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### CAN THEY CAPTURE VILLA?

Now that Peneho Villa has retreated to his mountain haunts, where for many years, while operating as a bandit, he defied the authorities of Mexico, can the United States troops find and capture him? That they will take him, dead or alive, if they find him is a foregone conclusion, but the finding him is the big job.

It is believed in this country that the detachment of the United States army will prove to be much more efficient, even in the wilds of Mexico, than the soldiers of that country. Not only are the American soldiers better trained and better armed and equipped, but they will have the assistance of the squadron of aviators for scouting, something that the Mexicans never dreamed of in their efforts to capture the bandit Villa in the mountains.

### OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR BRYAN

Every citizen of western Nebraska who can possibly do so ought to take advantage of the opportunity that will soon be given the people of this part of the state to hear W. J. Bryan, regardless of party affiliation or whether they endorse his position on public issues or not. There are two sides to every question. No doubt many people already have their minds made up, thru prejudice, either favorable or unfavorable to Mr. Bryan, but it is wiser to form one's opinions by the exercise of reason, after obtaining all the facts possible bearing on the issues. Prejudice is a poor guide.

Without either endorsing or condemning, in advance of his address, what he may say here, The Herald wishes to remind its readers that he is a well posted man and able speaker, his sincerity few if any will deny, and it is more than probable that every intelligent, fair minded person can derive more benefit from hearing his discussion of the vital issues of the present day than can be obtained by listening to the spoutings of the average curbstone politician.

### THREE CENTS PER POUND FOR STEER

Three cents per pound, less expenses amounting to \$5.99, is what a Wyoming ranchman recently received for a steer sold on the South Omaha market, that is, he recently received the pay, but the steer was sold nearly twenty-two years ago. Here is the incident as related in Clay, Robinson & Co.'s Live Stock Report:

After nearly twenty-two years, Con Sheehan, a ranchman on the Sweetwater, has received \$29.89 in payment for a steer which was marketed at Chicago in 1894. The money was transmitted by the Wyoming Stock Growers' Association, which has been holding it since September, 1894, when its inspector at Chicago discovered a steer branded with a cross curb C in a shipment made by J. M. Carey & Bro., from Casper. Not until recently was it established that the cross curb C cattle were owned by Sheehan Bros., a firm of which Con Sheehan is the surviving member.

The delivery of the money recalls that twenty-two years ago Wyoming beef was bringing only 3 cents on the Chicago market, which was the best market to which Wyoming stockmen could ship at that time. The Sheehan steer weighed 1,196 pounds and brought \$35.88. The difference between the selling price and the price which Sheehan received after twenty-two years was deducted for expenses of inspection and discovery.



### JUDGE JAMES R. DEAN

(Former Judge of Supreme Court)  
 BROKEN BOW

### Candidate for Judge of Supreme Court

Custer County Chief: Judge Dean was appointed judge of the supreme court by Governor Sheldon in 1909. He made a splendid record on the supreme bench.

His decisions and written opinions disclose a high order of merit. Not many judges or lawyers are better or more favorably known in Nebraska, where he has lived 25 years. He is in life's prime.

Ask about Judge Dean, his record and his standing as man, citizen, lawyer and judge and you will include his name among those for whom you vote for supreme judge. His Election Will Be No Experiment. Pass the word to your friends.

### ELABORATE AFFAIR FOR MISS SHAW

A hosiery shower in honor of Miss Margaret Shaw, the first of a number of brilliant affairs to be given in honor of Miss Shaw, was given by Mrs. William Mitchell on Monday evening last. Assisting the hostess were Mrs. C. L. Drake, Mrs. William Shaw and Mrs. W. L. Barnett. Besides the honored one, the guest list included Miss Clara Abtten of New York, Miss Doris Young, and Mesdames L. L. Smith, W. G. Niemann, J. B. Shaw, J. A. Armour, C. E. Hershman, Roy Beckwith, Robert Reddish, W. T. Schlupp, R. E. Knight, F. E. Holsten and Chase Franks. Besides the pleasant social hours, the hostess presided at a five course dinner.

### THE SUPERINTENDENT OF BRIDGEPORT SCHOOLS WEDS

The marriage of Clinton A. Sheets, of Bridgeport, and Miss Nellie C. Hanna of Bayard, occurred Saturday, March 18. The Rev. Young officiating. Mr. Sheets is principal of the Bridgeport schools, and no doubt made up his mind that he needed a help-mate in his work, and will find an efficient helper, as Mrs. Hanna was formerly a teacher in the Bayard schools. The happy couple will undoubtedly make their home for the present at Bridgeport.

### A FORMER ALLIANCE POPULAR LADY MARRIES

The news has just been received of the marriage of Mrs. Emma Brown, who was formerly employed at the Bogue dry goods store in Alliance, and who left here early in February for Colorado. The ceremony took place February 20 at Lafayette, Colo. The groom's name is also Mr. Brown. We understand that they are to make their future place of residence at Lafayette. Mrs. Brown had a wide circle of friends here and all join in wishing her every joy in her married life. She is capable of filling any place in which she may be needed, and her husband will find in her an ideal helpmate.

M. C. Beaumont of Hemingford, father of Mrs. D. W. Kennor of Alliance, was called to Port Angeles, Wash., Monday night by a telegram announcing the death of his brother, Elliott. Mr. Beaumont left on 41 Tuesday morning, expecting to arrive at Port Angeles today. The funeral is to be held Sunday.

Phil Ziemer of O'Neill, Nebraska, is assisting The Herald this week in distributing copies of the special edition containing maps and information regarding the government land drawing in the North Platte valley and the big land auction at Alliance.

# WANT AD DEPT

**WANTED—AGENTS**  
 WANTED—Young men from eighteen to twenty years of age wanted to solicit business for a local company with a proposition that will make good money. Address Box 6620, care Alliance Herald, "giving full particulars."  
 12-1f-6620

**WANTED**  
 WORK WANTED by competent, able-bodied man. Will clean lawns, run errands and do any work.  
 Wm. C. Garland, Phone 340.  
 14-1f-6715

**LOST AND FOUND**  
 LOST—Locket and Chain. Monogram V. C. D. Return to Herald office.  
 15-2f-6734

LOST—A breast pin made from a twenty-five cent piece with the word "Athey" engraved on the back. Reward for return to Alliance Cafe.  
 15-2f-6751

LOST—In front of Silver Cash Store, a purse containing \$30. Finder if honest please return to 509 W. 2nd street and receive reward.

**FOR RENT**  
**FURNISHED APARTMENT FOR RENT**—At 203 Box Butte Avenue. Modern. Inquire of Watson & Watson. Phone 100.  
 16-1f-6796

FOR RENT—Two desirable office rooms in the Reddish Block. Phone 168.  
 15-4f-6726

BARN FOR RENT—Handy location, 408 Sweetwater Avenue. John W. Thomas, phone 175.  
 15-1f

**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE—Good, paying butcher shop. Good location and steady business at good prices. Address Box 6406, care Alliance Herald.  
 9-1f-6406

FOR SALE—Sudan Grass Seed. Inquire of Victor Shuler, at the Shuler Studio.

**STORE FOR SALE**  
 Good business; town small but growing; in a prosperous agricultural and stock raising country. Only a cash deal considered. **DOVE & CO.**  
 14-4f-6677 Angola, Nebr.

My 6,000 acre ranch for sale or lease. C. J. Wildy, Hemingford.  
 15-3f-6738

**FOR SALE**  
 The best business in Alliance, Nebraska. On account of poor health, owner must sell the Atlas rooming house of 47 rooms at a sacrifice price. Building rent is low.  
 E. T. KIBBLE, Alliance, Nebr.  
 16-1f-6778

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**BIDS WANTED**—The two-story frame residence building at the northeast corner of Fifth street and Niobrara avenue is for sale. Bids will be received up to Tuesday, April 4th. Odd Fellow Building Association. H. H. Brandt, T. M. Lawler, T. G. Waddell, Committee.

**MONEY TO LOAN** on real estate. Apply to H. M. Bullock, Room 4 Reddish Block, Alliance.  
 6-1f-6307

**RECORD FOR TRAINMEN**  
 Railroad men can secure a very useful book at The Herald office. It is a fully time book for trainmen and engineers. The price is reasonable.  
 1-1f-6728

**MOVE FURNITURE SAFELY**  
 We have equipped our dray with the latest appliances for moving furniture without marring or scratching or damage. Up-to-date wagon pads will be used by us on all moving jobs.  
**JOHN R. SNYDER**, Phone 15.  
 37-1f-5950

**MONEY TO LOAN**—On Box Butte county land and ranches in the sand hills. No delay in making the loan. We inspect our lands and furnish the money at once. J. C. McCorkle, McCorkle Building, Alliance, Nebr.  
 1-1f-6554

**BIDS WANTED**  
 Bids will be received on Traction Engine. Engine must be suitable for plowing and road grading. Bids close at 8 o'clock p. m. March 27, 1916. The City reserves the right to reject any or all Bids.  
**CARTER CALDER**, City Clerk.  
 15-2f-6746

Money to loan on real estate. **F. E. REDDISP**  
**WANTED TO BORROW**—Small amount of money on Alliance real estate. Inquire of R. at Herald office.  
 16-1f-6793

Space suitable for office or small business for rent at the Flower store.  
**E. W. RAY**.

**NOTICE**  
 I hereby give notice that Mrs. Margaret Green, who claims to be my wife, left my bed and board some three years ago and has been twice married since then, and I will not be responsible for any credit extended to her.  
 Dated March 23, 1916.  
**WILLIAM M. GREEN**.

# SOLICITORS MOVE ON

Three Subscription Solicitors for Various Publications Leave on Advice from Police

After spending a couple of days in Alliance the first of the week, three solicitors, two men and a lady, moved on at the suggestion of the city police officials who notified them that they would have to discontinue the "rough stuff." These parties were soliciting subscriptions to various publications which was all right and to which no objections was made but the manner in which they went after their victims was what was objected to. They would block the street in front of a prospect and insist on showing their proposition whether the person was inclined to listen to them or not. If one solicitor had a party cornered the other two would come up and about the only way a person could get rid of the three would be to "fall" for the proposition.

Marshal Wheeler told them to go ahead with their work but the first time they blocked the street or stopped a person against his will they would be taken into police court and they evidently concluded that it would be slim picking if they were compelled to give up the crude methods to which they were accustomed.

### NOTICE OF HEARING

on Petition for Letters of Administration IN THE COUNTY COURT OF BOX BUTTE COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the Matter of the Estate of John W. Castle, deceased.

To All Persons Interested in the Estate of John W. Castle, late of said County, Deceased.  
 You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of March, 1916, Kathryn E. Castle filed her petition in the County Court of said County, for her appointment as administratrix of the estate of John W. Castle, late of said County, deceased, and that the same will be heard at the County Court room in the city of Alliance, in said County, on the 21st day of April, 1916, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m.

IT IS FURTHER ordered that notice of said hearing be given all parties interested in said estate by the publication of this notice for four successive weeks in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County.

Dated this 23rd day of March, 1916.

**L. A. BERRY**, County Judge.  
**JOE L. WESTOVER**, Attorney.  
 16-4f-696-6694

Have you tried Peacock Coal? If not, try a ton. You will get more heat for less money. **FOREST LUMBER CO., PHONE 73.**

Helen Brown, daughter of A. P. Brown, fell while roller skating Tuesday and suffered a broken leg. She is doing nicely.

Judge J. C. Quigley of Valentine, one of the brightest lights of the legal profession in western Nebraska, and who is making good in an enviable way, stopped over in Alliance Sunday on his way to Hyannis on legal business.

**Piano Co. vs. Mrs. Ross**  
 G. A. Crancer, of the G. A. Crancer Piano Company, through his attorneys Burton and Reddish, has filed suit in district court against Mrs. Ida M. Ross for \$941.45 alleged due the company on a piano contract made some time ago with the defendant.



# W. F. STOECKER

STANDS FOR  
 State Regulation of Brewers.  
 Tax all Liquors by Revenue Stamps issued by commission.  
 Higher Tax on Whiskey to go in 8000 ROADS fund.  
 Balance of money to be distributed proportionately among ALL public schools.  
**W. F. STOECKER**  
 Nebraska's Democratic Candidate  
**FOR GOVERNOR**

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but the fourth party, the public, has thus far failed to take any particular interest.

He quoted figures showing the enormous decrease in the percentage of accidents during the few years the employers have been waging a campaign against useless accidents.

In referring to the responsibility assumed by the government he stated that there are numerous devices the railroads are compelled by the government to adopt for the safety of employees and the traveling public, and said that every accident on the railroads must be reported to the government.

Rev. Young in opening his sermon stated that while the Safety First movement probably originated in the field of railroading it has spread to the entire industrial world with results that are most flattering.

"In spite of the fact that we are in the midst of fighting nations today, we are considering human life at a much higher value than ever before and we are reticent, indeed, to see any carelessness or undue risks take the life, or maim for life, any of our fellow beings.

"In this great democratic country where we have learned long since to realize that every man is on an equal basis with every other man, and the only difference in his position is in his willingness or lack of willingness to add his mite to the progressive development of the country in general, we must so organize our various industrial programs as to preserve the physical well-being of every one concerned to the fullest degree. The happiness and development of American homes are dependent upon those who come in contact with dangers common to railroad life. Both the employee and the general public owe it to their fellow men to use every possible precaution for safety."

Mr. Young stated that there is quite a similarity between his work and the work of the Safety First department, but, addressing Mr. Switzer, he said, "I've got the best of the safety first game, Mr. Switzer; while you are looking after the physical safety of the people I am working for their spiritual safety."

He said that one of the first commands of safety first was made by the Saviour when he said, "Watch and pray, that you enter not into temptation."

Mr. Young's address was closed with an explanation of the safety first pictures thrown on the screen. These pictures are used by the Safety First department of the Burlington in their educational work along this line and have been prepared not solely for railroad employees but also for the general public.

These pictures showed dozens of ways in which people are injured or killed on the railroad and also showed the results of such accidents. In many cases, statistics show that the accidents are the result of careless-

ness and recklessness on the part of individuals, and the worst of it is that the individual doesn't suffer alone, but innocent parties, dependent members of the household, the wife and children, are forced to suffer. Treasuring is said to be the cause of a large percent of the accidents that occur.

The meeting was closed by a short talk by Mayor Romig, who thanked the people in behalf of the railroad company for their interest in the meeting, and by the singing of the national hymn, "America," by the audience.

### FOR STATE SENATOR

I hereby announce that I am a candidate on the Republican ticket for nomination for the office of State Senator from the 28th district, comprising the counties of Rock, Brown, Cherry, Sheridan, Dawes, Box Butte and Sioux.

If my candidacy meets with your approval I would like such support as you can consistently give me.

H. J. MILLER,  
 Bassett, Nebraska.



### GEORGE J. HUNT

A Lawyer of Wide Experience  
**For Associate Justice of the Supreme Court**

Twenty-five years in Omaha, ten years in Bridgeport, western Nebraska, has made George J. Hunt a most desirable candidate for the State Supreme Court.

Those who know him call him "A young man with a ripe legal experience."

### FOR STATE SENATOR

I am a REPUBLICAN candidate for State Senator, 28th Senatorial District, comprising the Counties of Rock, Brown, Cherry, Sheridan, Dawes, Box Butte and Sioux, and I respectfully solicit the votes of the electors at the Primaries on the 18th of April.

J. E. PORTER,  
 Crawford, Nebr.

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**Electrical Repair Work of Any Kind**

During my four years in Alliance, I have frequently been called upon to make electrical repairs on automobiles, batteries, etc., where expert service was especially desired. That these parties have solicited my services repeatedly is sufficient evidence of the character of the work and the ability to make good a guarantee of "satisfaction or no pay" plan upon which I propose to conduct the business.

# The Pugh Electrical Co.

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422 Box, Butte Ave.

Phone No. 7