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Our line is the largest we have ever had for the Holidays. Would be pleased to have you call, and any article you wish laid aside we will gladly do so.

All goods sold engraved free of charge.

Clinton....
THE JEWELER.

The Semi-Weekly Tribune.
ANNIE C. KRAMPH, CITY EDITOR.

TUESDAY, DEC. 5, 1899.

E. J. Rannle returned this morning from an Omaha trip.

C. E. Menter is down from Ogallala transacting business to-day.

Engine No. 721 went into the shop this morning for an overhauling.

S. A. Hultman, of Sutherland, is planning a trip to Sweden in the near future.

J. C. Fleharty spent Sunday and Monday visiting relatives in Lexington. He resumed his labors on the 4th to-day.

Rev. C. P. Graves, the Presbyterian missionary who works in this end of the state, went to Gandy this morning to hold services there.

Miss Gertrude Peale, who had been spending her Thanksgiving vacation at home, returned to school at Kearney this morning.

Daniel McGee, of Brady, is among the out-of-town visitors who are transacting business in town to-day.

H. D. Rhea came up from Lexington this morning to look after the interests of some of his clients at this term of district court.

County supt. Thoelecke returned last night from a trip to the southern part of the county and will leave to-day on a visit to schools north of Sutherland.

General manager Dickinson is coming down from the west on a special train to-day, making a daylight inspection of the road and the various improvements that are being made all along the line.

A. H. Davis returned this morning from a few days hunting trip. He made his headquarters at the Palmer ranch south of here and succeeded in bagging a large amount of game.

Col. W. F. Cody arrived yesterday afternoon from the Big Horn basin where he has spent the past few weeks looking after his various business properties there. He will spend a few days here and then go to New York City on a business trip.

Judge H. M. Sullivan, of Broken Bow, was in town on business for a short time yesterday.

W. O'Meara and H. T. Porter who recently disposed of their business to F. B. Hartman, left this morning for Shelton where they expect to go into business again.

Miss Eva Wiber, who is afflicted with temporary insanity, the result of nervous prostration, was brought in from Myrtle Saturday afternoon and placed in the county hospital.

A new foundation is being put under the Odd Fellows' block. This improvement was rendered necessary owing to the fact that the building was showing a tendency to settle and the foundation was crumbling badly in some places. When the new foundation is completed and some minor improvements are made the store will probably be occupied by W. F. McGlone & Co.

Pillsbury's Best flour is the best Minnesota flour sold in the west. \$1.15.

Harrington & Tobin.
Jno. McNeil, of Kansas City grand president of the Boilermakers' union, was in Omaha yesterday for the purpose of conferring with the Union Pacific officials concerning the situation in the Cheyenne shops. In an interview with a Bee reporter Mr. McNeil said that unless the difficulty was adjusted the boilermakers all along the line would be called out.

Only about five per cent of those who filed on reservoir claims during the reservoir claim fever last summer have appealed from the secretary's decision concerning the filing of them and in the majority of those cases the appeal has been taken simply to gain time and allow the filer to occupy the land a little longer. The local land office has no authority to repay the fees which were paid at the time the filings were made but any one who wishes can make application to the secretary for a return of the fee although it is doubtful if it will be returned.

A new and complete line of confectionery, fruits and cigars on sale at the Hartman confectionery store formerly owned by Porter & O'Meara. An attractive line of holiday bonbons for sale at reasonable prices. Lowney's box goods always on sale.

The board of education held its regular monthly meeting at the superintendent's office last night. Considerable routine business was dispatched. The question of advertising the high school bonds was taken up and it was decided to advertise in the Bond Buyer, of New York City, an Omaha, a Lincoln and a North Platte paper. It was thought that that amount of advertising would give the matter sufficient publicity.

This station now has a steam wrecker No. 02798. This wrecker is capable of handling fifteen tons and was formerly stationed at Omaha. It was expected that one of the new thirty ton steam wreckers would be sent here but it was decided to send one of those to Cheyenne and the other to Omaha and use the smaller wrecker here. Robt McKinley came up from Omaha with the outfit and has been instructing the men in the proper method of handling it.

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

The W. R. C. will hold a social at the home of Mrs. H. R. Reese to-morrow afternoon.

W. B. Sullivan of Nichols shipped two fine Poland China pigs yesterday to J. H. Adams at Maxwell.

Xavier Toillon sold to S-eborg & Co. at Hershey Saturday 100 hogs seven months old that averaged 207 pounds each.

J. H. Manning emphatically denies the report that he has been asked to resign his position as superintendent of motive power on the Wyoming division.

Chicago forecast for North Platte and vicinity: Fair to-night and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday. The maximum temperature yesterday was 34, the minimum this morning 19. A year ago the maximum was 41 and the minimum 20.

R. H. Longford has issued a very neat business directory card of the city, containing a view of the proposed high school building and the faces of several men of prominence. The typographical work executed by Fred Wright is very creditable.

"It has become a household medicine with us—we cannot get along without it," writes Mrs. R. R. Wilson, Gordon, Ark., of Boggs' Cherry Cough Syrup, the guaranteed remedy for coughs, colds, la grippe, consumption and all bronchial affections. Never fails. A. F. Streit.

COLD WEATHER FACTS.

HARDWARE.

- Climax Liquid Stove Polish Large bottle 10c
- Stove Pipe Damper 10c
- Common Stove pipe Elbows 10c
- Adjustable Stove pipe Elbows 15c
- 12 Quart Galvanized Pails 20c
- 6-4 Zinc Oilcloth Binding 18c
- 6-4 Brass Oilcloth Binding 25c
- No 8 Galvanized Wash Boiler 95c
- Galvanized Half Bushel (with bale) 40c
- Jappanned Half Bushel (with bale) 30c
- 14 in. Wagon Box Strap Bolts per set 60c
- End Gate Rods (each) 10c
- Shot 2 lbs. for 15c
- Powder per lb. 30c
- 12 Gauge Rival Empty Shells per 100 60c
- 10 Gauge Rival Empty Shells per 100 65c
- 12 Gauge Loaded Shells per box 45c
- 10 Gauge Loaded Shells per box 50c
- 12 Gauge Smokeless Loaded Shells per box 60c

GROCERIES.

- Kerosene Oil per gallon 16c
- Diamond C Soap 9 bars for 25c
- Salt per barrel 1.55
- Table Salt, 2 sacks for 05c
- Gothenburg Fancy Patent Flour per sack \$1.00
- 25 lbs Corn Meal 25c
- Tapica per lb. 05c
- Sago per lb. 05c
- Pearl Barley per lb. 05c
- Wheat per pkr 12c
- Baker's Chocolate 1lb, 2 cakes for 35c
- Star Tobacco per lb. 45c
- Horse Shoe Tobacco, per lb. 45c
- Standard Navy Tobacco, per lb. 35c

DRY GOODS.

- All Wool Dress Flannel (double width) per yard 25c
- Cotton Plaid Dress Goods per yard 10c
- Fine Plain Henrietta per yard 25c
- All Wool Covert Cloth per yard 50c
- Black Dress Goods per yard 15c to \$2.00
- Good Quality Plaids 30c to \$1.25
- Fleece Lined Cotton Dress Goods 7c to 10c
- Good Apron Gingham per yard 05c
- Lining Cambric all colors per yard 04c
- Kearney Home Muslin per yard 04c
- Table Oil cloth (all colors) per yard 15c
- Canton Flannels per yard 5c, 8c, 9c, 12c
- Outing Flannels per yard 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c

UNDERWEAR.

- Ladies Good Quality... Vests or Pants 25c
- Ladies Fine Quality... Vests or Pants 50c
- Ladies Heavy Fleece Lined Vest or Pants 50c
- Ladies All Wool Vests or Pants 1.00
- Mens Fleece Lined Underwear per suit 70c
- Mens Fleece Lined Underwear per suit 1.00
- Mens All Wool Underwear per garment 1.00
- Mens Extra Quality All Wool underwear per garment 1.25 and 1.50
- Ladies Union Suits from 50c to 1.35
- Mens Union Suits from 1.00 to 2.75

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

- Ladies Wool Mittens per pair 10c
- Ladies Silk Mittens per pair 15c, 25c, 50c
- Ladies Silk Mittens 50c, 70c, 75c, \$1.00
- Mens' Leather Covered Mittens 25c
- Mens' Good Quality Leather Mittens 50c
- Mens' Good Quality Mittens 50c and \$1.00

NOTIONS.

- Velveteen Skirt Binding per yard 3c
- Waterproof Skirt Binding per yard 8c
- Baby Ribbon per yard 1c
- Satin Baby Ribbon per yard 1 1/2c
- 50 yd Corticelli Sewing Silk per spool 4c
- Thread 3 spools for 10c
- Imported Saxony per skein 7c
- Black German Knitting yarn per skein 15c
- 2 quart Fountain Syringe 55c
- 2 quart Fountain Syringe (guaranteed) 75c
- 2 quart Combination Hot Water Bottle and Syringe (guaranteed) \$1.25
- Alarm Clocks 85c
- Vaseline per bottle 5c

SWEATERS.

- Cotton Sweaters each 50c
- Wool Mixed Sweaters each 75c
- Wool Mixed Sweaters 75c and \$1.00
- Fine Wool Sweaters \$1.50

BLANKETS.

- Cotton Blankets per pair 37c
- Cotton Blankets per pair 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50
- Wool Blankets per pair \$3.00
- Extra Quality Wool Blankets \$4 to \$5.00
- Bed Comforts each \$1, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00

Goods marked in plain figures and sold at One Price for Cash Only.

WILCOX DEPARTMENT STORE.

NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

A Plain Statement.

The Telegraph erred in its statement last evening that Fred Hartman had sold me the old Brazleton stock and that he had purchased a brand new stock from Porter & O'Meara. I have none of the old Brazleton stock in my store but offer my customers new and up-to-date goods. The old shelf worn stock that Brazleton bought of Williams passed into the hands of Williams again last spring when Brazleton failed and was sold by him to Porter & O'Meara, who sold out yesterday to Fred Hartman.

All who wish fresh candies, fruits, nuts and cigars can be accommodated by me. I make a specialty of delicious home-made candy and also carry a complete line of Guntber's and Lowney's box goods.

A. B. HOAGLAND.

Don't sell your Hay to any one until you see us and get our prices. We are in close touch with all the best hay markets in this country and can pay you the highest price obtainable.
HARRINGTON & TOBIN.

A Birthday Party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Sullivan entertained a number of young people Saturday night in honor of their daughter Mary, the occasion being her eighteenth birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in playing games—one of them, "questions and answers" arousing considerable fun and hilarity. The class of 1900, of which Miss Sullivan is a member, presented her with a very handsome silver toilet set. She was also the recipient of a number of other handsome remembrances, among them being a diamond ring from her parents. Among those who enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan's delightful hospitality were the Misses Ida VonGoetz, Ethel Donegan, Mabel Davis, Jessie Bullard, Irene Swarthout, Eva Hartman, Sadie Bakewell, Myrtle Richards, Emma Baker, Bessie Finney, Mamie Cronin, Emily Cooper, Maud and Ethel Dillon, Carrie Barbee, Regina McGovern, Annie Connors, Teresa Austin, Ida Ottenstein, Nellie Bristol, Josie O'Hare, Grace Armstrong, Bertha Koons, Edna Sullivan, Ida Neir and Margaret Gillman and Messrs Otten, Keliher, VonGoetz, Baskins, Ell, Tekulve, Picard, States, Grace, Smith, Lambert, Byers, and Everett Fink, Besack, Schatz, Redmond and Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kitamiller.

"After suffering over a year with indigestion, Boggs' Little Giant Pills cured me."—W. T. Williamson, Broughton, Ark. Best little pill made; never gripe; thoroughly regulate stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, curing constipation, biliousness and indigestion. A. F. Streit.

Railroad Notes.

Alex Russell had the misfortune Sunday night to get a piece of steel in his eye. The wound it made is quite painful and will necessitate his laying off for a few days.

Several new engines for the Southern Pacific have recently gone through here. Part of them were for passenger service and they were uncommonly fine types of engines.

Henry M. Simpson, who has been an east end passenger brakeman for a number of years, has been appointed assistant station master at the new union depot in Omaha. He will have charge of the depot nights.

A misplaced switch in the west end of the yards caused an engine to jump the track Saturday morning and gave the wrecking crew an opportunity for some extra work. The engine was put back on without very much difficulty.

The furniture for the new telegraph office has arrived and will be put in place as soon as the room is in readiness. When the new office is completed it will have a great many conveniences which the old office did not possess and will be one of the best offices on the road.

All of the telegraph poles along the roadbed through the heart of the town have been removed, the wires having all been strung on the new poles on Front Street. M. J. Mayer, the lineman who has been overseeing the necessary changes, and his corps of assistants went west last night to work for a week before returning here to complete the work.

Freight receipts at this station still show a marked increase, an evidence that prosperity is not waning in this "neck of the woods."

Express agent McGovern and Postmaster Hill are looking forward to the holiday season this year with feelings that are anything but joyful as there is every prospect that there will be more holiday business this year than ever before. Prosperity always makes itself felt at Christmas time because it loosens up the purse strings and makes people feel like remembering all their friends and relatives.

Perry Sitton had a decidedly uncomfortable experience Sunday morning as a result of which his face is liberally adorned with plasters. He was out on his usual run and got off the train to assist a "bum" in getting off. While he was some little distance from the train it started to pull out. Perry made a run for it and succeeded in catching the hand rail but his hold was so insecure that he was thrown down. A second attempt resulted in the same experience but by that time his plight had been observed and the train was stopped long enough for him to get aboard. His face is badly scratched and bruised as a result of being thrown on the ballast.

E. R. Smith, of Gandy, has been putting his surplus funds into a cattle ranch on the South Loop and is now running a herd of 800 head. His ranch is said to be one of the best in western Nebraska.

GUARANTEED TO STOP YOUR HAIR FALLING OUT, removes dandruff, restores natural color, and cures all scalp diseases—Boggs' Hair Renewer, "Cannot praise it too highly; stopped my hair falling out and started a new growth."—Mrs. M. McKeever, Abbeville, Kan. A. F. Streit.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local application as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh; which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best. 6-19

For Sale.

The Manion land near Nichols. Comprising nearly 400 acres choice hay and farming land. Will be sold cheap. For price and terms apply to

T. C. PATTERSON.

Carpet Warp

ON SPOOLS.

- Colored, per pound 19c
- White, per pound 17c

Wilcox Dept. Store.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at North Platte, Neb., December 24, 1899. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at North Platte, Neb., on January 16th, 1900, viz: JOSHUA B. STAPLETON, who made Homestead Entry No. 17833 for the southeast quarter of Section 2, Town 12 north, Range 27 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Denton H. Eavey, William J. Eavey, Edward H. Springer and George W. Parsons, all Brady, Neb. GEO. E. FRENCH, Register.

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Something from our well selected stock of.....

- Jewelry, Watches, Novelties, Jewel Cases, Pomade Boxes, Pin Trays, Manicure Sets Dressing Sets Curling Sets Smoking Sets

And a thousand and one other pretty and suitable gifts for both young and old. We bought our goods at the very lowest prices, PAYING CASH for what we bought, and are in a position to offer you the very best at prices that will suit you. New goods are being received daily and can offer you articles that are entirely new and that have not and are not for sale elsewhere in our city. SEE OUR SHOW WINDOWS FOR NEW GOODS. All goods engraved by hand free of charge. Store open from 7:30 a. m. to 9:30 p. m.

HARRY DIXON.

WATCH INSPECTOR FOR THE UNION PACIFIC R. R. CO.

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