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THE CITY.

Smoke No. 5 cigar.

Mr. and Mrs. Zak visited Alliance yesterday.

Mr. A. L. Muirhead drove up from Alliance with his wife Monday.

Miss Stratton the postmistress at Berea was a Hemingford visitor Tuesday.

Pat Carey came down from the city Wednesday evening for a few days stay.

The ladies of the Congregation church will serve ice cream at court house to-night.

Rev. L. C. Burleigh and daughter of Rushville, were visiting Mr. Kendall and family last week.

Mr. H. and Mrs. Smith drove up from Alliance Sunday and spent the day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mounts.

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WELCH & SANTEE.

John Posvar one of the HERALD's readers in Lawn precinct was doing business in town Wednesday.

The Base Ball team will give a first-class dance Tuesday evening, at the court house. Turn out and have a good time.

Dunlap and Mirage ball teams played a game last Saturday on the former's grounds. The cheese makers won by a score of 31 to 32.

Mr. and Mrs. Watsbaugh have been visiting friends in the city the past week. They returned to their home at Camp Clark Thursday.

Country Clerk Neal and family and Frank Martin and wife are spending the week camping out at Hot Springs. They drove over here last week.

Mr. Miller and wife of Alliance visited the former's parents the first of the week. Melvin is just recovering from a very severe case of the mumps.

Superintendent Fillmore contributed \$3.00 on subscription last week. His brother Prof. J. R. Fillmore, Walker, Iowa, is also a reader of this family journal.

Miss May Loer was taken Sunday night. Her condition was critical for several days, but the skillful treatment of Dr. Blackburn, is slowly recovering.

Mr. Brennan of Hartwell, Mo., writes, "Enclosed please find \$1.50 for a year's subscription to the HERALD." Mr. Brennan has real estate interests in this county.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McLaughlin and Miss Noll of Marsland visited in Hemingford Tuesday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tash. Mr. McLaughlin and Colonel Tash called at these democratic headquarters.

Harry L. Bartlett of Dunlap, brother of Sheriff Bartlett, was in the city Tuesday and shipped 1,000 pounds of wool, this year's crop, from 135 sheep. Mr. Bartlett is a pushing, hard working young farmer.

Miss Zelia Hazelton, one of the Crawford teachers, came in on Wednesday morning's train from Lincoln where she has been attending a summer school at the state university. She will visit for a time with Mr. Fenner's at Dunlap.

D. H. Smith the ever pleasant and efficient night man at the depot has been promoted to the day shift at Broken Bow. We are pleased to note D. H.'s success as a night man is worthy of it. S. B. Walleck from the southern division takes his place.

Dr. Haller, dentist, the 31st.

Mr. R. S. Shipley of Liberty was a county seat visitor Monday.

A marriage license was issued this week to John H. Clark and Miss Armeta Squibb.

Mabel Curtis was taken so sick Tuesday that the services of Dr. Blackburn were necessary.

GET THE BABY'S PICTURE for the next ten days of Welch & Santee. Opposite Green's hardware store.

Don't forget to bring yourself and lady to the court house next Tuesday evening, and enjoy yourselves.

F. B. Adams a former resident of this place but now of Hill City, S. D., is in town shaking hands with old time friends.

Ice cream and cake to-night. The quality is sure to be good because it will be served by the Congregational ladies.

B. A. McCarthy, the only republican left at Berea, was in town yesterday. Mac has been under the weather a little, lately.

The Modern Woodmen placed a fine new chest in their hall this week. The lodge is growing in membership and is in a flourishing condition.

Gentlemen Welch & Santee will take a picture of the Institute next Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock sharp. Let all be promptly on time as you can not expect to be shot unless you are there.

The HERALD is sending out a number of extra copies every week, but not for the purpose of forcing it on anyone. Should you receive a copy, read and hand to your neighbor; no bill will follow.

W. C. Mounts sojourned in Alliance Sunday. Will is a full fledged candidate for sheriff, subject to the decision of the republican convention. He is a first-class fellow and has the confidence and esteem of all his friends, and they are numerous.

No one would think by seeing Mat Kratky that he is of an inventive turn of mind, but nevertheless Mat has a thinker and uses it too. This week he received from The Scientific American, a patent which they had secured for him upon an invention for a cooking apparatus. It is very simple, being a kind of kettle with an internal cover, for cooking all kinds of vegetables, such as peas, beans, lintel etc., without breaking them in any way. The contrivance will doubtless prove a very useful household article and Mat is jubilant over his prospects of realizing a neat little sum for the invention.

Marsand Items.

The Misses Poole, Dickey and Roll are attending the Institute in Hemingford.

Mrs. Vincent and Mrs. Wootton spent several days last week on Willow Creek visiting with Mrs. McMillan, and gathering blue berries.

Rev. J. B. Currens of Omaha and Mr. Card a student of the State University, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wootton Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. R. B. Gregg attended a birthday party last Tuesday given in honor of Mr. Simon Wright at his home in Belmont.

Mr. Felix Poole, an old soldier, died at his home in Marsland July 12th. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Wright in the Baptist church; there was a large attendance.

Alliance News.

Claud Nichols has been on the sick list this week. Miss Marshall has been assisting in the post office in the meanwhile.

Rev. Currens, formerly of Crawford and now of Omaha, was in the city Tuesday. He is the State Sunday School organizer.

Mrs. Duval and two daughters have been visiting her sister Mrs. Mitchell for the past two weeks. Mr. Duval is General Passenger Agent for the L. & N. R. R. and their home is in Tennessee.

Judge A. W. Agee of Aurora, general Attorney for the B & M on this division was in town last Saturday. He was collecting evidence in the case of Barker vs the B & M in a suit for damages caused by fire.

The baby of Mr and Mrs P. F. Collins who was accidentally poisoned a short time ago, died on Tuesday morning, and was buried Wednesday. It was a sad case and the sympathies of the community are with the family.

Marshal M. A. Shay went out to his farm over in Box Butte precinct last Sunday. He reports that corn and potatoes are doing fine, but that small grain is about "done up." He has 35 acres of corn from which he hopes to harvest a good crop.

William Hough returned from Omaha, Tuesday where he made arrangements for opening up the fourth saloon in Alliance, in the building just south of the Bank of Alliance. He will move his family down from Edgemont as soon as he gets to running.

First services were held in the new Episcopal chapel last Sunday. The building is a most neat and tasty one, costing a little over \$1,000, \$500 of which was donated by the Bishop. It is all paid for except \$47. The efforts of Rev. Robbins and his congregation in securing this chapel are worthy of the highest commendation.

Post Master Nichols has forwarded a petition to the Department asking for permission to remove the post office from its present location to a building across the street, where negotiations are pending for the erection of a brick building. Outrageous rents and pea nut roasters are assigned as the causes for a change of location, and the importance of the City demands a more metropolitan style for a post office.

Attorney W. A. Hampton has in hand the settlement of a very large English estate, involving lands in Iowa, Kansas, and Nebraska. The business connected with it will probably require his making a trip to England this fall. There are several hundred thousands of dollars involved, and the parties interested were fortunate in securing the services of an attorney who is thoroughly informed in the matter of western lands and who has the ability to push the case through successfully in the interest of his clients.

A meeting of the directors of the Box Butte county Agricultural society is called at the court house for Wednesday, July 31st, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of deciding upon an exhibit at the state fair. A. SHERWOOD, Pres.

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HEMINGFORD SCHOOL BUILDING, WHERE THE INSTITUTE IS BEING HELD.

INSTITUTE IN SESSION.

The Institute opened Monday with the same instructors as last year and with an enrollment of fifty-six. In this western country the summer institute is the only opportunity the teacher has of obtaining class work for gaining new knowledge in the line of his profession, consequently the majority of the teachers are here ready and willing and anxious to learn. Supt. Fillmore with his usual good judgment, fore-saw all this and selected some of the best instructors to be had in the state. Mr. B. G. Moulton, as the conductor, has the confidence and esteem of every one with whom he comes in contact, whether it is the teacher in the class or the citizen. His work merits the closest attention of every member of his classes. He ranks as one of the foremost educational leaders in the state and he can not fail to be a great factor in raising the standard of our schools.

Mrs. Muirhead's work needs no commendation. She has charge of the classes in reading, history, geography and grammar, and the happy smile that illuminates the faces of the teachers when the time comes for her recitations, speak in praise of her work, more than any words can. She has the happy faculty, (that every successful teacher must have) of inspiring an interest and a love for the work, in the heart of every pupil.

Prof. W. R. Siders, in his own inimitable way, conducts his classes, in that happy style that predominates in his character. His work is interesting in penmanship and drawing and a large majority of the teachers are taking advantage of the instruction in these branches.

State Supt. H. R. Corbett was present all day Tuesday and lectured in the Congregational church, to a large and appreciative audience in the evening. He digressed from the usual run of topics and took for his text a selection from Holmes "Build thee more stately mansions O my soul" He enlarged upon this and gave a very interesting talk upon nature study. His address will leave food for thought for a long time, in the minds of those who listened to it. Mr. Corbett seems to be a gentleman and a scholar in the fullest sense of the word and he has high aspirations for the schools of Nebraska.

To much can not be said in praise of Supt. Fillmore, who is putting forth every effort in his power, for the betterment of the teachers and the schools in Box Butte county. May he continue in his excellent work and he will be rewarded both now and here after.

Miss Hamilton who is one of our thorough teachers, does not expect to teach this year.

Mrs. Gillette, of Belmont, Dawes county, one of Box Butte's former teachers, is attending the Institute.

Mr. Moulton enjoys a new Columbia, this year, and bids fair to become quite a graceful rider in time. His cap looks like an "ice splitter" on a Missouri river bridge.

The Hemingford High School is well represented at the Institute, there being sixteen of the pupils in attendance. The instructors speak in praise of their work, of which we are pleased to hear.

Supt. Sider spoke, in the Congregational church, to the teachers Wednesday evening. His subject was, "The duties of parents, pastors and churches to the school." Mr. Siders is an interesting speaker.

TEACHER—What is the interest on \$1.50 for one year at 10 per cent?

PUPIL—15 cents.

TEACHER—Correct.

TEACHER—If you had \$1.50 what would you invest it in?

PUPIL—A year's subscription to THE HEMINGFORD HERALD.

TEACHER—Why?

PUPIL—Because THE HERALD prints all the news and is the best paper in Box Butte County.

TEACHER—Correct.

Scene: An up stairs corner room in a village hotel.

Characters: A small sharp featured good looking bicycle fiend about 26 years of age, sex, male, ditto as above, only about 7 stone more extensive in avoirdupois, these inside the room, on the outside a person, with a sharp soprano voice, whom the reporter did not see.

ACT I, from the outside.

Rap, Rap, Rap, Tap, Tap, Tap, in quick succession.

In a grotto voice, from the inside:

Good morning, Good morning, come right in!

Shrill shriek from outside, Oh!!! No I won't do any such thing; rapid exit from outside down stairs, on the inside under the bed.

ACT II, at the breakfast table a few minutes later.

Cold, stern, soul freezing stares, perfect silence.

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF THOSE IN ATTENDANCE.

C. L. Snedeker.	J. P. Hazard.
H. E. Pinkerton.	Belle Sparks.
Mrs. Gillett.	V. Curtis.
Carrie Bissell.	Susie Frazier.
Lillie Dickney.	Sophia Roll.
Annie Gadsby.	Jennie Evans.
May Davis.	Fred Ruhter.
Fannie Gerber.	L. B. Fenner.
C. M. Jones.	Rosa Parkin.
Pearl Broshar.	Arvilla Snow.
Dora Kohder.	A. Muirhead.
Inice McCorick.	Maud Daws.
Georgia Miller.	Addie Poole.
Laura McCutchin.	Annie Ellis.
Mattie Roberts.	Iola Devore.
A. C. Reynolds.	Anna Ward.
J. Baumgardner.	Art Davis.
Mrs. Blanchard.	Anna Neeland.
Lynden Pierce.	Ed. Reynolds.
Jessie Frew.	S. A. Curtis.
Nellie Harris.	W. E. Waisner.
M. Baumgardner.	Lulu Blair.
N. Goodenough.	D. Eberly.
Della Reed.	Lena Jay.
Estella Taylor.	Edna Johnson.
Lillie Johnson.	Mary Gill.
Francis Crowther.	Viola Trout.
James Waisner.	Ethel Kennett.
Ethel Crowther.	R. Bevan.
	Chas. Lockwood.

Miss Collins finished her school in Sioux county and came down to attend the Institute.

The following teachers have been employed to preside over schools in this and surrounding counties.

May Davis, Dist. 12.

C. L. Snedeker, Dist. 15.

Lillie Johnson, Duel county.

Volney Curtis, Olds' district.

Rosa Parkin, Scharff district.

Minnie Baumgardner, Nonpareil.

Estella Taylor, Dist. 47, Dawes county.

Jesse Frew, Reed school, district No. 2.

Mattie Roberts, Shipley district, No. 51.

Lulu Blair has been re-employed at Box Butte.

Suse Frazier, Prairie Flower school district No. 14.

Mrs. Gillett, Dist. 82, Dawes county, near Belmont.

Laura McCutcheon, Dist. 1, southwest of Alliance.

Maud Daws takes charge of the grammar department of the Alliance school.

Carrie Bissell will teach a fall term in Sheridan county and this winter in district No. 5, the Robinson sch. 31.

Miss Neeland remains in the intermediate room at Hemingford. Mrs. Blanchard takes charge of the primary department.

Mr. Siders will have charge of the Alliance School again this year, which speaks well for the good judgment of the Alliance school board.

Recorder: L. B. Fenner, an old Chadron boy who served as principal in the Hemingford schools last year, has been re-elected to that position for the coming year. L. B. is a good educator and deserves this recognition of his abilities.

Mr. Moulton will of course stay at York. From all reports he is as well liked there as he is here, and that being the case we suppose York will keep him forever or at least as long as he will stay. For such men as B. G. Moulton there is a higher place and it is only a matter of time until he will be called to fill it.

BOX BUTTE ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert attended Prof. Corbett's lecture, Tuesday.

Henry Hoffman and family started for Norfolk, Neb., Monday last.

B. E. Johnson and Maud Koefe were pleasant callers at the boys last evening.

Paragus C. L. Snedeker is spending a fortnight at the county seat with the professional educators.

John A. Wilson has been numbered with the sick the past few days but at this writing is slowly recovering.

Wm. Randolph has returned to his first love—Box Butte County—after spending several months in the mountains.

G. M. Banks will teach in the Hughes district the coming fall and winter. As a teacher, G. M. has no superiors in this "neck o' the woods."

H. C. Hoffman our popular blacksmith, is remodeling his shop and putting in some new machinery, which his increasing business demands.

Mrs. A. Spencer is down from Gillette, Wyo., visiting old acquaintances and to make proof on a fine quarter section of land just east of this place, her daughter Claire accompanies her.

The ground has been broken for the new M. E. church. The structure is to be 20x40 feet. The church extension society have promised aid and Rev. Clark will give the work his personal supervision.

There seems to be quite a growing sentiment in this precinct, among the pops, in favor of Deputy Clerk Johnson for the clerkship. Ben has friends over here by the score who are anxious to give him a boost for the place.