

### LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Charlie Jameson was up from Ellsworth Tuesday.

Frank Cody was up from Lakeside last Saturday on business.

County Superintendent Phillips drove to Hemingford yesterday.

Mrs. Lindley Ellis left last week for a visit at Hamburg, Iowa.

J. W. Wehn was up from Bridgeport this week on business.

Dr. Bellwood was an Omaha passenger last Sunday night on 44.

Take your family to Nohe's for your Sunday chicken dinner 25 cents.

L. A. Neeland of Dawes county spent Saturday and Sunday in Alliance.

Mrs. N. J. Pederson arrived Tuesday from Ravenna to visit her parents.

Judge Crites of Chadron was in attendance at district court yesterday.

G. M. Burns of Marsland was an Alliance visitor last Saturday and Sunday.

C. A. Newberry went to Omaha Sunday night to look after business matters.

W. J. Grabbert went to Germania, Wyo., last Monday for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. McCray entertained the ladies of the Presbyterian Union yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. P. Hale and children came down from Lead Sunday to visit with friends.

C. G. Hollibaugh was down from Marsland a couple of days this week on business.

W. N. Corneal came up from Council Bluffs last week to look after business matters.

Miss Ruth Hager returned last Sunday from Sterling, Neb., where she visited friends.

Mrs. James Hollinrake of Hemingford, visited Alliance friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Enoch Boyer entertained the Ladies Aid of the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon.

N. S. Nelson was also among the several Alliance passengers to Omaha last Sunday night on 44.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Russell of 418 Toluca avenue welcomed a baby boy to their home last Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Lawrence is convalescing from a siege of illness that confined her to her room for several days.

Marie Hansen and Olga Moe were pleasant visitors with friends in this city this week from Hemingford.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will be entertained next Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. D. W. Butler.

Mrs. A. Gregory left Tuesday night on 44 for Ravenna, where she will visit relatives and friends for a few weeks.

John Carmicle, jr., arrived in the city last Sunday from Shoshone, Wyo., to visit his father, who is in feeble health.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McCoy are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy at their home south of this city on last Thursday.

An overcoat left at the Wagon cafe on May 6. Owner can have same by proving property and paying advertising notice.

G. M. Banks and Mrs. M. J. Vermillion were people from the vicinity of Moomaw who had business in Alliance Saturday.

Mrs. I. M. Shriner, of Ellsworth, was in the city this week having dental work done. She was the guest of Mrs. Buechsenstein while here.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Cornu. Program to be conducted by Mrs. Warrick, superintendent of parlor meetings.

The family of M. W. Shoffner of the Star store arrived in the city from Terre Haute, Ind., last Friday and will make their home here.

The local order of Eagles elected Fred Betzold as their delegate to the state convention, which will be held at Norfolk on June 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grothe returned Sunday on 41 from Burlington, Iowa, where they attended the funeral of a niece of Mr. Grothe's.

Merle Holdredge is now an employee at the Holsten silver fountain where he fills his position to the satisfaction of patrons and proprietor alike.

Among Platte valley visitors to Alliance this week was Tom Richardson of Mitchell, who was renewing old acquaintances last Sunday and Monday.

A fine new Underwood No. 3 wide-carriage typewriter was received at the county judge's office last week. It is especially adapted for record and legal work, which, as a rule, require wide margin. Judge Berry is well pleased with the county board's selection of the machine.

A bright baby girl was born to Mr and Mrs G W Betbenner this afternoon.

Miss Harriet Sutherland arrived today from Chicago for a visit with her parents, Mr and Mrs W A Sutherland.

Miss Inice McCorkle returned yesterday from her extended visit in New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma, and reports a most enjoyable trip.

Conductor Will Hamilton and W. J. Poole will be candidates for the fourth degree in the order of the Knights of Columbus at the coming initiation at Omaha May 30.

At the state meeting of the Knights of Columbus held at Omaha last week, Father McNamara and Ed. Reardon were re-elected state chaplain and warden respectively.

Misses Agnes Hollinrake, Marie Hansen and Olga Moe, three bright young teachers from the northern part of the county, were in our city Saturday taking examination.

Miss T N Messick, of Omaha, has opened dressmaking parlors over Mrs. Simmons' millinery store, and is prepared to do first-class dressmaking. Your patronage solicited.

The Hoyt automobile from Rushville was on Alliance streets last Tuesday and yesterday, Messrs. Hoyt and Tom Huntington of that place having driven over to attend to business matters.

A dance will be given at the Dave Briggs ranch, twenty miles northeast of Alliance, Saturday evening, May 23, to which everybody is invited. Proceeds for benefit of school district 130.

Jack Riordan came up from Grand Island Sunday morning and remained till Tuesday night. He reports business good at the Koehler hotel bar in that city of which he has management.

Mrs. J. P. Dailey and children and Miss Gertrude Dailey stopped in Alliance today on their return from Lincoln and will visit relatives and friends until tomorrow when they will leave for Deadwood.

Henry Broich returned last Monday night from Crawford where he visited several days with his son William, who is the Burlington agent at that point. Mr. Broich was accompanied by his daughter-in-law and little one.

Sunday at the Baptist church, G. C. Jeffers, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Subject of morning sermon—"What shall I do to be saved?" Mid-week prayer service Thursday evening. A welcome to all services.

Claude McDonald entertained the senior class last Friday evening. With Claude's entertaining qualities and the jolly crowd that the senior class consists of, we have no doubt but that they had a pleasant evening.

Miss Florence Rumer has been honored with several parties during the past week, Mrs. Barker giving a kitchen shower Friday evening, and Mrs. Koons entertained a number of ladies complimentary to her on Tuesday evening.

W. S. Ridgell was painfully injured one day last week as a result of a fall while working on the interior decorations of the Elks hall. He fell on his right shoulder, making a painful injury that compelled him to "move slow" for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hood drove in from near Canton Saturday. Mr. Hood has been staying there with his wife for the past month but will again take his old place in the Burlington shops. Mrs. Hood enjoys ranching but says it's a pretty strenuous life.

G. F. Tharp and wife arrived last Friday morning from Missoula, Mont., and are the guests of Mr. Tharp's sisters, Mesdames B. Mewhürter and Mort Johnson. Mr. Tharp resided in Alliance a few years ago and was very much surprised at the growth and metropolitan appearance of the city.

A lodge of Brotherhood of America Yeoman was instituted in this city last Tuesday night, at their hall over Mark's harness store. A fine supper was indulged in after the degree work at Nohe's restaurant. About thirty-six candidates have been initiated and others will be taken in next week.

Mrs. A D Brost died at her home, 14 miles northeast of Alliance, Wednesday afternoon. She leaves a husband and four children, the youngest being but a week old. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon from the home, Rev. Jeffers of the Baptist church conducting the services. Interment in Libby cemetery.

The one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James G. Kennedy, Evangelina Lenora, died Monday morning from whooping cough at the home of Oscar Harrison, where the parents of the child were staying temporarily until their removal to a claim Mr. Harrison had filed on in the southeast part of the county. The funeral took place Tuesday afternoon from the Harrison home, interment being in Greenwood cemetery.

### Subscribers who fail to receive The Herald by carrier will please notify this office. Give No. of house and street.

#### Memorial Day

At a meeting held Wednesday evening to make arrangements for Memorial day observance, it was decided that inasmuch as the 30th falls on Saturday, which is a very busy day amongst our business men, the exercises shall be held on the Sunday following. The following outline of a program was adopted:

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Assemble at opera house corner at 3 p. m., form procession and repair to cemetery.

Decorating of graves.

Music.

Benediction.

The decorating will be in charge of the G. A. R. Post commanded by Al. Wiker.

SUNDAY EVENING, 8 P. M.

Union Memorial service at the Baptist church. Dr. Bogue will preside.

Invocation by Rev. G. C. Jeffers.

Music by double quartet.

Sermon by Rev. J. M. Vallow.

The following committees were selected:

Finance—Mrs. C O Aspenwall, Mrs. Geo E Leidy and Mrs. W C Mounts.

Flowers and decorations—Mrs. J A Mallery, Mrs. B F Gilman and Mrs. B H Perry.

Music—Bert Laing and assistants.

Ira E. Tash was appointed to superintend the arrangements, and the several committees will confer with him.

Walter Barton, the well known ranchman and cattle raiser, arrived in the city last Monday from Pasadena, Cal., where he left Mrs. Barton and son till he finds a location in this part of the country. Mr. Barton had a well stocked ranch in the Platte valley which he disposed of and he is now in quest of another place. He will look Montana and Colorado over with this object in view.

Beal Brothers, Alliance's progressive commission men, are now located in the spacious room formerly occupied by Lockwood's second-hand store and they are better prepared to handle an increased business. The large basement in connection with the Reddish block is also utilized, giving the firm ample room.

"Dad" Johnson was in the city several days this week looking after business. Dad is surely growing younger-looking since he went to ranching near Angola.

The west part of the county was represented at the county hub this week by Emmett Johnson, Jas. Lemons, Fred Thornton, F. J. Tollman and J. S. Kaper.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

REPORTED BY

A. F. BALDRIDGE, Bonded Abstractor

Robert B. Meloy to W. Turner Eikner, s of sw of 32, 27-39, \$500.

George M. Fox to Dierks Lumber & Coal Co., pe. of tract 2 of tracts of se of 35, 25-43, \$1000.

Call Us About It.

This paper can give all the local news only as our friends lend us their co-operation. If anyone visits you, if you contemplate leaving town, if you see or hear or do anything out of the ordinary day's routine, tell us about it, that we may tell the public.

#### Bryan Club Members Meet Saturday Night

There will be a meeting of the members of the Box Butte County Bryan Club and all others interested in the coming of Hon. W. J. Bryan to Alliance June 1. Final arrangements for the reception of our honored guest will be made at this meeting, and a large attendance is desired.

By Order Chairman.

#### Watch Lost

Lost on road between F McCoy's and Bonner, open-faced gold watch; end of chain broken off. Reward for return to Gene Sights or The Herald office.

Wanted—Man and wife on ranch. Inquire at Herald office. 23-1f

For a pleasant evening's entertainment go to the Crystal Picture Parlors.

### 'JEDEDIAH JUDKINS'

#### Play Presented Senior Class a Success

—Large Audience Present.

The interesting comedy entitled "Jedediah Judkins" was presented Monday night at the opera house by the senior class of the city high school and proved a clever piece of stage work. Every character was well trained for their part, making the cast complete in every respect. The young people who took part demonstrated their creditability in an intellectual capacity and merited the applause of the audience. The receipts derived from the crowded house will leave a net balance in the young folks' treasury that will be available for the necessities of their organization. Following is the cast of characters:

Jedediah, justice of peace, Claude McDonald  
John Craincross, tradesman, J. V. Taylor  
Herbert Craincross, son, an engraver, ...  
Reginald Windum, partner in firm, F. Rumer  
Geo. Prentiss, detective, Jas. R. Hewitt  
Horatio DeCamp, crook, John Beach  
Buck Hardin, one of a pair, Leo Bayve  
Mrs. Craincross, John's wife, John Beach  
Bernice Craincross, daughter, Hazel Beck  
Ester Goldfarb, John's ward, Izola Worley  
Miss Hobbin, nobody knows, Effie Rhoads  
Sally Sands, silly servant, Emma Covalt

The commencement exercises proper will not be held until Saturday evening, May 23, at 8:30 o'clock in the opera house. The class consists of thirteen members as follows: George L. Bayve, John R. Beach, Walter H. Buechsenstein, Hazel V. Beck, Emma F. Covalt, Elizabeth Graham, James R. Hewitt, A. Claude McDonald, Frank A. Rumer, Effie J. Rhodes, Maude L. Spacht, J. Vincent Taylor, Izola D. Worley.

Faculty—D. W. Hayes, superintendent; A. J. Macy, principal; H. H. Reimund, assistant principal; Miss Lulu E. Wirt.

Motto—"Excelsior."

Flower—American Beauty rose.

Colors—Scarlet and blue.

#### Clifford-Wilkinson Nuptials.

A pretty home wedding took place at William N. Wilkinson's, twenty-five miles northeast of Alliance at high noon Wednesday, when his oldest daughter, Natalie Idra, and Mr. Henry R. Clifford took vows which joined their lives in a life partnership. Rev. G. C. Jeffers of the Baptist church here solemnizing the marriage. Miss Cecil Wilkinson, sister of the bride, acted the part of maid of honor, and Mr. W. C. Manion was best man. About twenty of the relatives and intimate friends were present to enjoy the festivities. Immediately following the ceremony, a most bountiful banquet, such as only ranchmen can provide, was served. The presents were numerous and of a practical character, attesting the high esteem in which the worthy couple are held by their many friends. The bride has been one of Box Butte's popular and successful school teachers for the past four years. Mr. Clifford is a young ranchman of enviable reputation. After spending two weeks in the Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford will establish a new home at the former's ranch, twenty-eight miles northeast of Alliance. The Herald joins the numerous friends of the deserving young people in wishing them every happiness in their journey through life.

#### CONTRIBUTIONS TO SISTERS' ACADEMY

##### Weekly Report of Payments Toward the Erection of the School Building.

Following is the amount of money received for the Sisters' Academy and by whom paid. Much of this is only part payment of subscriptions. The committee is now out collecting and the amount received will be published weekly.

Previously acknowledged	\$7,600.05
J. Ayward	10.00
J. P. Nolan	25.00
W. Butler	30.00
A. Cusick	30.00
P. F. Roland	25.00
W. F. Rosenkranz	10.00
W. H. Matties	5.00
W. W. Norton	200.00
J. Hlavacek	20.00
C. C. Joy	25.00
W. J. Hamilton	75.00
W. W. Wood	25.00
Margaret Barry	50.00
Joseph O'Connor	25.00
R. Driscoll	10.00
John Daugherty	50.00
G. Behner	10.00
B. F. Lockwood	10.00
Chas. Mauck	5.00
W. J. Connors	25.00
The Famous	35.00
C. W. Brennan	50.00
C. A. Newberry	300.00
Total	\$8,650.05

Have you seen that washing machine yet? Easiest running machine made. Only \$7.00. At A. D. Rogers. 23-1f.

### RANDOM NOTES

BY UNCLE GEORGE

† A press dispatch states that an eastern man has traveled a hundred thousand miles in search of a wife. That's going a long way to look for trouble.

† Geo. D. Carrington, superintendent of the public schools of Auburn, believes in taking time by the forelock and giving said appendage a hearty yank. He is a candidate for state superintendent, and although the primary will not be held until September, he is already posting his picture in the windows. If Mr. Carrington is running on his looks he ought to have hired a substitute to sit for his picture.

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AN EPITAPH

Beneath this stone lies Mary Green  
In prime of life she quit this scene;  
She died the victim of a cough—  
'Too soon, too soon she took 'em off!

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† The editor of the Bridgeport Blade states that he has received a letter from Moses Peterfunk Kinkaid, in which it is stated that Secretary of the Interior Garfield and several other government officials will accompany said Moses on a tour of the valley this summer. The wily Moses will use the government contingent to help him repair the breaks Bryan may make in his political fences.

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† The Broken Bow Beacon says there are children in Broken Bow who will live long enough to see fifty thousand people in that town. Going to rival old Methuselah we infer.

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† Fish stories are getting ripe. Joe Kelley, section foreman at Bayard, claims to have caught a dog-fish in the North Platte river recently. "Like Kelly did," shouts the skeptic.

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† The Gering and Scottsbluff newspapers are building railroads—on paper. They engage in this pleasant pastime whenever a car-tracer or road-bed inspector passes through their section. The Courier is laying out an extension of the Union Pacific from North Platte to Gering and then on to Somewhere, and the Republican is surveying a line—in its mind—from O'Neill to Scottsbluff, via Alliance and Angola, and continuing to Godknowswhere. In our young and optimistic days we indulged such pipe-dreams, but sad experience and many disappointments cured us.

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† Miss Grace Candy and Charley Beatem of Oakdale, this state, were married Wednesday. Miss Candy was a mighty sweet girl, and many young fellows tried to pull her alongside the hymeneal halter, but Charley Beatem to it.

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† An Alliance married couple last week agreed to separate and divide their worldly possessions. The wife took the children, and the husband took the train for California.

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† The Gering Courier advises all its republican readers to take advantage of Mr. Bryan's visit to the valley and go and hear him. This is rather handsome, considering the fact that the Courier is a hardshell republican paper.

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† John O'Keefe has a cow that is winning a great reputation as a lawn-mower. The cow occasionally escapes from her enclosure and ranges over the neighbors' lawns, leaving nothing but the bare ground behind her. John is proud of the animal—but his neighbors ain't.

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† Now the doctors say that soft drinks cause diseases, such as shingles, rickets, neurasthenia, elephantiasis, etc. The microbes of these diseases develop in the drinks, they say, and when they enter the human system immediately begin their deadly work. And we have no antidote at hand, Alliance having gone "dry." As our old friend Bill Shake well says, "One woe doth tread upon another's heels."

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† The "closest" person we have ever heard of is a woman rancher living near Bayard. Harvey Harward, of near Minatare, says she objects to her hired man's gallivanting around at night—if he takes a horse from the barn—because it adds to the wear of the barn-door hinges.

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† It's about time to begin preparing to celebrate the Glorious Fourth. Our neighboring towns in the valley are too busy building railroads and bridges, sugar factories and court houses, to organize a celebration, but they will doubtless send large delegations to Alliance if they are assured an enjoyable time.

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† It is sometimes a blessing to be poor. One man owes his life to the fact that he could not raise enough money to make him a welcome visitor at Mrs. Guinness' home. She invited him to come on, and promised to marry him, "but," she said, "you must bring a thousand dollars in currency to show that you are not a grafter." He has been thanking God for his poverty ever since the horrible disclosures at the Guinness farm.

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† The proper officer should remove those brazen saloon signs from Box Butte area. They are an aggravation to a thirsty man and an abomination to a teetotaler. Take 'em away!

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† Seven-room house, city water, barn, for rent. A. D. Rogers. 23-1f.

### BUSINESS LOCALS.

Another one of those great big cars of new furniture just unloaded at Geo. D. Darling's store. Tell him your furniture needs.

We always have money to loan on farm land and city property.  
18-1f F. E. REDDISH.

Cook wanted at once—Barry House.

Try Parly's Cottage Bread.

Just received a car load of fertilizer for lawns. You'll have to hurry to get some.—J. Rowan. 4t.

Go to Parly's Bakery for your Pies and Cakes.

Freezers and Squeezers, for Ice Cream and Lemons. Geo. D. Darling's store.

See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate. 27-1f

New comers and others changing place of residence should not fail to give street and house number to Wm. James when wishing quick delivery on coal. 46-1f

Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk

George D. Darling, Housefurnisher, has everything to furnish your home. Go to him for your needs in this line.

Just received, a car of famous John Deere & Velle buggies that will be sold at a sacrifice or will trade for horses. 51-1f J. R. JORDAN.

Try the new shop. Phone 498. 33-1f

Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk.

For Sale—Good six-room house. Inquire of P. R. Workman, Alliance.

Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk.

Let Geo. D. Darling figure your floor covering. He will cut it and lay it and save you money.

Parties desiring to build, improve or repair, will save money by figuring with S. C. Reck before spring work opens up.

WANTED—Boy, 16 to 20 years of age, to learn Baker's trade. Good inducements to right one.—Pardey Bakery.

Parly's Bakery is 114 West Montana street.

The Denver Times delivered to your house every day for 65¢ per month. Leave your order at the Bee Hive store.

Lost—A large open-faced silver watch with Elk's head on back. Return to A. J. Macy or The Herald office and receive reward.

For Sale—Four head of Shorthorn bulls. These are good animals, from the Ed. Meyers herd. May be seen at my ranch.—Wm. Welch, Bingham, Neb. 4w

S. C. Reck will quote you prices on all kinds of mill work, tanks, screens, Storm sash and repairwork.

Largest stock of Rugs, Carpets, Linoleums, Floor Oil Cloth and Mattings in Alliance. Geo. D. Darling's store.

For Sale—Cream separator.—L. E. Bye.

For a pleasant evening's entertainment go to the Crystal Picture Parlors.

The "Alaska." Coldest refrigerator sold in Alliance. Buy 'em of Geo. D. Darling.

#### Notice for Bids.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids will be received by J. F. Reid, Torrington, Wyoming, until 12 o'clock noon of Wednesday, May 20th, for labor all above foundation, including prime coat on outside of building, on United Presbyterian church. Plans may be found at Copeland's hardware store, Torrington. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

G. W. GAMBLE, J. F. REID,  
Secretary, Chairman.

#### Building for Sale.

I offer for sale cheap, the frame building now used for the Burlington lunch station at Alliance. It is 20x50, covered with corrugated iron and would be valuable for many purposes. Call at Hotel Northwest cafe for particulars. 23-1f T. H. BARNES.

#### For Rent.

The se ¼ sec. 32, 26-49; 80 acres broke. Inquire of W. H. THOMAS.

#### Take Notice.

All persons indebted to Everett Cook are requested to pay at once. Accounts not settled by May 20, will be placed in the hands of a collector.

#### Notice.

All parties knowing themselves indebted to King's Place, are requested to call and settle at once. All accounts not settled by May 20, will be placed with a collector.

Special sale of muslin underwear at Regan's.

For rent—furnished room, close in. Inquire at Herald office.

#### Wanted.

by wholesale phonograph company, one in each county, to fill out weekly information list, \$10 to \$100 monthly. W. Williams, Chama, Ill.