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Terms: \$5 to insure a mare in foal; \$6 to insure foal to test. All mares traded or removed will forfeit any insurance \$5 will be due at once. Care taken to prevent accidents but I will not be responsible if any occur.  
A. S. ENYEART.

I will buy your county warrants.  
H. R. Green.

W. J. Bean is repapering his drug store.

Dr. Miller was in town a couple of days this week.

The county commissioners are in session as a board of equalization.

Rev. Bowdish spent a couple of days in Hemingford this week.

Mr. J. A. Heist was up from Alliance Tuesday and made this office a call.

The ladies will serve ice cream Monday, June 27—opening of the creamery.

Sup't Phelan, J. C. Birdsall, and L. H. Mosher were up from Alliance Tuesday attending court.

Miss Mary and Master Michael Elmore are spending a couple of weeks with their aunt Mrs. John Lemmon.

Mrs. McFadden came down from Custer, S. D. Saturday night and is visiting her daughter Mrs. Copeland.

Rev. Hazelton and family came up from Lakeside yesterday and will visit friends for a couple of days.

Clark Olds has the contract for building the creamery. Work on the building is progressing nicely.

E. S. Wildy returned from Illinois this morning. He spent a few days at the Exposition on his return.

The ladies of the Methodist Missionary society will serve dinner at the home of Mrs. Kern next Tuesday.

Mrs. Ford and children of Lawn departed Tuesday for Ripon, Wis., where they will visit relatives for about six weeks.

Dr. Holbrook's horse ran away yesterday. The doctor as well as the buggy looks somewhat worse on account of the accident.

Judge Hamer of Kearney and Hon. M. A. Hall of Omaha were here Wednesday. They are counsel for the Hemingford people in the county seat case.

Mike Elmore is expected here daily with his grading outfit to widen the road-bed of the B. & M. east of the section house and also the cuts east of town.—Crawford Bulletin.

Sheriff Swenev took Mrs. Jas. Driscoll to the Norfolk asylum last Saturday. He was accompanied by his daughter Miss Jessie. They spent Monday at the Exposition.

Among the Alliancees who attended court Wednesday were Thos. Beck, Editor Broome, E. S. McWhinney, W. D. Rumer, D. W. Butler, O. E. Burke and Postmaster Paradis.

R. McLeod spent Wednesday in Hemingford shaking hands with old friends. Mac is now travelling for a drug house. His family resides at Belle Fourche, S. D.

C. Klemke of Lawn precinct transacted business in Hemingford Tuesday. Mr. Klemke thinks the creamery is just what we need and says it will be a good thing for the town. He reports a hail storm in his neighborhood and his rye was cut down.

Clyde Badgely, a 16-year-old boy of Alliance was brought before Judge Hewett Thursday on complaint of D. Eberly who alleged that the boy had stolen \$20 dollars from him. The case did not come to trial as the boy's father paid the costs and settled the matter.

The writer, in company with W. M. Copeland, (our genial, affable and scientific station agent), Mrs. Copeland and Mrs. McFadden, last Sunday afternoon drove out to Mr. W. J. Britton's place nine miles northeast of town where Mr. Copeland has a herd of fine cattle which he is holding until he gets ready to move to the ranch. We believe that Mac would make a good ranchman if he would leave the jackrabbits and prairie dogs alone. It is unnecessary to say that the drive was a pleasant one.

## A GRAND 4th of July CELEBRATION .....AT..... Hemingford.

Hemingford will celebrate the Fourth of July in an appropriate manner. The program will be in charge of the Ladies of the Progressive club but they have invited the gentlemen to assist them and with the combined forces no doubt the day will be observed in the most becoming manner of any celebration ever held in the county.

At the meeting Monday evening Mr. A. M. Miller was elected President and I. E. Tash chairman. A program was prepared and the following committees appointed.

On Salute: Frank Shimek, Harry Pierce, Jos. Hernal.

On Parade: E. P. Sweeney, I. E. Tash.  
Music: R. H. Blanchard, D. K. Spacht.

Parade: A. M. Miller, A. Sherwood, Clark Olds, W. K. Hernal, Harry Pierce.

Speakers: Ladies progressive club.

Reading of Declaration of Independence: Lynden Pierce.  
DINNER.

Indian Parade: W. J. Bean, Geo. Pinkerton, Mrs. Sweeney.  
Bicycle Race: H. R. Green, T. J. O'Keefe.

Target Shooting: W. M. Iodence, S. P. Tuttle, B. F. Gilman.  
Egg and Sack Races: A. Uhrig, Frank Shimek, A. M. Miller.

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The ladies will make a flag, size 5x10 feet which they will present to town or precinct bringing the largest delegation.

Judges to decide which town brings the largest delegation: Revs. Wunderlich, Kern, Garness and Bowdish.

Everybody come and help celebrate the day we all so dearly love.

Court Notes  
The following cases were disposed of since our last issue.

The "saddle" case was a case wherein Andrew Oleson replevined a saddle from Grant Halstead. Oleson claimed that the saddle had been stolen from his barn and that it was found in Halstead's possession. The question in the case was the identity of the saddle. The jury found that it belonged to Oleson. The saddle was valued at \$25 and the costs are \$150.

Hough vs Denton was a case wherein Joe Hough took up a cow belonging to J. B. Denton which he claimed had been on his potato patch and done damage. The jury did not agree with Joe and he will have to pay the costs which are about \$70.

In the case of the Kara Cattle Co., vs Duhon, the plaintiff maintained that the case had been adjudicated by Judge Kinkaid at the last term of court and the Judge held it for further investigation.

In the county seat case the court ordered the commissioners to meet on July 18th and call the election.

In the meantime application will be made to the supreme court for supersedeas bond and stay of proceedings until the matter is heard there. Court adjourned Monday night.

H. F. Fillmore departed yesterday for Sioux Rapids, Iowa, where he will reside in the future. Mrs. Fillmore and the children left Tuesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Fillmore have resided in this county for the past ten years and they have many friends who regret their departure.

Miss Agnes Esancy entertained several friends at a tea party Wednesday evening.

Miss Nellie Goodenough entertained a few friends Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Loula Blair who is her guest. A pleasant evening was spent.

A number of Miss Bertha Kern's young friends gave her a birthday surprise party Monday evening. She was the recipient of several beautiful presents. There were about twenty persons present.

Gauntanamo Bay, June 15 (via Kingston, Jamaica, June, 16).—The defenses of Caimanera have been demolished by the Texas, Marblehead and Suwanee.

Camp McCulla Gauntanamo Bay, Wednesday, June 15, 3:15 p. m. (via Kingston, Jamaica), Thursday, June 16, 8 a. m.—The brick fort and earthworks at Caimanera at the end of the railroad leading to the city of Gauntanamo, were demolished today by the bombardment of the Texas, Marblehead and Suwanee. The warships opened fire at 2 p. m., and the bombardment lasted one hour and thirty minutes.

The Texas steamed slowly up the channel leading to the fortifications, followed closely by the Marblehead. The Texas fired two shots as range finders, both falling short and to the right. The Marblehead stood off to the west side of the channel and opened with her five-inch guns on the fort, knocking down part of the wall.

The Texas then threw in some twelve inch shells, tearing down the wall of the fort and throwing the bricks and mortar thirty feet in the air.

After badly damaging the fort, the Marblehead stood further in to shell the earthworks and barracks at the west of the harbor.

She knocked them into the air an when the Spaniards fled from the fort they were shelled by the St. Paul and driven into the bushes. The Spaniards fired only five shots, which did no damage. After the ships stood out into the harbor, the Spanish in the bushes opened fire on the Marblehead's launch, which replied vigorously. The Suwanee then turned back and shelled the bushes, driving the Spaniards inland.

There will be services at the Catholic church Sunday June 26.

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