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## WANT STORY

with Attempt Made by The Times to Be Sensational

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons called at The Herald office and asked for a county court house will be resumed correction of the misstatements Monday morning with a full force of made in The Times in regard to the workmen-in fact, some work is beattempt to swindle them made by James King and his wife. These people claimed to be from Tacoma, missioners, Mr. Campbell, Mr. Mcwhich they tried to pass was drawn pany, and Mr. Bowden, representing on a Tacoma bank.

wanted to buy the stock of goods tion of the building. but Mr. and Mrs. Simmons would not accept his offer until they saw the money. In the absence of Mrs. Campbell, but promised to see that King and his wife purchased some necessary next June to give an exless draft in payment. Mr. Simmons done. refused it, but let them take the goods to the hotel upon King's state of Mr. Matthews, has decided to ment that he had money coming by take up the work at once and push mail with which he would pay. The it through to completion as fast as next morning Mr. Simmons went to can be done with safety. He will the Drake Hotel and, the man not be represented on the job by Mr. Fulhaving the money, secured all the ler, who was superintendent for Mr goods, taking them back to the store. Matthews, and Mr. Mason, of Grand and losing nothing by the transac-

ly displeased with the way The of materials, etc. Times tries to be sensational and requests The Herald to ask the publiebers to fill up its columns with something true. We comply with their request but have no hope that The Times people will do so.

SPEND HOLIDAYS IN IOWA

Mrs. A. E. Cable came in from the ranch yesterday noon to remain in the city over Sunday with her husband who is the genial head salesman at the Horace Bogue store. Mrs. Cable will leave Monday or Tuesday for Lake City, Ia., where her parents reside, and will spend the holiday season visiting in the Hawkeye state.

will give a party and dance at their he came over last week. place, ten or twelve miles southeast Supper will be served. A pleasant time is anticipated.

#### BRING ENGINE FOR REPAIRS

E. B. Homan and Harry Harbottle, two of Alliance's popular railroad and seems contented. boys who have been running the pusher on Marsland hill, are in the city today. They brought in a locomotive ago, was engaged in making chairs. for repairs last night.

#### REAR ADMIRAL WHOSE SHIPS ARE NAVY'S BEST.



Rear Admiral Cameron McR. Wins-

### **WORK BEGINS AGAIN MONDAY**

Mrs. Simmons Displeased Campbell, of Grand Junction, Backer of Matthews, Will Resume Court House Building

Construction on the Box Butte ing done today. After a conference Wednesday between th county com-Washington. The worthless draft Geery, representing the bonding comthe architect, Mr. Campbell decided The Simmons store was not closed to take up the work where Mr. Matlast Saturday or any other day. King thews left off and finish construc-

The commissioners decided not to grant the 90 days asked for by Mr. Simmons, on account of being ill, he was given a square deal and if goods for her, offering the worth- tension of time it would probably be

Mr. Campbell, who was the backer Junction. One of these men will have charge of the construction and Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were great- the other will attend to purchasing

## FROM ALLIANCE

W. Curtis, Night Marshal, As sisted Sheriff Cox in Taking Prisoners to Pen

On Thursday, December 4, Sheriff Cal Cox and Night Marshal L. W. Curtis took three prisoners to the DANCE AT GEORGE WORKMAN'S Nebraska penitentiary. These were the men who plead guilty and were Mr. and Mrs. George Workman sentenced by Judge Westover when

At the penitentiary Curtis saw of Alliance, Saturday evening, Dec. Stanley Naylor, who was engaged in painting a building inside the walls. Stanley is a cartoonist and since going to the pen has painted dozens of pictures which are displayed all through the buildings. Curtis says that Stanley has a nicely fixed room

> One-eyed Simpson, who plead guilty to stealing horses a couple months Griffith, who was sent up from

> Morrill county, and who was formerly a resident of Alliance, is a trusty. Archie Edwards, who murdered his wife and shot Jordan, the negro policeman, in Alliance, two months ago, is now building chairs. He had to be sent to the hospital for two weeks after reaching the penitentiary to get the "dope" out of his

On his return Curtis stopped over at Fairbury, Nebr., and visited his twin brother who is a doctor there.

system.

#### WILL WINTER IN THE SOUTH

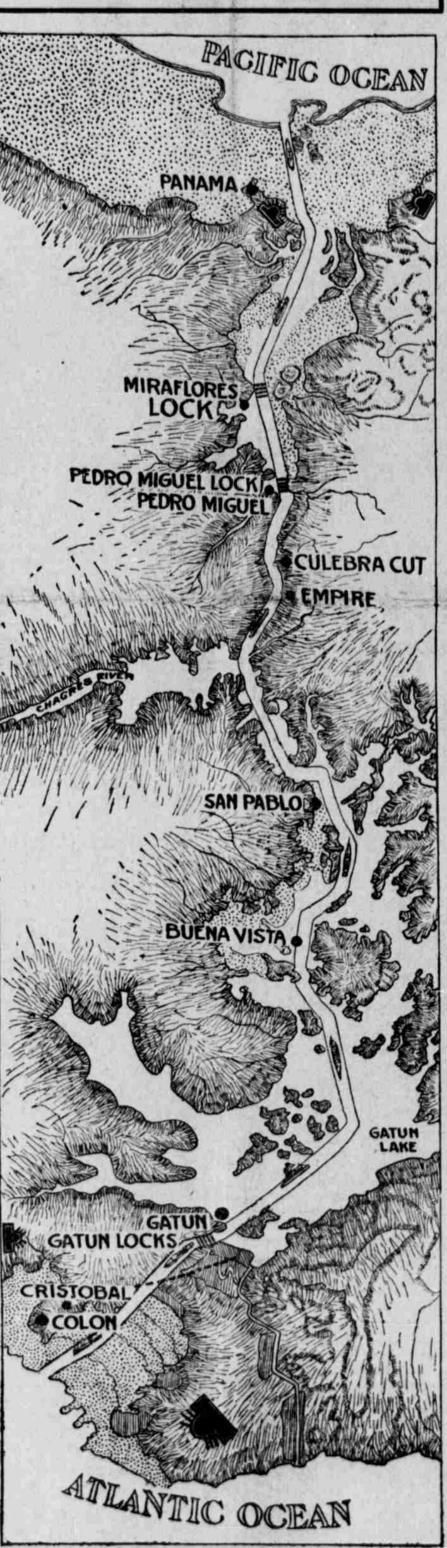
"Billy" Hill leaves in a day or two for Ohio where he will spend the holidays with the old home folks, after which he will go south for the balance of the winter. He will visit the Isle of Pines and Cuba, returning when the balmy breezes blow next spring.

#### UNGER'S BIRTHDAY PARTY

The birthday party at Louis Unger's, southeast of Alliance, came off last night as previously announced in The Herald. There was a large attendance. Cards, dominoes and other games were played during the evlow is commander of the first division ening, followed by a dance which of the Atlantic fleet, his flagship being lasted until the wee small hours of the great Arkansas, which, with his the morning. A big feed which all

## The Panama Canal

Birdseye View Showing Route of the Great Waterway Now Nearing Completion



his sisters for a week.

Andie Kusic and wife went to O- Y. M. B. C. meeting tonight in other super-Dreadnoughts, forms the enjoyed was a part of the entertain- conto this morning for a visit with the club rooms. Be sure to attend. Important business matters.

### REBELS ATTACK COAST CITY

Wednesday Continues with Unabated Vigor

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 11.-The attack of the rebels, commanded by Generals Villeral and Castro, which The boys are all deeply interested commenced at eleven o'clock Wed- in the coming annual convention of nesday morning, still continues on the state association at Columbus. Tampico. They have been steadily The following delegates and alterngaining ground from the start on the ates were elected at the meeting: federal garrison.

ready has wrought terrific damage. liker, Frank Hart, alternate.

All foreigners have left the city and are refugees on the American, German and British warships in Tau- are membrs of the state association, pico harbor.

#### LOCAL BOARD NEBRASKA C. H. F. SOCIETY ORGANIZED

Miss Rankin, District Worker, Spent Sunday in Alliance and Organized Local Board

Miss Louise Rankin, district worker of the Nebraska Children's Home Finding Society, spent last week in our city looking after the interest of the society. Miss Rankin organized a local advisory board of the following persons who will took after the interest of the society in and around Alliance: President Mrs. Alice P Bignell; vice president, Mrs. E. I. Gregg; secretary, Miss Mabel Young; treasurer, J. N. Johnston; assisted by Mrs. G. G. Ware and H. U. Carpenter.

ren or helping financially will com- thing of the prowess of our boys at municate with members of the Alli- basket ball. The Kimball team is ance local board. The board will composed of a lot of husky fellows investigate and report to the society who have been doing some good any case of neglected or orphan playing. It is generally expected children needing homes.

Trusting the friends of homeless children will remember the unfortunate children of Nebraska, during The game is announced to begin these weeks of good cheer and will at eight o'clock sharp, so those who call upon our locks treasurer, Mr. want to see it had better be on Johnston, leaving with him a liberal time. Admission 25 cents, or by contribution to help us make glad season tickets, the hearts of these little ones.

who said: "In as much as ye did it and Schufer, forwards; Spacht and unto one of these my brethren, ev- Graham, guards. en these least, ye did it unto me.

## CHAS. LOTSPEICH PASSES AWAY

Sufferings End in Death at Early Hour Today, at the Family Residence in Alliance

Another of Box Butte county's highly esteemed citizens has passed to the great beyond. At dawn this morning, about 6:30 o'clock, the sufferings of Chas. M. Lotspeich ended in death. He had been ailing about a month prior to his death, and seriously ili the last two weeks. His all ment was neurasthenia, commonly known as a nervous breakdown, due probably to overwork. He suffered much during his iliness and was delirious a large part of the last ten days.

The funeral will not be held until Saturday, on account of waiting for the arrival of a brother from Missouri, who cannot reach Alliance before that day. The funeral will be conducted from the house by Rev. Normal G. Palmer of Hemingford, the family pastor. The hour of the service will be announced later thru The Herald.

## **COMING SOON**

at Eleven O'clock Firemen Made Fine Profit from Annual Thanksgiving Ball-Convention Delegates

> The largest meeting of the fire deheld last evening at the club rooms. Delegate for Company No. 1, Geo.

The city was attacked from three Nation, P. Rolfson, alternate. Co. No. different quarters and a heavy artil- 2, B. Rowland, A. Renswold, alternlery fire from the rebel batteries al- ate. Hook and ladder Dwight Zed-

In addition to the three delegates above elected, the old delegates, who and who will go, are P. E. Romig, Lloyd C. Phomas, Harold Snyder, Carl Spacht, Leonard Pilkington, F. D. McCormick, E. G. Laing, George Snyder, J. W. Guthrie, and W. S. Ridgell who is now state fire commissioner.

The secretary was instructed to take steps to arrange for a Pullman car, to be shared with members of other western Nebraska departments, as in former years.

### A FAST GAME OF **BASKET BALL EXPECTED**

Alliance High School vs. Kimball H: Friday Night

Alliance lovers of basket ball will be treated to a game Friday evening that promises to be "fast and fur-Those considering adopting child lous" Herald readers know somethat the game tomorrow evening will be one of the best of the seas-

Following is the lineup of the Al-Remembering it was the Master liance team: Darnell, center; Beach

HOUSEWARMING PARTY

The ladies of the Christian church are going to give a housewarming party at the new church building on Friday evening. All friends of the church are invited to attend.

> REAR ADMIRAL BEATTY. OF FOURTH DIVISION.



Rear Admira) Frank E. Beatty is commander of the fourth division o the Atlantic fleet, his flagship being the battleship Connecticut.