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| Hoes, all solid, one piece blade and shank, best handle something you need right now and well worth 40c to close at..... | .25 |
| Best wire screen cloth, 24 inches wide, per yard, 10c, 27 inch 12c, 28 inch 14c, 30 inch 16c, 32 inch..... | .18 |

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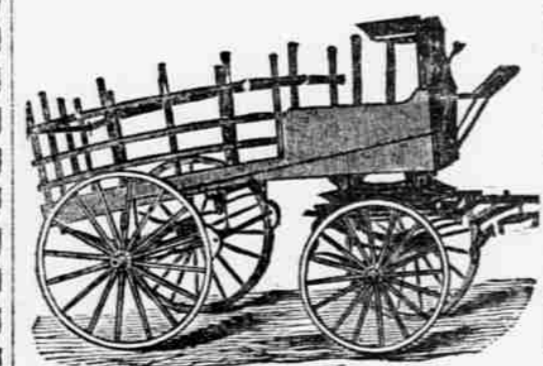
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INDIANOLA.

Ami C. Teel had business in McCook, Monday.
F. P. Tomblin was an Arapahoe visitor, Sunday.
Marion Powell was an Indianola visitor, this week.
Mr. and Mrs. McCord were Bartley visitors, Sunday.
O. J. Hadley was a McCook pilgrim, Monday evening.
Prof. Casner took a flying trip to Denver, this week.
Eddie Teel returned home from Lincoln, Friday evening on a two weeks' visit.
H. W. Keyes and wife are visiting Mr. Keyes' father in Mount Vernon, Iowa.
Frank Dolan came home from Oklahoma, Friday morning, on a visit.
E. G. Caine's daughter, who has been away attending school, is home on a visit.
Mrs. E. A. Hendershott went up to McCook, Monday evening, on a visit to friends.
Mr. Taylor, a commercial man of Lincoln, rendered several very fine solos at the M. E. church, Sunday.
Miss Vivian Gossard, who visited friends here, last week, returned to Cedar Bluffs, Friday morning.
Mrs. Henry Powell and baby Francis are in Iowa, called there by the serious illness of Mrs. Powell's father.
Mrs. Mackechnie, Mrs. J. W. Welborn and the Misses Flora and Angie Quick drove up to McCook, Saturday.
The pupils of the high school, during Mr. Casner's absence, Tuesday, made up a fishing party and spent the day very pleasantly on the Willow.
Crop conditions about Indianola were rendered superb by the splendid rain of Tuesday night, when the downpour amounted to an inch and a half.
Elmer Ervin, who has been working in Hoag's livery barn for some time, was kicked by a horse, Saturday, and had three ribs broken. He is getting along nicely under the care of Dr. Mackechnie.
The school-board met, last Saturday evening, and elected the following teachers for the ensuing year: A. J. Casner, principal; Flora Quick, grammar; Nettie McCool, intermediate; Alta Hagor, first primary. The second primary is yet to be filled.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dolan attended the burial of Donald Eller of Omaha at Exeter, Sunday afternoon last. The deceased was a nephew of Mrs. Dolan. The parents of the young man are members of the Christian Science faith and his death under their treatment and without the usual professional attention has caused no little comment and stir in Omaha. A forced autopsy resulted in the announcement that death was incident to a case of appendicitis.

SOUTH SIDE.

Will Jacques has purchased a bicycle. Wheat and rye are in promising condition now.
The Wasson brothers have four fine young colts.
J. S. McBrayer was a South Side visitor, Tuesday.
Leon Hileman is irrigating wheat for J. M. Hammond.
Will and Walter Jacques are working for W. S. Moran.
The weeds are making rapid headway in the South Side.
M. H. Holmes is doing some more carpenter-work for W. G. Dutton.
W. S. Fitch has planted some sod-corn with I. H. Wasson's planter.
W. S. Fitch made a few hauls with his seine and got a nice lot of fish.
John Burtless listed corn, Monday, and fought buffalo gnats between times.
Roy Goheen has ten acres of the finest sugar-beets in this part of the country.
I. H. Wasson is proud of his splendid stand of alfalfa, sown with a press-drill. Most of the sugar-beets in the South Side have been gone over with the weeder.
Finest rain of the year, Tuesday. Fall one and one-half inches. Value, 'steen millions.
Messrs. Roy Wasson, Joseph Schmitz and J. C. Acheson have been irrigating winter wheat.
Will McDonald, who is herding for John Burtless, killed a rattlesnake with seven rattles, recently.
Irvin Wasson, the ditch-walker, turned the water out of the flume on Sunday. No one uses it on that day.
Mrs. S. C. Hileman has a fine lot of peppers and tomato plants. They are the best on the South Side.
Oscar Schmitz has been hauling fat hogs to market for W. G. Dutton, this week, Monday and Tuesday.
Most of the wheat, rye and alfalfa under the ditch have just been or are now receiving artificial rain from the ditch.
When the time comes to thin beets there will be an active demand for hands, as the work of thinning is slow, and many hands make light work.
John Burtless has purchased a new Delaval cream-separator from the Beatrice Creamery Co. He gets twenty-one cents a pound for his butter-fat.

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Millions marvel at the multitude of maladies cut off by Dr. King's New Life Pills—the most distressing too. Stomach, liver and bowel troubles, dyspepsia, loss of appetite, jaundice, biliousness, fever, malaria, all fall before these wonder workers. 25c at McConnell & Berry.

A Temperance Promoter.

The Corn Belt has the following to say of one railroad as a temperance promoter: "The Burlington road has always objected to even a moderate use of red liquor by its employes. Too much depends upon their clear-headed understanding of all their duties. The adoption of it of more stringent rules against the use of liquor by employes is a movement in the interest of public safety and good railroading that will have the unqualified endorsement of the traveling public."
"The Burlington, in common with most railroad corporations, had already put in force a rigid ban on the use of intoxicants by employes who had anything to do with the operation of trains, not only on duty, but also while off duty. This rule has now been extended so as to apply to employes in all departments, including track, bridge and building departments. The new book of rules just issued by the company contains this paragraph: "The use of intoxicants by employes while on duty is prohibited. Their habitual use or the frequenting of places where they are sold is sufficient cause for dismissal."

The Great Dismal Swamp

Of Virginia is a breeding ground of malaria germs. So is low, wet or marshy ground everywhere. These germs cause weakness, chills and fever, aches in the bones and muscles, and may induce dangerous maladies. But Electric Bitters never fail to destroy them and cure malarial troubles. They will surely prevent typhoid. "We tried many remedies for malaria and stomach and liver troubles," writes John Charleston, of Byesville, O. "but found nothing as good as Electric Bitters." Try them. Only 50c. McConnell & Berry guarantee satisfaction.

Fastest Authentic Run on Record.

The fastest run ever made by a railroad train for the distance was that accomplished last month on the Burlington and Missouri River railroad, between the two stations of Eckley and Wray, Colorado. The two towns are 14.8 miles apart and the run was made in an even nine minutes, which works out at a rate of 98.66 miles per hour. The train was made up of a mail car, baggage car, two chair cars, three sleeping cars, a dining car and a private car, or nine cars in all. It was drawn by a ten-wheel engine with 19-inch by 26-inch cylinders, and 75-inch drivers; the line is on a down-grade with a maximum of 32 feet to the mile. The timing of the train was done in the observation car by five watches, one of which was held by the conductor, and the record is considered to be so accurate and well authenticated that it has received the official confirmation of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad.—Scientific American, May 10th.

Herbline Cures

Fever and ague. A dose will usually stop a chill, a continuance always cures. Mrs. William M. Stroud, Midlothian, Texas, May 31, 1899, writes: "We have used Herbline in our family for eight years, and found it the best medicine we have ever used for la grippe, bilious fever, and malaria. 50c at A. McMillen's."

CULBERTSON.

T. A. Smith went down to Oxford, Tuesday.
Jack Hurst drove down from Trenton, Wednesday.
Mrs. Ed Elledge of Beverly was in town, Friday.
Will Lyons of Trenton was a city visitor, Tuesday.
J. P. Wilson came down from Trenton, Tuesday.
J. M. Ford of McCook was in town, Thursday last.
John H. Brown of Trenton was in town, Thursday.
S. E. Solomon was a McCook business visitor, Wednesday.
G. H. Pickett of Hayes Center was in town, last Wednesday.
A. L. Laylor made his usual trip to this place, Wednesday.
Geo. G. Little paid his respects to Culbertson, Wednesday last.
Mrs. Henry Lehman was a McCook visitor between trains, Tuesday.
Jim Ferrier came down from Champion, Sunday to visit his parents.
The Degree of Honor lodge gave a taffy-pull, Friday night. All report a good time.
Miss Nellie Israel of Benkelmen came down, Thursday morning, to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. G. Crews.
Mrs. F. M. Pfimmer and son Wayne of Max came down, Tuesday morning, to visit old friends for a few days.
The Eastern Star installed officers, Friday night, and after installation indulged in ice cream and strawberries.
Ira Ferrier, B. & M. operator at Arapahoe, came up, Wednesday evening, to visit his parents; he returned, Friday morning.
The concert given for the benefit of the repair fund of the Presbyterian church was well attended and pleased all. H. P. Sutton of McCook with his cello attached to Miss Wemple's piano rendered some very fine music.
A number of the young people surprised the Lehman boys and Lehman Elder at the home of the former, last Wednesday evening. Music and games followed by refreshments were the order of the evening and a very enjoyable time was had. Lehman Elder, who has been visiting his uncle and family for the past year, returned to his home in Chambersburg, Pa., Tuesday evening. Mr. Lehman accompanied him as far as Omaha. He made many friends, during his brief stay, who greatly regret his departure.

MARION.

H. C. Plumb is reported better. The blacksmith-shop is completed. I. Pew is visiting his son, Clinton.
Miss Ida Downs spent Sunday with her parents near McCook.
A number of our young people attended church at Laurel Dell, Sunday.
The Spooner family expect to start, overland, for Colorado, Wednesday morning.
Miss Maud Berg of Norcatur, Kansas, is helping her sister, Mrs. A. Lake, with her house work.
A car was switched off to be loaded with bones, but the bone man has not put in his appearance yet.
Powell & Nilsson received a car load of corn and a gasoline engine. The latter to be used in the elevator.

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