

National Bank of Commerce

Saint Louis, Dec. 31, 1910
Mr. Wm. Alexander, Secretary,
The Equitable Life Assurance Society,
New York.

Dear Sir:—In reply to your esteemed favor of the 27th inst., it is a fact that during the months of September and November of this year the National Bank of Commerce collected from insurance companies a total of \$350,000 insurance on the lives of debtors.

The policy with us is to have our debtors insure their lives to the fullest extent possible and practical, and it is something we do not hesitate to advise. We consider it a protection to a man's collateral in case of his death, and it is undoubtedly a protection to his creditors.

You are at liberty to make such use of this letter as you desire.

Yours very truly,
TOM RANDOLPH,
Vice Pres., Nat'l Bank of Commerce.

The above letter shows the value of Old Line Life Insurance as collateral for Bank Loans.

See GRAY and GUTHRIE for full explanation.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS

W. W. Wood and wife of Alliance visited in Rushville a few days the latter part of last week and the forepart of this. Mr. Wood spent most of the time up on White Clay catching suckers.—Rushville Standard, April 14.

Miss Winnie Moran, who has been a student at St. Agnes Academy, Alliance, suffered an attack of inflammatory rheumatism and returned home Monday afternoon. The past two days she improved, but is reported today as not as well.—Hyannis Tribune.

Perry Yeast and son, Frank, were passengers, Tuesday afternoon, to Lincoln, from which place they will accompany Mrs. Yeast to the Presbyterian hospital, Omaha, where she is to undergo a surgical operation today.—Hyannis Tribune.

L. C. Mason came down from Alliance, Monday afternoon, went out to the ranch and visited with the family over night and then Tuesday went to Whitman where he is engaged in plastering the new Burlington depot.—Hyannis Tribune.

JONES-RATHBURN

When Mr. Thomas S. Jones came to Alliance to begin his work as director of the Alliance band, many interested parties were soon asking whether he would become a permanent resident of this city, and hoping that he would decide to do so. There is no longer any question about it. On Wednesday afternoon, April 5th, he and Miss Eunice Rathburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rathburn, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, in the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church in Alliance, Rev. Dr. J. L. B. Jones performing the marriage ceremony. The Herald extends heartiest congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. Jones has already made many friends in this city by his gentlemanly bearing and has shown his ability as a musician, and it gives us unfeigned pleasure to see him and his estimable companion start out upon the journey of married life. They begin housekeeping at once at South Alliance, where Mr. Jones had the house furnished before the wedding.

YEAGER TRIAL ENDED

The trial of C. C. Yeager for killing policeman John Johnson of Laramie, Wyo., June 11, 1910, ended a week ago last Saturday. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty in the second degree. The case will be appealed. C. C. Yeager is a son of S. C. Yeager, formerly of Alliance.

While no one is justified in taking human life, except in self defense or in defense of those dependent upon him, it seems that from what we can learn that the circumstances leading up to the killing of the policeman were most aggravating. Yeager had gone into business at Laramie, and was carrying a stock valued at \$1,500. He had been owing a debt of \$380. A few days before the occurrence that branded him as a murderer he paid \$200, leaving a balance of \$180. As a matter of spite work, so it is claimed, the \$1,500 stock was attached for the balance of \$180. Yeager resisted the execution of the attachment, and the policeman was called, and in the fracas that followed, was shot by Yeager. It is claimed by his friends that he would have been cleared at the trial had it not been for the prejudice against him on account of his being a new man and almost a stranger in the town.

HEMINGFORD

Mrs. Collins, a sister of Mrs. Ward, Mrs. B. E. Johnson and Tom McCandless of Lincoln came to nurse Tom, who has been sick the last two weeks.

Ira Bushnell, wife and baby came up from near Harrison to visit with relatives.

Mrs. Pete Swanson was an Alliance visitor from Friday until Monday.

K. F. Pierce and family rode to Alliance Saturday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Huske was trading in town Monday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Clayton of Canton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Cory.

Dr. Wallace, the dentist, was in town Tuesday until Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Pittman received a message from her sister that she was very low. She left on 42 Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Hughes died Monday night, the funeral services being held at the home. Wednesday morning the remains were laid to rest in the Hemingford cemetery.

Mrs. Collins had the misfortune of cutting her nose quite badly from a fall received Tuesday.

Agnes Moravak went to Alliance Saturday to visit Mrs. Frank Potmesil, returning home Sunday.

Dr. McEuen and Omar Scribner autoed to Gordon Tuesday night, the doctor receiving a message that his sister, Mrs. Kuhler, was very sick.

Vern Henderson, a cousin of Mrs. Herseltine, left for his home in the eastern part of the state.

Ruth Wiltsey from Crawford is visiting with her school friends at present.

Mrs. Frank Potmesil came up from Alliance Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Brittain for a couple of days.

Ralph Hopkins was in from the ranch near Dunlap Monday.

Omar Scribner and a number of others drove to Alliance Saturday evening, returning Sunday morning.

Chas. and Will Moravak were trading in town Saturday.

Lou Neeland spent Sunday with his parents in town.

MARSLAND NEWS

From Marland Tribune, April 14:
L. Snow made a business trip to Alliance Wednesday.

Harrison Horner went to Alliance on business Wednesday.

Ed. Wildy, cashier of the People's Bank of Hemingford, visited in this city Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Enyeart, of Alliance, were visitors at the Burt Furman home this week.

Geo. H. Young, the lumberman, spent a few hours last Sunday transacting business in Alliance.

Prof. G. M. Burns, a teacher in the public schools at Alliance, transacted business here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Burt Richardson of Alliance spent a couple of days the latter part of last week here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Richey.

Miss Helen Hughes, who has been attending school at Alliance, returned Wednesday for a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hughes south of the city.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

James H. House to Leander O. Longmaker and S. T. Rhode
NW 1/4 Sec 13, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of sec 13, SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec 14, NE 1/4 of Sec 23, NW 1/4 of Sec 24 Twp 26 R. 51 \$16000

Laclus W. Curtis to C. C. Smith
Lot 12, Block 1 South Alliance \$450

Harry Fishbaugh to James Potmesil and John Potmesil, Jr.
All of SE 1/4 of Sec 4, Twp 28 R. 47 \$1,000

F. C. Stuby to Church of Holy Rosary of Alliance, Nebr.
Lot 6, Block 1, Second Co. Add to Alliance, Nebr. \$10.00

George L. Taylor to School District No. 52
One acre in the southwest corner of Lot 4, Sec 7, Twp 28, R. 50 \$20

William H. Dacy to Simon Spry
SW 1/4 SEC 8 R. 48 \$2000

W. L. McNamara to Church of Holy Rosary of Alliance, Nebr.

Lot 11, Co. Add to Alliance, Nebr. and Lot 7, Block 1, Second Co. Add to Alliance, Nebr. \$10.00

R. A. Nance to George W. Hughes
SW 1/4 of Sec 35, Twp 27, R. 50 \$2720

Bradford L. Fenner to Orville Kidwell
Lot 1 and 2, Block 28, Hemingford, Nebr. \$2100

William James to Joseph H. Vaughan
Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8, Block 30, Alliance, Nebr. \$5700

Craige E. Barge to Jones-Jurgung
NE 1/4 Sec 23 Twp 26 R. 52 \$1,000

James C. Bennett to Arah L. Hungerford
Lots 1, 2, 3 & 4, & S 1/2 NE 1/4 and S 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 3 Twp 28 R. 51 \$5000

Frank Sherman McDuffie to Cecile N. Lyon.
SE 1/4 Sec 6 Twp 27 R. 51 \$2400

Cora M. Triplett to Charles Triplett
Lot 16, Block 9, Alliance, Nebr. \$1,000

Aquilla Triplett to Charles Triplett
Lot 16, Block 9, Alliance \$1,000

Mrs. Florence Hoffland to H. J. Ellis
Lot 4, Block 11, Wyoming Add. to Alliance \$3000

Olive C. Desch to Benjamin Swanson
Part of Lot 8, Block Y Sheridan Add. to Alliance \$1,000

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RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS

Engineer Parsons has been changed to the work at Hyannis.

Engineer Jacoby of the east end made two trips to Alliance this week.

George Young of Marland stopped over in Alliance Friday on his way to Omaha.

Conductor R. J. Burke is on passenger this week. He took out No. 44 Sunday.

Law Ponath, brother of conductor Ponath, is here for a few days visiting friends.

Mrs. Renswold went with Mrs. Burris and family on her sad mission to St. Joe last Friday.

Conductor Clyde Bullock and crew took the wrecker to Anselmo Sunday to pick up the four coaches of No. 48.

Two of the Alliance crews, J. S. Ward and U. N. Hoskins, spent nearly all of last week on the east end.

On Monday night No. 42 was 2 hours and 15 minutes late caused by the N. P. connections at Billings being late.

Brakeman R. E. McKenzie left Tuesday morning for a two week's vacation which he will spend in Lincoln.

All the helpers west have been pulled off excepting three at Crawford. The crews are now making Girard turn-arounds.

Express messenger Cole and family are planning to spend the summer in St. Joe. They will leave Alliance about May first.

Law Murphy, formerly an engineer here spent Wednesday in Alliance. He is on his way to Seneca where he has relatives.

There being no crews at Edgemont, conductor Pete Spurgeon of the high line brought a train to Girard Wednesday morning.

Mr. Emery Cornue of the Master Mechanic's office is going to build a modern five room bungalow on Emerson Ave. Work has already been begun on the foundation.

Mrs. Charles Wetherell is entertaining her friend Mrs. F. A. Noah of Lincoln. Mrs. Noah was formerly an Alliance girl, Miss Fay Young. She will spend about a month here.

Mr. Leslie Upton, now of Salt Lake City, has been in Alliance several days visiting old time friends. He is at the Crilly home. He reports H. C. Hallway and wife well and prosperous in their home there.

In the death of E. B. Burris, machine shop foreman, the shop men all feel that they have indeed lost a friend. This was shown by the large number of men who attended his funeral. He came here about four years ago and has filled his position in a very able manner. He understood his men and made friends with them.

At 7:55 a. m. Sunday No. 43 passed over a broken rail just east of Anselmo. Engineer Fitzpatrick was running only about thirty-five miles an hour. The last four coaches, a chair car, tourist, dining car and Pullman sleeper, were derailed. The accident occurred in a cut so the coaches were not turned completely over. The dining car left her trucks and lay on her side. Though the train carried a large number of passengers no one was hurt. No. 42 and two freight trains had passed over this same rail in less than an hour preceding the accident.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY.

FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. CHENEY & CO., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENEY, sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 15th day of December, A. D. 1910.

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KICKED BY A MAD HORSE

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EXHIBITS FOR STATE FAIR AND OMAHA LAND SHOW

W. R. Mellor, secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, sent the following letter last month to county commissioners and county supervisors of Nebraska, a copy of which was furnished The Herald by Geo. Douglas:

Feeling the necessity for additional publicity of the merits of your county as a desirable location for the thousands of homeseekers searching for an abiding place, we suggest that your County Board give every possible aid and assistance to qualified persons, to be appointed or recognized by your body, in the preparation of a Collective Exhibit of Agricultural products from your county for the purpose of making an exhibit of the same at the Nebraska State Fair, Lincoln, September 4 to 8, and the Omaha Land Show, October 16 to 28, or other land shows following.

Nebraska excels in agriculture and this industry is the basic principle for our future growth and prosperity, therefore we wish the hearty cooperation of each county in the State, in giving material assistance toward a supreme effort to direct attention to Nebraska opportunities. Will you assist in this great work by extending reasonable assistance to those who can creditably represent you?

Believing that you will, I remain, Yours truly,

W. R. MELLOR, Secretary.

VICTIM OF PRACTICAL JOKE

Editor E. R. Purcell of the Broken Bow Chief was made the victim of a practical joke one night recently, when he had an exciting experience with a supposed coal thief, which he will probably not forget soon. For some time Mr. Purcell had missed large quantities of coal from a bin adjoining his garage, and try as he would he was unable to stop the leakage or locate the thief. Finally he put an additional timber on the coal receptacle and double locked it with the best hardware he could find. He then informed his wife and mother-in-law if he so much as heard a suspicious sound coming from the vicinity of the garage during the night there would be trouble for some one. Then there came a night when the editor was awakened by a sound resembling that of shoveling coal. Hastily throwing on a bath robe he went to the back porch to listen. Some one was evidently getting away with the coal, and furthermore did not take the trouble to stop operations when the editor's voice broke the stillness. He distinctly announced to the darkness that he was well acquainted with the person using the shovel and in about five seconds there would be all kinds of things happening. As he stepped backward on the porch the editor stumbled and fell over a taut cord. Following this clue he found that one end of the cord entered the kitchen window and the other end was attached to a metal, swinging bucket in the garage, half filled with old nails. Every time the cord was pulled the bucket naturally bumped itself against the wall and rattled the nails. Up to the present time Mr. Purcell says he has failed to discover which of the ladies of his household was pulling that string. The coal thief is still at large.

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