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BUSINESS LOCALS.

Will pay the highest cash price for well sorted potatoes. A. D. Rodgers. 46-47.

Dr. Allen, dentist, Opera house blk.

Milk cow for sale.—M. H. Hagerty.

Dr. Koons, dentist, Office over Norton's.

"America patent" flour is the best in town at Pilkington's. 25th

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WANTED—Girl attending school to assist with light housework.—Mrs. M. FRANKLE.

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Go to the Alliance National Bank to deposit your money. Oct. 7-11.

Buy feed and flour at Pilkington's.

See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate. 27-28

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If you have property for sale or rent list it with I. F. Ringler. Office first door north of opera house. 43-44

Free!—\$50.00 worth of dishes, given away to our customers. Come in and see.—I. L. Acheson.

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House in South Alliance for rent cheap. See F. M. Broome.

House for Rent or Sale.—E. J. Barry. 41-42

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For Sale.
Cash or easy payment—House and 2 lots with barn also 5 lots in Duncan's addition. See M. H. HAGERTY

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Misses' and children's bear skin jackets, \$2.75, at Norton's.

Ringler has an 8-room modern house for sale, one of the best locations in the city. Call and see him. Liberal terms 45-53

NEW POSTOFFICE TO BE ERECTED

The Alliance National Bank to Build A Handsome Structure for Uncle Sam's Use.

After two and a half years' negotiation after repeatedly advertising for, and rejection of proposals, on Monday, October 23rd, the contract was signed between the Alliance National Bank and the Postoffice Department, whereby the bank agrees to erect a two-story brick building, 25x90 feet, on the unoccupied part of its lot facing north on Wyoming Ave., which will be in reality an extension of the present bank building, to heat the same by steam or other modern heating system, light it by electricity, furnish it with modern up-to-date equipment, consisting of 800 lock boxes, mailing cases and distributing cases, the latest design in general delivery, stamp, money order and registry wickets, a large burglar proof safe, the space between the top of the boxes and ceiling to be closed with either glass or wire mesh screen, all equipment to be of the latest design and first class in every respect. The lease is for a period of ten years, and the postoffice department agrees to pay for all this including light, heat and the use of the equipment, the sum of \$50.00 per month or \$600. per annum. The postoffice will of course occupy the lower story the floor of which will be on a level with the sidewalk, with the entire north side composed of glass thus affording ample light. The postoffice room will be 70 feet long east and west, and 25 feet deep. This will leave a room 20x25, between the bank and postoffice, on which Miller Bros. have secured option for a news stand. The present cramped and poorly lighted quarters occupied by the postoffice have not been adequate for the proper handling of Uncle Sam's postal business for the past five years, the city having in its rapid growth, utterly outgrown them. The receipts of the office last year amounted to \$8,303.00 for stamps and box rents alone while the volume of money order business amounted to over \$77,000.00, from which the government received \$545.00 in fees. The receipts were \$5,000.00 in excess of the cost of running the office, not counting the pro-rata of mail transportation. The postmaster states that without question the additional boxes will increase the revenue up to \$9,000 leaving only an increase of another \$1,000, to entitle the patrons to free delivery. The expenditure by the bank will amount to upwards of \$10,000.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kennedy are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, who made his appearance this morning. The little "operator" is of regulation weight, and already takes his place in the family circle without the least embarrassment. Edward the First is no longer monarch of all he surveys, for the new brother has considerations that must be respected. Two pairs, kings and queens, is the hand that Papa Kennedy now holds, and they beat a Dutch flush in most games.

H. J. Herbes, editor of The Platte County News, at Humphrey, Neb., was a pleasant caller at this office yesterday. Mr. Herbes is also engaged in the real estate business and was looking up Box Butte lands.

Horses Killed by Train.

A. S. Reed sustained the loss of four head of horses near his place east of town sometime Friday night. The animals found their way through the gate on the section line, which was broken down in some manner, and followed the track until run down by a train and killed. This is Mr. Reed's second loss of horses in this manner, having had three head killed last June.

"Jolly Evenings."

The first number of the lecture course to be given by the Epworth League, occurred last night, when Marvin Williams, entertainer, gave a series of im-

personations that pleased his audience most heartily. The young man is possessed of a keen conception of both the ridiculous and sentimental sides of of life and throws his whole energies into his work. Williams is perhaps better adapted for the heavier efforts, and his impersonation of the gladiator in "Quo Vadis" received the greatest applause.

CUPID'S COMBINES.

Several Happy Couples Who Join the Matrimonial Trust.

The old saying, that "It is not well for man to live alone," has been well established in Alliance social circles recently, as a number of our residents have entered the married state.

VAN NICE-KOHLBRY.

Mr. Bert VanNice, the popular clerk at McClell's store, was perhaps the slyest of the lot, and his marriage, some three weeks ago, at Hastings, to Miss Minnie C. Kohlbry, a former resident of this city, was indeed a great surprise to his friends. Bert went east on that occasion to attend the anniversary of his parents marriage and on the way stopped off at Hastings, where the wedding took place. From there he and his bride went to Iowa to attend the golden anniversary. On his return to Alliance, Mr. VanNice kept the secret of his marriage so close that no one knew a thing about it. Last Saturday Mrs. VanNice arrived upon the scene and Bert introduced his wife to his acquaintances. Well, if there ever was a surprise it was in this instance. Mr. and Mrs. VanNice have gone to house-keeping, and will be received in the social circles of the city as among our most esteemed people.

BROWN-BELL.

Monday evening occurred the marriage of Mr. Charles Brown and Miss Eliza Serena Bell, Rev. J. M. McConnell of the United Presbyterian church officiating. Mr. Brown is a well known ranchman, who for several years resided near Lakeside. The bride is likewise well known in this county, having lived here a long time. She is possessed of the graces that go to make her a charming helpmate for the man of her choice. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left Tuesday morning for an extended wedding trip through Nebraska and the east, which will include the dominion of Canada. On their return in December they will reside in this city.

LUND-CURRY.

The Fairview neighborhood was the scene of a joyful wedding last Monday evening, when Mr. Herman T. Lund was united in marriage to Miss Laura May Curry, at the home of the bride's parents, Rev. Chas. W. Ray of the M. E. church officiating. The ceremony was performed in the presence of fully one hundred and fifty guests and was most imposing, the ring service being used in all its completeness. Miss Dora Curry, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. Eb Garrett groomsmen. After the marriage, the happy couple with their parents took the places of honor at the banquet table and the many guests indulged in a wedding supper that is spoken of as a rare treat. At the conclusion of the evening's enjoyment, all present wished Mr. and Mrs. Lund a pleasant journey on the matrimonial sea and departed for their homes with pleasant recollection of the auspicious social event.

SMITH-RICHARDS.

Among the happy young people of the city to enter the matrimonial state were Mr. John A. Smith and Miss Grace Richards, whose marriage was solemnized last Sunday evening at the home of the groom's parents, Rev. G. C. Jeffers of the Baptist church officiating. In this instance the ring service was also used, which is most imposing. Only relatives of the contracting parties were present at the marriage. Miss Mary and Harry Smith, brother and sister of the bridegroom were attendants at the ceremony. Mr. Smith is employed at the Burlington shops, and his bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Richards of South Alliance. They will begin housekeeping at once in the Ritter building, and their acquaintances wish for them every happiness that can come to such deserving young people.

DRAMATIC ATTRACTION

Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde at the Opera House Friday Night, Oct. 27.

This being the first time this famous dramatic production has ever been produced in this section of the west, those having never seen it will be pleased with the privilege for doing so now and those having seen it will be more than pleased with the opportunity for seeing it again, for, like Uncle Tom's Cabin, it never grows old.

When Robert Louis Stevenson wrote the strange story of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde he was not sure if he dared have it published, but when his first edition was placed on the market it was sold out in a few days. The dramatist eagerly grasped the book and a dozen versions were immediately produced. The strongest and best was the Mansfield version which will be presented at the opera house, tomorrow, Friday night, Oct. 27. There is a certain subtle indefinable something that holds the spectator from the rise to the fall of the curtain, and in spite of the great improbability of the play, the audience forgets all that, and finds itself wondering if it is impossible, and each time the spasm of pain crosses the noble face of Dr. Jekyll, foretelling the coming of the monster Hyde, the audience in breathless silence watches the transformation, forgetting that it is a piece of stage illusion and seeing one man change to another before their very eyes.

This is a play that catches with every person and it may be a long time again before Alliance will witness a company such as the one that will present the play tomorrow night. The company comes direct from Denver, stopping in Alliance while enroute to the Pacific coast for engagements in all of the largest cities. Play goes cannot afford to miss this attraction tomorrow night.

Seats now on sale at Holsten's, reserved seats 75 cents, gallery 50 cents and children 25 cents.

The Bogus Check Again in Evidence.

Last Saturday night about nine o'clock a man by the name of George Carter entered Buechsenstein's cigar store and asked for a pen and ink to do a little writing. He seemed to be under the influence of liquor or some drug at the time. Without the least embarrassment he drew from his pocket a sheet of blank checks on the First National Bank of this city, and proceeded to fill them out and tearing them apart endorsed one. This was done in the presence of Mayor Buechsenstein and others standing nearby, who suspected that he was up to some crooked work. When Carter left the store he was followed and at several places it was discovered that he had tried to pass these checks. Finally he turned up at Dismer's restaurant, where he tried the same game after eating a lunch. Just at that time Officer Daugherty appeared and placed him under arrest. Carter was taken to the city jail and searched. One of the checks was found on his person but those that he tried to pass were missing. He was placed in a cell and kept there until Tuesday. In the meantime it was found that he had succeeded in passing bogus paper of the nature at the Palace livery stable, where he hired a rig, and at Joder's drug store, in payment for some articles purchased. In both cases the amounts were about \$9.00. The prisoner was given a hearing Tuesday before Judge Berry in the absence of Judge Ridgell and fined \$25 and costs for drunkenness. This fine stood suspended, on condition that he leave town within half an hour, which he was glad to do.

Carter is undoubtedly a crook of the first water and makes a specialty of bogus checks, for he had in his possession several blank forms when arrested. He had been in the country picking potatoes for several parties and learned the name of John Lawrence, which

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he used in forging the above checks. He is not only a crook, but nature has endowed him with an ability to lie that would put the blush of shame on the face of Ananias. When asked by Mayor Buechsenstein if he had not been in his place of business and made out two checks, he denied the whole affair and swore that he had never been in the place or made out such checks. It is too bad that a charge of forgery was not brought against Carter that he might receive his just deserts and be sent to the penitentiary, where he belongs.

A Cutlery Thief Captured.

Mike J. Baker, who claims 1380 33d street, Chicago, as his home, was arrested last Saturday near Hyannis by Detective Wm. Owens for breaking into a Burlington box car and carrying off a quantity of cutlery, which he was peddling on the streets of this city. Owens went to work on the case Friday and traced the man to Hyannis, near where he arrested him, and brought him back to Alliance where he had his preliminary trial yesterday and was bound over to the district court in the sum of \$500. In default of bail he was taken to the county jail. Baker has been operating at several places and did a like piece of car breaking recently at Sidney.

Mrs. Leidy Given Surprise.

About fourteen members of the local lodge of Daughters of Rebekah assembled at the home of Mrs. G. E. Leidy last Monday evening and tendered that lady a surprise on her return from the state assembly of the order held at Nebraska City recently. Mrs. Leidy was the local representative and her associates wished to show their appreciation of her efforts in behalf of the organization by tendering this surprise. They carried with them ample quantities of refreshments, and the evening was spent most pleasantly.

Very Successful Sale.

The eighteenth anniversary sale of W. W. Norton which closed last evening was one of the most successful in the history of Mr. Norton's business career. Extra clerks were required to wait on the throng of customers who took advantage of the sale. Mr. Norton always does what he advertises to do, which is one reason of his special sales being a success.

Rip Van Winkle.

Mr. Johnson, advance agent for Blondin & Leon, is in the city and has arranged for the presentation of "Rip Van Winkle" next Thursday night. The company has eighteen people and a car load of scenery.

Potato Crop Injured

The sudden cold snap, which took place the latter part of the past week, played havoc with the potato crop in a great many localities. It is estimated that at least a third of the crop was destroyed by frost. The cold wave was general throughout the country, even as far south as Texas, where the gardeners and truck growers report damage by the unusual cold weather for this time of the year.

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