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The Great Clearing Sale

FOR THE MONTH OF JULY WILL BEGIN
SATURDAY, JULY 13th,

And continue the remainder of this month.

We offer all our summer goods, to close out, regardless of cost. We must do this in order to have room for our large stock of fall and winter goods which will begin to arrive just as soon as we can find room on our shelves. All you need is to step into our store; you can get out when you please, but not without seeing bargains and knowing what a bargain looks like. Prices are away down low for this sale, and the quality of goods up to the top notch. Here are a few samples of our prices:

DRY GOODS DEPT.

To close out, all our wool challies, former price 25 to 35 cents, at 12 1/2 cents. Cotton challies at 3 1/2 cents per yard. Irish and Scotch lawns, to close out, at 4 1/2 cents a yard. Dimities, finest quality, at 12 1/2 cents. Manchester chambrays, all colors, at 10 cents per yard. Nainsooks and India linen, ten-cent goods, to close out at 7 cents. Fifteen-cent goods, to close out at 10 cents; 20-cent goods at 15 cents; 25-cent goods at 18 cents. Dotted Swiss to close out at 18 cents per yard.

LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.

It is admitted by all ladies that there has never been a nicer line of these goods displayed in this city. To close out these goods we offer them at a reduction of 33 per cent on regular prices. Black Satines at 10 cents per yard. One case Towling at 5 cents per yard. The very best Dress Stays at 10 cents per set. To close out, nine shawls with silk fringe, color black, less 33 per cent of regular value.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' fast black seamless hose, former price 25 cents, at this sale 18 cents per pair. Boys' bicycle hose, all sizes, at 18 cents per pair.

SHOE DEPARTMENT.

We offer, to close out, 65 pairs square and razor toed ladies' tan Oxfords, former price \$3 to \$3.25, your choice for \$1.65. Come quick. To close out, 48 pairs ladies' Oxfords, square and razor toed, lasts D and E former price \$3.50 to 3.75, your choice for 1.75. To close out, 128 pairs ladies' Oxfords, former price 2.00 to 2.25, your choice at 1.25. Ladies', misses, children's men's and boys' shoes at a great reduction. All the above goods are of first quality, the best made, and the prices offered are less than the goods can be bought at wholesale, but we have too many, and don't want to carry them over until next season.

Yours respectfully,

THE BOSTON STORE.

P. S. Tuesday and Wednesday, July 16th and 17th, with every 50-cent purchase made in our store we will give a cup and saucer free.

Great -- Slaughter -- Sale.

Seventy-five dozen of gents' negligee shirts. Forty dozen of boys' shirt waists, colors white, black, blue, pink, buff and any other color you can mention, quality impeccable, dimities, satens, chevots and calicos, sizes from four to fourteen years of age; will be displayed on sale Saturday, July 13th, at The Boston Store. These goods will be sold for 50 cents on the dollar. We ordered these goods to be here the first of April, and on account of late shipment, we refused them, and afterwards bought them for 50 cents on the dollar, and therefore will give the benefit to the public. You cannot afford to let your boy go without a waist when you can buy them at The Boston Store for 15 cts. each. Old men, middle aged men, young men, don't go without a shirt when you can get one at The Boston Store for 38 cents, that is worth 75 cents. Come quick, before they are all gone.

Watch our window display of these goods.

Yours for Great Bargains.

THE BOSTON STORE, J. PIZER, Proprietor.

BICYCLES!

One Ladies' New Hartford, 26-inch wheels, manufactured by Columbia Co., Fifty Dollars.

One Boy's or Girl's cushion tire, 20-inch wheels, for Twelve Dollars.

One Boy's pneumatic tire, 24-inch tire, for Twenty Dollars.

Boys' Velocipedes for 2.25, 2.50 and 2.75.

One second-hand 1893 Columbia, gents', 28-inch wheels, in good condition, for Thirty-five dollars.

C. M. Newton.

NO. 3496.

First National Bank, NORTH PLATTE, NEB.

Capital, - - - \$50,000.00
Surplus, - - - \$22,500.00

E. M. F. LEFLANG, Pres't.,

ARTHUR McNAMARA,

Cashier.

A General Banking Business Transacted.

Maxwell Melange.

Mr. Benson and surveyors from Gothenburg are transacting business regarding the Gothenburg ditch this week. For several days they have been stopping out in the sand hills near Mr. Dolan's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burke, of Brady Island, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. McNamara last Tuesday.

Misses Anna and Christina Ericsson, Laura Murray and Lucy Sullivan drove over from Ft. McPherson to Maxwell Saturday.

A number of young people went over in the canyons to pick wild currants Tuesday. Another party went out north to pick sand cherries Saturday.

Miss Salisbury, of North Platte, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kuhns.

A man and his family from the island are camped near the stock yards, the man having taken contract of putting up hay here this summer.

Dan Fowles went out north last week and returned Sunday.

Miss Anna Snyder, accompanied by her cousin Miss Belle, left here last week and will spend the vacation in Wallace and other places.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Keller a girl baby on July 18th.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Layton, of the island, a boy July 18th.

A large number of persons were assembled on the Cottonwood baseball grounds last Saturday afternoon to see the game of ball between the Cottonwood nine and the "Pick-ups"—the "Pick-ups" were composed of one or two from half a dozen places, as the whole nine couldn't come from any one place, this being the busy season. Seeing that they were the "Pick-ups," Cottonwood gave them the game and they went on their way rejoicing.

CLYDE.

THE QUESTION:

If you could buy extra high grade clothing made to fit your form—and at a price no higher than is usually asked for ready-made garments, would you?

YES OR NO?

THE OCCASION:

The Royal Tailors, of Chicago, offer the opportunity. They say "The Better the Grade the Bigger the Trade," and the force of the argument is seen in the fact that they are doing business in almost every nook and corner of the United States.

They have thousands of customers for whom year after year they are making Business Suits, Dress Suits, Overcoats—anything—everything that enters into the stylish make-up of the outer man.

FACILITIES AND METHODS:

They have the completest facilities of any tailoring establishment in the world. All work is done expeditiously—and when 'tis done 'tis well done.

Faultless work makes faithful friends. Their patrons stick. They do business with their eyes open, they are progressive. Clothing made by them is always up-to-date in fit, finish and form.

GOING BACK TO THE ORIGINAL QUESTION. IS IT?

Needn't go to Chicago to place your order. Needn't even write.

Just step into the Wilcox Department Store and have your measure taken. You will find the prices as low as you pay for, the same goods ready made.

We also have a special line of Conductors', Firemen's, police and G. A. R. uniforms.

Nichols and Hershey News.

A social dance will take place at Hershey next Wednesday evening to which all are cordially invited.

Corn is looming up in grand style these days.

W. H. Sullivan was at the Platte last Wednesday after repairs for his binder.

John Nauman of the Platte purchased a couple of fat hogs in this locality a few days since.

The Patterson & Alexander outfit completed their irrigation work upon their farm Tuesday and returned to their home at the hub Wednesday morning.

Supt. Seeberger and A. P. Kittell of the county seat were up along the line a couple of days ago.

Patterson & Alexander recently erected a bridge across the F. & M. canal which passes through their farm.

A Mr. Harrington, of Perkins county was down here a few days since and reported the Russian thistle as taking that country. He also stated that there was not people or money enough in the whole county to subdue what grew on forty acres out of every section of land in the county, and further considered it useless to try to destroy them, where they had the hold that they had in that locality.

H. W. Fogel marketed potatoes at the county metropolis a day or two since.

Invitations are out for a "hop" at the home of Henry Weil to-night.

G. R. Hammond and C. L. Patterson of the Platte were taking a look at the crops up along the ditch Tuesday.

Several fields of spring wheat and barley have been harvested in this locality the past week.

W. C. Elder and son "Major," of the county capital, were up in these parts the fore part of the week.

A large majority of the prairie schooners passing through this place lately have been headed east.

James McMichael, of the Platte, accompanied by O. O. Carnahan, of Cozad, were up along the grade on Wednesday.

Notwithstanding the large crop of small grain and hay to be harvested in the valley this season but very little new machinery is being purchased by the farmers.

H. W. Brown expects to make a business trip to the Birdwood the last of this week.

We were informed not long since that Rev. Finch, of Lincoln, who has been holding a series of revival meetings in the Platte Valley school house, did not go to North Platte to hold meetings when he concluded his meetings at the above place but returned home.

A certain young gent in this immediate vicinity, who seemingly had it in his cranium that every fair damsel between Omaha and Cheyenne wanted to marry him, has of late come to the conclusion that he would not get married just yet. "A good reason perhaps why Jack would not eat his supper."

PAT.

SUTHERLAND NEWS.

Irrigation is the main topic at street corner and back yard colloquies these days.

John Keith was looking over our village Monday.

Miss Fenwick, of North Platte, is visiting with Mrs. John Coker this week.

Tree agent Sherman, from near North Platte, has been rustling in this vicinity for the past few days and has taken several orders for spring delivery.

J. W. Bobbitt opened up his meat market on Saturday.

Chas. Richards and wife visited with friends in the country Sunday.

Geo. C. White was quite sick the latter part of the week.

E. F. Seeberger was in town Monday looking after irrigation interests.

J. H. Abshire and R. Ellsworth have a large hay contract on the river bottom near Nichols and commenced work on same Monday.

O. A. Hostetter, our accommodated hardware merchant has sent off for a good supply of coffins and other undertaking goods, and will hereafter be prepared to supply same at short notice and reasonable prices. Give him a call.

Frank Coker departed for Omaha Monday with stock, returning the latter part of the week.

A baby of the regulation size arrived at the residence of G. B. Thurber last week.

Miss Mabel Yates visited with friends in North Platte Tuesday.

E. Mower made a flying visit to Paxton Monday.

A GREAT HIT!

You have all read of the great failure of Fitzgerald, Spreckels & Co., of St. Joseph, Mo., for over \$300,000. These goods are now being closed out at sheriff's sale.

H. C. Rennie purchased \$3,000 worth of these goods

and will place them on sale partly on Friday and Saturday, and the remainder of fine goods on the following week. Goods which wholesale cost was from \$1 to \$1.10 will be sold for 65 cents. Fine all-wool Serges, in all colors and black, worth One Dollar, will go at 35 cents; and fine Flannels, all wool, also Tricots, will go at 35 cents, worth from 65 to 75 cents; and fine Persian dress patterns, not one pattern the same, worth 2.50 per yard, at One Dollar per yard, all silk and wool. This is the **Greatest Opportunity** ever offered to the public, and we ask you to call and see

Bargains Never before so Cheap.

RENNIE'S. RENNIE'S.

John Bergman and A. Moberg, of Hershey, were in town Tuesday.

From the appearance of vines in this locality, watermelons and muskmelons won't be worth stealing this fall.

W. M. Holtry and G. C. White took in the fine crops along the ditch on Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Coates has been entertaining her sister and other relatives from Wood River the past week.

Jas. Bonham, from the south country was in town Tuesday with a load of beef.

C. E. Gunnell, of Paxton, and J. M. Dwyer, of Hershey, were in our village on business Monday.

Emil Dringman has been spending the week with his family on the homestead south of town.

David Hunter has corn eight feet and oats six feet tall. "Oh, Irrigation canal, thou art indeed a jewel."

Wm. Sweet, of Wallace, was in our streets Monday.

Fern Coates has been quite sick the past week but is now rapidly recovering her usual good health.

Frank Emerson, of Omaha, spent last week in our village visiting with his brother George.

Mr. Adams and family, of North Platte, were visiting with David Hunter Saturday.

Rev. Nichols, of Paxton, preached at the school house Sunday.

J. W. Bobbitt has a five acre patch of the finest sod corn in this valley.

A brother-in-law of Mr. Byland's, named Johnson, living at the Platte, spent Sunday with the former. On their way out Saturday evening they got lost and seem to have had quite an adventure hunting for the road. CITIZEN.

BRADY BUDGET.

Wm. Beatty started for Ireland Monday, where he will spend the summer visiting his old home.

G. D. Mathewson was at the county hub Wednesday.

Surveyors are at work on the route of the Lincoln and Dawson Cos. irrigation canal this week.

Frank Elliott and Cy Carson were visitors in North Platte Saturday.

E. L. Mathewson Sundayed in North Platte.

The Brady and Cottonwood ball teams will play at Brady this coming Saturday.

A. W. Mathewson transacted business in Gothenburg Tuesday.

While breaking a fractions bronco Wm. Stone was thrown and sustained a broken shoulder.

Mrs. Hanson, who has been visiting at Mr. Fisher's, returned to her home in Central City Monday.

Mr. Edwards, of North Platte, was on our streets Tuesday.

F. S. Brown was in Gothenburg Wednesday.

J. H. Giffin has sold his livery barn to G. W. Parsons, of this place. WIGGINS.

SOMERSET SNAP SHOTS.

W. E. Gartrell transacted business in North Platte Tuesday.

A light shower visited this locality Friday night.

R. S. Fidler and W. A. Latimer were in North Platte Wednesday.

W. J. Duggan, of Kem precinct, were in this locality Friday.

Mrs. Henry Welch is still very sick.

Wm. Griffith was in North Platte Tuesday.

Corn is growing very nicely these hot days.

The destruction of the Russian thistle is proving a very large undertaking.

Miss Anna Snyder, of Maxwell, and an uncle and cousin of her's from Harlan county, stopped over at John McConnell's Tuesday night while en route to Hayes county.

The Greatest and Best

Line of Clothing,

Furnishing Goods,
Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes,
in Fact Everything

Gents' Wearing Apparel

—IS GOING AT—

Greatly Reduced Rates

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STAR CLOTHING HOUSE,
WEBER & VOLMER.

MOST DELICIOUS COFFEE IN THE WORLD

SPURR'S

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AND

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HARRINGTON & TOBIN, SOLE AGTS, NORTH PLATTE, NEB

Frank Crandall and sister, of Wellfleet, visited at James Jolliff's Sunday.

Freddie Griffith is reported to be improving.

The annual Sunday school celebration for this locality will be held in McDermott's grove August 10th. Preparations for same are now in order. O. I. C.

—Weather-crop bulletin No. 16 for Nebraska, for the week ending July 22d, is as follows: "The week opened with two or three days of high temperature and hot winds, which did considerable damage to corn in the southeastern section of the state. The remainder of the week was cooler and more or less showery. The temperature for the week as a whole averaged slightly below the normal in the western part of the state and slightly above it in the eastern. The precipitation varies greatly in different sections of the state, ranging from none at all in some isolated localities to over two inches in others. In the extreme southeastern corner of the state the drouth, which has continued for several weeks, remains practically unbroken. Further west the rainfall continues to be abundant. In the northeastern section the need of rain is beginning to be felt. The small grain harvest is everywhere well advanced and some threshing has been done. In the southeastern portion of the state corn has suffered considerable damage, especially the early planted, some few fields of which have been injured beyond recovery. But over the greater portion of the state the corn although somewhat backward on the average is now growing fast and the crop is very promising."

FOR SALE CHEAP
by the Union Pacific Ry. Co. one Advance threshing machine; also a lot of second-hand machinery consisting in part of a 40-horse power engine, feed grinder, wheat cleaner, etc. For particulars inquire of N. B. Olds, agent, North Platte, Neb.

IMPORTANT NOTICE
To all Members of the Fire Dept.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the Fire Department will be held at the First Ward Hose House on Wednesday evening, July 31st, 1895, for the purpose of nominating a chief of the Fire Department for the ensuing year, the name of said nominee to be presented to the city council for confirmation. The chief will be nominated in the same manner in which elections are conducted, all voting by ballot, and the polls being kept open from 7 to 9 o'clock. The secretary of each company will be present with the books and each and every member found to be in good standing will be entitled to vote. All members of the department are earnestly requested to be present.

By order of acting chief,
W. E. PRICE,
Acting Chief.

TAKEN UP.

Taken up by the undersigned on his farm in Cottonwood precinct on June 15th, 1885, one very dark iron-gray or dark roan horse, about five years old, weight about 1200 pounds, has three caloused sores on neck and shoulder. The owner can have the animal by proving property and paying charges.

AUGUST CARLSON.