

Mrs. Jennie Crisswell is visiting friends in Sutherland.

Rev. A. J. Armstrong, of Brady, spent yesterday in town.

J. J. Halligan and his son Ralph are spending the day in Ogallala.

The school board will hold an adjourned meeting to-morrow night.

F. C. Letts and Miss Laura Letts returned this morning from a visit in Webster City.

Ice Cream Freezers at Wilcox Department Store.

The W. R. C. will serve ice cream and cake on the court house lawn Saturday evening, July 22d.

The Methodist ladies will serve ice cream and cake at the court house park to-morrow evening.

A. M. Allen, who is largely interested in the Gothenburg Water Power Co., spent yesterday in town.

Try Dr. Longley's Little Lazy Liver Lifters. Guaranteed.

Mrs. G. H. Lawrence and Miss Murray Johnson went to Lexington this morning to visit their father.

Mrs. Geo. E. French returned Sunday evening to Omaha where she is undergoing medical treatment.

H. O. Smith, the secretary of the F. & M. Canal Co. at Lexington, spent yesterday in town attending the sessions of the state board of irrigation.

Geo. W. Thomas came up from Gothenburg Wednesday afternoon to transact some legal business. He returned yesterday afternoon on his wheel.

Linen knee pants for boys age 3 to 8, at 25c. Dutchess boys overalls, "bib" at 50c. Age 4 to 16. Cheaper ones at 25c.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

J. C. Bock is visiting at his home in Council Bluffs. Mr. Bock is very seriously crippled with rheumatism but is in hopes that the change of climate will benefit him.

Judge Wall, of Loup City, was a passenger on train No. 1 yesterday afternoon bound for Sidney where he expects to transact business for a few days. On his return trip he will stop over here.

Dovo's Mixed Paints at Wilcox Department Store.

Complaint is being made that the slaughter of young prairie chickens has been commenced by unscrupulous hunters. An effort will be made to prosecute any person found indulging in that unsportsmanlike pastime.

A gang of steel men, fourteen men and a boss, arrived last night and will lay a number of temporary tracks in the yard on which to handle the 1700 class of engines while the round house is being built. The track will be removed as soon as the round house is finished.

Woodman Boiled Linseed oil 55c a gallon at Wilcox Department Store.

Elaborate preparations have been made for the reception to the students of the summer school which is to be given at the Odd Fellow's hall to-morrow night. In addition to J. S. Hinckley's lecture a program of musical selections and readings will be given.

John Lanktree, of the bridge and building department, was in town yesterday looking after the round house improvements. A considerable portion of the outer wall has been torn away and the excavation for the foundation of the new wall is almost completed. A large force of masons will be put at work in order to have the walls progress rapidly.

For Rent—Four nice rooms for residence, over Meekin's meat market. M. C. HARRINGTON, Agent.

Navier Toillion returned last night from a ten days trip to Oklahoma Territory. Most of the time he spent at Shawnee. He brings back very enthusiastic accounts of the country and its products. He may decide to locate there if he is able to dispose of his property here. If he goes he will make the trip by wagon hoping that it may be of benefit to his wife's health.

General Joseph Wheeler, better known to thousands of soldiers as "Fighting Joe," was a passenger on No. 1 yesterday afternoon. He was accompanied by his daughter who will go with him as far as San Francisco. General Wheeler has been detailed for service in the Philippines and will sail for Manila shortly after reaching San Francisco. He is small in stature but mighty in valor and will be a valuable addition to the fighting force in the Philippines.

Chas. A. Walker, of Ogallala, was in town yesterday testifying before Secretary Wilson.

The O. E. S. is planning to give an afternoon social at the home of one of its members next week.

Fancy Parasols at Wilcox Department Store.

Hank Chestnut returned last night from Omaha where he had gone to market a carload of cattle.

Mrs. F. G. Hoxie and daughter and Miss Helen Carnahan, of Ogallala, are the guests of Mrs. Albert Muldoon.

Miss Myrtle Cox arrived from Albia, Iowa, Wednesday night and is visiting her brothers, H. E. and Chas. E. Cox.

Mrs. Fox, of Council Bluffs, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Hardin. Mrs. Fox, who is a trained nurse, may decide to locate here.

Mrs. Clarence Turner and children came up from Grand Island Wednesday night and are visiting Mrs. T's mother, Mrs. Jas. Moran.

Miss Lulu Salisbury has resigned her position in Rennie's store and will once more take up the rod and teach the young idea how to shoot.

R. H. Langford returned last night from a trip to Lincoln and other points in the interests of the insurance companies which he represents.

New Idea Patterns 10c each at Wilcox Department Store.

The board of county commissioners has appointed Alonzo McMichael as a member of the soldiers' relief commission to succeed Geo. Nauman.

The term of summer school is half completed. The students are all very much in earnest in their work and are making very satisfactory progress.

Try Dr. Longley's Little Lazy Liver Lifters. Guaranteed.

David Artlip was brought in from his home over south several days ago and now lies at J. E. Cussins' home very dangerously ill with but little hope of his recovery.

L. Thoelecke has succeeded in recovering the horse which he lost several days ago. It is not known whether the horse strayed or was stolen by some one who, when he discovered that it was lame, turned it loose.

The work of writing up the batch of county warrants has been commenced and in ten days the hearts of numerous people will be made glad by a slice of county funds, as cash will be paid for all 1899 warrants.

Fruit Vars at Wilcox Department Store.

A special train will leave here at nine o'clock to-night for Hershey. It will carry a load of merry-makers bound for the dance which is to be given in Seeberger & Co's big hay barn to-night. The dance promises to eclipse any social event which has occurred in western Nebraska for lo these many moons.

Prices to fairly push them all over the City. "Elgin" white and colored shirts \$1. Cheaper shirts for men and boys 50c and 75c.

STAR CLOTHING HOUSE.

The peaceful serenity of this law abiding community was very much disturbed Wednesday morning when the people awoke to the fact that our sole and only piece of statuary, the bust of Sidney Dillon, Sr., had disappeared from the park around the superintendent's office. Rumors of midnight marauders were afloat and mutters of vengeance to be wreaked upon the head of any one who could be so base as to steal such a work of art, were heard. When the editorial excursion passed through here several weeks ago one editor asked if that was Bryan's statue. It is understood that the remark rankled in the breast of the statue to such an extent that it decided to steal away and hide its head for very shame, and this it proceeded to do—with the assistance of a team of horses and a wagon—during the darkness of Tuesday night.

Miss Florence Crisswell has been spending the week with friends near Sutherland.

Loren Stages Jr., a sterling young man of Hall County, accepted the position of clerk in the postoffice yesterday.

The Bockwick property on west Sixth street has been purchased by W. N. Salisbury and he expects to take possession of it next week.

W. N. Salisbury came in yesterday from a trip to Jan. Morrow Flats. He reports the corn in the condition wheat will make about half a crop.

The weather forecast, generally fair to-night and to-day, continued warm. The maximum temperature was 81, two degrees warmer than it was a year ago.

J. D. Young and family spent yesterday in town. They are going west in slow stages in speculation for the benefit of the health of several members of the party.

Miss Josephine O'Hare entertained a number of her friends last night at a party given in honor of Miss Pearl of Omaha. One of the most interesting features of the evening was a contest. The wedding among the Phobos. Grace Stuart made the most successful relation and was awarded a gold pen. Jane Kitambler received the consolation prize. Delicious refreshments were served and the guests passed a most delightful night.

# WARM WEATHER PRICES.

HARDWARE DEPT.	GROCERY DEPT.	DRY GOODS DEPT.
Western Washers ..... \$3.00	Pint Bottle Horse Radish..... 10c	Lawns, per yard ..... 03c
Large Clevis ..... 10c	Tumbler of Jelly ..... 10c	Kearney Home Muslin per yd. .... 04c
Singletree Clevis, 2 for ..... 15c	Comb Honey per pound ..... 15c	42-inch Pillow Tubing per yard. .... 12½
12-inch Flat File ..... 17c	Anderson's Jam per can ..... 10c	Mosquito Netting per bolt ..... 45c
14-inch Flat File ..... 25c	California Peaches per can ..... 15c	Good Apron Ginghams, per yard ..... 05c
Babbitt Metal, 2 squares for ..... 25c	California Egg Plums 2 cans for. .... 25c	Fine White Goods per yard, 10c to. .... 25c
12-quart Galvanized Pail ..... 20c	California Grapes 2 cans for ..... 25c	Good White Flannel per yard ..... 25c
One-half pound Box Copper Rivets. .... 18c	California Cherries per can ..... 15c	Canton Flannels per yard, 5c and. .... 08c
Alligator Wrench ..... 15c	Pine Apple per can ..... 10c	Lining Cambric per yard. .... 04c
24-inch Go Devil Steel each. .... 30c	Baby Elite Shoe Polish ..... 10c	
Mrs. Pott's Irons, per set ..... \$1.00	Gilt Edge Shoe Dressing ..... 20c	
Maynard Irrigation Shovel ..... 1.20	Jewel Brown Shoe Polish ..... 10c	
DeVoe's Best Mixed Paint per gallon. 1.40	Powdered Borax per pound ..... 15c	
Woodman Linseed Oil, per gallon ..... 55c	Oil Sardines per can ..... 05c	
	Mustard Sardines per can ..... 05c	
	Mustard Sardines, large size, per can 07c	
	McNeal & Libby Plum Pudding pr can 10c	
	McNeal & Libby Wiener-Wurst pr can 10c	
	McNeal & Libby Pig's Feet per can 15c	
	McNeal & Libby Veal Leaf per can... 20c	
	Boneless Chicken per can ..... 15c	
	Potted Ham per can ..... 05c	
	Condensed Milk 3 cans for ..... 25c	
	Condensed Cream 2 cans for ..... 25c	
	Battle Ax Tobacco, per lb. .... 30c	
	Horse Shoe Tobacco, per lb. .... 35c	
	Standard Navy Tobacco, per lb. .... 35c	
	Table Salt, 2 sacks for ..... 05c	
	Kerosene Oil, per gallon ..... 15c	
		<b>NOTION DEPT.</b>
		Thread 3 spools for ..... 10c
		50-yd Corticelli Sewing Silk ..... 04c
		Amsterdam Silk Mitts per pair. .... 25c
		White Cotton Tape per roll. .... 01c
		Dress Shields per pair ..... 08c
		Binding Ribbon per piece ..... 12c
		Invisible Hair Pins per box ..... 02c
		Fine Belt Buckles ..... 50 and 65c
		Ladies' Muslin Drawers ..... 25c to \$1.50
		Ladies' Night Gowns ..... 50c to \$2.00
		Ladies' White Skirts ..... 40c to \$2.65
		Corset Covers ..... 20c to 85c
		Ladies' Crash Dress Skirts ..... 45c
		Ladies' White Dress Skirts ..... 70c to \$2.25
		Ladies' Covert Dress Skirts ..... 90c to \$2.25
		Velveteen Skirt Binding, per yd. .... 3c
		Fans ..... 2c to \$1.50

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## Railroad Notes.

Engine No. 1710 came in with a flat tire yesterday. Its tires will probably all have to be turned.

E. F. Godso and his gang of surveyors are at work to-day laying out new tracks for the round house.

Engine 816 is in the shops for light repairs, and engine 740 is doing double duty until former is out.

The order compelling ballast trains to confine their speed to fifteen miles an hour has been annulled.

The O. S. L. and C. P. connections of train No. 2 were very much delayed yesterday by a washout west of Laramie.

Chas. B. Thompson has resigned his position as brakeman and will return to Broken Bow where he will go into business with his father.

The Colorado Special on the Union Pacific has been doing a tremendous business for several days on account of the low Colorado rates from eastern points.

The wrecking outfit returned from the wreck near Brady Tuesday night. The wreck did not prove to be a serious one and the damage was soon repaired. The cause is still an unknown quantity.

The men in all departments of the shops will work four hours to-morrow and every Saturday afterward until further notice. This gives the men forty-nine hours per week regular time, nine hours more a week than under the old schedule.

Engine No. 889 has come out of the shops at Omaha and been turned over to the tender mercies of "Cyclone Bill" of the First district to be broken in so that it will develop speed enough for Geo. Austin to break the record on the Second.

The number of engine crews on the Second district has been decreased to fourteen and on the Third has been decreased to twelve. This throws seven more men on the list of extra engineers making seventeen on that list. Jno. Weinberger and Jno. Baker are the day hostlers and D. Moynahan and E. Erickson are the night hostlers.

The decrease in the number of engine crews is due to the large engines but the men who have been placed on the extra list will probably make as much as they did when they were on the regular list as the engines on the 1700's can't stand the strain of continual running on them as they are so very hot and they are on the road so long. The number of train crews, fifteen on the Third and sixteen on the Second, remains the same.

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- Mrs. Tobin.
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- W. V. Hoagland.
- Henry Waitomath.
- L. E. Hastings.
- Rev. Haley.
- C. S. Clinton.
- W. T. Wilcox.
- Mrs. Coleman.
- John States.
- Mrs. L. Farrington.
- Greely Bundy.
- G. W. Yroman.
- H. W. Bird.
- Mrs. W. E. Coady.
- G. E. Bushina.
- John Weisgerber.
- A. M. Mason.
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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.  
Land Office at North Platte, Neb., July 12th, 1899.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof to support her claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on August 30th, 1899, viz:

ELLEN OLSON,

who made Homestead Entry No. 12551, for the west half of the Southeast quarter and the west half of the Northwest quarter of Section 14, Twp. 41 N., Range 48 W.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land viz: Charles Olson, N. C. Anderson, Henry Nelson and Andrew Johnson, all of Spaulding, Nebraska.

FILED GEORGE E. FRENCH, Register.

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