

## LEGISLATURE PASSES SEVERAL BIG BILLS

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 morning of the fact that Chief Clerk George W. Potts had become a grandfather. On motion of Representative Thomas the following resolution was passed and the accompanying poem, "Grandpa Potts," by George W. Jackson, speaker of the House, spread on the records:

**RESOLUTION**  
 Whereas, It has come to the knowledge of the House of Representatives that there was born to Mr. and Mrs. Pelton, of Dubois, Nebr., at 10:30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, January 20, 1917, a bouncing baby boy; and

Whereas, one George W. Potts, chief clerk of the House of Representatives, is the father of Mrs. Pelton, he thereby becoming a grandfather for the first time; and

Whereas, the suspicions of friends in this House was aroused by the smiling countenance of said George W. Potts, thereby causing the secret to become common knowledge in this House, therefore be it

Resolved, that we extend to our chief clerk, George W. Potts, our heartiest congratulations and good wishes on this joyful occasion, and be it

Resolved, that we add to the title of our chief clerk that of "Grandpa" and that his name be placed on the honor roll with that of the grandpa of the 1915 session, the honorable representative from Wayne county—"Grandpa" Mears—and that we wish them many happy returns of the day.

**GRANDPA POTTS**  
 (By George Jackson)

George Potts arrived in the chamber much excited, so they all say. All because a phone call had said a grandson had come down his way.

His mustache was curled from ear to ear.

His orders were final, they say, stenographers, clerks and all stepped aside with a bow.

When George said, "Get out of my way."

He stepped on the table and spilt all the ink.

All the members he had on the run;

One of the pages asked, "What do you think?"

George said, "Get busy, you son-of-a-gun."

Fal Barrows was here on the ground at daybreak;

It was out in the hall that he saw George Potts a'holtering at the top of his voice.

"GRANDPA, OH, GRANDPA."

Sheridan county farmers are in favor of a new capitol building. Before leaving for their homes last week they passed a resolution endorsing House Roll No. 1, introduced by Richmond and providing for the eventual erection of a new building. In conclusion they added the following paragraph: "Should the members of your honorable body feel reluctant to pass a bill levying for this purpose, we most respectfully urge you to proceed with the construction of a new building and charge the same to Sheridan county."

Representative Stearns of Scottsbluff has been a busy man. His previous legislative experience, gained in former sessions, has fitted him well to properly represent his constituents. A resolution introduced in the House by him urging congress to enact legislation cutting off bootlegging, passed the House by a vote of 52 to 10 and the senate by a vote of 19 to 13.

Herbert Quick of the federal farm

loan board and former U. S. Senator W. V. Allen were speakers before the House Friday afternoon.

House Roll No. 30, introduced by Representative Ollis, which would legalize the investment of state school funds in bonds of the federal land banks, passed third reading Tuesday afternoon and is now in a fair way to become a law. Irrigation bonds are also recognized.

The first open meeting for the purpose of ascertaining the legislation necessary to enforce the prohibition amendment was held by the joint committee of the house and senate Monday evening. The five members of the House committee—Norton, Thomas, Waite, Flansburg and Hostetter—and the Senate committee—Beal, Chappell, Sawyer, Sandall, Neal, Albert, Moriarty, Howell, Matz and Kohl—were there and listened to the arguments presented by people from over the state.

The state druggists were represented by a delegation from Omaha, Lincoln, and other cities. They maintained that the druggists should not be allowed to sell liquor for beverage purposes, for their own protection, and that they should only be allowed to use alcohol in preparations which could be used for medicinal purposes but which could not be used as a beverage. The government will thus aid in enforcing the law, as it requires a federal license when liquor is sold in such shape that it can be used as a beverage. Other speakers represented the Nebraska Dry Federation, the W. C. T. U. Another meeting is to be held tonight.

The dry committee will draw up their own bill but are getting suggestions and endeavoring to get the sentiment of all interested. The bill drafted (not the bone-dry bill, but the second one) is meeting with much support.

## WILL SPEND \$100,000.00

(Continued from page 1 this section) the Alliance Creamery second. The Newberry Hardware Company does some business by long-distance telephone but most of these calls are from someone calling Alliance. The balance of the toll business is very small.

**Tolls Not Heavy**  
 The fact that Alliance from a telephone toll standpoint is not a good business point is reasoned two ways. In the first place all telephone tolls must be for a great distance in most instances except calls to Hemingford and possibly other nearby points. All business is done with firms east of here. Practically all the business in Alliance is local business. The firms are dependent on the trade of the people of Alliance, Box Butte county and surrounding territory. It is local in its nature to a great extent. Except for dealing with wholesale houses in the larger cities the average Alliance business man has no need to use the long-distance telephone. The second reason is that owing to the fact that it is impossible to communicate with many of the towns in this section by long-distance telephone, a patron can not now use the telephone for "short hauls" if he had reason to do so.

**Produce More Business**  
 It is believed that the toll line from Alliance to Broken Bow will be the means not only of producing a considerable increase in the toll business for the company by reason of the fact that twenty-four towns are connected and given the opportunities of the long-distance telephone, but will result in a noticeable increase in the toll business for the Alliance exchange, affording, as it does, an opportunity for local people to communicate with other towns not far distant.

**Standard in Every Respect**  
 The new line will be built com-

pletely of copper and will be standard in every respect. When the "Bell" system builds toll lines it builds them for permanency, thus eliminating a certain overhead expense that would be caused by cheaper lines, while at the same time affording a greater service to the patron.

## HEMINGFORD DEPT.

Ralph Austin was an Alliance visitor Friday between trains.

Mrs. Ira Phillips spent Thursday and Friday in Alliance having dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Eastburn returned to Alliance Thursday having been called here on account of the sudden death of their brother Cal.

Neal Erskine and Will Katen are some of the latest around here who have filed on Wyoming land.

Guy Lockwood of Alliance was attending to business affairs here Monday.

Arthur Carroll was an Alliance visitor Sunday.

Mrs. B. U. Shepherd and Pearl Lorenson were Alliance shoppers Friday.

Miss Lida Gaseling who has been attending school in Lincoln returned to her home here Sunday.

M. E. Gooch, of Crawford visited with friends here the latter part of the week.

F. J. Mitchell, Sr., has been on the sick list for the past week.

Misses Nellie Carter and Nora Telford were east bound passengers from this place Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Melick were Alliance visitors Saturday.

Mrs. P. Kinsley returned from Alliance Monday where she had visited for several days with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Bell.

Mrs. I. R. Walker was an over Sunday visitor in Alliance.

Miss Celesta Katen went up to Douglas, Wyo., the latter part of the week to file on land.

Miss Marie Dewhurst was in Alliance over Saturday and Sunday.

Word comes from Alliance that Russell Cox, who was operated on for appendicitis Saturday is getting along fine, a fact we are pleased to state.

Several of the fire boys returned Sunday from attending the meeting at Auburn. They report a fine time.

A. P. Haynes returned Thursday from a couple of weeks visit with his parents and friends in Missouri.

Frank Uhrig returned from Auburn and Omaha Monday. He was accompanied home by his brother Winnie who is just back from the Mexican border. He expects to spend some time with home folks and friends before returning. Winnie belongs to the National Guards and no doubt will enjoy his rest and vacation.

Miss Dessie Grimes was in Alliance Saturday.

D. W. Butler was an Alliance visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. H. R. Olds was an incoming passenger on 43 Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Michael, Jr., and little daughter returned Sunday from a two weeks visit in Colorado, Iowa and at Auburn, Nebr., where Mrs. Michael's parents reside. They also attended the Firemen's association at Auburn.

I. R. Walker spent a couple of days this week at Alliance in the interests of the Hemingford Milling Co.

Harold Moranville returned Tuesday from an extended visit with friends in Colorado and southern Nebraska.

Miss Blanche Wiltsey came up from Alliance Tuesday where she visited for a few days with friends.

Mrs. Chas. Sharp returned the first of the week from a visit with her parents at Alliance.

W. F. Walker, Jr., and Alex Olds went down to Bridgeport Tuesday to attend to business matters.

School reopened Tuesday after a two weeks quarantine, with a fairly good attendance.

Brown Church and Bertha Rees returned from Omaha Tuesday where they had visited Mrs. E. S. Kinsley a sister of Mr. Church.

We had begun to feel pretty secure from scarlet fever when on Tuesday morning the two younger children of Bert Lungford were reported sick with the fever. The family were immediately quarantined.

Paul Armstrong and bride arrived here Wednesday, and will be "at home" to their friends after March 1. To this very worthy young couple we extend a cordial welcome and hearty congratulations.

## PERU NORMAL NOTES

Professor Sweeney of the University of Nebraska lectured Tuesday evening before the Science Association. This association has been instrumental in bringing to Peru some of the best informed men in the state, who have presented various scientific subjects.

Professor Hendricks of the Physical Science department lectured Monday evening before the Farmers' and Teachers' Institute at Brock.

President Hayes has received an invitation to present a paper at the National Rural Life Conference in Lincoln February 22.

Dean E. L. Rouse will speak at a city institute in Neligh Friday of this week.

Jean L. Schaeffer of the deVillmar Schaeffer studios in Lincoln is offering private instruction in violin at Peru to begin next semester.

An exhibit of work done in the Teachers' College, Columbia, and in the Pennsylvania School of Industrial Art, has been here for several days. The purpose of the exhibit is to show how art may be made more practical and applied to commonplace things, and to show that a more extensive appreciation of art is possible.

The Reynolds Sisters, who appeared last Saturday night in a duet recital, proved to be very delightful entertainers. The duets from some of our best operas proved a great treat.

Old papers for sale at the Herald office. Papers are done up in bundles at five and ten cents a bundle.

# TELEPHONE THREE-FOUR-UGHT HERALD

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Five Cents Per Line—Count Six Words to a Line  
 No Advertisement Taken for Less Than 15c

¶ Hunt the buyer who wants to buy and the seller who wants to sell through these columns, then your deal is two-thirds closed.

¶ No salesmanship is required under these circumstances—and salesmanship costs money—many times the cost of a want ad.

¶ Get that?

### FOR SALE—FARMS

**FOR SALE!**—Just received list on quarter section of land three miles from here that I can sell for \$12.50 an acre if taken at once. Adjoining land has all sold for \$25.00 an acre. The owner is a non-resident. This is a real chance and a real price. Inquire immediately or write to J. C. McCorkle, Nebraska Land Company, Alliance, Nebraska. 8052-8-1f.

**FOR SALE!**—A total of 320 acres of land located in Box Butte County, Nebraska, and owned by the estate of the late Joseph Jones of Utica, Nebraska. The land for sale, to close up the estate, consists of the Northeast Quarter of Section Fourteen, and the Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-three, Township Twenty-six, Range Forty-eight West, each containing 160 acres. The total 320 acres is for sale. If you are in the market for Box Butte County land, your opportunity is at hand. This land must be sold to settle up the estate. Write me, Ray W. Jones, Administrator, Utica, Nebraska. 8053-8-2f.

**FOR SALE!**—400 acres land, 4 miles from Bridgeport; 160 acres fine valley land under proposed Government ditch; the balance fine pasture land. All fenced; a good cement house, two stories and basement; good well. Price, \$4,500. E. G. ROUSE, Owner, Northport, Nebr. 8062-8-3f.

**FOR SALE!**—Ranch with ten miles of Alliance, 1900 acres, including some farm land suitable for alfalfa. Will sell part interest or whole ranch. A bargain and a money-maker. Address Box 7823, care Alliance Herald. 50-1f-7823

**FOR SALE!**—Well-improved farm, NW 1/4 Sec. 4, Twp. 24, Range 47. 5-7961-7f. N. A. KRNEK.

### WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

Clean cotton rags wanted at the Herald office. We pay three cents per pound. Woolen rags not wanted.

### HELP WANTED—MALE

**ARE YOU THE MAN?** For an Alliance general agency of a high class life insurance company? Attractive opening for resident of Alliance. Must be man of ability—a general producer—a man capable of securing agents and developing them into producers. Such a man can make an exceedingly liberal contract with THE BANKERS RESERVE LIFE COMPANY, Home Office, Omaha, Nebraska. 8056-8-3f.

**SALESMAN WANTED!**—to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or Commission. Address LINCOLN OIL COMPANY, Cleveland, Ohio. 8058-8-3f.

### HELP WANTED—FEMALE

**WANTED!**—Woman who will do family washing at home, call for and deliver same. Phone 372. 7-11\*\*\*

**WANTED!**—Girl for general house work. Call at 708 Toluca, or phone 343. 7952-5-1f

### WANTED—TO BORROW

**WANTED!**—Wanted to borrow privately \$500, good security. Address Box 1019 care this office. 7-21\*\*\*

### WANTED—TO RENT

**WANTED TO RENT!**—Furnished or partly furnished rooms with heat supplied. Box 1014, Herald office 7-11\*\*\*\*

**WANTED!**—Four or five room house, modern or nearly so, not too far out. Want something that is in good shape. Address Box 1010, Herald office. 7-41\*\*\*\*

**WANTED!**—By man and wife without children, a three or four room modern apartment including lights, heat, water and bath. If apartment is satisfactory will take it for long period. Address Box 1000, Herald office. 7-31\*\*\*\*

### FURNITURE MOVED

**MOVE FURNITURE SAFELY**  
 We have equipped our dray wagons and auto truck with the latest appliances for moving furniture without marring or scratching or damage. Up-to-date wagon pack will be used by us on all moving jobs. JOHN R. SNYDER, Phone 16 37-1f-5950

### WANTED—TO BUY

**WANTED TO BUY!**—All kinds of rubber, rags, iron, metals, and hides. Highest prices paid. Alliance Junk Co., 113 East Fourth street. Phone No. 222. 7-1f-8047

¶ We do not claim that the mere use of want ads will produce prosperity.

¶ But it seems more than a coincidence that most prosperous people are quick to recognize the value of classified advertising.

¶ Let us supply your wants through these columns.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE!**—Old newspapers in five cent and ten cent bundles at the Herald office.

**FOR SALE!**—Herald Want Ads. Spend fifteen cents and see what a want ad will do for you.

Legal blanks and office supplies for sale at the Herald office. Our stock of legal blanks is very complete and you can have what you want when you want it.

Color printing done by expert printers attracts attention and brings prompt results. Try The Herald's job department for your next job—Phone 340.

### LOST

**LOST!**—Leather bill book on Bo, Butte Avenue between Burlington depot and post office. Return Herald office. Reward 7-2t\*\*\*\*

**MONEY TO LOAN ON FARMS**  
**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

### FOR RENT—ROOMS

**ROOMS FOR RENT!**—132 Cheyenne Avenue, Alliance, Nebraska. 44-1f-7682

**FOR RENT!**—Three modern rooms for light housekeeping. 219 Yellowstone avenue. Phone 529. 8-1f-8059

**FOR RENT!**—Four-room suite in the Norton block. W. W. NORTON. 8-2t-8064

### AUTOMOBILES

**AUTOS FOR SALE!**—A second-hand roadster and a second-hand Ford touring car for sale cheap. Inquire at the Sturgeon garage. 52-1f-7848

# GEORGE D. DARLING

## More Rag Rugs

### This Week Only

# A 27x54 RAG RUG

# 98c

One to a Customer

An especially low price on a big line of Brussels, Velvet and Axminster Carpet remnants, cut to rug lengths—ends bound.

Extra good values.



**The Week's Doings**

Typewriter ribbons for almost any make of machine for sale at the Herald office. We sell typewriter paper and carbon paper, also.

Mrs. Jerry Rowan and her mother, Mrs. Dudley, arrived the last of the week from Pasadena, Calif. Mrs. Rowan had been in California several weeks past, called there by the illness of a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vaughan and son, Jack, left Thursday night for a visit with relatives and friends at Chicago, Ill., Dayton, Akron and Canton, Ohio. They expect to be gone about three months.

Classified advertisements at five cents a line are the order of the day. Have you something to sell, something you want to buy, a room or rooms to rent, a farm to sell? Use The Herald Classified Columns. You will get results.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Tillet left Tuesday for Deadwood, where he will attend the Masonic Consistory. While at Deadwood they will be guests at the home of Mrs. Frank Herron, formerly Miss Grace Fickie of Alliance.

The district deputy of the B. P. O. E. will visit the local lodge in his official capacity on the evening of February 2. The Elks are planning big doings for that night, there being initiation and a smoker scheduled. All Elks are asked to turn out.

Friends here of Carlyse Halverstaft of Ravenna were surprised to learn of his death at his home there on Tuesday of last week. Typhoid fever was the cause of his death. He

was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Halverstaft, former residents of this city.

Pete Schott today purchased a Haddorf baby grand piano as a present to his wife.

M. Larson, claim agent for the B. & O. R. R., is in Alliance today. His headquarters are at Galesburg, Ill.

A number of O2 freight engines passed through Alliance the past week bound for the Sheridan division where traffic has been in a congested condition for some time.

Lee McFall had a peculiar experience while driving across his ranch some thirty miles south and east of Alliance. The front wheels of the he was driving struck a hole filled with snow. The car rolled completely over three times. The car was but slightly damaged and Mr. McFall was not hurt.

### DENTISTS COMING TO ALLIANCE NEXT MONTH

On February 14, the dentists of northwestern Nebraska, southern South Dakota, and eastern Wyoming will meet in Alliance to form a branch of the Nebraska State Dental Society. Dr. King, secretary of the State Dental Society, is coming from Omaha for the purpose of organizing the branch.

### POETRY FROM A READER

A reader of The Herald at Hecla, Nebr., in sending check in payment of subscription, encloses the following verse expressive of what the paper is doing for this part of Nebraska:

The Alliance Herald I have hailed as a sage.  
 I have commenced at the first and read to the last page.  
 Its contents I have pondered, then read it some more.  
 And think to boom Alliance and Box Butte county it is just news galore.



**The Society**

There will be a recital by students at the Reddish hall on the evening of January 27. Voice, piano and the children's story telling classes will be represented.

Mrs. A. A. Layton was hostess to the Boys' Bible class of the church at her home Friday evening. The regular Bible study was held first after which a social evening was enjoyed. There are about twelve boys in the class.

Miss Charlotte Mollring was hostess on the evening of January 17 to twelve guests, the affair being in compliment to Miss Julia Frankie, who left Sunday for Denver to attend the university. A delightful luncheon was served late in the evening. Dancing and cards were the entertainment of the evening.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church met with Mrs. E. T. Kibble yesterday afternoon. It was "Home Missionary" day with Mrs. Carns as superintendent. Mrs. C. C. Smith read a paper on "Deaconess Work." There was a fine musical program and a pleasant and profitable afternoon was enjoyed.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. R. Beans for their regular missionary meeting. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all in attendance. Mrs. C. H. Fuller pleased all with a vocal solo, and Mrs. Ray Dean Stanbury favored those present with a reading.

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