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It is of course primarily a Ladies need, though in these days when most men go "vestless" in summer, it's no novelty to see a watch strapped to a man's wrist.

Our desire here now, is to bring our stock of Bracelet Watches before EVERYBODY who is interested in the subject,

For in our opinion we have a very desirable showing of this style of time piece.

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CLINTON, Jeweler and Optician.

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DR. O. H. CRESSLER,

Graduate Dentist

Office over the McDonald State Bank.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Mary Elias was called home from Grand Island Sunday by the illness of her mother.

Sand and gravel for sale at Electric Light Plant; about thirty loads.

Harry Scott, who had been visiting in the eastern part of the state, returned here Friday.

W. T. Berry, of Grand Island, is transacting business here this week for the Union Pacific Co.

Mrs. Fred Rasmussen and children returned to Hershey Sunday evening after visiting with the home folks for several days.

Like the Knights of Old, we marched up the hill and then down again. Woodhurst's Insurance Agency. 87-2

Miss Hazel Clark who is teaching at Goshenburgh spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Charles McAmara and left Sunday evening.

For Trade or Sale—Town property for automobile. Phone Bk. 648 or write Walter Cox, North Platte. 84-8

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weisgerber are enjoying a visit from the latter's father and sister who came from Beaver City a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ludwig returned a few days ago to their home in Arlington, Ill. The former was in charge of the construction work of the new Catholic school.

For Rent—Very desirable, newly furnished rooms. Call Sunday at 320 south Dewey street.

Word was received a few days ago by local relatives of the death of John Weisgerber formerly of this city who resided at Missoula, Mont., for several years past.

Don't take a chance of losing money by shipping furs and hides; we buy for highest cash price.

Attorneys J. J. Halligan, A. Muldoon, M. E. Crosby, J. S. Hoagland and Court Reporter F. J. Barron went to Ogalala yesterday morning to attend district court this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Elasser left Saturday morning for Omaha where the latter will be obliged to remain in the future for the benefit of her health. Mrs. Elasser has been affected very seriously with heart trouble during her residence here the past year.

C. S. Clinton has gone to Omaha to spend several days on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Hart, of Paxton, are visiting the Saltburg this week.

Dr. Morrill, Dentist.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reynolds, of Maxwell, spent Sunday with the Neville family.

A. S. Coates, of Sutherland, who visited his children here this week left yesterday morning.

For Sale—Soft coal heater. Mrs. Will Hawley. 86-2

Edward Mulcahy, of Cheyenne, formerly of this city, came Sunday to visit with local friends.

Wanted—Two or three salesladies at Wilcox Department Store. Apply by letter stating experience you have had.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Douglas left last night for Douglas, Ariz., expecting to be absent two weeks.

William Rector and son Homer have gone to Omaha where the former will submit to an operation.

National HUMAN Hair Switches for sale at Coates' Beauty Parlors. Phone Black 655.

H. G. Knowles will go to Sutherland Thursday to deliver an address to the high school pupils.

Life, Accident, Tornado, Hail, Automobile and Liability Insurance. Woodhurst's Insurance Agency. 87-2

Miss Alva Poynter, of Sutherland, who was operated upon at the City Hospital Friday, is getting along nicely.

Charles Dixon returned Sunday from Omaha where he successfully passed the examination in optometry before the state board.

Miss Marion Scott, of Sromsburg, came the latter part of last week to visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Toole. Before returning home she will spend several days at Scotts Bluff.

Farm and Ranch loans at lowest rates and best terms. Money on hand to close loans promptly. 431st BUCHANAN & PATTERSON.

Miss Fern Garrison, formerly of this city, was married last week in Denver to Robert Beal of that city, and they are visiting this week with friends in town. Mr. Beal is in the automobile business in Denver.

Do not fail to take advantage of the wonderfully reduced prices on all trimmed hats in my department at Block's from Nov. 16th to Dec. 1st. VILLA WHITTAKER.

The Epworth League of the Methodist church will hold their monthly business meeting and social at the home of Miss Grace Swanson, 903 west Third street Friday evening. Misses Ethel Wilson, Pearl Hunter, Emily Davis and Minnie Lincoln will assist in entertaining.

The Drys Rejoice.

The official canvass of votes cast in the late election show that the dry amendment carried by a majority of 1011 in Lincoln county, the vote being 2194 for and 1183 against. The most sanguine dry advocate did not place the majority above 1000, so that the county did some better than the most enthusiastic expected.

The total vote on the amendment for and against was 3377, while the total vote of the county was 4005. It is therefore apparent that 628 voters in the county did not vote on the proposition one way or the other. This is a little strange, as the amendment seemed to be the one real issue in the county.

Reception to Governor and Mrs. Neville
A reception, dance and banquet will be tendered Governor and Mrs. Neville under the auspices of the R. P. O. Elks next Monday evening. The reception will be held at the Elks' home at eight o'clock, following which the attendants will go to the Keith theatre to hear the Hallowell Concert Co. They will then return to the home and have a dancing and card party, music to be furnished by the Hallowell Co. A banquet will be served at midnight. The invitation list is confined to Elks exclusively.

A Touch of Winter
Following the running up a cold wave flag by Observer Shilling Friday, a decided drop in temperature followed with about an inch of snow Friday night. The temperature Saturday was not such as to thaw very much, and additional snow fell Saturday night with further furries Sunday night. Fully two inches covered the ground yesterday morning and the temperature dropped below the zero mark. Yesterday the day was bright and sunny and the snow began to disappear.

Connell an Embezzler.
It now transpires that J. F. Connell, who killed two men at Sunol after robbing the bank at that place, is short \$1,400 in his accounts as postmaster at Insomont, Cal. He obtained large sums of money by writing out money orders bearing fictitious names and having them cashed at Denver banks, presenting them in person. The government has asked Connell's mother to make good the shortage but she declines, having spent \$3,000 in the trial of her son.

North Platte 25, Kearney 9.
The local high school football team defeated the Kearney eleven on the local field Friday afternoon by a score of 25 to 9. Touchdowns were made by Norris, Baker and Christ and goal kick by Jones. Christ made a sixty-five yard run for a touch down. Rumpel of Kearney made a touchdown and a goal kick, and a safety throw to Elias added two to their score. The attendance was good considering the chilliness of the weather.

Steward Smith Resigns.
Geo. M. Smith, for five years steward of the Elks Club, has presented his resignation to take effect December first. He relinquishes the position on account of the long hours, and will take employment at the O'Connor store as floor manager. There is not an Elk but that is sorry to lose the services of Mr. Smith. Genial, courteous and obliging, he has had the good will and respect of every member.

Establishes North Platte Branch.
The Harrington Mercantile Co., of Denver, will establish a branch in North Platte with Paul Harrington as resident manager. Mr. Harrington arrived the latter part of last week and has opened an office. The firm will buy and ship hay and grain and will operate on the U. P. main line and North River branch, paying particular attention to the latter territory.

Beginning Nov. 16th and continuing until Dec. 1st every trimmed and untrimmed hat in my department at the Wilcox Department Store will be closed out at greatly reduced prices. You can not afford to miss these bargains. VILLA WHITTAKER.

Hallowell Concert Co.
The Hallowell Concert Co., which has appeared in North Platte several times under the auspices of the Elks will again be here November 20th at the Keith. This is a splendid musical organization that has pleased North Platte audiences and in each instance rendered complete satisfaction. Lovers of good music will not fail to hear this company.

Calvin Given Swift Ride.
President Calvin, of the Union Pacific, was given a swift ride the latter part of last week when his special was run from North Platte to Omaha at a rate of over a mile a minute, including stops and a delay due to a slow moving passenger train ahead. Mr. Calvin expressed himself as well pleased with the manner in which the boys handled the train.

Foot Ball Next Friday
A game of football is scheduled for next Friday on the local field the opposing team coming from the Alliance high school. The Alliance team is rated above the average Nebraska high school team, and an interesting game may be expected.

Last Friday Alliance defeated Sidney 23 to 0.

Miss Belle McCallum, of Red Cloud, came the latter part of last week to accept a position as secretary in the Block ladies' outfitting store.

Attorney Leslie Maskins transacted business in Paxton Saturday.

Mrs. F. C. Hoxie went to Ogalala Saturday morning to spend several days.

Receives Contract for Elevator.
Harry Cramer, of this city, has been awarded the contract for building the new grain elevator at Paxton, and will begin work as soon as the material can be assembled. The elevator will have a capacity of 12,000 bushels.

FOR YOUR AUTO SERVICE
Call 125 for taxi day or night. Also five or seven passenger car for funeral service.

MOGENSEN-LOUDEN AUTO CO.
Chandler & Elmer Agency,
Corner 8th and Locust Sts.

MYRTLE McCLELLAN AND JIM ERSKINE AGAIN IN NET.

Officers again spread the drag net for bootleggers Saturday and for the third time caught Myrtle McClellan and Jim Erskine. The Madison rooming house was raided and John Little, who had a quart of whiskey in his possession arrested. In court Little swore that he had purchased the whiskey of Myrtle McClellan and Jim Erskine, and County Attorney Gibbs filed an information against them.

This is the third information that has been filed against this couple, and to say the least, they are becoming so notorious that their absence from North Platte would be much preferable to their presence. In the first case they were bound over to the district court, but on the second and third counts they have not yet been arraigned. It is possible that when the couple receive their first deserts in the district court, they will conclude that North Platte is a rather unhealthy place for them.

We Want That Championship.

Next week the North Platte high school football team goes to Lincoln to try conclusions with the high school team of that city. Should North Platte win, and chances are good, the team will be rightly entitled to the state championship. Last Saturday the Lincoln high and the Omaha high battled to a six to six tie, while last year North Platte, with no better team than this year, defeated Omaha which had a stronger team last year than this. If Lincoln couldn't defeat Omaha, it can't defeat North Platte, and our money is on the championship coming to North Platte.

North Platte must be kept constantly in the limelight and just now it's up to Coach Baskin and his bunch of warriors. Last week we secured the governorship; next week we want the football championship—then we will figure on what other things we want. If North Platte is to be the third city of the state we must keep everlastingly at work.

Frank Distol Weds Miss Boatman.

Miss Annis Boatman of Anconia, Ill., and Frank Distol of this city, were married Saturday afternoon in Goshenburgh and returned here that evening. This event, while not unexpected, came as a surprise to their friends. The bride is a sister of B. B. Boatman and was recently employed in the local telephone office. She is a very attractive and agreeable young lady who has made many friends during her residence here. Mr. Distol had been employed in the Huffman cigar store for several years and recently accepted a position as manager of the Schwaiger cigar store. He is a steady and industrious young man who is popular with every acquaintance. Mr. and Mrs. Distol will be at home to their friends in the Fowler apartments on west Fifth street.

Watch Us Expand.

Improvements finished and started in North Platte this year total in money value nearly six hundred thousand dollars. For a town located in the short grass section of Nebraska the showing ought to be considered good even by those who may be a bit jealous of our growth. But North Platte is not swell-headed; it does not even consider that it has had a "boom"—just a nice steady growth that will be duplicated next year, and the year after and so on until we reach a population of 25,000 or 30,000 and have more wholesale and jobbing concerns than any other Nebraska town outside of Omaha and Lincoln.

That Was an Awful Jolt.

Two hours after The Tribune had said that western Nebraska had come back as a winter resort, Observer Shilling with fiendish glee hoisted the cold wave flag, caused it to snow on three successive nights and then to further show his contempt for The Tribune's loyalty to the country showed the temperature down to one below zero, the coldest November morning North Platte has ever known. Just why Shilling should thus treat us we know not, for we have always accorded him gentlemanly treatment. However, if he persists in his nefarious work we'll get his hide sure.

The tracts of land that Cody is offering for sale the 20th of this month at one-half price are located just west of town, fifteen tracts on the south side of the track and eight tracts on the north side. All lots are on the south side of the track.

District Court Next Week

The November adjourned term of district court convenes next Monday, the jurors reporting Tuesday. There are one hundred and seventy cases on the docket, the largest for several years, and among them are eighteen state cases, the case of Roy Roberts, charged with murder, leading in interest. There was some question as to whether Roberts would be tried at this time, but now, so far as known, the case will be heard, and it will probably consume several days.

Pays Election Bet.

In payment of an election bet Merle Laws wheeled Dave Day four blocks in a barrow yesterday afternoon. The barrow was decorated, the rider held aloft a picture of Wilson and Will Lawler and Ray Centlin followed beating a snare and base drum. The procession was greeted with hearty applause as it moved up and down on Dewey street.



GERALDINE FARRAR in "TEMPTATION"
Keith Theatre Tonight.

The Presbyterian ladies will hold their annual fair and supper December 7th.

The Presbyterian aid society will meet Friday afternoon instead of Thursday afternoon in the church basement, entertained by Mesdames Butler Buchanan, Perry Buchanan and O. E. Elder.

Found—Night of November 4th, on South River road leading west, Standard Stock Food and one wagon and gate. Owner of same prove property, and pay for ad. Call, phone or write, B. J. GUINAN, South River Road.

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Votes by Mail.

The total number of votes received by mail by County Clerk Yost was ninety-six. The greater number of these were sent by railroad men who were at other division terminals or on the road on election day.

Wall Paper.

I have just received my 1917 stock of wall paper. Best line ever shown here. Reasonable price. Phone Red 162. 85-4 P. O. DEATS.

The recent Nebraska-Oregon football game will be given in motion pictures at the Keith next Friday evening.

This Law Works

Thousands of laws are made that never are used.

But the depositors in the McDonald State Bank are protected by a law that keeps a fund of over a million dollars for their safeguard. This law works.

It has already proven its usefulness in several recent cases.

This Bank of Safety gives much more than ordinary service to each individual client.

McDONALD STATE BANK
NORTH PLATTE, NEBR.

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Some one, also wise has said,—

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