

Local News Notes

Miss Edith Reddish is home for Christmas.

The Alliance Creamery is still paying 72c per pound for butter fat.

Michael Nolan, the naval aviator, is home on a short furlough.

Felix Sandoz and family of Hilton came to Alliance Friday by auto for a shopping trip.

Mrs. Vernon, who formerly lived in Alliance, spent Sunday visiting friends here.

Donald Spencer is spending his Christmas vacation visiting his parents in Alliance.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Townsend left Saturday noon for Lincoln to spend Xmas with their parents.

Miss Margaret Harris is home during the holidays from her school in Kentucky.

Miss Doris Cotton of Antioch was a Christmas guest at the home of Mrs. O. D. Hobbs in this city.

Dr. John McCoy left Wednesday evening for a short visit with his mother in Marshall county, Kansas.

Miss Hazel McCollister, teacher in Central School, spent Christmas day with friends at Chadron.

Charley Spacht is home on a furlough for Christmas. He is a sailor boy at the Great Lakes training school near Chicago.

The three banks of Alliance were closed on Wednesday that the employees might properly observe Christmas.

Secretary W. D. Fisher returned the latter part of the week from Wyoming, where he had been to file on a tract of homestead land.

Miss Davis, who is employed in the office of the Guardian Trust Company spent Christmas with her home folks near Crawford.

Miss Theresa Morrow daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morrow, is spending the holidays with her parents. She

is attending the state university at Lincoln.

Norman Newberry son of Mr and Mrs. C. A. Newberry, is home from Lincoln where he has been attending the state university as a member of the S. A. T. C.

Miss Mable Ormsby came home from Casper to spend Christmas with her father. Miss Ormsby is now assistant Burlington ticket agent at the big oil city.

Merritt Chaffee, of Alliance, a musician in a navy band, had the unique privilege of being sent to France after the cessation of hostilities. He has now returned to New York.

The Herald office this week turned out several jobs of color printing of which it is proud. It is equipped to handle anything that you might wish in this line.

Ralph Bulger, barber employed in the Eagle Barber Shop left Wednesday for Arcadia in answer to a telegram stating that a niece was dangerously ill with the flu.

Noel Young spent Christmas at home with his parents. He was absent from his military duties on a short furlough. He is now taking training in the navy school near San Francisco.

W. E. Spencer, manager of the Alliance Creamery returned Friday from Omaha where he had been in attendance at a meeting of creamery men called by the food administration.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hobbs, of near Bridgeport, are guests of the formers mother, Mrs. O. D. Hobbs living on Big Horn street. Mr. Hobbs has recently sold his farming interests near that place and has yet not decided as to his future.

Donald Spencer will return to Lincoln Sunday after a two weeks' visit with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spencer. Donald was a member of the S. A. T. C. and since receiving his discharge will resume his studies at the Nebraska University where he is a member of the Junior class.

Tom Spencer, one of the most widely known Alliance traveling men, has been recommended by Post M. T. P. A for the appointment as deputy food and hotel inspector for the district

in which Alliance is located. Mr. Spencer has traveled out of Alliance for many years and is well fitted for the place which is now held by Jack Tiler, who leaves with the change in administrations the first of the year.

Clint Ewing, better known as "Dad" to the traveling fraternity, who traveled out of Alliance for several years as representative of the Iten Biscuit Company, is spending the holidays visiting friends in Alliance. Dad is now general traveling representative for the company and covers not only Nebraska but several surrounding states.

After eighteen months in the service, Paul W. Thomas on Saturday received his honorable discharge from the army and spent Christmas day at Lincoln with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thomas. Paul was instructor of instrumental music at the Chadron state normal when he enlisted in the Sixth Nebraska National Guard regiment and went to Camp Cody. He will visit Alliance soon and then spend a few days at Chadron, after which he expects to return to Lincoln where he will attend the university.

Four short courses, each four weeks long, will be given by the University of Nebraska beginning January 27. These courses are open to any one more than 15 years old. They are very practical in their nature. The four courses are: General agriculture which deals with better farming methods, study of seed selection, soil tillage, judging of stock, care and diseases of stock and plants, poultry raising, and the growing of fruits and vegetables. Automobile an tractor: instruction for the farmer who handles his own machine; lectures and shop work on engines, taking up all the troubles of operation and repair. Dairying: Practical training in the essentials of the dairy business, selection and care of cattle, feeding, housing, butter making, separators, care of milk, etc. Rural economics; Farm accounting, bookkeeping, records, organization, equipment, marketing, exchanges, grading, co-operative organization, etc. For further information write Principal, school of Agriculture, University Farm, Lincoln.

BOOK-KEEPER NOW TELLS OF TROUBLES

Smith Had Been Going Down Hill Eight Years—Gained Seventeen Pounds By Taking Tanlac

"This Tanlac has put me in shape to where I have gained seventeen pounds," said H. G. Smith, living at the Braud House, Butte, Mont. recently. Mr. Smith has been bookkeeper for the Tramway Mine for the past twelve years, and also owns a valuable ranch at Jefferson Island and is one of the best known and respected men in Montana.

"My stomach has given me so much trouble for the past eight or nine years," he continued, "that I was all the time taking something trying to get some relief. My food didn't seem to digest at all, and my stomach was in such a bad fix that if I leaned against my desk I would almost cry out with pain. I tried doing without meats, and lived on a diet of the very lightest things, but neither that nor anything else helped me. Finally my back got to hurting me across my kidneys, and I got so tired and worn out that I would have to lay off some days and rest up. I was troubled with constipation, and frequent headaches and lost weight until I got down to only one hundred and twenty eight pounds. I have always been a steady worker, but I had gotten to where I never felt like putting in full time so you may know I was a pretty sick man."

"When I saw about Tanlac in the papers I was feeling so miserable that I was ready to try anything there was a chance of giving me some relief. So I got a bottle and soon started up hill. I now weigh one hundred and forty-five pounds, which gives me a gain of seventeen pounds, and makes me heavier and stronger than I have been since my troubles started. My appetite is enormous, everything I eat agrees with me, and all the trouble has disappeared from my stomach entirely. My back stopped hurting me by the time I had finished my first bottle, and I'm never bothered any more with constipation and headache. My strength and energy has all come back to me, and I can work every day and feel none the worse from it. My wife is now taking Tanlac and I'm sure she will have something good to say for it, too, as it certainly is a wonderful medicine. Hardly a day passes but what I tell somebody how it has helped me."

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