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AUTUMN OPENING of DRESS GOODS SILKS.

As space is limited we can only quote a few of our many novelties:

DRESS GOODS.	
Golden Cross Imported	Curlene Cloth in Novelties for 55c to \$1.05 per yard.
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NEWS FROM THE COUNTRY PRECINCTS.

HERSHEY NEWS.

The warm weather still remains with us.

Every idle man in this locality who will work is employed.

Jake Koch moved his hay camp over on the south side Wednesday.

A few are threshing this week and grain is turning out better than expected.

Mrs. Maggie Toillon entertained the Nichols Aid society Wednesday.

Harry Page, of Denver, is looking after business at the old canal company's office here at present.

Mrs. Beckett became a member of the Nichols Aid Society at its regular meeting last Wednesday. The next meeting will be in two weeks at Miss Kate Sullivan's.

C. C. Wetzel was at North Platte yesterday after medicine for his baby that is critically ill with stomach trouble.

The ice cream social at the school house in this village Tuesday night was a pleasant affair and was well attended.

"Vick" Loker is again numbered with the sick in this vicinity.

J. R. White recently traded a horse to the party living over south on the Iddings farm for his share of the crop on said farm.

A. H. Frame has a large acreage of fall wheat that is said by good authority will average 40 bushels per acre.

The Ware boys have purchased a new engine for their thresher and now have the best equipped outfit in the valley.

Carpenter Johnson is doing the carpenter work on the new hotel.

Engineer Lawrence and C. L. Patterson came up from North Platte on Wednesday and leveled the Suburban lateral at Nichols for the scrapers.

J. R. White used forty-eight pounds of binding twine in binding twelve acres of fall wheat recently. It is a big crop no doubt.

J. O. Lindh and crew have finished painting the exterior of the new hotel and are now at work on the interior. They will paint the residence on J. H. Hershey's new ranch and repaint his residence at the county seat formerly owned by A. D. Buckworth.

John Alexander was the first farmer to mow the weeds along the highway on his farm in this vicinity. If all the others would follow suit it would make their farms look 100 per cent better and be a big improvement to the highways as well.

The large crop of small grain in the valley will soon put a large amount of money into circulation as the crop is simply immense and prices fair. Some of our populist friends remarked last fall during the campaign that if McKinley was elected president there would be no use of putting in a crop in the spring as it would not be worth anything when ready for market. The majority of them did not let this foolish idea keep them from putting in a large acreage of small grain last spring and a big crop is the result. Last season at this time wheat was selling from 30 to 35 cents per bushel and this season no better wheat is selling at 50 and 55 cents per bushel and the Dingley bill has only been in effect a few days.
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SUTHERLAND NEWS.

E. C. Brown did business in North Platte on Monday.

Real estate agent Rutledge of North Platte Sundayed on the Birdwood in company with F. Fairbault of Grant. Mr. Fairbault talks of locating a sheep ranch on the creek.

Willie Guilfoil and Nate Trego of Lilac were in town on Monday preparing to ship cattle.

Rev. Atkinson of Cozad is holding meetings this week at the church.

C. B. McKinstry returned from Omaha the latter part of the week. Mrs. A. Menzie departed for Illinois on Tuesday morning.

A nephew of Mrs. Chas. Richards from New York is visiting at the hotel.

Harvest is pretty near over in this locality and the hardy yeoman is thankful.

Register Hinman of North Platte was in town the last of the week.

Elmer Mason of Paxton passed through town Monday morning.

E. Moore has been laboring on the Abshire ranch for some weeks. W. L. McGee formerly of North Platte was on our streets Monday.

James Morton of Paxton transacted business in town the first of the week.

Nels Lofendale is loading hay for the Denver market.

E. Coates was at North Platte on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roney of Paxton Sundayed in town.

A gentleman representing the Union Pacific land department was in town on Tuesday.

N. P. Hansen of Keith county was on our streets Monday.

MAXWELL NOTES.

Charles Fowles arrived in the village Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder spent Thursday in North Platte.

Mrs. Samuel Smith spent Friday and Saturday in North Platte the guest of Mrs. James Ray.

C. H. Kuhns made a business trip to Brady Friday.

A. Brooks spent a few days in North Platte the past week.

Miss Mary Hannah visited Brady and Cottonwood Thursday.

Catholic services were held in the school house Saturday. Rev. Father McCarthy preaching his last sermon in this vicinity.

The infant child of C. H. Kuhns has been dangerously sick the past week.

Charles Hendy spent a day with his family at the ranch the past week.

David McNamara was ordered to report at Brady for night work Wednesday night.

Leo Sullivan of North Platte spent Saturday in town.

A traveling chiropodist walked into town Monday and relieved several of our good people of their corns and bunions.

We are long on hay and short on cars these times.

The small grain is nearly all up in this vicinity and haying is in full blast.

Ben Dean spent Sunday at his home in White Horse valley.

Joseph Taylor, a Santee Indian, blew into Bloomfield a few days ago and after filling his tank with red men's joy he lay down on the railroad track to sleep. The cars ran over him and crushed him to a pulp.

THE EPWORTH LEAGUE CONVENTION.

The third annual convention of the West Nebraska Conference Epworth League is now in session in this city. The West Nebraska Conference is composed of the territory embraced in the Fifth and Sixth congressional districts, within which there are 135 chapters of the League with a membership of 8,000.

Among the prominent men in church and league work who are present are Bishop Ninde, of Detroit, president of the Epworth Leagues of the World, President Haywood of the Conference League, Presiding Elder Smith of the Kearney District and Presiding Elder Leonard of the North Platte District. The officers of the Conference League are also present. Dr. Halstead of St. Paul's church at Lincoln and Dr. Berry editor of the Epworth Herald and Rev. Ellinwood of the Wesleyan University will arrive this evening and assist in the convention work.

The opening session of the convention was held last evening at the opera house with an attendance of 160 delegates, about one hundred visitors and several hundred citizens. The hall is decorated with flags, bunting and League emblems, over the front of the stage is suspended the word "welcome" in bold relief.

The programme opened with the song "Jesus the Light of the World," in which the Leaguers joined with a heartiness that indicated enthusiasm in the work. The congregational singing is led by Rev. Robt. Davies, of Cozad, the conference chorister. Rev. Smith read part of the third chapter of Proverbs and offered up a very earnest prayer. Miss Grace Langdon rendered a piano solo, after which B. L. Robinson delivered the address of welcome. Mr. R. was in his most happy mood and his remarks were of a hearty, earnest nature with enough of pleasantries to make them thoroughly appreciated by the audience, and especially by the delegates and visitors who were given to understand that North Platte is theirs for the three days they will be with us.

President Haywood replied to this address of welcome in a very neat manner and spoke of North Platte as one of the most widely known towns in the country. While in Toronto attending the National Convention of the Epworth League he was reminded of North Platte's existence by the presence of large bills announcing the Wild West Show and Buffalo Bill. Mr. Haywood is a pleasant speaker and an excellent presiding officer. The Y. M. C. A. quartette favored the audience with a selection, and then President Haywood introduced Bishop Ninde, who delivered an address upon "The Urgent Needs of Christian Young People." The Bishop is an easy talker and has a ready command of language with which to clearly and forcibly express his thoughts, and never have we heard a speaker in North Platte command so close attention from an audience.

His address was one laden with good advice to young christians, to follow which will result in a higher and more perfect plane of christian life and work. He related a number of incidents in his own life to illustrate the phases of the subject under consideration. To the Leaguers his address will prove useful, for they will treasure and act upon his advice. Others not within the folds of the christian church were benefitted by his words of wisdom.

This morning devotional exercises were held at the Methodist church at 7.45, Bishop Ninde officiating, prior to leaving for the east on the morning train.

This forenoon the several departments of the League held meetings and discussed the subjects coming under their supervision. The Mercy and Help department met at the Episcopal church, the Social department at the Baptist church, the Literary department at the Presbyterian church, the Presidents department at the M. E. church, the Junior League department at Keith's hall, and the Correspondence and Finance department at the Lutheran church.

At 1:30 this afternoon the convention assembled at the opera house and after devotional exercises, reports from the various superintendents of departments were received. Rev. Halstead, of Lincoln, closed the afternoon session with an address on "Early American Methodism to 1844."

This evening's programme will be as follows: Song service at 7:30, devotional services conducted by Rev. Chapin of Gothenburg, duet by Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davies of Cozad, and a lecture on "The Rivalry of Life" by Dr. Halstead.

To-morrow will be devoted to general convention work. In the evening Rev. Ellinwood of Wesleyan University will deliver an address.

Sunday morning at 10:30 Dr. Berry will deliver the conference sermon. At three o'clock Sunday afternoon there will be Junior mass meeting, introduced by half an hour of special music, in which the Lexington orchestra will assist. At half past four an open meeting will be held at the court house park. Sunday evening at 7:30 Dr. Berry will deliver an address, and the convention will close with a consecration service by Dr. Berry.

Quite a number of delegates and visitors came in on the trains arriving last night and this morning, and at noon to-day B. L. Robinson estimated that there were between 350 and 400 delegates and visitors in town.

Home grown peaches are on the market at Tecumseh, but the flood tide of that fruit will not come till the latter part of August.

Threshing has commenced in Clay county. Some rye makes twenty-five bushels per acre and winter wheat from fourteen to forty-two bushels per acre.

The first wheat threshed in the neighborhood of Seward was Joe Sampson's which yielded thirty-one bushels to the acre, thirty-five acres turning out almost 1,100 bushels.

More cattle are being shipped to this section of the state, says the Brewster News, than ever before, and every foot of sandhill ground will in the course of a short time be utilized in a profitable way.

George Wheeland's wheat on the Howard farm south of Edgar, averaged thirty six and one-half bushels per acre, which at 50 cents a bushel would make an income of \$18.25 per acre.

G. A. Henthorn of Pawnee shipped another carload of horses to the Denver market's last Saturday night. This makes the fourteenth carload recently shipped to that market from Pawnee county.

Gold mining has been commenced this week in dead earnest at the Cyclone mine near Falls City. It is expected that pretty soon it will be another Klondyke district. A little printer's ink judiciously used can make it such—for a time.

Tim Carrabine, a well known former resident of Emerson, has secured a verdict for \$10,000 damages against the Chicago Evening Journal. The case grew out of a published account of Mr. Carrabine's world's fair cottage not in accordance with the facts.

George Henry, of Dakota City, has fitted up a skiff and will go down the river in it as far as Decatur, where he will build a flat boat load on his household goods and go to New Orleans via the Missouri river. George thinks he will reach that that southern seaport by Christmas.

Sheriff Borosky, of Dakota City last Saturday afternoon after getting the unanimous nomination for sheriff at the citizens' convention, received a letter stating that a rich aunt had died and that he had fallen heir to a fortune. Everything is coming Borosky's way, that is coming. H. T. Arnold, who is president of the Polk county bank, unloaded at 16 cents a bushel nearly 15,000 bushels. Quite a number of others sold from 1,000 to 5,000 at the same price.

W. H. Sublette, of Nebraska City, from two and one-fourth acres of land, which he had planted in blackberries several years ago, so far this year has picked and sold 6,400 quarts and he informs the News that this is about one third of the crop.

Carl Anderson died in May 1887 at York. The other day the authorities of the town received word that a brother who had just died in Norway had left thousands of dollars, all of it to go to Carl, whose whereabouts were not known to the brother when he died. Neither of them needs it now. They couldn't use it where they are.

People around Osceola are commencing to unload their corn to make room for the immense crop. Two weeks ago Peter Ryan of Inman was offered and declined \$10,000 in cash for his ranch of 760 acres, which lies in one body. The offer was made by George Knapp, who had been looking over the county for two or three weeks trying to get a good cattle ranch. Mr. Ryan has a good house, good stables and shedding, and sixteen miles of wire fence. Nineteen years ago last April he located on the land and had just \$3 in his pocket. He worked in Omaha and Iowa the following summer to earn money enough to send to Pennsylvania for his family.

July Sale

at the BOSTON STORE

Commencing July 16th and continuing balance of month. Our store will soon be remodeled, and before doing this we want to sell as much of our stock as we possibly can in order to save the trouble of moving it around. A large invoice of goods just received, and here are the low prices we are offering:

DOMESTICS.
14 yds. Fruit of the Loom for \$1; only 14 yds. to each customer.
25 yds. 1-yd. wide Sheetting for \$1; only 25 yds. to each customer.

Summer Organdies in dark and light colors, 12 1/2 cent quality, to clean what is left at 6 cents per yard.
Imported Organdies, light and dark colors, former price 25 to 35 cents a yard, to be cleaned out at 17 cents per yard.
25 pieces Ottman Cloth, new designs, just arrived, yard wide, fast colors, at 12 1/2 cents per yard.
20 pieces cord dress goods, just arrived, 36-inches wide, beautiful designs, at 15 cents per yard, worth 40 cents.
5000 yards of Simpson's washable prints, colors black, silver gray, Turkish red, indigo blue, at 5 cents per yard.

All our fine dress goods and silks will be sold at prices lower than ever before.

SHOES! SHOES!

Any ladies' oxford in our store, green, black and tan, not one pair sold for less than \$2.25 up to \$3.00, your choice at this sale for \$1.85.

Ladies' Oxford sandals in blacks, tans and oxbloods, regular price 1.50, whatever sizes left will be sold at 1.00.
One lot ladies' fine shoes in B, C and D widths, sizes broken, fine quality, your choice for 1.00.

MILLINERY.

We have a few hats left at prices to suit the buyer.

Summer Corsets, good ones at 35 cents.
Ladies' Summer Underwear, vests and tights, lisle, balbriggan, Mawco, sleeveless, at one quarter off regular price.
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