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The Hemingford Journal celebrated St. Patrick's day by printing its last week's issue on green paper. By the way, the Journal has been enlarged and otherwise improved recently.

It seems that our good friend Casper of the Northport Herald is content to let well enough alone for the present. He had announced that he would move his paper to Bridgeport the first of this month and change the name to the Bridgeport Herald, but he still remains on the north side of the river. By remaining where he is he has a cinch on all the final proof notices tributary to the two towns from the north side, which at present are twice as many as those from the south side.

People, villages and small cities some times get the idea that a growing town cannot become truly "metropolitan" until it has adopted a wide open policy. Investigation would prove to them, however, that some of the best cities have a more strict censorship and supervision of public resorts and places of amusements than obtains in many second-class cities. In the letter of A. T. Luna, published in last issue of The Herald, he gives a glowing description of Baltimore, including its public parks and places of recreation and amusement, but adds incidentally that the moving picture shows of the city are closed on Sunday. And Baltimore is some city, too.

All loyal Nebraskans are pleased with the prosperity of Omaha, the metropolis of the state, and Lincoln, the capital. A statement just issued, giving the number of building permits issued in February and the estimated cost of construction, in about eighty of the leading cities of the United States, makes a splendid showing for the two Nebraska cities. As compared with February of last year, the estimated cost of new buildings for which permits were issued, shows an increase in Omaha of 71 per cent, and 178 per cent for Lincoln. Kansas City and Denver both showed a decrease as compared with February of last year, the decrease of the former being 50 per cent, and of the latter 52 per cent.

By common consent the editor of a newspaper is commended for the things published that are agreeable to its readers and blamed for anything and everything that may be displeasing. As a matter of fact, while the editor shapes the policy of the paper in regard to politics and issues in general, he performs only a small part of the work necessary in the publication of such a periodical as The Herald. Persons who read "Bunch of Bouquets" on first page of this issue will observe that the bouquets are thrown at the editor mostly, but the editor feels that in justice to the other members of the force they should be passed on to others, especially to the city editor, who as business manager planned most of the features of the special edition.

Our esteemed democratic contemporary, The Rushville Standard, is opposed to the election of postmasters, claiming that it is a scheme of republican politicians to hold the offices that rightfully belong to democrats. The Standard editor says that for fifty years it has been the policy of the republican party to out-pace the republican in office, that had Taft or Roosevelt been elected president the question would not have been born, and that it is a poor time now to make the change. All of which contains a lot of political truth, but at the same time we should bear in mind that the country expects far more of the Wilson administration in progressive measures than it would have expected of Taft or Roosevelt, had either of them been elected instead of Wilson. In the settlement of this question the rights of those who have fought the battles of progressive democracy should be considered and the progressive steps should be taken as will comport with the spirit of progress that has brought about the democratic victory last fall.

## The Next Big Edition

The Herald will print another monster edition in June for the Stockmen's Convention and the Firemen's Tournament. Preparations have already been begun for making this the best paper of its kind ever gotten out in western Nebraska. A number of contributed articles will be published and special departments will make it very interesting.

Frank McClung, of Bridgeport, was in Alliance Tuesday.

Mollie D. Chesnut returned to her home in Torrington last week.

Walter I. McGowan, of foot racing fame, who now makes New York City his headquarters, spent several days in Alliance the first of the week.



Lloyd's Column

One of Alliance's young business men who enjoys a joke occasionally, dropped into Mounts' barber shop yesterday morning and settled himself in one of the chairs for a shave—we believe it was Dr. Bates Copeland's chair. Said the business man to Bates: "There have been a lot of Hemingford men in Alliance the last day or two. What are they here for?" Said Bates, "They are down here to contest the federal building appropriation of \$75,000." "What," said the business man, "are those ding-donged, blankety-blank people after now. Do they want the federal building themselves?" He followed this line of talk for a minute or two until he saw the smiles on the faces of his listeners and it dawned on him that they were joking with him.

One of the busiest men on the Burlington has been Chief Dispatcher A. V. Gavin, who has been on the job during the storm the largest part of each day and night. Upon his shoulders fell the job of handling the rescue trains, routing delayed trains, etc. Mr. Gavin certainly came through this tie-up with flying colors and a fine record to his credit.

It is evident to the publishers of The Herald that the regular editions of the paper must be enlarged. With our present force of reporters and correspondents, and the splendid co-operation of the readers of the paper in securing news, together with the large advertising patronage, it is impossible to crowd into eight pages anywhere near all that we wish to publish. We believe that one large, well-filled local newspaper once a week is much better than two skimpy papers.

A small boy came from school to a certain home in Alliance the other day looking very dejected and forlorn. "What's the matter, my son?" said his father. "Oh," said the small boy, with tears in his eyes, "I gave the wrong answer in school today, got whipped, and had to stay after school." "Why, how is that?" asked his father. Said the boy, "I asked you last night how much a million dollars was. You said, 'A hell of a lot.' That wasn't the right answer 'tall. Boo, hoo."

## Easter Church Notices

It is necessary to condense our church announcements this week. Unless otherwise noted below, special announcements have not been handed in for publication.

FIRST M. E.—Special services at the Methodist church Easter Sunday, 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor, theme, "The Resurrection of the Body." Following the sermon will be a baptismal service and reception of members into the church. 3 p. m., special service for the children. Parents desiring to have their babies baptized, please have them present at this hour. 7:30 p. m., an Easter cantata will be rendered by a large chorus class, who have long been making special preparation, under the efficient leadership of Mr. A. J. Welch, and a most excellent musical program will be given. All the services will begin promptly on time, and the public cordially welcomed to all services.

ST. MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL—Holy Communion, 6, 7 and 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. Te Deum, Dudley Buck; Jubilate Deo, Dudley Buck; anthem, "O Zion, that Bringeth Good Tidings." Read; organist, Mrs. Bennett; soloists, Misses Hoag, Kridelbaugh, Broome, Skyles, Burnett; violins, Miss Ware, Mr. Miller; slide trombone, Mr. Cunningham.

OTHER CHURCHES HOLDING SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY—Holy Rosary Catholic, First Presbyterian, United Presbyterian, Baptist, Christian, Immanuel Ev. German Lutheran.

## EASTER AT FAIRVIEW

There will be an Easter program at Fairview church, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A cordial invitation to all.

Mrs. J. G. Beck entertained Tuesday afternoon of last week at her home for her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Beck Connors, of Lexington, Nebraska. A four-course luncheon was served at 1:30 and a Kensington followed. The house was beautified with Easter decorations and yellow daffodils. Those there were Mesdames Thos. Beeson, Jerry Rowan, C. O. Davenport, Emery Cornu, W. W. Johnson, Claude Lester, W. A. Bennett, W. H. Zehring, R. E. Lester and J. G. Beck.

Mrs. F. M. Phelps and Mrs. Geo. Gaddis entertained Monday for Mrs. M. E. Bernhardt and Mrs. Hazel Beck Connors at the home of Mrs. Phelps. A four-course luncheon was served at 2:30 and a Kensington followed. The home was beautifully decorated with figures of St. Patrick and the place cards were hand painted by Mrs. Phelps. They were highly prized as souvenirs. The guests were Mesdames Rowan, Beeson, Davenport, Cornu, Johnson, Bennett, Zehring, Fate, Lester, Beck, Bernhardt, Connors and Miss Mabel Young.

Services will be held next Sunday for the first time in the new St. Matthew's Episcopal church, at the hours named in The Herald's church announcements this week. E. V. Doyle who has had charge of the carpenter work says that it will be practically completed this week. The new church is one of Alliance's finest public buildings. It has a seating capacity rather more than double that of the old church. All seats will be free. The cathedral glass windows are exceptionally fine and the building is very beautiful, both inside and out. It is planned to install a new pipe organ some time in the future.

The order of the Eastern Star initiated three new members and held a big session Tuesday evening. There were seventy-five members present and five visiting members. The candidates initiated were Misses Laura Mounts and Blanche McDonald and Rev. O. S. Baker. Each of the candidates was presented with a bouquet made up of the five colors of the emblem. The reception and banquet rooms were beautifully decorated with the colors of the order. After the initiation ceremonies were completed all gathered around the banquet board and a very elaborate feast was served. Mrs. M. E. Grebe and Mr. Geo. Gadsby were at the head of the entertainment committee and they filled their part very satisfactorily. After the banquet, toasts were responded to, and speeches, interspersed with music, entertained everyone until a late hour.

Mrs. Bruce Wilcox will entertain twenty-eight guests at cards this afternoon at the beautiful Wilcox home.

Mrs. Dr. Bellwood entertained the ladies of the P. E. O. at a six o'clock dinner at the Bellwood home on Laramie avenue. The decorations were of yellow and white, the P. E. O. colors. The color scheme was carried out in the refreshments. The flower decorations were daffodils and tulips. A delicious five course dinner was served. After the dinner Dr. Bellwood entertained the guests at a theatre party at the Opera House. Mrs. Bellwood is a member of the P. E. O. at Long Beach, Cal. The guests were Mesdames Andrews, Tully, Harris, Weidenhamer, Lewis, McClell, Cotant, Cogswell, Frankle, and Misses Alexander, Kridelbaugh and Fickell.

## FAREWELL RECEPTION

Many People Assemble at M. E. Church in Honor of Friends Who Will Leave Soon

## A GOOD PROGRAM RENDERED

Alliance is soon to lose some of her most highly respected people, R. C. and Miss Mabel Young, and Mrs. M. E. Bernhardt and son and daughter, Webster and Anna. In their honor a public reception was held in the M. E. church last evening, attended by a large number of people. An interesting program was rendered, followed by hand shaking and refreshments. Following is the program: Music by orchestra. Talk by representative of Epworth League, Chas. Lamson. Piano duet, Beatrice Pate and Dorothy Smith. Talk, Girls' Four Square Club, Grace Johnston. Vocal solo, Cecil Smith. Talk, Ladies' Aid Society, Mrs. James Gaddis. Violin solo, Paul Thomas. Talk, Sunday school, Supt. W. R. Pate. Music by orchestra. Talk, Boys' Bible Club, Chas. Spacht. Vocal solo, Eva Duncan. Talk, W. C. T. U., paper (poem) written by Mrs. J. J. Vance and read by Mrs. Wm. Bignell. Music by orchestra. Talk, the church, Rev. O. S. Baker. Music by orchestra.

The program was received with applause, some of the members being encored. The paper read by Mrs. Bignell will be published in the next issue of The Herald, as will, also, something further regarding the plans of those about to remove. They will not leave Alliance for a few weeks yet.

## BAZAAR WILL COMMENCE

The bazaar to be given for the benefit of St. Joseph's Hospital will commence next Monday noon with dinner on the cafeteria plan, at the Opera House. Supper will be served from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. The first dance will be given Monday evening.

A big sale of fancy articles will be held.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

# YES SIR!

"A cow that gives two quarts of milk and refrains from putting her foot in it, is far more valuable than one that gives ten quarts and then kicks it over."

And it's the same way with clothes, most any suit or overcoat looks well when you buy it, but the thing that is most important to you is how it looks after you've worn it several months.

Let us prove to you, that the giving of such strict attention to many little details in the making of our garments assures the wearer longer service and better appearance. Quite a few men don't care and don't notice the difference but perhaps YOU are one of the many who do. If so, you are just the man who will appreciate the extra painstaking tailoring in our garments.

Some men have the mistaken impression that, because we sell such good clothes, our prices are high. Nothing will surprise you more than to make a comparison between our goods and prices with those elsewhere.

Call and see our new Spring Styles and you'll please yourself and the

## "THE RIGHT"

Roy Beckwith, Prop.  
THE QUALITY CLOTHIER

# EASTER SALE MILLINERY

Including all Tailored and Trimmed Hats just received

\$8.00, \$7.50 Hats for	\$7.00, \$6.50, \$6.00 Hats for	\$5.50, \$5.00, \$4.75 Hats for	\$4.50, \$4.00, \$3.50 Hats for	Children's Trimmed Hats
<b>\$5.98</b>	<b>\$4.98</b>	<b>\$3.98</b>	<b>\$2.98</b>	<b>\$1.98</b>

—SALE CONTINUES BALANCE OF WEEK—

\$3.00 W. B. CORSETS	<b>\$2.49</b>	75c Ladies' Union Suits	<b>59c</b>
2.50 Models	<b>1.98</b>	40c Ladies' Union Suits	<b>29c</b>
2.00 Models	<b>1.49</b>	Stay-on Vests	<b>10c, 12½c, 18c</b>
Nos. 1351-52-53 Special	<b>1.00</b>	Muslin Underwear and Ladies' and Children's Hosiery at reduced prices	
Brassieres	<b>50c, 65c, 75c, \$1.00</b>		

# M. Regan Opera House Block

## IMPROVES FLY TRAP

W. J. Hamilton has made quite an improvement in his triple fly trap. The traps which he will put out during the coming season will be made entirely of metal, instead of wood and metal. This construction makes them more durable and perfectly sanitary, and no more expensive than when made partly of wood. He is making arrangements now to have the metal traps manufactured in large quantities for this year's trade.

## CHILD DIES DURING BLIZZARD

The two-year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Essex, who live thirty miles southeast of Alliance, near Orlando, died last Thursday morning at ten o'clock. The blizzard started the same day and it was impossible for them to get to Alliance until Saturday. The body was shipped Sunday evening on 44 to Chariton, Iowa, accompanied by both the mother and

father. Mrs. Crane, the nurse, attended the baby before its death, and was present with the family when it died. Death was caused by stomach trouble. Forest Everett Essex was a little more than two years old when death came.

## SHIPPING SPUDS TO KANSAS

Anton Uhrig of Hemingford was in Alliance yesterday, enroute to southern Kansas with two car loads of potatoes. He came down from Hemingford on the local Tuesday evening and changed here to a through freight. He is one of the many Box Butte county farmers who have made good money growing spuds the past year.

## JOHNNY BOYLE DEAD

Western Nebraska stockmen were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Johnny Boyle, one of the

most popular stockmen in this end of the state, who made his home at Mitchell. He was on his way to Denver in an auto with some other gentlemen, and died without warning from heart disease. Mr. Boyle was well acquainted in Alliance.

## ATTENDS FATHER'S FUNERAL

Miss Nina Boyesen received a telegram last Wednesday informing her of the death of her father, at Council Bluffs, Iowa. She left on 42 that night for the east to attend the funeral. Death is supposed to have come suddenly to Mr. Boyesen, as his daughter had received no previous information of his illness. Miss Boyesen is expected back tomorrow or Saturday. Miss Ogden has charge of the New York Hat Shop in her absence.

D. J. Sinclair went to the eastern part of the state on business for Orkin Brothers yesterday.