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 No. 41. Passenger, daily, Omaha,
 Billings and all points north
 and west. 4:25 a. m.
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 Billings and intermediate
 stations. 8:25 p. m.
 No. 47. Freight, daily, New Castle
 and intermediate stations. 2:55 p. m.
 No. 42. Passenger, daily, for Lincoln,
 Omaha, Chicago and all
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Attention, Horsemen!
 The French coach stallion
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SAXON KING, will stand the
 present season at my place six
 miles west and two miles north of
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Terms: \$5 to insure a mare in
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CASTORIA
 For Infants and Children.
 The Kind You Have Always Bought
 Bears the
 Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher.*

Miss Belle Martin is visiting
 friends at Marsland.

Sup't. Neeland returned from
 Springfield this morning.

Richard Beyan came down
 from the Hills Monday night.

Rev. Wunderlich is attending
 Lutheran conference at Norfolk.

Mrs. Cooney of Nebraska City
 is visiting her daughter Mrs.
 Killeen.

Mrs. A. M. Miller and daugh-
 ter, Miss Georgia, visited Alliance
 Wednesday.

Mrs. Beamish has moved to
 town and is occupying rooms in
 the Austin bank building.

Rev. Bowdish will preach in
 the Congregational church Sun-
 day morning and evening.

Miss Maud Emery of Alliance
 was the guest of Mr. and Mrs.
 Libby a few days last week.

W. P. Michael and family left
 Monday for Logan, Iowa, where
 they will reside in the future.

Mrs. F. H. Smith and Miss Ina
 Bellwood drove up from Alliance
 Thursday and visited friends.

The Neeland Bros. shipped a
 car of cattle last Tuesday.
 Fred accompanied the car to
 Omaha.

"Mother" Shindler departed
 Monday night for Grand Island
 where she will receive treatment
 at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gilman
 came up from Alliance to attend
 the surprise party given Miss
 Jessie Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Copeland return-
 ed this morning from Omaha
 and Wymore where they have
 spent the past two weeks.

Attorney A. D. McCandless
 came up from Wymore Tuesday
 and with Mrs. McCandless re-
 turned home Wednesday night.

Mrs. Dr. Langston and child-
 ren made Mr. and Mrs. Bean a
 brief visit last Friday evening.
 They were enroute to Broken
 Bow.

Miss Nellie Goodenough re-
 turned from Logan, Iowa, Sun-
 day morning and commenced her
 school in the Huckle district
 Monday.

The subject of the Epworth
 league lesson for Sunday evening,
 Aug. 7, is "Giving to God",
 found in Luke 21: 1-4. Miss
 Jennie West leader.

Mrs. M. L. Murray, daughter
 of J. V. Nichols, arrived Thurs-
 day morning from Pekin, Ill.,
 and will visit Mr. and Mrs. Nich-
 ols for a month or two.

J. W. Baumgardner, W. T.
 Johnson and Tom O'Keefe repre-
 sented Box Butte county at the
 populist and democratic conven-
 tions at Lincoln Tuesday.

The County Sunday school
 convention will be held at Cel-
 lins' chapel, nine miles north-
 west of Hemingford, on August
 10th. Come and bring your
 lunch basket.

Mrs. Heath, from near Alli-
 ance, was trading with our mer-
 chants yesterday. It is a well
 known fact that goods can be
 purchased cheaper here than at
 the combine town.

Miss Alma Fenner arrived
 from Chicago Wednesday morn-
 ing and will attend her sister
 Mrs. Bartlett who is quite ill.
 Miss Fenner is recovering from
 the accident she met with last
 February.

Hon. S. M. Smyser has been
 hired for another year as clerk in
 the Alliance land office. Mr.
 Smyser is the right man in the
 right place and the Interior De-
 partment seems to realize the
 fact.

I. E. Tash, our townsman, is
 spoken of as a probable candi-
 date for the office of commis-
 sioner of public lands and buildings,
 this fall. The convention could
 not nominate a better or stronger
 man than Mr. Tash and this
 part of the state—and especially
 Box Butte county—is entitled to
 recognition of some kind and
 such it has never had from the
 republicans.

A DRAWING CARD.
 Hemingford's creamery is
 proving a success. The cost
 of the same is less than \$2,000.
 Already we hear of trade which
 is tributary to Crawford being
 attached to Hemingford on ac-
 count thereof. We had better
 wake up.—Crawford Bulletin.

Yes, Hemingford is not only
 drawing trade from the north
 and west but also from within
 two and three miles of Alliance.
 If you don't believe it, come and
 investigate.

THAT INCREASE.
 The Alliance Times last week
 stated that "Alliance is enjoying
 quite an increase in trade as the
 result of the building of the new
 creamery at Hemingford."

Bro. Ellis might as well say
 that business in Alliance has in-
 creased since the county seat was
 removed there. The first pay-
 day at the creamery will not be
 until August 10. All the "in-
 crease" Alliance receives from
 the Hemingford creamery is not
 begrudged by the Hemingford
 merchants.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

Last Saturday was Miss Jessie
 Sweeney's seventeenth birthday
 and in honor of the occasion her
 parents and friends arranged a
 surprise party which was a very
 pleasant affair. Miss Jessie was
 invited to spend the afternoon
 with Miss Georgia Miller and
 upon her return home she was
 very much surprised to find the
 house filled with friends and
 after recovering from the sur-
 prise she discovered that her
 old piano had been removed and
 a fine new one occupied its place.
 She was also the recipient of a
 handsome fan which was present-
 ed by her friends. A delicious
 repast was served. There were
 about forty persons present and
 a very enjoyable evening was
 spent by all.

Hon. F. M. Dorrington has
 assumed the duties of register of
 the U. S. land office at Alliance.
 No better qualified person than
 Mr. Dorrington could have been
 selected for the position. He is
 thoroughly familiar with the
 duties of the office and doubtless
 everybody will receive proper
 treatment at his hands.

Hon. J. W. Wehn, the retiring
 register, has made an efficient
 officer and **THE HERALD** returns
 thanks for many favors shown.
 It is probable that Mr. Wehn will
 devote his time to looking after
 his ranch interests.

A very sad accident ocurred
 on Friday afternoon of last week.
 Little Leslie Mooney and his
 younger brother were playing in
 the water in the flume of the
 Crawford canal, southwest of the
 school house hill, and getting
 hold of a board set it down to the
 bottom to stop the flow of water,
 which it did. In some manner
 he slipped and fell on his knees,
 and the water commenced cover-
 ing him. His younger brother
 became frightened, and ran to
 the house to tell his mother; but
 when she arrived at the scene
 and tore away the boards the
 little fellow had drowned.—Craw-
 ford Tribune.

The case of the State of
 Nebraska vs. the Cases—father
 and son—charged with shooting
 a man named Kincaid, in Sharp
 precinct, being set for hearing in
 county court last Monday, all
 parties appeared. Defendants
 waived examination and were
 bound over on the charge, to ap-
 pear at district court. The bond
 was fixed at \$250 each. They
 furnished sufficient security for
 their appearance and were re-
 leased. They do not deny the charge,
 but probably waived their right
 to a hearing for the purpose of
 concealing their defense, but we
 would guess that they will claim
 justifiable use of fire arms to pro-
 tect their rights. The shooting
 ocurred on the premises of the
 defendants, which will be a strong
 point in their favor.—Rushville
 Standard.

A bouncing boy was born to
 Mr. and Mrs. Byron Fosket this
 morning. All parties doing well.

**SPEND AUGUST IN THE
 BLACK HILLS.**

Go first to Hot Springs. There
 you can bathe, ride, bicycle, climb
 mountains, dance and play tennis
 to your heart's content. If your
 limbs are stiff, your kidneys out
 of order or if you are troubled
 with eczema or any other form of
 skin disease, a month at Hot
 Springs will make a new man of
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Sylvan Lake and Spearfish are
 within a comparatively short
 distance of Hot Springs and
 every one who visits the Black
 Hills should see them. Sylvan
 Lake is the prettiest and coolest
 summer resort in the west.
 Spearfish is reached after a rail-
 road ride that ranks among the
 experiences of a life time. There
 is nothing like it anywhere else on
 the globe.

During August, the Burlington
 Route will run two low-rate ex-
 cursions to Hot Springs; one on
 the 9th, the other on the 26th,
 of that month. Tickets will be sold
 at one fare for the round trip—
 HALF RATES—and will be good to
 return any time within 30 days.

Organize a party. Arrange
 your hotel accommodations at Hot
 Springs. Get your tickets from
 the Burlington agent and pass the
 most delightful month in the year
 in the most delightful summer-
 land on the continent.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Estrayed from our ranch at Ma-
 linda, Neb., about July 4th, 1898,
 one dark brown 3 year-old geld-
 ing, white face and feet. Kindly
 inform C. J. Wildy.

Lost—on July fourth, a gold
 watch. The case is some worn
 and has the letters M. B. en-
 graven on out side. The finder
 will be suitably rewarded by
 leaving it at my home or at the
 post office.

MRS. R. H. BLANCHARD.

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 All trimmed hats must go at
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 and see us. First come, first
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I have for sale one of the best
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160 acres, 90 acres under cul-
 tivation, all can be cultivated;
 balance fenced for pasture.
 Splendid frame house, 2 stories,
 main part 28x18, with an L
 14x14; good cellar; good log
 barn 28x18, with hay mow, holds
 4 tons of hay; 2 good granaries,
 2 corn cribs, 4 frame cow stables,
 2, 14x30ft; 30x14, and 24x14 ft;
 buggy shed, smoke house, hen
 house, cave, corrals, hog pens,
 hay yards, etc; fine garden, irri-
 gated; splendid well will supply
 over 200 barrels of water daily;
 good windmill and tank.

27 head of cattle, 10 young
 cows, good bull, 4 2-year old
 heifers, balance yearlings and
 calves; all good stock. Plenty of
 range for 200 head of stock.

None of the above property
 will be sold separately, but the
 whole will be sold at a sacrifice.

Will also offer a lot of farm
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 To MOTHERS.**

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I, DR. SAMUEL PITCHER, of Hyannis, Massachusetts,
 was the originator of "CASTORIA," the same that
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 the fac-simile signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* wrapper.
 This is the original "CASTORIA" which has been used in
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LOOK CAREFULLY at the wrapper and see that it is
the kind you have always bought *Chas. H. Fletcher* *on the*
and has the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher *wrap-*
per. No one has authority from me to use my name except
The Centaur Company, of which Chas. H. Fletcher is President.
 March 24, 1898.

Samuel Pitcher M.D.
Do Not Be Deceived.
 Do not endanger the life of your child by accepting
 a cheap substitute which some druggist may offer you
 (because he makes a few more pennies on it), the in-
 gredients of which *even he* does not know.
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