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Dixon's Christmas Sale

New Goods are Arriving Every Day.

Here are values that will please you and serve you better than any other store. Here is the greatest variety. See our show windows

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| Cut Glass Specials Brilliant Cut Glass Bowls, full size, regular price \$5, special \$2.95 Cut Glass Nappies regular value \$1.50, special at this sale 95c | Ivory Specials 3 piece Toilet Sets, regular \$5 values, at this sale \$2.95 Manicure Pieces, full size, per piece only 25c Many more which space will not permit listing. | Mantel Clocks Values \$5.00 and \$6.00, special price at this sale \$2.95 See our Show Windows | Diamond Values 25 Per Cent Less than others ask for the same goods. See our diamonds before buying and save at least one-fourth your money. |
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To those who could not get waited on at our last weeks sale we have more addition help to serve you this week.

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| Silver Plated Toilet Sets. Comb, Brush and Mirror, \$4.00 to \$10 | Chafing Dishes Full size, \$6.00 values, now on sale for \$4.00 Full size, \$9.00 values, now on sale for \$6.00 | Jewel Cases At ONE HALF their regular value Silver Mesh Bags At 50 per cent discount at this sale | Sterling Silver Tea Spoons: regular \$5.00 values, now offered at \$3.50 Single Spoons 60 cents each. |
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DIXON'S, THE GIFT HEADQUARTERS.

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Election Contest in Court

The contest over the election of road overseer for Hall precinct occupied the county court yesterday and after the evidence was taken the attorney for the plaintiff asked for further time to make his argument. The parties to the suit are John Wing, plaintiff and Charles Robinson, defendant.

Wing brought suit against Robinson and the members of the election board alleging that the ballots had been illegally counted and that he received at least one majority vote over Robinson. The ballots were counted yesterday in court and they showed that Robinson had received eleven votes and Wing eight. Wing alleged that he had received at least seven votes, there being thirty-two votes cast in the precinct. However, the court showed that some of the voters had written in other names. The case will be argued and decision made later on.

The most appreciated Xmas Gift for your lady love, mother or sister is a set of Furs which you can get at a discount of 25 per cent off regular price at BLOCK'S Clearing Sale.

Gets Judgment of \$10,000.

In the case of the Farmers' Alfalfa Milling Co., of Hershey, against Harry E. Worrell, of Sutherland, tried in the district court this week, Judge Grimes instructed the jury to return a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for ten thousand dollars and interest. The milling company sued Worrell for \$10,000 insurance which Worrell had placed on the company's alfalfa mill at Hershey which was burned in November, 1910.

The evidence showed that the three Philadelphia companies in which the insurance was placed were defunct organizations and had no authority to do business in this state. The law provided that if an agent placed insurance in an unauthorized company and a loss occurred and the insured could not collect from the company, that then a judgment could be obtained against the agent placing the insurance for the amount found due on the policy.

If you are puzzled as to a gift for father or mother, solve the problem at once by purchasing one of those Royal Easy Reclining chairs at North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co.

W. J. Tiley returned this morning from a trip through the eastern part of the state on business for the Yeomen lodge.

Parmlee Asks For New Trial

Motion for a new trial was filed today in the case of the state of Nebraska vs. Robert Parmlee, accused of statutory rape. E. H. Evans, attorney for the defendant, filed the motion this morning and it will be argued as soon as possible.

Parmlee was convicted the first of the week by a jury but states that that were not fair for him and he states also that he can bring in new evidence that will prove him not guilty of the crime as alleged.

With each Xmas tree purchased at our store we will give 1000 votes for our Panama Exposition trip. LIEBK-SANDALL CO.

Supt. Tout's Friend(?)

A man very much the worse for his association with John Barleycorn called at the high school building during the noon hour Wednesday and had a number of the girls in a panic for a few minutes. Mr. Tout was notified and went down to see the visitor. After a friendly talk of several minutes in which the man gave his entire history Mr. Tout persuaded him to call at another place. The man stated that he was "a great friend to Judge Grimes" and from the high school building he and Mr. Tout went to make a friendly call on the judge. Witnesses who attended the departure state that the man was quite affectionate in the reception of Prof. Tout and that he embraced him fondly on the way down stairs. About midway of the stairs the man fell and in trying to catch him both Mr. Tout and the boozier made a hasty and unimpeded trip down the steps.



Diamonds bought at Dixon's Christmas Sale will prove a profitable investment.

Dobbins-Martens Wedding.

Walter C. Dobbins, 25, and Miss Amanda Martens, 26, both of the Tryon vicinity were married this morning at the court house by County Judge Grant. The groom is a young farmer of the Tryon vicinity and is known to many in this city. They will farm after a short honeymoon trip.

Ladies' writing desks, always an appropriate Christmas gift. We have a nice line to select from. North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co.

CITY AND COUNTY NEWS

A very large line of dolls to select from at Wilcox Department Store.

Christian Science Society Sunday 11:00 a. m., Sunday school 12 o'clock. Building and Loan building, room 25.

Ladies', Misses' and Children's coats at nearly half price at BLOCK'S clearing sale.

Mrs. C. R. Morey leaves Monday for Hastings where she will spend Christmas with relatives. Mr. Morey will go down Thursday night.

Old timers, do you hanker for buffalo meat. If so, you can buy it at Mart's meat market, sent direct from Pawnee Bill's buffalo ranch. 9512

Word received from Sheldon, Ia., yesterday announced the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lubbers, former residents of this city.

Have you seen the "KOMEKEL KUSS" at C. M. Newton's. Price 25c.

Weather forecast for North Platte and vicinity; fair tonight and Saturday; colder tonight; fresh northwest wind. Highest temperature yesterday 26, a year ago 50; lowest last night 4, a year ago 16.

Perhaps an electric reading lamp or electric dome will supply that gift which you have not already selected. Come in and look them over. North Platte Hardware & Furniture Co.

Four hundred and eighty sacks of hour will be shipped from Lexington to the destitute people in Belgium next week. North Platte contributed 160 of these sacks, the remainder by the Lexington people, the mill and elevator company donating 100 sacks.

One of those "KOMEKEL KUSS" will make more fun than anything. 25 cents at Newton's.

The fair and supper given by the Methodist ladies last evening, was very largely attended. Several hundred partook of the chicken supper and the fancy work, candy and other booths were well patronized. The receipts were \$320.

Dresses for all occasions, latest styles and leading shades now selling at one-fifth to one-half in price at BLOCK'S.

Following is the menu which will be served at the commercial dinner in the dining room of the Christian church, Monday December 21: Chicken and dumplings, mashed potatoes and gravy, cream cabbage, sweet pepper pickles, apple pie and cheese, coffee. Price 30 cents.

Mrs. Brown to Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Brown—Why Mrs. Jones! You look more cheerful to me tonight than I have ever seen you in years.

Mrs. Jones—Why Mrs. Brown, bless your heart, do you know the reason why I look so cheerful and happy tonight is because I have just returned from my Christmas shopping and truly I bought more useful gifts for less money this year than I ever did before in all my life living in North Platte.

Mrs. Brown—Where did you buy those beautiful things so cheap?

Mrs. Jones—Why you may know, Mrs. Brown, at BLOCK'S Clearing Sale, of course.

Among the hundreds of Toys and Novelties the "KOMEKEL KUSS" is the funniest, at C. M. Newton's.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Pew of the Sutherland vicinity was brought to this city today for burial in the North Platte cemetery.

Ray C. Langford left this morning in an automobile to attend a sale west of Tryon, a distance of forty miles. With the wind from the northwest the trip will prove a chilly one.

Decide Against Administrator

After being out only a few hours the jury in the case of Belle Turner vs. Wm. Maloney, administrator of the estate of the late Lois Shelton, last evening brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, establishing her right to the property. They assessed damages against her for wrongful detention of the property to the amount of one cent.

This case has been in the courts for some time. It started over a replevin suit brought some time ago in the county court by the administrator for the possession of about fifteen hundred dollars worth of diamonds which had been the property of the deceased and which Mrs. Turner had taken presumably as payment for her services to the deceased before her death and during her long and violent illness. The case may now be appealed to the supreme court.

The following men sat on the jury: Bruce Brown, foreman, Dave Macomber, John Johnson, Frank Johnson, H. A. Weil, William Sundquist, Frank Swift, Niel Turpie, W. A. Hayes, W. S. Ross, L. A. Gambrel and Albert Steinhausen.

Larson Had Good Night.

A report was current last evening that Joe Larson, who had his leg amputated, had died. This report was contradicted this morning by a message stating that Mr. Larson had a good night and his condition was favorable.

Your lady love, mother or sister is a set of Furs which you can buy now at a discount of 25 per cent off regular price at BLOCK'S Clearing Sale.

The funeral of Mrs. Valentine Scharmann will be held this afternoon at two-thirty from the Lutheran church. Rev. C. B. Harman will officiate and interment will be in the North Platte cemetery.

For the time being, at least, indoor athletics will have to be dropped in the high school as a skating rink crowd has rented the Lloyd opera house. The high school students have been planning several things in the way of winter sports which require a large hall but this will necessarily stop them for a while as the opera house is the only available hall large enough.

Candy Special

Woodward's Chocolates 25c a Pound

Beginning Saturday we will make a special price on the regular 40c grade of Woodward's Chocolate Candies of 25c a pound. Everyone knows the quality of the candy. We expect to be sold up on them before Christmas so get yours early

Wilcox Department Store