

**STUDENTS EXEMPT FROM SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

All the grades below the high school students who have not been tardy, who have not been absent more than five days, providing such absence is for a satisfactory reason, and who have taken all preceding examinations, are excused from the semester examination if they have an average of 90 per cent with no grade below 80 per cent. The following students in the grades below the high school were excused from the first semester examinations:

**Emerson**

Eighth grade—Parker Davis, Chas. Ewing, Blanche Hunt, Evelyn Kuhn, Robert Laing, Verne Laing, Jewel Price and Mildred Stolt.

Seventh grade—Maurine Bald, Howard Cogswell, Lucille Dickenson, Esther Frederick, Vera Lowry, Alice Prstyman, Ruth Schill and Nellie Sturgeon.

Sixth grade—Dennis Bicknell, Hazel Young, Robert Garrett, Orval Johnson, Henry O'Bannon, Robert Gillette, Dorothy Rodgers, Zeta Redfern, John Barker, Avon Robbins, Bess Nelson, Harold Vanderlas, Carl Rust, Edwin Miller.

Fifth grade—Pearl Bacon, Clarence Butler, Marie Clark, Franklin Campbell, Louise Cogswell, Cecil Coates, Edna Fenner, William Fuller, Frank Hirst, Helen Hively, Wayne Huston, Kenneth Ives, Harold Jeffers, Guylla Miller, Gladys Parsons, Leola Schill, Dorothy Stanton, Beulah Van Kirk, Gladys Waddell, and Veva Wilson.

Fourth grade—Hazel Anderson, Donald Bicknell, Polly Campbell, Clara Covalt, Nellie Emmanuel, Chester Fenner, Margaret Hopkins, Edward Knight, Charles Larkin, Joe McLaughlin, Edith O'Bannon, Elson Potter, Thelma Redfern, Bernice Rust, Laura Sturgeon, Margaret Thiele, Lester Trabert and Dorothy Worley.

Third grade—Mildred Cleveland, James Cornu, May Gillett, Vivian Jeffers, Forest McNett, and Chester McNett.

**Central School**

Eighth grade—Paul Thompson, Grayce Fink and Stella Moore.

Seventh grade—Esther Dedmore, Nell Gavin, Ruth Wilson, Janice Willis and Maxwell Routh.

Sixth grade—Harry Beagle, Mabel Boon, Arline Dobry, Margaret Fuller, Mildred Gregory, Tena Herbert, Maggie Marshall, Doris Shaw, Nellie Tracy, Falba Cole, George Williams, Rex Thompson and Doris Mallory.

Fifth Grade—Dixon Grassman, Dorothy Marks, Mary Keiser, Mildred Hiles, Grace Gahagen, Irene Epler, Marvin Giarum, Marion Harris, James Hunter, William Pauling, Wilbur Prall, Dorothy Armour, Freddie Hunzicker, Martha Miller, Lillian Fuller, Mildred Dedmore, Dorothy Pederson, Evelyn Short, Ethelyn Rockey, Lucy Merk and Josephine Duery.

Fourth grade—Clemen Routh, Cleo Routh, Mildred Dole, Nell Miller, Edith Scott, Janice Shelton, Marguerite Pahlow, Donna Pederson, Louise Williams, Beatrice Fosdick, Thomas Kelly, Marvin Rockey, Raymond Snyder.

Third grade—Edna Tracy, Lucille Young, Margaret Johnson, Mabel Keethler, Dessie Hahn, Fern Miller, Esther Herbaugh, Leonard Hunzicker, Hoover McKenzie, Keith Sturgeon, Buster Keethler, Robert Reed and Guy Tice.

**High School**

In the high school students who have not been tardy, who have not been absent to exceed five days, provided that such absence is for a satisfactory reason, are excused from examinations in those subjects in which they have a grade of 90 per cent or more. The following students were excused from all semester examinations:

Esther Vanderlas, Dorothy Hampton, Blanche Peterson, Edith Soth, Ida Simpson, Margaret Schill, Rowland Threlkeld, Lucille Butler, Evangeline Acheson, Philip Kilian, William Hilton, J. Cantlin, Mark Anderson, Threlkeld, Floyd Irwin, Lilla Graham, Helen Hawes, Royal Irwin, Sybil Hutchinson, Lillie Simpson, Bernice Shanklin, Hilda Haeffner, Elsie Simpson, Thelma Zobel, Ruth Stanton, Frances Grassman, Mary Woolis and Tom Miller.

**NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS IN ALLIANCE**

**HARRY E. ROSETTA**

Landscape Architect and Gardener. 124 1/2 Box Butte Ave., Alliance.

I have had fifteen years experience; am a graduate of the Los Angeles school and make a specialty of western grown shrubbery. I furnish all stock. I have the latest designs in animals, birds, monograms, fancy figures. I do all my own grafting of shrubbery and carry a full line of trees, shrubs, vines, plants, grafted roots, liliae, etc., growing two to four different blooms on the same bush—something beautiful. I also have the famous Jap blue grass. It looks like a velvet carpet and is a deep rooted grass that stays green all summer and does not winter kill. I make all fancy designs and guarantee my stock to grow and Alliance needs me. I am here to stay. Let me make an examination of your soil, draw a sketch free of charge and show you what can be made of your lawn. I also carry a full line of house and garden plants. See me now for your spring work. I can make your place just as nice as any home in California. I oversee all my planting and the care of same for the summer. Can give the best of references from Denver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, Colorado Springs and Des Moines, Iowa. No Job too large or too small. Phone 716 or call 124 1/2 Box Butte avenue, Room 1. Yours for a better home, HARRY E. ROSETTA.

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**AT THE CHURCHES**

**BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES**

As a new-comer we are glad to greet the readers of these words, and hope to be able to meet them at services next Sunday. We shall endeavor to be of help to the entire community, and we are interested in every phase of community life. If at any time we can be of any help we will be glad to do what we can to make Alliance a better and more attractive place to live in.

The pastor gladly offers his services and will esteem it a great favor to be informed of any one needing the same. He will visit the aged, shut in, and sick, read and pray with them, attend funerals whenever it is desired, irrespective of the fact of church membership or non-church membership.

He particularly desires to meet and get acquainted with and help so far as he may be able those who have no religious connection or church home. Jesus Christ came to earth to minister and not to be ministered unto, and as a humble servant of Christ the pastor would serve men everywhere.

Subjects next Sunday are as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning sermon, "The Coin of the Realm." Text, Matt. 22:20, at 11 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening sermon, text, Matt. 25:46. Subject, "Can the Doctrine of Hell be Justified on Reasonable Ground?"

Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30. Subject, "How We Grieve the Holy Ghost." Lesson, Eph. 4.

Last Wednesday there were twenty-nine at prayer meeting. Let us try to double this next Wednesday by each bringing someone else. If we are needed in any way, call us up at the parsonage at 619 Laramie.

B. J. MINORT, Pastor.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

"Important Officials," and "The Rejected Stone," are the subjects to be discussed next Lord's day. Preaching is one of the means ordained of God to edify the people. The table of the Lord is his memorial. Christian growth depends upon loyalty to Him. What are your sentiments? Are you present at all services when possible to come?

The paving tax is all paid and we are truly grateful to the members and friends who made this possible. This is a difficult time to raise money, but men and women gave so very cheerfully that we rejoice in their generosity.

All meetings of the church are for the purpose of helping you. At least one-seventh of man's time as well as one-tenth of his income should be dedicated to God. You are interested in the church, then come to the church with a message and a welcome.

STEPHEN J. EPLER, Minister.

**METHODIST CHURCH**

Sunday morning the pulpit will be filled by Rev. O. S. Baker, D.D., former pastor of this church and now superintendent of the Alliance district. It is expected that Mrs. Baker will be here also.

In the evening at 7:30 a set of pictures illustrating "The Trial of Jesus" from the painting of the famous French artist, James Tissot, will be shown. No artist has gained such fame by his biblical art works as Tissot. In his early career in Paris, he intended to specialize in paintings of women—all types of women from the best to the worst. He painted "The Actress," "The Woman of the Street" and "The Choir Girl." While an irreligious and immoral man himself, in order to paint "The Choir Girl," he attended church and studied the faces of singers. A profound impression was made on his mind of the reality of religion, and he decided to change his career. He visited the Holy land, spent ten years studying the scenes of the life of Christ and put them on canvass. Each scene was painted on the spot where it took place. We will be pleased to be able to show a set of slides made from these pictures next Sunday night.

MEARL C. SMITH, Pastor.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH NOTES**

The young people's missionary circle will meet Monday evening, January 24, at the home of Miss Mildred Rickman, 905 Box Butte with Miss Rickman, Miss Nellie Maycock and Miss Ethel Swanson as hostesses. Rev. S. J. Epler will be the leader and a good attendance is desired.

**THE LUTHERAN CHURCH**

Divine Services at 2:30 in the afternoon on Sunday in the German language. Sunday school at 10:00 o'clock in the morning.

F. DROEGEMUELLER, Pastor.

**MAKERS OF HOME BREW SUBJECT TO FINE OF \$1,000**

A ruling by the United States treasury department at Washington that manufacturers of home brew beer are subject to a penalty of \$1,000 was received by John A. Grogan, collector of internal revenue for the eastern Michigan district. The ruling stipulates manufacture of home brew is a violation, even where there is no sale or evidence of consumption, it was announced.

The ruling was asked in the case of a Detroit man and the treasury department held, according to Grogan, that the Detroit man was liable to penalty as a manufacturer under section 35 of the national prohibition act.

"The penalty applies," Mr. Grogan said, "wherever intoxicating malt liquors have been manufactured."

The penalty, it was explained, is similar to the percentage quality imposed on a delinquent taxpayer, and is not a fine resulting from criminal prosecution.

**MANY PUPILS WIN AWARDS IN PENMANSHIP**

The following pupils from Central and Emerson schools have earned Palmer awards in penmanship the first semester:

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| Clifford Gregory | George Clark      |
| Clemen Routh     | Helen Eberly      |
| Louise Williams  | Helen Hively      |
| Donna Pederson   | Kenneth Ives      |
| Mildred Dole     | Harold Jeffers    |
| Edith Scott      | Wayne Huston      |
| Inez Duncan      | Everard Nice      |
| Nell Miller      | Doris Ives        |
| Lenington        | Gail Robbins      |
| McPherson        | Gwendolyn Maloney |
| John Holmes      | Beulah Baird      |
| Margaret Pahlow  | Deforest Walker   |
| Carl Frederick   | Lewis Covalt      |
| Raymond Garrett  | Mary Beth Lucas   |
| Lavaughn Moore   | Orville Johnson   |
| Lloyd Sloan      | Dorothy Rodgers   |
| Adah Turner      | Zeta Redfern      |
| Gladys Snyder    | Iris Dye          |
| Jack Noble       | Henry O'Bannon    |
| Erwin Hunzicker  | Bess Nelson       |
| Elbert Whisman   | Mary Mayone       |
| Jackson Linear   | Esther Frederick  |
| John Barrett     | Forde Moore       |
| Wauvita Wykoff   | Leo Anderson      |
| Quincy Myers     | Maurine Bald      |
| Lyle Mote        | Vera Lowry        |
| George Williams  |                   |

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| Clarice Lawrence  | Ruth Moxon         |
| Rex Thompson      | Vern Gribble       |
| Rex Kelley        | Nellie Dickinson   |
| Lawrence Phipps   | Lucille Sturgeon   |
| Omar Austin       | Esther Bacon       |
| Glen Hughes       | Edith Mewhirter    |
| Clayton Romig     | Frank Campbell     |
| Harold Sprague    | Jewel Price        |
| Geraldine Bradley | Rosemary Maguire   |
| Mildred Best      | Frank Mounts       |
| Clifford Greyorg  | Irving Wong        |
| Inez Young        | Marie Harmer       |
| Thelma Dedmore    | Robert Abar        |
| Laura Sturgeon    | William Eberly     |
| Clara Covalt      | Parker Davis       |
| Emerson Carroll   | George Jeffers     |
| Odette Hand       | Oliver Overman     |
| Margaret Wadum    | Mabel A. Sturgeon  |
| Dorothy Worley    | Glen Worley        |
| Dorothy Davis     | Edna Mae Miller    |
| Carl Marcum       | Verne Laing        |
| Edith O'Bannon    | Margaret Vanderlas |
| Thelma Redfern    | Mildred Stolt      |
| France            | Robert Laing       |
| Shaughnessy       | Evelyn Kuhn        |
| Lloyd Overman     | Retta Simpson      |
| Leona Grace       | William Keiser     |
| Bernice Rust      | Margaret Turner    |
| Margaret Hopkins  | James Hilton       |
| Hazel Anderson    | Dorothy Mote       |
| Lester Trabert    | Grayce Fink        |
| Chest. r Fenning  | Wauvita Robinson   |
| Bessie Bacon      | Sarah Gaghagan     |
| Elson Potter      |                    |

Miss Sibyl Hutchinson went to Letan Thursday to visit friends.

**CRUELTY TO SCOTCHMEN**

The origin of the bagpipe was being discussed, the representatives of different nations eagerly disclaiming responsibility for the atrocity. Finally an Irishman said: "Well, I'll tell you the truth about it. The Irish invented

it and sold it to the Scotch as a joke; and the Scotch ain't seen the joke yet!" — Watchman-Examiner (New York).

Mrs. Aaron Poole is recovering from her fall. She was able to sit up for a short while Sunday.

**PRICES Are Going Down**

—and that is good news for us all. But just as prices go down, the value of money GOES UP. That is the big reason why wise men are saving all the money they can right now.

They know that it will be worth much more later on.

SAVE NOW and you will BE GLAD later. If you haven't a Savings Account open one in this bank today.

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ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA

**When Snow and Slush**

are quite the fashion in the North, balmy breezes, sunny skies, moonlit bays and tropical flowers are the fashion in the South, and those who have gone there are enjoying all sorts of out-door recreation—luxuriating in the exotic atmosphere, unmindful of furnace fires, heavy wraps and the constant menace of catching cold. Those who bid farewell to the North at this time, return realizing more than ever before the real value of a winter vacation in that romantic, historic and beautiful land South of the Mason and Dixon line.

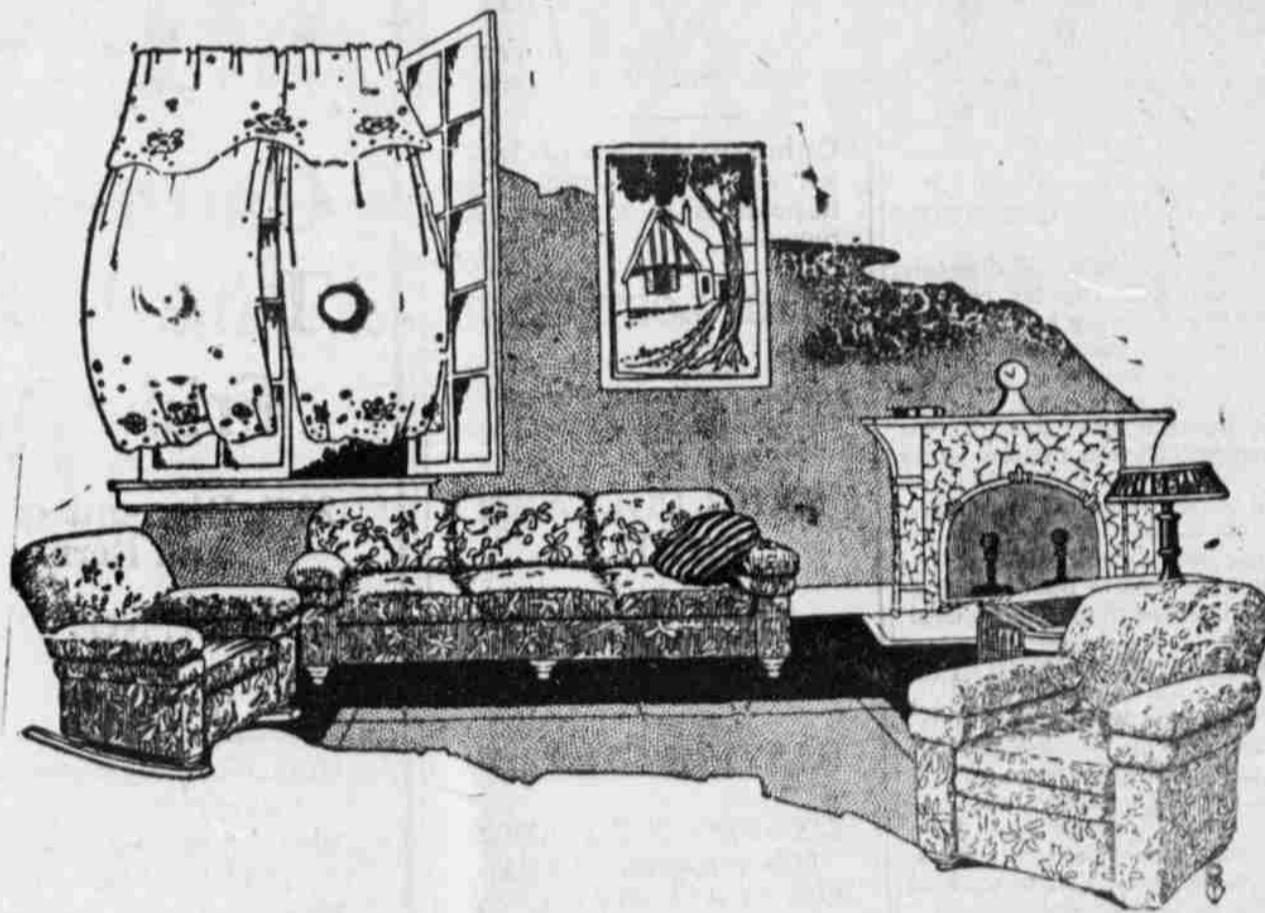
Start right! Take a Burlington-planned trip—past interesting and celebrated places. Go through Kansas City, St. Louis or Chicago. Go one way and return another. As soon as you decide the date on which you wish to leave, let me know, because

travel is heavy down that way and I want to protect your comfort and pleasure by reserving proper sleeping car space in advance.

H. L. ORMSBY, Ticket Agent



**Spring Furniture Prices Are Some LOWER**



**OUR MERCHANDISE REFLECTS CHANGE IN MARKET**

Furniture prices, like most other commodities, are returning to a lower, more stable basis. So far no sweeping reductions have taken place, but what have come, are immediately reflected in our prices.

We want to assure you that you get the advantage just as soon as we do.

**Reductions of From 10% to 20%**

**ON PART OF OUR LINES**

We do not wish to give you the impression that there is a general reduction on Furniture. We do want to impress on you that we have made some reductions, varying from 10 to 20% on reasonable furniture, in keeping with market changes, perhaps on just the things you need.

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