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CHARLES TULLY BURIED WED.

Well-Known Western Nebraska Citizen Died Suddenly Sunday from Attack of Heart Failure

FUNERAL SERVICES TUESDAY

St. Matthews Church Crowded with Sorrowing Friends to Listen to Bishop Beecher

Charles H. Tully, widely known as one of western Nebraska's leading citizens, was buried at Rushville on Wednesday morning, the services being conducted by the Masonic lodge of which he was a prominent member.



Funeral services were held in Alliance at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, in charge of Bishop Beecher. Sorrowing friends crowded the church, which was banked with floral offerings.

Mr. Tully was born in Erie, Pa., May 17, 1867. He was married at Wilbur, Neb., in 1892. He and Mrs. Tully made their home for years at Rushville, afterwards moving to Alliance.

Mr. Tully was a member of the Masonic lodge, and was a prominent citizen of Alliance. He was a member of the Farmers Insurance Company, in which he carried a policy for \$10,000.

A prominent member of the Democratic party, Mr. Tully was always willing to do his part in bearing the political burdens. He took much interest in politics and attended the Democratic national convention at St. Louis in 1916.

Telegrams of condolence were received by the bereaved relatives from Governor Keith Neville, Henry C. Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Phelan, F. M. Broome, E. E. Lowe, the officers and employees of the Plain Iron Works in Denver, and others.

A Tribute from Dean Shaw Mr. Tully was born of sturdy stock; not born to position and influence, but made them noble by attaining to both. The circumstances

of his early years did not lead him to college halls, but he was a ripe scholar of the university of the plains. Early in life he began to feel the stirrings of manhood and soon he cast around for a wider field in which to exercise his genius.

When men saw him crowned with success and respect and love, no difficulty was experienced in reading the letters that marked his stepping stones; youth, courage, application, honesty, integrity, rectitude and moral grandeur.

And we who know him well feel the singular felicity of that hymn, "Lead Kindly Light." Its music came as an inspiration to Dr. Dykes in the bustling London strand.

Our church and community has met with a great and irreparable loss in our beloved friend and junior warden. Always robust in health and physically strong, Mr. Tully's life was one of great activity and responsibility.

State Officials Condra and Shumway Say Report of Potato and Beans Committee Was the Best

STATE SURVEY POTASH LAKES Experts of State Conservation and Soil Survey Start Work at Once Getting Definite Information

The advertising secured through the excellent report of the committee on Potatoes and Beans at the conservation congress in Omaha week before last, of which you were chairman, was worth \$30,000 to western Nebraska.

Dr. Condra's sentiments were backed by State Land Commissioner Grant Shumway, who, with Dr. Condra, is visiting Alliance today.

The district will be covered by automobile during the summer, the samples of brine from the lakes shipped to Lincoln in special containers in cases.

The gentlemen leave this afternoon for the North Platte valley, where Dr. Condra will outline a soil survey of Morrill and Sioux counties. Box Butte and Kimball counties were surveyed in 1916 and Dawes county in 1915, by the state.

72 WANTED TO ENLIST

Thirty-seven Accepted for Enlistment at Alliance Recruiting Station Past Month

DRAFTED MEN NOT ACCETED

Men Between Ages 21 and 30 Can Volunteer before Draft Is Made, but Not After

During the month of May a total of 71 applied at the army recruiting station in Alliance for enlistment in the regular army. Of the total of 71 who applied, Sergeant Charles H. Booth, in charge of the regular army men on detached service at the Alliance recruiting depot, accepted 37 for enlistment, rejecting 34.

Sergeant Booth on Tuesday received a telegram from Adj. General McCain's headquarters stating that beginning June 5, the residence of all registered men enlisted must be recorded and reported so as to clearly show the place and district where recruit was registered.

The Silver Grill has been awarded the contract for feeding recruited men enlisted here. The Silver Grill will receive thirty-five cents for meals and lunches.

The Honor Roll Following is the honor roll of men who were accepted at the Alliance recruiting station during the month of May: Alfred F. Simpson, Alliance; Arthur Smith, Alliance; Benj. Cooper, Raketite, Mo.; Clarence E. Marble, Alliance; Wm. J. Sutton, Chicago; Richard Jaap, Woodstock, Ill.; John W. Dill, Salem, Calif.; Muri C. Nichols, Alliance; James King, Gordon, Neb.; Russell R. Stoner, Arizona, Neb.; Robt. L. Short, Narka, Kans.; Geo. A. Harry, Sioux City, Ia.; Adolph F. Plentge, Ireland, Texas; Archie H. Ball, Canton, Neb.; Norman W. Politze, Elmhurst, Ill.; Fred W. Harshman, Minatare; Andrew W. Peterson, Sundance, Wyo.; Clarence F. Pine, O'Neal, Neb.; John Sherman, New York City; R. G. MacElliwee, Minatare, Neb.; John L. Buchfink, Whitmore, Neb.; Roy R. Merrifield, Ft. Collins, Colo.; Victor H. Patrick, Shickley, Neb.; Adolph H. Grinnwald, Grand Rapids, Mich.; Joe G. White, Plains, Kans.; Othniel W. Riley, Mitchell, Neb.; Leo L. Voyles, Elkhart, Ind.; Winston W. Randolph, Rushville, Neb.; Hans P. Roch, Clinton, Ia.; John M. Beckett, Mitchell, Neb.; Douglas P. Bunie, Whitestone, N. Y.; Robt. H. England, Gunnison, Okla.; Roscoe Harvey, Mitchell, Neb.; Geo. F. Jensen, Rushville, Neb.; Alie Lyon, Chugwater, Wyo.; and Earl A. Lough, Lodgepole, Neb.

Phone 166 if you have anything to sell. T. J. THOMPSON, New and second-hand goods. The Conley Millard place. 27-17-7987

FOR RENT—Three rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 529. Mrs. M. Bayers, 219 Yellowstone. 27-17-7973

ROLFSON BUYS THE KING BILLIARD PARLOR

Place to Be Closed Several Days—To Be Greatly Improved—Big Opening Next Thursday

T. P. Rolfson has leased the King Billiard Parlor at 221 unpaved Box Butte avenue and will take possession Saturday night of this week. The place will be closed on Saturday night and will remain closed until Thursday evening, June 14, at 6 o'clock, when a formal opening will be held.

Mr. Rolfson states that during the time the place is closed, the entire interior will be re-decorated, everything will be painted and varnished and thoroughly cleaned. The floor will be covered. A new billiard table has been purchased and will be installed by the time of the opening.

Mr. Rolfson has tendered his resignation at the Newberry Hardware Company and will end his duties at that place Saturday night. Before going into the employ of the Newberry company a short time ago he was employed in the office of the division superintendent at the Burlington. He is at present clerk of the city of Alliance.

SAILOR LAD TO ENLIST AGAIN

Alliance Boy Serves Term of Enlistment in Navy—Anxious to Get Back on Ship Board

TELLS OF INTERESTING TRIPS

44 Months in Far East, Including a Winter in China, Makes Him a Brown and Sturdy Lad

James H. Tully, an Alliance boy, son of Mrs. F. R. John of this city, after serving four years in the United States navy, has returned for a brief visit with home folks before again enlisting for service in the navy.

On Friday they left for St. Paul, Neb., to attend the marriage of his sister, Miss Alma Tully, to Arthur Burke of that city. Miss Tully has been teaching school at St. Paul. They will return to Alliance soon.

On Friday James told a Herald reporter an interesting account of many interesting experiences during his term of service in the navy. On account of the voluntary censorship being enforced by the newspapers it is impossible to tell our readers the complete story, but it is one that any boy and most men and women would listen to with much interest.

His voyages included trips to and stays in Nagasaki and Yokohama in Japan, at Chinese ports, and visits to Honolulu, Guam and other places of interest. He has qualified and carries the badge of an expert rifle marksman.

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Names and addresses, together with the date of the arrival in the territory of Nebraska, should be sent to The Journal at once, in order to make a complete and reliable roll of territorial pioneers.

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Anyone having a complaint to make for over-valuation should appear before this board. The law provides for a session of not less than three days nor more than twenty-one days.

FUNERAL FOR LAD STRUCK BY LIGHTNING The funeral of Eddie Gasling was held at the Catholic church at Hemingford on the morning of May 31, the services being in charge of Father Keyser of that place.

STUDENTS ACTIVE IN GARDEN CLUB WORK

Members of the home-school garden club in Alliance are now actively engaged in making garden. Meetings were held at the high school building Saturday morning at which L. F. McShane of the College of Agriculture addressed the students who are members of the gardening clubs.

"HOME GUARDS" TO ORGANIZE The Alliance Home Guards, a company to be organized for military training by the traveling men of Alliance, will meet at the city hall Saturday evening to complete the preliminary organization.

The wedding of Mr. Louis Powell to Miss Birdene Woods was solemnized May 31 at the home of Rev. A. A. Layton, who performed the ceremony. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Woods.

Married—At the M. E. parsonage at Alliance, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, June 2, by Dr. J. B. Carns of the First M. E. church, Elsie V. Johnston and Charles A. Metcalfe, both of Hyannis. The wedding march was played by May Graham. The bride was most becomingly gowned.

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RETURNS WILL SHOW ABOUT 765 Two Precincts Remain Unheard from—Total of 12 out of 14 Precincts Shows 635

It is estimated that some 765 men between the ages of 21 and 30 registered in Box Butte county on Tuesday, June 5, in accordance with the law and the proclamation of the president.

When asked whether or not any had been found in Box Butte county who had failed to register, County Clerk Mounts declined to talk for publication.

THE COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION, consisting of the County Commissioners, the County Assessor and the County Clerk will meet on June 12, to consider and equalize personal property valuations of Box Butte County for the year 1917.

REPORT OF CITY MISSION Condensed report of treasurer of Board of Alliance City Mission for the months of March, April and May, 1917:

Table with columns for Income and Expense, listing various items like On hand March 1, United Pres. Aid, Baptist Aid, etc.

A HOT TIME IN OLD ALLIANCE

Stockmen's Reunion Scheduled for June 27, 28, 29 Promises to Be One Howling Success

THOUSANDS ARE COMING HERE

Genuine "Old West" Celebration and All the Thrills of Old Frontier Days to Be Thrown In

Right now every reader of this article should brand his mind with three dates—June 27, 28 and 29. These are the dates when the biggest of the big stockmen's celebrations will be staged in Alliance.

Wortham Carnival Coming The great Wortham Carnival attractions including twenty big and splendid shows will be one of the feature attractions of Stockmen's Reunion week.

An elaborate program has been prepared for the afternoons of the three days—Wednesday, Thursday and Friday—when the Reunion is in progress. Hundreds and hundreds of dollars are being offered as prizes for the winners in relay races, running races, cowboy and cowgirl contests, etc.

Wild Mules Needed Mules are needed—the wilder they are the better. The sum of \$15 and keep will be paid for the use of each and every mule taking part in the three-day program.

Committee in Charge The committee in charge of the Stockmen's Reunion is as follows: J. W. Guthrie—Concessions. Walter Barnes—Races. Geo. D. Darling—Finance and Grounds.

Ben J. Sallows—Publicity, Music. H. M. Bushnell, Jr.—Carnival and secretary of all committees.

Never before has anything so spectacular, so justly out of the ordinary, so awe inspiring, so totally thrilling, been attempted in Alliance. There will be literally thousands of visitors in Alliance for this one biggest of all big events.

On Friday evening Jerome Fleming and Walter Schott entertained at a pleasant theatre party. The guests were: Misses Corinne Mollring, Lucile Fawcett, Lois Mote, Wilma Mote, Edith Jacks, Marie Kibble, Alta Dye, Marjorie Stephens, Vera Nicolai, and Messrs. Hugh O'Connor, John Carey, Homer Barnes, Ray Butler, Dewey Donovan, Laverne Butler and Warren Lotspeich.

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