responsible a position in one of the heaviest financial institutions in northwest Nebraska. He will likely move his family to Chadron in the near future and their many friends while wishing them success in their new location will regret to see them leave Harrison. Who will succeed Mr. Jameson, as cashier of the Commercial Bank, has not yet been decided.

### Supper and Christmas Tree.

The ladies of the Sunday schools have prepared a supper and Christmas tree for this evening, Thursday, December 24th, at the church. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 p. m., and will be free to all.

After the supper the presents will be distributed to the children from the Christmas tree. No presents will be put on except those given by the Sunday schools to the children, and every child in the community will be treated alike.

All are cordially invited to attend and bring their family with them and enjoy a good supper and a good time and see the children gladdened by the distribution of good things from the Christmas tree.

### Holiday Rates.

Excursion tickets on sale December 24, 25 and 31, 1891, and January 1, 1892, good returning until January 4, 1892, to any point within two hundred miles of Harrison on the F. E. & M. V., for one and one-third fare for the round trip.

J. C. NORTROP, Agent.

### School Reports.

The following is a report of Dist. 1, for the month ending Dec. 18, 1891:

Number of pupils enrolled	24
Number of days all pupils attended	327
Average daily attendance	16
Per cent of attendance	67
Number of visitors	3
Number of cases of tardiness	3

Those who were neither tardy nor absent during the month were: Roy Pimco and Frank Miler.

The following shows those who rank 1 in each class:

A grade—Cora Kemp, 91; rank 1.
B " Frank Miler, 84; " "
" " Mabel Kemp, 84; " "
" " Sammie Kemp, 94; " "
Primary—Elmer Roland, 94; " "
" Charlie Gates, 94; " "
B. B. SMITH, Teacher.

School report of District No. 15, for term beginning Sept. 28 and ending Dec. 18:

Number of days taught	58
Number of pupils enrolled	24
Number of visitors	16

Those neither absent or tardy: Carl Thomas.

Those receiving 100 in department: Louise Gerlach, Arthur Thomas, Willie Plunkett, Annie Moravick, Nora Thomas, Willie Beible and Frank Noreisch.

LILLY THOMAS, Teacher.

### Notice.

All parties knowing themselves indebted either by note or book account to W. R. Smith or W. R. Smith & Son, are hereby notified to call at the Commercial Bank in Harrison and make satisfactory settlement before January 1, 1892, or the same will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection.

W. R. SMITH & SON.

—Anyone who is willing to help the mill project along by giving either work or cash should let the fact be known. The full amount of the bonus has not yet been subscribed, although enough has been promised to warrant going ahead with the proposition. If you cannot give much, give a little and if you cannot give cash give work. It all helps and it shows you desire to see the country prosper.

—The practice of throwing waste paper into the street is a bad one and should be avoided. A piece of paper blowing around will frighten horses about as bad as anything, and it will cause some farmer to have to pay a big bill for repairs on his wagon and harness.

Another thing which should be remembered and that is that old papers add to the danger of fire for they accumulate among old barrels and boxes and help to make fire traps which certainly should be avoided in a town built entirely of wood and with no fire protection.

—Taken up by the undersigned on section 2, township 33, range 26, one dark 4-yr horse, black mane and tail, about four years old, left hind foot white, white strip in forehead, branded 2 and 4 connected something like

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