



### An Alarm Clock.

The alarm clock of today is a very different article both in looks and actual worth, from the unreliable sort of other days.

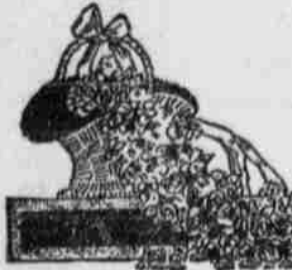
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### Local and Personal

Dr. P. J. Latham was a professional visitor to Keystone Friday afternoon.

The B. P. O. Elks will hold a dancing party at their home next Friday evening.

The J. S. Davis garage company received a carload of Buick automobiles last week.

James Baker left Saturday evening for Omaha to spend a few days looking after business.

D. M. Leyppoldt, of Hershey, has been transacting business in Chicago for several days.

The Girls' Friendly society will meet this evening in the parish house of the Episcopal church.

J. B. Hayes left Friday evening for Omaha to spend a few days looking after business matters.

Novel Washing Machines at Hershey's, corner 5th and Locust streets.

Mrs. Kate Daly left last night for Evanston, Wyo., where she will visit relatives for a month or more.

Ira LeMasters went to Omaha Saturday evening to spend Sunday with Mrs. LeMasters who is visiting there.

Editor Fred Rasmussen, of the Hershey Times and Mr. Wilberger of Hershey were visiting in the city Saturday.

John Murphy resumed his work last week at the Union Pacific machine shops after the two weeks lay-off.

Col. Wm. Beatty, of Brady, returned last week from his trip to Washington and points in West Virginia.

Rincker's Lilac cold cream best for chapped and rough hands. For sale only at Rincker's Book & Drug store price 25c.

Gus Dringman is making arrangements for setting out a good sized orchard on his farm south of Sutherland.

The McNeel automobile garage at Sutherland has been leased by B. C. and I. E. Huffman, of McPherson county.

Construction work has begun on a new church for the Christian denomination at Sutherland. The building will be 30x50 feet.

Fred C. Haupt, of Denver, representing the American insurance company, is visiting in the city at the Bratt & Goodman office.

We have re-arranged our store and are now settled and prepared to give special attention to prescription work. Rincker Book & Drug store.

Miss Esther Antonides, who teaches at Brady, spent Sunday visiting in the city, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Antonides.

An eight pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. S. Stewart, of South Chestnut street, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 5th.

Attorney A. A. Muldoon returned Saturday from a business visit of a few days in Lincoln where he was looking after some legal matters.

Just received, a new line of high-grade bicycles; \$35 value for \$30 for a few days. C. J. Vroman Bicycle shop, half block east of Post Office.

J. W. Pickett and family, old-time residents of the Hershey section, left last week for Sutherlin, Ore., where they expect to make their home.

Senator W. V. Hoagland returned Sunday from a visit to Pittsburg, Pa., where he has been for the past week looking after some legal business.

### Sheep For Sale.

I have 450 sheep for sale, will give plenty time on land security. Address A. A. Martin, Seneca, Neb.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

G. A. Yonkers property on west 12th street, sold to Chas. A. Howard. Consideration \$825.00.

Mrs. Dwyer's property on east 3rd to Silas C. Coyner. Consideration \$2000.00.

The above sales were made through the C. F. Temple Agency.

Mrs. Marie Dwyer sold her property on east Third street last week to Silas C. Coyner. The deal was made through C. F. Temple and the considerations was \$2,000.

The G. A. Yonker property on West Twelfth street was sold last week to Chris Howard. The deal was made through C. F. Temple and the consideration was \$850.

The west school was dismissed Friday afternoon on account of the cold weather. The heating plant was out of order and the building could not be properly heated.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Neville left Saturday for Florida where they will spend several months on a trip. Their postoffice address will be Pass-a-Guille, via St Petersburg.

The dance which was to have been given by the new dancing club last Thursday evening at the Masonic hall was postponed until this week on account of the severe cold snap.

The school house at Paxton was broken into a few nights ago and a watch belong to Miss Lowler, one the teachers, taken. It was later recovered at a North Platte jewelry store.

Alfred Johnson left Friday afternoon for Denver, called there by the serious illness of his mother. He received a telegram Friday announcing that his mother was not expected to live.

C. F. Peckham and Miss Matilda Seger were united in marriage at the J. S. Peckham home in Peckham precinct Sunday, Feb. 1st. They will live on the groom's farm in that precinct.

Skates sharpened for skates while you wait. We have just installed a new Ideal lawn mower and skate sharpener and can make skates over as good as they come from the factory. C. J. Vroman Bicycle shop, half block east of Post Office.

A new building company has been recently organized in the city under the name of the Platte Valley Construction company, with an office at 304 East Tenth street. The officers of the company are as follows: L. L. Glen, superintendent; W. H. Tanner, secretary; E. B. Saunders and L. W. Mathewson, auditors; J. C. Raynor, treasurer.

Lee Newton and Miss Lillian Sicks of this city enrolled last week in the North Platte business college for the short hand course. The college is getting quite a number and has the promise of becoming one of the figureheads of the city.

Charles Dixon entertained a number of friends Friday evening at a tango party at his home. Six couples attended and a delightful evening was enjoyed. At a late hour a lunch was served by the young men. The lunch was prepared entirely by the young men and consisted of wienies, sauer kraut and coffee. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds attended as chaperons.

Ex-deputy Sheriff Thomas Watts has accepted a position with the Union Pacific secret service and will enter upon his duties this week with headquarters at Grand Island. Mr. Watts will be under the supervision of C. L. Patterson, who was recently made chief of the service with headquarters at Omaha. He left for Grand Island Sunday and took up his official duties yesterday.

### Hershey To Have Municipal Plant.

The village of Hershey sold \$16,000 worth of bonds last week to the state of Nebraska for the purpose of putting in a city water and electric plant. The building of the plant will begin as soon as arrangements whereby the village will know just how the best service can be obtained. Some consideration is being given to the advisability of attaching to the plant of the North Platte Electric company if they can. If the company get the power from the Birdwood they could undoubtedly furnish power more cheaply than the village can.

Considerable growth has been made in the village in the past few years and a very prosperous condition is shown by the records of the village board. The fact that the bonds were purchased by the state treasurer would denote prosperity. With the electric lighting and power and the water facilities the village will have most of the convenience of a larger city.

### Former Resident Dies.

Judge William Alstodt, a former resident of North Platte, died at his home in Omaha Sunday morning of heart trouble following a stroke of apoplexy. "Little Bismarck," as he was familiarly known, came to North Platte in the early 80's and opened the Bismarck saloon on the corner now occupied by the McDonald State Bank building. He remained here several years and then went to Omaha, where for eight terms he served as a justice of the peace. The deceased was seventy-nine years of age.

### For Sale.

Nice home on East 6th, North Platte, with 8 rooms. Modern except heat; will be on Lincoln's memorial road when it comes through; easy terms on part; will take team of mares as part payment on balance. For particulars write Perry Martin, Bayard, Neb., or inquire, Wm Maloney, N. P.

Sheriff A. J. Salisbury attached the lease of the Keith theatre Saturday to satisfy the creditors of Mr. Stamp who sold out the lease to Mr. Garman last month. The lease was turned over to Mr. Garman last month and the money paid, but the attorneys alleged that Mr. Garman knew of the financial conditions of the seller and that he made the deal with the knowledge that several creditors were suing for their money. The deal was planned to be consummated on February 2 and suit was filed in the county court in the latter part of January, but it was found that the money was already paid. The lease will be turned over to the sheriff unless Mr. Garman furnishes bonds. Mr. Garman had no knowledge of the conditions things were in until after the deal was made and the money paid over. He will continue to operate the theatre as far as is known now.

Are you aware of the fact that the time for your spring sewing is at hand? Of course to start you will want a new machine, one that you can rely upon. Here is a fine offer, one which affords you an opportunity to secure the best sewing machine in the market and by its use to earn enough to pay for it and a good living besides, without investing more than ten cents a day. We will send it to your home for immediate use, your choice in style. Every woman should have one of these wonderful machines if she hopes of obtaining neat and dainty little spring frocks. Come and accept this offer and do yourself justice. Fern Perkins, Singer Agent, 1009 West Fourth St., Phone Red 468.

The concrete watering tank at the corner of Front and Locust streets sprung a leak some time during this cold snap and the water is running over the sidewalk and down the gutters. The tank was given to the city last summer by the W. W. Birge lumber company and has been giving good service. It is thought that the contraction caused by the cold weather made it crack open. It has been in service for about three years and this is the first that it has bothered. Street Commissioner Salisbury shut the water off this morning and will try to repair the tank.

Several cases of destitution were reported in the city after the storm, most of them coming from widows with families. Six cases were reported to Chief of Police Frazier Saturday and all of them were seemingly in great need of help. Several cases from men who wanted aid come in every day. There seems to be an unlimited number of men of leisure passing through the city, all enroute to the west to seek employment. The cases of want that are reported are all investigated and aid is extended as far as possible.

Mrs. Wm. Diedricks, formerly of Brady, who had been living in West Virginia for several years, has returned. Since leaving Brady she has become identified with the religious sect known as the "holy rollers" and it is said will do some missionary work in the Brady section.

### For Sale or Exchange.

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### Local and Personal

The Japs who leased the Jim White farm west of Hershey, sold a car of hogs last week. The animals averaged 275 pounds and the price paid was \$7.75 per 100. These Japs are said to be making good as farmers.

The season of public sales is now on, and about the usual number are being held in Lincoln county. Where sales have been held cattle and hogs have sold very high, but horses are proving almost a drag and prices rule low.

The chimney of the Platte Valley bank building was blown off in the storm of last week and caused considerable trouble as the weather was so cold that the workmen could not replace it for some time.

I have a few choice lots left in the Dolson Addition. See me at once. Terms \$5 down and \$5 per month. C. F. Temple.

The water and light bonds issued by the village of Hershey have been sold to the state treasurer at par. The bonds were in the sum of \$16,000 and the accumulated interest amounts to \$466.00. The village has therefore \$16,466 to use in constructing the plant.

The county commissioners finished checking up the different departments of the court house Friday afternoon and adjourned until Feb. 16. The conditions in all departments were found to be in fine shape, especially in the offices of the county treasurer and the county clerk.

In the billiard tournament held last week by the two chosen teams from the Elks, Baker's side won from Bullard's side. The losing side treated the winners to a Dutch lunch Thursday evening at the club rooms. About thirty were present and a fine time was enjoyed.

City Engineer C. J. McNamara left Saturday for Omaha where he will visit for two weeks with relatives. Mrs. McNamara has been in Omaha for several weeks recuperating from a serious illness. Mr. McNamara announces that she is much improved and will return in a few weeks.

Insurance my specialty--C. F. Temple  
Joe Nix, a Greek, was fined five dollar and costs, amounting to \$11.50 in Justice Ira L. Miltonberger's court Thursday for stealing a chicken from Wm. Draper. Mr. Draper's flock had gradually disappeared until only two were left and Nix was cleaning up on those.

The musical which was to have been given next Saturday by Mesdames Beeler, Scott, Temple, Simms and Davis has been postponed a week on account of the hall being in use next Saturday. It will be held next week at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Attorney J. J. Halligan returned Friday from Lincoln where he had a case before the Supreme court. He and Attorney J. G. Beeler appeared last week in the case against the Kearney Water and Power company, a case involving a water right to 400 cubic feet from the Platte river. The local attorneys appeared for the irrigation companies along the river and the case was continued until a later date.

Special evangelistic meetings were begun Sunday at the Baptist church. The meetings will be under the charge of the pastor, Rev. John L. Barton, and Rev. Charles Gray, an evangelistic singer. Both services Sunday were largely attended and a good crowd attended last evening. The meeting will be held every evening for the next two weeks and may be held longer. Mr. Gray is a fine gospel singer and will have charge of the choir work and the solo work.

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7 room house, 5 down and 2 up. Bath and lights in house, with pressure tank in cellar. Good cellar. Barn and other good outbuildings. Lot 55 x 129 ft. Price \$2100.00. Terms \$300.00 down, balance in monthly payments \$25.00 with 5 per interest.  
321 W. "C" Street.  
8 rooms, two story. House built on 1 1/2 story plan. Connected with sewer, and has city water in house. Electric lights. Good cellar. Lot 61 x 125 ft. Nice lawn and trees. Price \$2300.00.  
613 E. 3rd Street.  
5 rooms on one floor. Lot 56 x 132 ft. Nice trees. Price \$1550.00. Balance in Building & Loan about \$1,000.00. leaving \$550.00 cash.  
6 room house on one floor. Bath and lights in house. Connected to sewer. House in excellent condition. Cellar 12 x 14 ft. Good chicken houses and yards. Lot 66 x 132 ft. Nice yard and trees. \$1500.00 loan now on place that runs for five years at 6 per cent. Amount over this to be cash. Price \$2600.00.

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