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HEMINGFORD DEPT.

Cal Cox was up from Alliance Monday on business.

Mrs. Alice Curtis is spending a few days at the Enyacht home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Erskine were Alliance visitors between trains Tuesday.

Mrs. Mabel McClung was an over night visitor in Alliance last Thursday.

Mert Oldt of the Dunlap neighborhood was shopping in town last week.

Mrs. A. M. Miller entertained the M. E. Ladies Aid at her home last Wednesday.

Barney Shepherd autoed to Alliance Monday afternoon returning the same evening.

Miss Devona Dickinson went to Alliance Saturday for a short visit with home folks.

Rufe Walker, Frank Spellman and A. M. Miller autoed to Alliance last week on business.

Miss Rose Carroll returned last week from York where she has been attending school.

L. R. May returned Monday from the eastern part of the state where he has been on business.

Miss Mary Iodence came down from Chadron Saturday for a short visit with home folks.

Russell Melick is able to be out again after a few weeks with scarlet fever and complications.

John Catro of the Canton neighborhood was attending to business matters in town Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Sorenson was a passenger to Alliance on 44 Tuesday to have some dental work done.

Bill Katen was an eastbound passenger on 44 Tuesday for Alliance he returned the same day.

Miss Alma Rosenberger came down from Girard Saturday for a short visit with home folks.

Phillip and Charlie Michael returned from Douglas, Wyo., where Phillip filed on a homestead.

W. M. Erskine returned Sunday from Kearney where he has been for the past few days on business.

Miss Pauline Dowd and Miss Mona O'Neill were Saturday and Sunday visitors in Alliance last week.

Mrs. Earl Rockey entertained the young ladies Kensington club at her home last Thursday afternoon.

Miss Dessie Grimes came in last week from Curley where she just closed a successful term of school.

Carl Forstrom and Norbert Fronaphel went to Crawford Friday returning Saturday morning on 44.

Dr. McEwen who has been confined to his home for the past week with la grippe is able to be out again.

Otto Uhrig returned Tuesday from Omaha and other eastern points where he has been visiting for the past month.

"The Two Oles" that showed at the opera house Monday night, Feb. 12, was well attended and the show was very good. We hope to have them make our town again in the near future.

The basketball games Saturday night between Crawford and Hemingford was attended by one of the largest crowds they have had at a game this season. The Crawford boys met defeat to the tune of 13 to 31. While the Crawford girls carried away the honors by a score of 10 to 20 the games were the fastest here this season.

PLUM NORMAL NOTES

Professor Hendricks was in Omaha the last of the week attending a school of methods for Bible School teachers.

Professor Brown, head of the Department of Rural Education, spoke at a farmers' institute in Johnson last week.

The Y. W. C. A. held a kensington Friday afternoon in the parlors of Mount Vernon hall, and the girls enjoyed one of their usual good times.

President Hayes and Professors Beck, Gasky, Lefler and Delzell attended a meeting of the Schoolmaster's Club in Lincoln Friday evening.

Dean Rouse will speak at a teachers' institute in Neligh Friday.

A number of faculty members will attend the National Rural Life conference which begins in Lincoln February 22. President Hayes will have a part in the program. He will discuss "The Part of the Normal School in the Training of Rural Teachers."

Professor Chas. Weeks who was formerly at the head of the Department of Agriculture in the Normal, is visiting here this week. Mr. Weeks is superintendent of the Fort Hays Experiment Station, which is a branch of the Kansas State Agricultural college.

The basketball team won games last week from Cotner and Wesleyan and lost one to Wesleyan. All three games were fast and clean and afforded plenty of entertainment for the splendid crowds which witnessed them. Games this week with Grand Island and Doane will close the sea-

son on the home floor.

One result of the agitation made by the Department of Rural Education for community co-operation is shown by the following: At Hubbard, Nebr., as a result of suggestions made by Professor Brown, nine farmers built an ice house and filled it with ice. The plan will be for one man to deliver ice to the other eight one week, a second man the next week and so on. They will sell to outside farmers at 50c per 100 lbs. This is only one example of what community co-operation will do.

MRS. SWEENEY DEAD

Aged Woman Died Friday at Home of Her Daughter Here—Funeral Held Monday

The death of Mrs. Katherine Sweeney occurred Friday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Reardon, in this city. Old age is given as the cause of death. She was 82 years of age when the final summons came. Funeral services were held Monday at Holy Rosary Catholic church.

Mrs. Sweeney was born eighty-two years ago in Cambria county, Penn. Late she moved to Iowa, coming to Box Butte county from the Hawkeye state some twenty-five years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Rose Reardon, of this city and by four grandchildren.

NEW BID RECEIVED ON MCCORKLE BUILDING

Judge Westover when here last week declined to confirm the bid of \$13,750 for the McCorkle building, owing to the fact that another and higher bid had been received. Oscar O'Bannon made a bid of \$15,000 and as an evidence of good faith had it guaranteed by A. Meeker. Judge Westover has allowed the new bidder until May 9 to complete the deal. If the deal has not been closed at that time the sale will be completed at the price of \$13,750. The building cost originally some \$29,000.

NOTICE

Conrad H. J. Koch and his wife, John Burkart, Jr., and real name unknown, his wife; John Doe and Mary Doe, his wife, will take notice that on February 5, 1917, The Alliance Building and Loan Association of Alliance, Nebraska, as plaintiff, filed its petition in the District court of Box Butte County, Nebraska, against the said defendants, the object and prayer of which is to foreclose two certain mortgages, executed on April 8, 1910, and September 1, 1910, respectively, by Conrad H. J. Koch, upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot 2, Block 7, First Addition to Alliance, Box Butte County, Nebraska, to secure the payment on two promissory notes for the sum of \$600.00 each, which said notes are now due and payable, and that there is now due and payable on said notes, the sum of \$1226.27, with interest thereon at the rate of 9.96 per cent per annum, from January 28, 1917, for which sum, with interest and costs, plaintiff prays for a decree, that the above named defendants be required to pay the same, and that in default of such payment, said premises may be sold to satisfy the amounts found due thereon; that the rights, title, interests and liens of said defendants to the mortgage liens of Plaintiff, and that said defendants be foreclosed of any and all right, title, interest and equity of redemption, and for such other and further relief as may be just and equitable.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 2nd day of April, 1917.

Dated February 14, 1917.
The Alliance Building and Loan Association of Alliance, Nebraska, Plaintiff.

Burton & Reddish, Attorneys.
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EMERSON SCHOOL TO GIVE ANNUAL PROGRAM

Spectacular Operetta in Two Acts to Be Presented at the Phelan on Washington's Birthday

"Arctiennia," or "Columbia's Trip to the North Pole," a spectacular operetta in two acts, will be presented by the pupils of Emerson school at the Phelan opera house on Thursday evening, February 22—Washington's birthday. There are twenty-seven in the cast, and these will be assisted by more than 100 pupils in the various choruses. The proceeds of the entertainment will be used in making the final payment on the school piano. The admission is thirty-five cents for adults, and twenty-five cents for children. Adult tickets may be reserved free at Holsten's drug store after 8 o'clock on the morning of February 22. The following is the argument of the play:

PART FIRST
The operetta opens at the North Pole, in the land of the "Midnight Sun." Aurora Borealis and her Nymphs and Fairies at play. Chorus "Nymphs of the Polar Star." The Sprites, "Frost"—Ice, Icicle, Sleet, Snow and Hail—appear in frolic and fun. Distant cornet heralds the coming of the Prince. Chorus, "Hail to the Prince." The Prince arrives. Grand Council, means to prevent the North Pole being discovered under discussion. A mysterious object sighted. Its arrival. The first to land at the North Pole. What is it? The Stars and Stripes planted on the Pole. Arrival of Uncle Sam and Columbia on the cruiser America of the White Squadron. March, and Drill song, "Columbia Guards," under the command of General Great I Am. Song, "A Newspaper Reporter." Prince Polar, through Freezing Point, master of ceremonies, welcomes Uncle Sam. Each of his subjects contribute something. Aurora introduces her tiny Snowflakes, who express their greetings in a song the size of themselves. The Reporter and Freezing Point have a tilt. Freezing Point gives reply in song. Grand Finale, "Nadly Queen of Night."

PART SECOND

Interior of the Polar Ice Palace. The Fete. Celebration in honor of Columbia's visit to the North Pole. Arrival of the Nymphs, courtiers to the event. Song, "Dingle Little Bells." Grand Entree, lead by Freezing Point, Prince Polar, Uncle Sam and Retinues, Queen Aurora and Train. Columbia and Guards, Reporter, Snowflakes, Pages, Sprites and Nadly Queen of Night. Chorus, "Welcome." The Fete begins, introducing Sculp a Head, Continental Jr., Agriculture. Song, "The Three Little Coons," two tiny Rose Buds, of Columbia's Train, Miner, Mechanic, Commerce, Finance of the U. S. Hans Yokenspiel and Mike O'Calaghan, the two Jr. Immigrants, song, "The Little Maid's from School." Father Time, The Seasons, Spring, Summer and Autumn, Eskimo and Trained Bear. Aurora's Amazon Guards in Grand March. "Amazon," song and drill. Aurora and Columbia, duet, "Song of Gladness." "Queen of Night," by Nadly. Arrival of Santa Claus. Chorus, "Ha! Ha! Ha! Santa Claus." An invitation accepted. All go home with Santa Claus. Chorus, "Good Night."

Cast of Characters:
Prince Polar Gilbert Conklin
Jack Frost Robert Lang
Ice Frank Mounts
Sleet Leo Anderson
Snow Paul Thompson
Freezing Point Glean Worley
Polar Bear James Ponath
Eskimo Verne Laing
Father Time Parker Davis
Santa Claus Billie Bogue
Uncle Sam Fred Purdy
The Reporter King Robbins
General Great I Am James Dacy
Clifford Robinson
Mr. Sculp a Head Chester Hagan
Continental Jr. Howard Cogswell
Commerce Willis Nation
Miner Wynn Robbins
Agriculture Arthur Lynn
Finance Clarence Gibson
Man of Labor William Irish
Jake, Jim, Joe, Three Little Coons
Merle Pyle, Marshall Rowe,
Harold Jeffers.
Aurora Borealis Helen Anderson
Columbia Ruth Donovan
Nadly Betty Shaw

CREAMERY PAYS PREMIUM FOR SWEET CREAM

Mr. Spencer of the Alliance Creamery, during the course of a conversation this morning, told a Herald reporter that the Alliance creamery is very much in need of sweet cream for use in their ice cream department. They pay a premium over the churning cream price for good sweet cream. More than this the creamery makes it their business to thoroughly sterilize all cream cans brought to them. By turning high pressure steam into cans together with scalding hot water the cans are thoroughly cleaned and kept sweet.

The Alliance Creamery is paying the highest delivered price for cream, the price now being 38 cents. Mr. Spencer stated that all cream purchased will be paid for the same day as delivered where requested.

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The reception held Thursday evening for the sixty-two new members of the Christian church was highly enjoyed by all in attendance. An excellent program was given. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Claude Vaughn entertained Friday afternoon at a 1:30 luncheon in honor of Mesdames Sedgewick, Giles, Clough, Butler, Mitchell, Homer Berry, Knight and Gantz.

Mrs. C. L. Drake entertained Saturday in compliment to Mesdames Sedgewick and Giles of Deadwood.

Mrs. J. E. Hughes was hostess at a one-thirty luncheon Tuesday. The affair was in a nature of a kensington. Bridge was also a pastime.

Mrs. A. F. Bundy entertained the Look Out class of the Methodist church last evening. There was a large attendance and an excellent time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. M. E. Coleman was the hostess at a delightful valentine bridge party at her home yesterday afternoon. The decorations were in keeping with the day. A luncheon was served.

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The Woman's Club is scheduled to meet this week at the home of Mrs. Ira E. Tash on Friday. Program: Drill call. Literary Program, "Military History," "Early Mails and Newspapers," Mrs. Wiker; "Evolution of the House," Mrs. Robert Reddish; readings by Mrs. Ray Stansbury and little Vadanno Tash.

Wm. Mahaffy entertained about fifteen of his little friends at a Valentine party Wednesday evening from five until nine o'clock. Games were played and refreshments served.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist church met Wednesday with Mrs. Thomas Ackerman, about forty being present. Next Wednesday afternoon the Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. N. S. Coker.

The Baptist Church are sending delegates next Monday to Bridgeport where there will be held an associational rally for Sunday schools and young people. A number of state workers are to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Worley, living some fourteen miles from this city, were very pleasantly surprised Monday night by a party of their friends. They left Tuesday for Minature where they will make their home in the future. Dancing and cards provided the amusement for the evening. At a late hour a luncheon was served. There were some fifty in attendance, there being a number from this city there.

The Ladies of the Baptist church are planning to give Alliance a genuine treat this coming year. They have made arrangements with the Redpath Lyceum Bureau to provide them with a lecture course to be put on in Alliance. The Redpath bureau is recognized the country over as the standard by which all other

bureaus of a like nature, whether handling lecture courses or chautauques, are judged.

Mrs. F. W. Lester was hostess Thursday evening at a dinner, theatre and card party. Pink and white were the colors used in the decorative scheme, American Beauty roses and carnations being used in profusion. The free-for-all at cards was won by Mrs. Grace Kennedy. Mesdames Sedgewick and Giles of Deadwood were guests of honor. Each was presented with a beautiful bouquet of cut flowers. There were about twenty-two in attendance.

About twenty-five couples were entertained at a Valentine party at the Elks Club rooms last evening. It was an informal affair. Dancing was the order of the evening. Music was furnished by the Wiker orchestra. Punch was served.

The ladies of the Christian church will hold a home cooking exchange at Duncan's grocery next Saturday afternoon from 1 to 5 o'clock.

The ladies of the Christian church will meet next Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. H. J. Young. Mesdames Jack, Ryckman and Lawrence will assist in serving.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid held a very delightful session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Davenport. Action was taken to have a spring apron sale some time in April.

The ladies of the M. E. Aid will meet Wednesday, February 21, with Mrs. F. W. Hicks, 724 Toluca avenue. This is the monthly birthday meeting and a good program is expected. Come and have a pleasant time.

Mrs. F. W. Hicks entertained Sunday at dinner in honor of Mrs. J. A. Madden of Sheridan, Wyo.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid will hold their annual Dollar Day, February 21, at the home of Mrs. F. W. Hicks. Each lady is supposed to either earn or sacrifice for one dollar and tell her experience. All ladies are welcome whether they have earned one dollar or not.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church staged an out-of-the-ordinary social Thursday evening, being a "missionary trip around the world." Those attending gathered at the depot at the Methodist church. The journey started off by a visit to Alaska, which in other days might be recognized as the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Dow. Alaska was covered with snow, all decorations being in white. Northern games were played. From Alaska they journeyed to the Hawaiian Islands, located about in the neighborhood of the home of Miss Hattie Renswold. Here the decorations were in green. A Hawaiian song was rendered by Misses Charlotte Mollring and Janet Grassman. Messrs. Truman and Donovan created considerable laughter by their stump speeches. R. E. Holch put on a Hawaiian dance. Several vocal selections were sung by the King Herald girls. Brazil was the next stop, at the home of Miss May Graham. Everything native was used in decoration, the color scheme being in green. A delightful musical program was given here. Norman McCorkle and the Misses Martha Hawkins and Marian Grebe gave piano selections. Rex Truman gave a vocal selection. Luncheon was served to some fifty guests.

Mesdames Davenport, Gregory, Hicks and Parker were hostesses to

the members of the Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church yesterday afternoon at 812 Toluca avenue. Mrs. Parker was program superintendent. There was a discussion on "The Relation of the Ladies' Aid to the Church and Pastor." Mrs. J. A. Mallory's topic was, "Should the Ladies' Aid See to Strangers. If so, Why and How?" Mrs. Bennett's subject was, "Should the Ladies' Aid Have an Aim for Membership and Money? If so, Why and How?" Miss Ruth Layton pleased all with her singing.

"WINNING OF BARBARA WORTH" A GOOD SHOW

"The Winning of Barbara Worth," a play dramatized from the novel by the same name by Harold Bell Wright, was the attraction at the Phelan last night. The play was well put on. The company carried its own scenery and mechanical effects. It was a decided relief from some of the attractions that have appeared in this city in the past. The show was a high-class one. The company plays four days at Omaha next week. The company was greeted by a fair-sized attendance, but nothing like a high-class production of this kind deserves.

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