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FOR SALE—Good section of land. Located ten miles southeast of Bingham, Nebraska. Price only \$4500. Address or see Louise Harp, Bingham, Nebraska, for particulars. 38-11-8515f

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A practically new HART-PARR OIL TRACTOR: 40 on the belt, 27 draw bar. "Money Maker" Thresher, 29 Special by 48. Oliver No. 6, 6-bottom 14-inch Engine Gang Plow.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

Herald ads bring results. Try one in the next issue.

L. D. Blair is figuring on an eight-room residence to be built in Antioch.

Obey that impulse—Buy a box of 100 bars White Russian or Flake White Soap, \$4.00. 21 bars \$1. at the Standard Merc. Co. Cash is King.

J. Fairfield, employed at the Nebraska plant at Antioch, was brought to Alliance Monday for medical attention. He scalded his foot one day last week and the burn failed to heal as it should. Mrs. Fairfield accompanied him to Alliance.

Orval Horner of Marsland was in town the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hartman of Marsland were in Alliance Tuesday.

Do you read the correspondence in The Herald from the nearby towns and surrounding country? No doubt you will find much that will interest you in these columns.

C. H. Jones of Bingham came up Sunday to take a job as brakeman.

Mrs. Ira Rentfro of Bingham was operated upon Friday at St. Joseph's hospital. She is reported to be recovering nicely.

Martin Kocar, formerly employed by the Burlington at Alliance, who was promoted in June to a more responsible position at Sterling, Colo., writes Alliance friends that he is now getting nicely settled in his new home. Martin had been located in Alliance for two years.

Miss Eunice Burnett came up from the ranch at Mullen last Thursday. She expects soon to go to Denver, where she will take up active work in her profession, that of vocal music teacher.

Paul W. Thomas, musician in Company H, Sixth regiment, Nebraska National Guard, now encamped at Chadron, came down Sunday for a short visit with relatives and friends, returning Monday afternoon. He was somewhat "under the weather", the result of vaccinations and inoculations which the soldier boys are undergoing to make them immune to several diseases.

Mayor W. E. Rousey and family returned Saturday night from a vacation of two weeks spent in the Black Hills of South Dakota. In the party were also Miss Ruth Hawes, Homer and Earl Barnes of Crawford, and "Jim" Hughes and family. The mayor is now back in the harness and ready to assume the cares of looking after the affairs of a bustling little city like Alliance. He has called the adjourned meeting of the city council for Friday evening to take up business which needs attention.

Rev. W. S. York, pastor of the Methodist church at Hemingford, was an Alliance visitor Wednesday.

W. O. Barnes ran down from Crawford Wednesday noon, returning on the afternoon train. Mr. Barnes is busily engaged in the auto business and making good at Crawford. His many friends are pleased to learn that he has all the business he can handle.

C. J. Fought, traveling salesman for the L. C. Smith & Brothers typewriter company, recently sold five of the Silent Eight models to the Alliance city schools for the commercial department. Owing to the great demand for these machines Mr. Fought is having his hands full trying to persuade the company to divert five of these late models to this city. He is hoping to have them delivered before school starts in order that pupils in the commercial department may have the opportunity to use them in practice.

A. A. McReynolds of Nehawka, Nebr., was an Alliance visitor last week. He is interested in Box Butte county property and made a trip up here a year ago. He is one of the progressive young men of southeastern Nebraska and would make a valuable citizen to this end

of the state if he could be induced to locate here.

The Herald has received five requests for furnished rooms today.

Richard Auker, one of the progressive young farmers of eastern Nebraska, residing on his farm near Wayne, is in Alliance today, stopping over for a visit with relatives—C. E. Livinghouse and Mrs. Lloyd Thomas. Mr. Auker will stop over at Rushville on his return home for a visit with relatives at that point also. His trip this time was made for the purpose of investigating the agricultural possibilities of this end of the state.

NORTHWEST NEBRASKA COMING TO FRONT

Recognition of Latent Resources by Outside Parties and Capital Seeking Profitable Investment

Is it any benefit to northwestern Nebraska to have its wonderful undeveloped resources known by people in other parts of the country? It most assuredly is.

Within the last few years, and especially within the last few months, the attention of enterprising capitalists has been attracted to this country, with the result that they are seeking investment here.

Articles like the following from The Trade Review of Lincoln are interesting thousands of people in eastern Nebraska and other states and give western Nebraska a lot of valuable publicity:

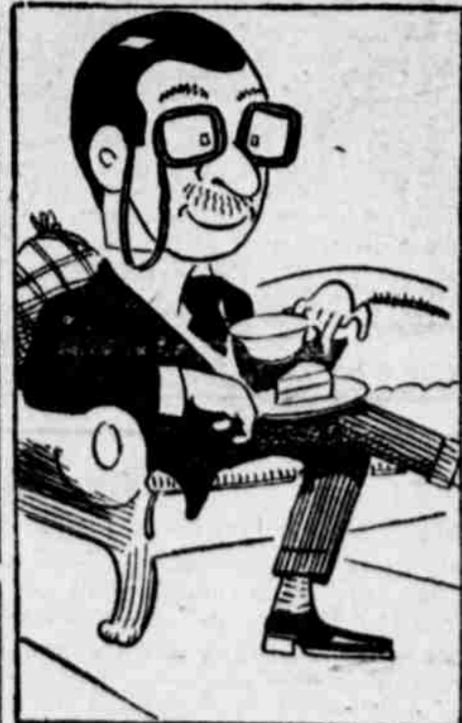
In no other place in the state is there such evidence of increased crop production as there is in northwest Nebraska and the way this section of the state is moving forward along agricultural lines would be a surprise to any who have not recently visited it.

Northwest Nebraska is moving ahead in every way. Its towns are building rapidly; the population is steadily increasing and new homes, opened upon vacant lands, are everywhere in evidence. In the great irrigated section of the North Platte river, there will be an increase of 30 per cent in the sugar beets grown this year. This may prove too conservative an estimate. The three sugar factories, the two at Scottsbluff and Gering, and the third one that will be completed early in the fall at Bayard, will make a market of the largest kind for beets produced not only in that section, but for one hundred miles distant.

Alfalfa went through the winter better in that territory than in any other section of the state. What winter wheat is grown there came up this spring practically a 100 per cent stand. The spring wheat acreage has been increased 50 per cent in such counties as Cheyenne and Kimball that have become large wheat growing counties. The increase in oats will also be large.

It is, however, in potatoes that northwest Nebraska will give to the world the largest crop grown in any similar section in the country. Reports of increase in acreage are remarkable and yet they have been compiled carefully. Box Butte county that planted in 1916, 5,577 acres, has planted this year 8,800 acres; Sheridan county that planted in 1916, 5,460 acres, has planted this spring 7,500 acres; Scotts Bluff county has increased its potato acreage from 1,126 acres in 1916 to over 4,000 acres in 1917. Morrill county has planted this year over five times the acreage of potatoes it planted one year ago. Keith and Lincoln and Dawes counties are growing double their potato acreage planted last year. Estimating the

THE PET PARLOR PYTHON



We have here a Fine Example of the pet Parlor Python. He has almost solved the Board, Lodging and Amusement problem. Five or Six Nights a week he Comes and Hangs around the Parlor until Her Father asks him what his Intentions are. Then the Parlor Python hunts him a New Parlor.

This picture came to our office without the name of the Alliance citizen whom it represents being attached. However, we believe our readers may have an idea as to who he is. In order to find him we offer **A REWARD OF ONE DOLLAR** to the reader who first mails to this office the name of the Pet Parlor Python. We will not judge who this is but will allow our readers to do so. The person receiving the largest number of votes (designations) will be adjudged the victim. Readers writing their guess must give their name and address. The date of the postoffice stamp will count on the letters. Tell why you believe this represents the person whom you name.

increased acreage at the average ten-year yield, Box Butte county and Sheridan county will produce a million bushels of potatoes each; the acreage planted in Box Butte county may increase its yield a hundred thousand bushels above the million point.

In this connection, it is only justice to say that there has been no such a complete and comprehensive report of what any single section of the state is doing as the report of the committee on potatoes and beans of which Representative Lloyd Thomas was chairman made at the conservation congress at Omaha on what is being done in this line in the state and especially in northwest Nebraska. The Alliance Herald gave several pages of the most valuable information concerning not only what is being done in that section in the way of potato culture, but giving a large amount of information along the line of handling and marketing the crop interspersed with that enthusiasm over the outlook that counts for so much in accomplishment.

It is only a few years since northwest Nebraska was unknown and not on the map as a farming section. Ten or fifteen years ago, none appreciated—not even those living in that section of the state realized—what a future of growth and development was opening up for that section. Today, northwest Nebraska is coming in seven-league boots. It is moving forward in the way of active and energetic development beyond any other section.

ORA PHILLIPS WILL JOIN AVIATION CORPS

Box Butte County Man Decides to Enter "Sky Pilot" Profession after Trials in Washington

Ora E. Phillips, former Alliance business man, now residing with his parents on their large ranch near Hemingford, has decided that he will join the aviation corps of the United States army at an early date and his friends are already congratulating him on his decision to give his services to his country in the highest branch of the army.

Mr. Phillips returned Saturday from an extended western trip of a number of weeks. His trip included visits at Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle and Vancouver. While in Seattle he took five extended aeroplane trips over the city, securing a number of photographs with his camera, some of which were pronounced by experts the best taken there.

After finding out the east with which an aeroplane can be handled and the pleasure of riding in the air and not having to bother with muddy or bumpy roads, or flat tires, Mr. Phillips came to the decision that he would "do his bit" by offering his services to the government as an aviator. He is now arranging his business affairs so that he can be spared for an indefinite period. His physical condition is excellent and he should have no difficulty in "breaking in" the aviation corps.

On his return trip Mr. Phillips stopped at Blackfoot, Idaho, and visited with a number of former Box Butte county people who are located there, among them being the West Thompson and Clint Sullenberger families, all of whom are doing excellently and are prosperous.

W. C. T. U. TO HOLD COUNTY CONVENTION

Thursday, August 30, Date for Holding of Annual Box Butte County Meeting

The annual Box Butte county W. C. T. U. convention will be held in Alliance Thursday, August 30. The meetings will be held in the Baptist church. Following is the program for both the morning and afternoon sessions:

- 9:45 a. m.—Executive Committee meeting.
- 10 a. m.—Song.
- Devotionals—Mrs. J. B. Carns.
- Roll Call—Response. Current Items.
- Address of Welcome—Mrs. J. A. Keegan.
- Response.
- Minutes of last county convention.
- Minutes of county institutes.
- Report of local presidents.
- Unfinished business.
- Music.
- Election of officers.
- Question Box.
- 12 M.—Noontide prayer.
- Cafeteria lunch.
- 1:30 p. m.—Devotionals, Mrs. S. J. Epler.
- Mission Work in Box Butte County—S. E. Mark.
- Law Enforcement—Rev. A. A. Layton.
- Vocal Solo—Miss Alta Young.
- Is the Work of the W. C. T. U. Done?—Rev. J. B. Carns.
- Hemingford paper.
- Our Finances—Mrs. Layton.
- Instrumental Duet—Flora Spencer and Vera Dow.
- Our Work in the Present War—Rev. F. E. Black.
- Address—Why Women Should Vote.
- Mothers' Meeting—Mrs. F. M. Phelps.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
 Paul Crawford to Fred Crawford, NE 1/4 Sec. 1-25-51, \$1.
 Lena V. Crawford to Fred Crawford, NW 1/4 1-25-51, \$1.
 John Crawford and wife to Fred Crawford, NE 1/4 1-25-51, \$500.
 J. W. Gaddis and wife to Elizabeth F. Kuhn, NW 1/4 11-26-47, \$2,400.
 Earl Hannah and wife to Bentley Land Co., NE 1/4 13-26-48, \$1.
 Mary E. Bowman and husband to Norman A. McCorkle, NE 1/4 32-25-47, \$4,800.

SOCIETY

The W. C. T. U. is meeting this afternoon with Mrs. Phelps. At the meeting this afternoon the annual election of officers will take place.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. W. S. Acheson, being the last meeting of the foreign missionary society for the year.

Yesterday afternoon the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist church met with Mrs. M. F. Donovan.

Mesdames Hughes, O. E. Williams, Getnry and Bacon were hostesses yesterday to the Ladies' Circle of the Christian church, at the J. A. Bacon home. A delightful musical program was rendered. Refreshments were served.

Mildred Dole was hostess to a dozen of her little friends Friday afternoon. The guests were Cecil Weidenhamer, Jamie Bogue, Betty Bogue, Irene Epler, Falba Cole, Helen Stark, Druella Adams, Agnes Nelson, Mary O'Keefe, Ellen Allen, Dorothy Davis and Eileen Dettien.

This afternoon the ladies of the G. I. A. are being entertained by Mesdames J. H. Klassin and J. A. Jansons at the home of the former on Emerson avenue.

Mrs. A. H. Robbins was hostess Monday afternoon at a kensington for her aunt, Mrs. Beck, who is her guest this summer. Those present were the Mesdames Beck, L. E. Mark, C. H. Fuller, W. B. Young, A. A. Layton, E. G. Laing and J. A. Witowack.

Friday afternoon Mrs. R. E. McKenzie entertained fifteen youngsters at a birthday party for her son, Hoover, who was 5 years old that day. The little guests were Freida Tully, Tommy Tully, Duane Darling, Ray Brown, Keith Sturgeon, Marian Sturgeon, Bill Newberry, Billie Quick, Ruth Gleason, Helen Stark, Dorothy Stanton, Paul Truitt, Edward Knight and Gene Kaufmann.

A sunrise breakfast was enjoyed at Broncho lake early Friday morn-

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ing by a number of girls accompanied by Mrs. J. O. Walker. Besides Mrs. Walker the party consisted of Nell Gavin, Katherine Harris, Betty Shaw, Josephine Wilson, Elizabeth Wilson, Marjorie Grebe and Frances Schott.

The members of the Inter Se club were entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. W. W. Johnson, it being the regular meeting. The hostess served a two-course luncheon.

The Alliance Eight-Week Club held its meeting Friday afternoon, sewing for the Red Cross being the principal diversion. The club meets again tomorrow (Friday) at Red Cross headquarters.

Mrs. Joseph O'Connor was hostess at a pleasant Kensington to the members of the T. A. A. club at her home in the Flora apartments Tuesday afternoon.

A sunflower social will be held tonight at the Bera's schoolhouse by the True-Blue Eight Week Club of Berea.

The ladies of the Eastern Star chapter will meet at Alliance Red Cross headquarters in the Masonic building at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon to sew for the Red Cross. All members are requested to attend.

Miss Mayme Ackers of the Good-streak neighborhood was in Alliance Saturday.

APPLES!

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- Coal Gate, Okla., July 3-4—High Amateur Average, Grover Spencer, 374 ex 400.
- High Prof. Average, K. L. Eagan, 381 ex 400.
- Escanaba, Mich., July 14-15—High Amateur Average, Capt. J. F. Wulf, 237 ex 250.



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