

James M. Ray, Lawyer.

J. F. Crane, of Oshkosh, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Mason are home from a brief visit in Denver.

Ed Loveland went to Denver Sunday to look after a cattle deal in which he was interested.

Miss Mannie Malone, of Arnold, has been in town for several days transacting business and visiting friends.

The ladies aid society of the Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Lierk next Thursday afternoon.

America's greatest flour Washburn Crosby Co. Superlative flour at W. F. McGlone & Co. \$1.15.

Mrs. J. H. Clark has returned from a visit at her old home in New York state. She spent Saturday in town while enroute to her home in Garfield.

Order baled hay from Harrington & Tobin.

The various millinery openings are being held this week and the windows are a blaze of color. The creations are varied and dainty enough to satisfy even the most critical feminine tastes.

The Maywood baseball nine failed to materialize on Saturday so the Union Pacific baseball nine had to be content with defeating a nine composed of players picked up around town by a score of twenty-four to three.

The thermometer has recently been engaging in some strange vagaries; Sunday afternoon nearly every one was thinking of laying in a second supply of summer clothes, but this morning a vigorous scramble for cloaks and overcoats was indulged in. The frost last night nipped nearly all the vegetation which was still green.

A very sad circumstance occurred on the second section of train No. 2 this morning. Geo. Crabb, a man who had been out to Colorado for the benefit of his health, died just as the train was about halfway between Big Springs and Ogallala. Identification cards in his pocket gave his address as 645 Stevenson street, Chicago. The remains were taken off the train at Ogallala and will be held there until word is received from his relatives. At the time of his death he was all alone in the smoking compartment of the car.

Mrs. W. T. Wilcox will entertain a number of ladies to-morrow afternoon.

Miss Lena Schatz has returned from a week's visit with friends in Omaha.

Mrs. E. A. Cooney and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Valparaiso.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bogue returned Saturday morning from a visit with her brother in Denver.

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Halligan have sent out invitations for a party Thursday evening.

Mrs. Jas. Moran returned this morning from an extended visit with her son W. T. in Pocattello.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill returned this morning from a four week's visit at various places in Pennsylvania.

The ladies of the Eastern Star will meet at the home of Mrs. A. S. Baldwin Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 11th.

W. F. McGlone & Co. are selling Mason fruit jars at the following prices. Pints 40c., quarts 50c., half gallons 55c.

Our advertising columns indicate that North Platte merchants are hustling for business, and it goes without saying that they will get it.

Swan Starke and a gang of U. P. stonemasons went to Gothenburg yesterday morning to do some necessary repairing on U. P. property there.

County superintendent Thoelecke returned Saturday from a week's visiting of schools in the northeastern part of the county.

The work of reorganizing the various social and literary clubs in North Platte will be commenced very soon, and the town bids fair to have its usual quota of clubs.

Consult Dr. Miller of the Romine Dental Co. before you go elsewhere for your dental work. Office over Streitz drug store.

David Cash, a former well known resident of this city, is dangerously ill at his home in Logan county. A report was current on Saturday that he was dead, but it proved to be a mistake.

**A Daring Robbery.**

Early this morning the Wilcox Department Store was broken into by burglars and several hundred dollars worth of goods were stolen. The burglars obtained entrance by cutting out a pane in a window in the northeast corner of the store. The indications are that that were several people concerned in the affair and they evidently had some knowledge of how the store is arranged. Nearly every department was ransacked and the burglars obtained cutlery, guns, clothing and blankets. They evidently took more than they could carry as a number of articles of clothing and several knives were picked up in the north and east alleys. The deed must have been committed some time during the early morning as there was no frost on the articles which were picked up in the alley and there were footprints in the frost.

After leaving the store they must have gone to the railroad yards and it is supposed that they boarded a train in the east end of the yards as a revolver which was identified as one of those stolen was found by Polieman Robinson buried in the gravel beside the main track in the east end. The officers were at once notified of the theft and are hard at work on the case. Several things indicate that the burglary was the work of amateurs but they were undoubtedly very nerry amateurs.

Loose hay and baled hay always for sale.

Harrington & Tobin.

Chicago forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair to-night and Wednesday. The minimum temperature this morning was 40. Last Sunday the 1st, the temperature registered 94 at the Weather Bureau office which is the highest temperature ever recorded in any month of October covering 26 years of observations. The highest temperature hitherto recorded for past Octobers was 90 on October 7, 1897. October 1st, 1898, the temperature registered 84 and it was the highest for the month.

W. A. Paxton, Sr., who had been here for several days looking after some business interests, went to Ogallala last night.

**Railroad Notes.**

Ed Bogue is acting as passenger brakeman on the mail run.

Andy Walsh is one of the conductors on the mail while "Doc" Adams is laying off.

"Doc" Adams laid off at Cheyenne Saturday night and has gone to Pocattello and Seattle on some legal business.

Chief Dispatcher Hilliker spent yesterday in Sidney looking after the branch dispatcher's office there.

J. H. McConnell, superintendent of motive power, and Supt. R. W. Baxter, of the Nebraska division, spent Sunday in town.

S. C. McComber left Sunday morning for Omaha to attend an important meeting of the O. R. C. He will probably be gone several weeks.

G. W. Hood took a brief vacation and spent a few days in Cheyenne and Denver. Operator McCrae worked in Mr. Hood's place during his absence.

Fred Hartman has taken a thirty days lay-off to rest up and look after some private business. He may possibly take a trip before returning to work.

Another shifting has taken place among the passenger crews: Conductor Mooney has been assigned to the mail section of trains Nos. 1 and 2 and Conductor Anderson to trains Nos. 3 and 4.

Friday morning as the dining car Capitol was being switched around in the yards a sudden jirk of the car threw the cook, a colored man, against the ice box with very great force. The blow did very serious injury to his back and it was necessary to take him to the hospital in Omaha that night. His recovery is considered very doubtful.

E. A. Cary left this morning for a short visit in Omaha.

W. B. McNeel and his son returned last night from a visit with relatives and friends in Clifton, Md., and Washington.

P. B. Gavin, receiver of the State Bank of Wallace has made application to Judge Grimes that he be given leave to sell the uncollected assets of the bank at public auction. Judge Grimes will hear the petition on the 28th inst.

The largest and most beautiful line of capes and jackets ever shown in the city at Rennie's.

Our people can afford to buy the celebrated Pillsbury's Best Minnesota flour at only \$1.15 a sack.

Harrington & Tobin.

**School Board Meeting.**

The school board held its regular monthly meeting in the superintendent's office last night. The board had asked for bids from all of the coal dealers for the winter supply of coal, but only one dealer, C. F. Iddings, responded. His bid of seven dollars per ton was accepted.

Miss Ruth Patterson was formally assigned to the new room in the Third ward school and her salary fixed at fifty dollars per month. Miss Ella Blake was engaged to teach the Osgood school at a salary of forty dollars per month. It was decided best to have two weeks vacation at holiday time. The vacation will begin December 22d and end January 8th.

The bid of sixty dollars submitted by D. A. Baker for the old Murphy school house was accepted. The school hand book will be revised and 500 hundred copies of it will be printed. Charts for the west and south schools were ordered. A ruling was made that any pupil who had a daily average of ninety or over should be excused from the quarterly examinations. Quite a number of bills were allowed. The treasurer reported a good balance in the treasury after all bills for September were paid.

Miss Abbie Shuman is clerking in Hartman's confectionary store.

Bernard Beer, of Denver, is in town to-day transacting business and meeting old-time friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rossow and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pohimer went to Omaha yesterday to spend a few days visiting friends and taking in the fair.

Frank Toillion and his family left this morning for Shawnee, I. T., where they expect to locate Mr. Toillion having succeed in disposing of all of his interests in this county. Their many friends are sorry to see them go but will be ready to welcome them back with open arms when they find out that not even Indian Territory is superior to Nebraska.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and the cure requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoon-ful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

The Misses Perry and Miss Lou-don have come in from Gandy to attend the North Platte high school. They commenced their school work to-day.

**FOR SALE.**

A half section of land near Hershey, most of it in crops and alfalfa, with four water rights in the North Platte ditch. For further information address W. O. Thompson, Hershey, Neb., or A. J. Eaton, Eaton, Colo.

I have just received a car load of redwood stock tanks. These are the best and cheapest tankmade. Call and get prices.

C. F. IDDINGS.

DON'T FAIL  
TO ATTEND  
THE....  
**Millinery  
Opening**  
AT....  
**RENNIE'S**  
Tuesday,  
Wednesday and  
Thursday,  
Oct. 3, 4, 5.

NOTICE.  
Notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of September, 1899, P. B. Gavin, Receiver of the State Bank of Wallace, Nebraska, presented his application to me, the undersigned, for the sale at public auction of all the assets of said bank yet undisposed and uncollected, and notice is hereby given that on the 26th day of October, 1899, at my office in the city of North Platte, in said county, I will at chambers and hear any objections that may be presented by any party or parties interested in said assets to the granting of said application.  
H. M. GRIMES, Judge.

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome  
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

**WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.**

HARDWARE DEPT.	GROCERY DEPT.	DRY GOODS DEPT.	NOTION DEPT.
Climax Liquid Stove Polish, Large bottle... 10c	Kerosene Oil per gallon... 16c	Plaid Dress Goods from 10c a yard to... \$1.25	Velveteen Skirt Binding per yard... 03c
Stove Pipe Damper... 10c	Diamond C Soap 9 bars for... 25c	Black Crepon Skirt Patterns from 4.00 to... 8.00	Waterproof Skirt Binding per yard... 08c
Common Stove Pipe Elbows... 10c	Table Salt 2 sacks for... 05c	Black Dress Goods 12 1/2c per yard to... 2.00	Baby Ribbon per yard... 01c
Adjustable Stove Pipe Elbows... 15c	Salt per barrel... \$1.55	Double Width All Wool Flannel per yard... 25c	Satin Baby Ribbon per yard... 1 1/2c
Stove Pipe Collars... 04c	25 pounds Corn Meal... 25c	Fleece Lined Cotton Dress Goods per yd 7c to 10c	Corticelli Button Hole Twist per spool... 02c
50-lb. Cream City Flour Bins... \$2.00	Gothenburg Fancy Patent Flour per sack... 1.00	Indigo Prints per yard... 05c	50 yd Corticelli Sewing Silk per spool... 04c
12-quart Galvanized Pails... 20c	Tapioca per pound... 05c	Good Apron Gingham per yard... 05c	100 yd Corticelli Sewing Silk per spool... 08c
6-4 Zinc Oilcloth Binding... 18c	Sago per pound... 05c	Lining Cambric per yard... 04c	Thread, 3 spools for... 10c
6-4 Brass Oilcloth Binding... 25c	Pearl Barley per pound... 05c	Kearney Home Muslin per yard... 04c	Imported Saxony per skein... 07c
No. 8 Galvanized Wash Boiler... 1.00	Wheat per package... 12c	Bleached Muslin per yard... 05c	Black German Knitting Yarn per skein... 15c
Galvanized Half Bushel—with bale... 40c	Baker's Chocolate 18c, 2 cakes for... 35c	Ticking per yard... 7c to 18c	Spanish Yarn 2 skeins for... 25c
Japanned Half Bushel—with bale... 30c	Sago per pound... 05c	Outing Flannel per yard... 5c, 7c, 8c and 10c	Large Balls Ice Wool 2 for... 25c
14-inch Wagon Box Strap Bolts, per set... 60c	Star Tobacco per pound... 45c	Canton Flannels per yard... 5c, 8c, 9c, and 12 1/2c	Slate Pencils 6 for... 01c
End Gate Rods, each... 10c	Horse Shoe Tobacco per pound... 45c	Table Oil Cloth, all colors, per yard... 15c	Agate Buttons per gross... 05c
Shot, 2 pounds for... 15c	Standard Navy Tobacco per pound... 35c	8-4 Unbleached Sheeting per yard... 10c	Crochet Cotton 3 spools for... 10c
Powder, per pound... 30c		Fancy Plaid Skirt Lining per yard... 10c	Vaseline per bottle... 05c
12-Gauge Rival Empty Shells, per hundred... 60c		Silk Finished Cotton Skirtings per yard... 18c	2 Quart Fountain Syringe... 55c
10-Gauge Rival Empty Shells, per hundred... 65c		Extra Silk Finished Cotton Skirting pr yd... 25c	2 Quart Hot Water Bottle... 65c
12-Gauge Loaded Shells per box... 45c			2 Quart Combination Hot Water Bottle and Syringe (guaranteed)... \$1.25
10-Gauge Loaded Shells per box... 50c			Silk Binding Ribbon per bolt... 10c
12-Gauge Smokeless Loaded Shells per box... 60c			Dress Stays per Set... 05c
			New Idea Paper Patterns... 10c
			Envelopes per bunch... 03c
			Square Envelopes per bunch... 05c
			Writing Paper 40 sheets for... 05c
			Alarm Clocks... 85c
			Cotton Tape per roll... 01c
			Silver Stiffened Thimbles each... 10c
			Common Thimbles each... 01c
			Grain Bags per dozen... 1.25
			American A Grain Bags per dozen... 2.00
			Paper of 25 Darning Needles... 05c
			Knitting Needles per set of 5... 03c
			Bone Crochet Hooks each... 02c
			Chalk per gross... 10c
			Stone Bros. Gold Filled Rings, narrow, each... 25c
			Stone Bros. Gold Filled Rings, wide, each... 50c
			Kermitz One Piece Collar Buttons each... 25c

Goods Marked in Plain Figures and Sold at One Price for Cash Only.

**WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE, NORTH PLATTE.**