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**NEWS ITEM:** Miss Dora Van Skike, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Van Skike of Hudson Valley, was taken critically ill Monday evening as a result of injuries incurred by a fall from a horse. Medical attention was summoned, but as yet the exact nature of her trouble has not been ascertained.

Dora Leota Van Skike, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Van Skike, born Nov. 8, 1911, near Scotia, Nebr., departed from this life at her home near Wheatland, Wyo., on July 29, 1923, at the age of 11 years, 8 months and 22 days. She leaves her mother, father, two sisters, two brothers and a host of kind and loving friends to mourn her loss; thus a flower has been taken from us just at the bloom of real life.

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Miss Dora Van Skike, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Van Skike, whose critical illness was reported last week, passed away on Sunday. Funeral services were held Monday from the Congregational church. Rev. R.F. Paxton officiating. The sympathy of many friends is extended to the bereaved family.