

## DEMOCRATS HELD BIG JOLLIFICATION

Band Played—Fires Burned—Noise  
Was Immense—Democrats  
Marched—Big Night

It has been years and years since Democratic jollifications of the good old-fashioned kind have been held in the north and west, but this year the usual procedure was broken, and rousing, rip roaring, red fire, jubilee parade demonstrations were held all over the great west, the north and the south.

Alliance was not behind anyone in staging a celebration, either. Saturday night great jubilee fires were burned at the corners of Box Butte avenue and Third street, and Box Butte and Fourth. Boxes, barrels, and other articles were piled up in advance and, it is rumored, certain republicans contributed to the fire, whether they would or not. The jollification was more than a celebration over the victory of President Wilson, it was a celebration because the democratic party was victorious both in the state and county.

Red signal lights were placed at short intervals from the depot to Fourth street on Box Butte avenue. The marchers formed at the city hall and with the Alliance band in the lead they marched back and forth between the two big fires, carrying big cartoon banners full of humor to those who understood the fine points of the election—full of humor at least to the victors. Bells, tin horns, whistles, rattles and other noise-making implements were brought in to play and taken all in all it sounded as though the Germans were coming.

Following the great jubilee parade the marchers and the many on the side lines, including some republicans, repaired to the opera house for the balance of the jollification. The scene at the opera house was of a considerably different nature than the one staged there Tuesday night, while the early returned were coming in.

Prominent democrats of Box Butte county, democratic officials elected at last week's election, republicans who lost out and others highly interested in the success of the republican party were called up for talks. It was not hard to get the democrats to talk, but some little persuasion had to be used to get some of the republicans on the platform. Some local history as applied to Box Butte county was told. The fact that the democracy wins without the aid of Wall Street was discussed as was the fact that politically the great west and the common people have come into their own. It was predicted that in the future the west would be the battle ground of both parties now that it is realized that the great west does amount to something in a political way. Pledges were made to support the president, the state government and to work for a bigger, a better, a more prosperous and happy Alliance. Following the program a lunch was served.

Just arrived, a nice line of embroidery and fancy work for the holidays.—Western Oriental Store.  
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## WAY BELOW ZERO

Bottom Dropped Out of Weather  
Man's Calculations and Cold  
Wave Struck Alliance

Alliance and western Nebraska were treated to a touch of real cold weather on Sunday and Monday. On Sunday night the temperature dropped to twenty-five degrees below zero and on Monday night to fourteen below.

Six inches of snowfall were also recorded during the past week. F. W. Hicks, official government weather observer for Alliance, gives the following report for the week ending

Wednesday: November	Maximum	Minimum	Precipitation Snowfall—Inches	Wind direction	Character of day
9	60	20		NW	Pt. Cl'dy
10	50	20		E	Pt. Cloudy
11	22	4	.20	NE	Cloudy
12	15	5	.35	N	Cloudy
13	14	25		NW	Cloudy
14	29	14		NW	Pt. Cl'dy
15	39	13		W	Clear

## THIS WEEK—THE HERALD'S TWICE-A-MONTH MAGAZINE

This week the readers of The Herald will receive our Twice-A-Month Magazine section, and twice a month from now on Herald readers will receive this delightful magazine.

Particular attention is called to the new story by that well-known author, Robert W. Chambers, entitled "The Pilgrim." As most of our readers know Robert W. Chambers is the author of "Athalia," "The Common Law," "The Fighting Chance," and other books which first appeared serially in The Saturday Evening Post and other high-class, standard magazines. It is indeed with pleasure that the Herald presents "The Pilgrim," fresh from the pen of this eminent author.

"The Story of Amaroff the Pole" is completed in this issue of the magazine. It is by B. Fletcher Robinson and deals with international affairs, particularly with a Nihilist plot to destroy the Czar of Russia on his visit to Paris. You will find it highly interesting, a detective story that will hold you to the last.

Everyone knows of Randall Parrish, author of "Keith of the Border," "When Wilderness Was King," etc. Randall Parrish has written a stirring, gripping, astonishing narrative, dealing with a monoplane that has mysteriously disappeared, especially for the Herald Twice-A-Month Magazine. It is a continued story—a book. You will always find a synopsis of preceding chapters at the start. Read the synopsis and start the story. You will anxiously await the next installment.

Particular attention is called to the pretty girl cover in colors. The magazine is of the new magazine size, printed on fine book paper and aptly illustrated. The magazine will come to you twenty-four times a year at not one cent of extra cost. You would be willing to pay 50 cents a year for it. The Alliance Herald, 52 times a year, from 12 to 24 pages each issue, of live news and interesting advertisements, together with the Herald's Twice-A-Month Magazine, comes to your home for \$1.50 a year. Nowhere can you get a greater value or greater news service. This is but another one of the reasons why the Alliance Herald is THE LEADING NEWSPAPER OF WESTERN-NEBRASKA.

## ROUSING FARMERS MEETING

Farmers' Club to Meet at Home of  
Art Groves, North of Alliance,  
on Next Tuesday

The Box Butte County Farmers' Club is to meet at the home of Art Groves, north of Alliance, next Tuesday, November 21. This is the first meeting held for a number of weeks and a rousing time is expected.

Farmers and others interested are

urgently requested to plan on being

in attendance at the meeting.

INSTALLS NEW SHOW CASES

E. G. Laing, proprietor of the well

known clothing store, "Modern

Clothes for Men," has installed this

week a set of the most modern store

fixtures in the city. The fixtures

were manufactured by the Grand

Rapids Show Case Company of

Grand Rapids, Mich., and are finished

in fumed oak. They constitute a

varied selection of different cases, all

dustproof. Mr. Laing is, in his ad

in The Herald this week, inviting his

friends to see the new equipment.

DEATH OF MRS. BASHFORD

Mrs. Maria Bashford, aged 89

years, 1 month and 1 day, died Sunday

morning of old age at the home

of her granddaughter, Mrs. A. J.

Gaunt, 8th and Missouri, Alliance.

The funeral was held Monday after-

noon and the remains were shipped

to Moorsville, Mo., that night. Rev.

H. J. Young conducted the funeral

services.

Mrs. Bashford's husband died in

1901. He was a veteran of the civil

war. They were the parents of

eight children, five of whom are living,

twenty grandchildren and about

twenty great grandchildren.

It's time now to be thinking about

Thanksgiving. Read the special

Thanksgiving page in this issue of

the Herald. Live merchants tell you

things you want to know.

## T. P. A. HAD MEETING SATURDAY

The regular meeting of Post M. T. P. A. was held Saturday afternoon. The regular routine business was taken up and disposed of.

The candidacy of Zeno Mackay, a member of Post C, Lincoln, was announced by letter, stating that he was a candidate for the office of state president at the next annual meeting.

The Buffalo Whip Manufacturers of Buffalo, N. Y., want a salesman for this territory.

The Angora road, fourteen miles southwest of Alliance, near the Slicker ranch, needs work badly. It is very hard for autos to get through with the road in its present shape. A few auto drivers persist in leaving gates open when driving through. This causes dissatisfaction and trouble among the ranchmen and bad feeling towards all drivers. Those who do this certainly have the curse of the courtesy of shutting gates.

Strong, Baker and Thompson compose a committee appointed to arrange for a T. P. A. dance the Saturday night before Christmas—December 23.

Lloyd Thomas, a member of the Post, was congratulated on his election as state representative from this district and responded with a short talk.

The next meeting will be held on December 9.

## CORRECTION

In the table of official returns for the election held in Box Butte county, on November 7, which will be found on the first page of the second section of this issue of the Herald the following correction should be made under "For Associate Justices of Supreme Court": The names of Albert J. Cornish and Samuel H. Sedgwick should appear first preceding the names of Hastings, Dean, Barnes and Martin. When the transposition is made the returns will then read correctly.

## STOLE MANY SHOES

Box Car Thieves Break Open Car  
Wednesday Night—Get away  
with Much Footwear

Some time during Wednesday night a box-car burglar broke the seal on a car at the Burlington freight depot and got away with sixteen pairs of Noyse-Norman shoes, several suit cases and a large quantity of tobacco.

One pair of the missing shoes was discovered by one of the Burlington employees in the yards. This is the only clue discovered so far, although the police are hot on the trail, and everyone wearing a new pair of shoes is under suspicion. Step lightly and lively.

## ANTIOCH GROWING FAST— MUST ENLARGE SCHOOL

The town of Antioch has been growing so rapidly that there are not sufficient school facilities for the pupils. As a result the board has found it necessary to rent an additional room and hire another teacher. The school at Antioch is a small affair and not near adequate. It is the intention of the board to build a new graded school there next spring. Miss Ruth Sturgeon of Alliance, who is teaching there at present, had made a fine record according to one of the directors. She holds not only a first-grade certificate, but a life certificate from the state superintendent. The directors desire the Herald to state for them that Miss Sturgeon is entirely satisfactory in every way and that the school is being divided and another teacher added because there is not room enough and for no other reason.

Mrs. F. E. Holsten is entertaining tonight at 6:30 luncheon and cards.

Progressive Alliance merchants are talking to you this week through the special Thanksgiving page. Read what they say.

## COMMUNITY MEETINGS AND INSTITUTES

Box Butte County Farmers' In-  
stitutes to Be Held over County  
Week of November 20-24

The week of November 20 to 24 will see a number of farmers' institutes and community meeting held at various places over the county. These institutes are being conducted by the Board of Commissioners, local institute organizations, Woman's clubs, public schools and the Box Butte County Farmers' Association, co-operating with the Nebraska College of Agriculture and the United States Department of Agriculture. County Agricultural Agent F. M. Seidell is directly in charge of the meetings and is doing all in his power to make them successful and genuine helps to all attendees.

The following are chairmen of committees who are working for the success of this series of institutes and community meetings: Brown Griffith, L. J. Schill, Hans C. Hansen, A. H. Grove, Anton Uhrig, W. E. Spencer, A. E. Enyeart, Rex Truman, Mrs. W. R. Pate, Opal Russell, Mrs. J. J. Schill, John Jelinek, G. W. Duncan, Cal Hashman and Joe Wanek.

The program for the greater part will consist of actual demonstrations.

Mr. K. F. Warner of Animal Husbandry Extension Department and Specialist on meats will conduct slaughtering and cutting demonstrations and outline method of curing pork on the farm. Farm butchering is but another system of marketing livestock. Farm cured meat has but to pay the cost of extra labor and the few extra incidentals to butchering day. Meat is a valuable product and unfortunately a highly perishable one. Losses through improper handling, cutting or curing may easily eliminate the profits. Thus the necessity for proper understanding of slaughtering, cutting, curing and keeping pork on the farm.

Miss Mary Rokhar, Extension Specialist in Home Economics of the Nebraska University, will conduct demonstrations of interest to the ladies on, "Salads" and the "Fireless Cooker." Her evening talk is on "Home Superstitutions." The many people who heard Miss Rokhar when here last fall are pleased to learn she is to be here again.

The County Agent has arranged the following program for the institutes: Monday, November 20th.

High School—Alliance.  
9 A. M.—Meat Cutting Demonstration.  
3 P. M.—Home Economic Demonstration.

A. H. Grove's, 7 miles northwest of Alliance.

3 P. M.—Slaughtering Demonstration.

Tuesday, November 21st.

A. H. Grove's, Farmer's Club Day.

10 A. M.—Meat Cutting Demonstration.

10 A. M.—Cooking demonstration, "Salads."

12 M.—Basket dinner.

1 P. M.—Cooking demonstration, "The Fireless Cooker."

Chris Hansen's, 11 miles southwest of Hemingford.

3 P. M.—Slaughtering demonstration.

Wednesday, November 22:

Chris Hansen's—community meeting.

10 A. M.—Meat cutting demonstration.

10 A. M.—Cooking demonstration, "Salads."

12 M.—Basket dinner.

1 P. M.—Cooking demonstration, "The Fireless Cooker."

A. S. Enyeart's, 7 miles northwest of Hemingford.

3 P. M.—Slaughtering demonstration.

Thursday, November 23:

A. S. Enyeart's. Community meeting.

10 A. M.—Meat cutting demonstration.

10 A. M.—Cooking demonstration, "Salads."

12 M.—Basket dinner.

1 P. M.—Cooking demonstration, "The Fireless Cooker."

John Jelinek's, 11 miles northeast of Hemingford.

3 P. M.—Slaughtering demonstration.

Friday, November 24:  
John Jelinek's. Community meeting.

10 A. M.—Meat cutting demonstration.

10 A. M.—Cooking demonstration, "Salads."

## GOT STEWED THEN WANTED TO KILL SELF

Pulls Old Stunt of Threatening to  
Take His Life—Arrested and  
Given Fifteen Days

Victor L. Thompson Wednesday morning was assessed a fine of \$25 and costs by Police Judge Roberts. Thompson was charged with carrying concealed weapons. He will spend fifteen days working for the city and fifteen nights resting in the place provided by the city for certain unwelcome guests.

Thompson could not stand prosperity. Being flush from pay day he proceeded to load up with joy water but the joy failed to appear. He ended up by loading an old cheap revolver and announcing to his wife that they would end it all. The family live at 224 West Third street. When found by Officer Wheeler, who was called, he was at 212 Big Horn, where he formerly lived and now the home of his brother-in-law. When the officer arrested him Thompson attempted to get away with the gun, but it fell to the floor and gave the whole thing away. Thompson, who is employed at a local blacksmith shop, appeared late for work Monday afternoon and on arriving home about 7 o'clock informed his wife she was to get ready to accompany him to the house of a friend to play cards. Mrs. Thompson was not feeling well and did not appear enthusiastic about going. The trouble started then. After chasing and pushing the wife around the room he threatened to do away with himself saying that they would end it all. There were other roomers in the house who came to the rescue. They called Officer Wheeler.

It has been the habit of Thompson while drunk to threaten to take his own life. Not long ago he shot a hole in the ceiling of his home in one of his spells. It is said he has even threatened to use his razor.

## CAPT. LEEDOM COMING

Gordon Man, Captain of National  
Guard Company, Coming Here

Capt. J. W. Leedom, of Gordon, editor of the Gordon Journal, who has been on the Mexican border for several months in charge of his company there, is expected in Alliance soon on a recruiting trip.

Capt. Leedom is widely known in western Nebraska and his many friends here will be pleased to see him again and hear from him the latest news from the border.

## EIGHT CARS OFF TRACK AT CRAWFORD

Important Time Freights, Extra,  
Held up Several Hours—Con-  
siderable Loss to Company

Wednesday night an extra freight west on the C. B. & Q. in charge of Conductor Dill and Engineer A. P. Gordon got into trouble at Crawford and delayed traffic for several hours.

The rear end of the freight was left on the main track about thirty car lengths east of the coal shed. The engine pulled to the end of the lead with eight cars to drop out one bad order car. Meanwhile, the rear end of the train, which had been left on the main track, took a notion to run down the steep Crawford hill and bumped into the head end—the engine and eight cars—knocked six cars off the track while at the same time sidwiped an east-bound extra, knocking two cars off the track, blocking the lead, passing track and main line.

The derrick left Alliance at 10:55 Wednesday night and arrived at Crawford 1:15 a. m. Thursday. The track was cleared about 6:15 this (Thursday) morning. No passenger trains were delayed, but No. 109, an important west-bound time freight, and an east-bound fruit special were held up several hours.

12 M.—Basket dinner.

1 P. M.—Cooking demonstration, "The Fireless Cooker."

Court House, Alliance. Women's meeting.

8 P. M.—The Commercial cuts of meats—K. F. Warner.

Home Superstitutions—Miss Mary Rokhar.

Everyone is invited to attend the meetings. There is a profitable time in store for all. All local expenses are cared for by the county.