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Dixon The Jeweler, since the foundation of their business have continuously maintained the highest standard of excellency in their goods.

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Local and Personal

Business building for rent, A. B. Yates, Sutherland, Neb.

Brady will have a five-day Chautauqua beginning August 22d.

Mrs. W. B. Salisbury, who has been ill for several weeks, is very much improved.

Mrs. B. F. Gaither left this morning for Lexington to spend a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Weidner left last evening for Mitchell to spend a few days with friends.

Roy Brown, of Lawellen has just purchased a Model 25 Buick of the J. S. Davis Auto Co.

Miss Alice Otten has been off duty at the Rush Mercantile store for a week past owing to illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newman, of Hanover, who visited in town the first of this week, left Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Brown left last evening for Green River and Salt Lake to spend several weeks with her sons.

Robert Ferguson, of Nebraska City, who visited the Halligan family this week, left at noon Wednesday.

The contract for the electric light plant at Brady has been awarded to the Western Electric Co., of Omaha.

Christian Science Society Sunday 11:00 a. m., Subject "Sacrament." Sunday school 12 m. K. P. hall, Dewey St.

The total rainfall last night was sixty-six one hundredths of an inch, sufficient to give the ground a fairly good soaking.

Miss Arnell, a registered nurse of Omaha, arrived here the first of this week and was engaged on the St. Luke's nursing staff.

Miss Bernice Smith, of Cozad, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLane for several days, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Charles Laughlin, of Sutherland, brother of Frank Laughlin, of this city, who was operated upon at St. Luke's hospital a week ago, is reported to be doing nicely.

Roy Saring, of Lexington, visited his cousin, Mrs. L. A. Gilbert, this week while enroute home from Montana where he spent several months. He left at noon yesterday.

Mrs. John Tighe, who has been taking treatment at Hot Springs, Ark., for several weeks is very much improved and expects to return home the first of next week.

Mrs. J. Lambert, Harry Lambert, Mrs. Selma Campbell, Harvey Campbell and Mrs. Frank Kroutwick left this morning for Kearney to attend the funeral of the late Mabel Campbell.

Mrs. William Stogal entertained the S. O. C. Club at cards Wednesday afternoon. First prize was awarded to Mrs. George LeDoyt and the consolation emblem to Mrs. Russell Wyman. Nicely prepared refreshments were served.

At the annual meeting of the Temple Craft held Wednesday evening the following officers were elected for next year: Sam'l Goozee, president; F. W. Rincker, vice-president; F. L. Mooney, treasurer; A. F. Streit, secretary and custodian of building.

Two different parties held a picnic at Sioux Lookout last evening, one of which was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Will Hendy, the other by Mr. and Mrs. Keith Neville. They were caught in the rain storm but suffered no particular inconvenience, though some trouble was experienced on the road home. There were six cars in the Neville party and four in the Hendy.

For Rent.

The store building on corner 6th and Locust streets, houses, furnished and unfurnished rooms; a tract of bottom hay land only three miles from siding, cheap and on easy terms.

Bratt & Goodman.

Hershey Struck by a Cyclone.

The village of Hershey, twelve miles west of North Platte was struck by a cyclone last evening. A number of buildings were demolished, but fortunately no one was injured. The funnel-shaped cloud was seen to form about two miles northwest of the town, and seemed to be the result of two clouds merging. With awful velocity and a roaring that warned the people of its approach the storm swept toward the village; those residents who had cellars seeking retreat therein.

The first building struck in the town proper was the large hay barn, which was completely demolished, the depot building was partly unroofed, the opera house was moved bodily twenty inches on its foundation, buildings occupied by the drug store, the postoffice and the hardware store were unroofed and the fronts partly demolished, a large grain house was careened on its side, the garage of Dr. Sadler was lifted bodily from the foundation and carried away, the automobile standing in its tracks uninjured; two houses were moved from the foundations and more or less damaged, but none of the occupants injured; and numerous small stables, sheds and outhouses were completely wrecked.

The cloud rose and fell as it passed along; wrecking a building, then lifting passed over the next without damage, then again dipping and creating damage. The force of the wind was shown when a piece of a 2x4 was driven through the siding and plaster of a house; pieces of corrugated iron from demolished buildings penetrated the sides of other buildings; and wreckage was carried a distance of two miles outside the town. A heavy hail accompanied the storm, and crops which had not been damaged by hail of Tuesday evening was laid waste.

While no deaths or injuries resulted directly from the storm, one death was indirectly due to it; Supt. Wickstrom, of the North Platte Land & Water Co., dropping dead from heart trouble while viewing the wreckage following the storm. He was standing at the site of the hay barn, and suddenly dropped to ground, expiring before medical aid could be summoned. This tragic feature of the storm created profound sorrow, for the deceased had lived in Hershey for a number of years and was one who stood high in the estimation of the people.

Miss Tillie Blankenburg returned last evening from a short visit in Omaha.

Local and Personal

Mrs. C. T. Whelan has a guest her sister, Miss Anderson, who resides in the east part of the state.

Mrs. W. H. Munger, Jr., leaves Monday for a two weeks' visit with relatives at Clarks, Fremont and Omaha.

Mrs. Price's Canning Compound for preserving, canning and pickling fruits and vegetables of all kinds, for sale by Mrs. Greeley Bundy. Phone Red 216.

During the storm last evening hail fell southwest of the city, doing considerable damage to corn and wheat not yet harvested. The section covered by the hail was not very large.

Luther Owens has instituted suit against F. A. Hansell to recover \$125 damages which ensued when the latter, while driving an automobile, collided with the former while riding a motorcycle. The accident occurred July 3rd on Front street, and Owens charges reckless driving on the part of Hansell.

A note from Otto Weil, written while on board the Imperator, reached this office yesterday. He says the big vessel rides so easy that no one becomes seasick, and that the furnishings are magnificent. Three meals and three lunches are served each day, and the service throughout is ahead of first class hotels. Both Otto and Mrs. Weil were enjoying the voyage immensely and considered it about the most pleasant event of their life.

Lightning, Hail and Windstorm

continue their destruction. It is unfortunate that so few people were insured. Dear Reader, are you one of these? The many losses that are being reported sets insurance companies to thinking and their agents to wondering why some people don't insure. We are getting constant reports by telephone and wire of the many losses. One man loses eight head of cattle out of nine, another three horses, another his barn. Ten farmers in the valley west of us, lose all their crops. What a pleasure it would have been to us to be able to pay all these losses. Had these unfortunate farmers been in bn us we would have paid every dollar. Be wise and let us insure what you have left today.

Bratt & Goodman,
The Leading Insurance Agents.

Miss Ruth Streit gave a pretty and enjoyable morning card party today in honor of Miss Emily Baker of Detroit. Ten tables were arranged for five hundred and the rooms were decorated with garden flowers. Elaborate refreshments were served. Out-of-town guests were Misses Short, of Denver, Bartlett and Doyle of Lincoln and Ruth Fitzgerald of Omaha.

Washing is hard work in hot weather. See the Electric Washer at Hershey's, Phone 15.

Attorney J. J. Halligan left last evening for Bridgeport to transact business for several days.

FOR QUICK SALE.

Block 11 in Miller's Addition. Will sell separate lots or entire block. Inquire of or address W. D. Waldo, North Platte, Neb. 49-4

CRYSTAL THEATRE

Friday Night

"Sorrows of Israel," this three-reel Imp presents a story of Russia. It is presented by an entire cast of Jewish Players and brings in the feast of the Passover and other religious rites of the kind. The hero deserts his people to win his sweetheart but later returns to save his people from massacre.

Saturday Night

"Poleon the Trappers," gives scenes of the North Woods and the romance that was carried out there. "When Lena Struck New Mexico" is a comedy built on the adventures of a Swedish girl who goes to live on a ranch in the far west. "The Kidnapped Train," is especially interesting in the scenes where the locomotive is in pursuit of the train.

Monday Night

You have often heard it said of this person or that "Isn't that fellow lucky?" But did you ever notice that it generally takes an aggressive man who has some initiative and some fighting spirit to get the best of Dame Fortune. In "The Fortune's Pet" we have the lucky man who set out to make \$10,000 in a year and it will be worth your while to watch him through the two reels.

Then there will be the adventures of "That Boy from the East" while he visits a day in Oklahoma.

Sale Begins
Saturday, July 12

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North Platt's Woman's Store

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First Mid - Summer Clearance Sale

On Saturday we begin our Clearance Sale of our entire stock of Ladies ready to wear apparel. Now good people this is not a sale of merchandise that was carried over from any former seasons, as you all know the opening of this store dates back only since April last and therefore every article in our store is Brand New and this seasons models. But as we are determined not to carry over any of our garments into another season, and besides we must make room for our new fall stock which is to arrive soon, so we are offering you the newest and most up to date merchandise at this unmatched clearing prices. A call into our store will convince you.

Dresses

Ladies White Dresses made of fine voiles and Lingerie embroidered or lace trimmed sold up to \$15 clearance price..... **\$7.48**

Wash Suits

Linen and Ratine collar and Cuffs hand somely trimmed up to \$10 values clearance price..... **\$4.98**

One lot of fine Dresses in white and assorted colors formerly priced up to \$10 clearance price
\$4.48 \$3.98 and \$2.98

Messaline Silk Dresses
Variety of shades for evening and street wear sold up to 17.50 clearance price..... **\$9.48**

One lot ladies gauze Hose in Black and white 15 and 20c values sale price..... **11c**

Waists

Ladies fine Voile and Lingerie Waists beautifully trimmed, high or low neck, long or short sleeves, up to 1.75 values clearance price..... **98c**

Ladies fine Washable Silk Waists, plain and Balkan trimmed regular prices up to to \$2 clearance price..... **\$1.19**

Skirts

All of our Dres Skirts made of fine French Serges and Bedford Cords up to \$8 value now... **\$4.98**

One lot of fine Skirts up to 5.00 values sale Price
\$3.48 and \$2.98

Corset Covers

One lot of Corset Covers regular 35c values clearance price **19c**

Wash Skirts

One lot of ladies Wash Skirts made of linen and Piques up to 3.50 values clearance price

\$1.98 1.48 and 98c

House Dresses

Ladies Houses Dresses made of Percale and Gingham well fitting 1.00 to 1.25 values clearance price..... **89c**

Undermuslins

Princess Slips made of fine Nansooks and long cloth up to 2.50 values clearance price..... **1.89**

Hand Bags

Hand Bags in fine leather mesh or crochett large assortment at greatly reduced prices.

Childerns Coats made of fine white and blue serges up to 6.50 values clearance price..... **\$3.48**

Silk Petticoats

Silk petticoats in all colors regular 2.50 to 3.50 values clearance price..... **\$1.98**

\$2.00 Princess Slips
\$1.49

\$1.25 and \$1.50 Slips
98c

75c Petticoats
39c

\$1.50 Petticoats
98c

\$1.00 Night Robes
79c

75c Night Robes
43c