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## RANCHMEN AND HAYER'S GROCERIES

at the lowest price.

See us before you buy.  
Water Melons on Tap.

Alliance Grocery Co.

## DR. KREAMER, DENTIST

In Alliance 16-30 of every month.  
Office over The Famous  
Phone 391.

Rowan's Ravenna flour is strictly in the lead.

R. Madsen spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Nonpareil precinct.

E. C. McClure returned Wednesday from his purchasing trip east.

The Business Men's club will give another of their pleasant balls in the opera house tonight.

The Ladies' Union of the First Presbyterian church will serve a chicken pie supper Friday evening, Sept. 16, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock, in Bell's hall.

Attention is directed to the new advertisement of the Famous clothing store in this issue. That reliable firm is always on the ground floor with seasonable goods and it is through the columns of THE HERALD that the purchaser is enabled to inform himself of the bargains offered by the Famous.

H. C. Richards was operated on for cancer of the face in St. Elizabeth's hospital at Lincoln Monday. The operation was successful and it is expected that Mr. Richards will be able to return in about three weeks.

The weather of the past month has been quite a warm subject to dwell upon, but today conditions have changed and if the north wind continues to pour down upon us much longer we'll have to tell of frost and perhaps an early snow—and what will the robin do then, poor thing.

### Soldiers' Monuments.

Several months since Al Wiker made application to the government for monuments to be erected over the dead soldiers buried in Greenwood cemetery of this place and Tuesday the consignment was received from Linn, Mass. The following is a list of G. A. R. soldiers over whose graves will be erected the monuments:

Lieutenant S. McCutchen, 77th Pennsylvania.

Private S. A. Smith, 84th Illinois.

Private A. F. Payne, 9th Indiana.

Private L. J. Mackey, 115th Illinois.

Private Myron Tuttle, 3d Colorado.

Sergeant J. C. Willard, 63d Illinois.

### Recital and Musicals.

The young people of the United Presbyterian church have arranged to give an interesting recital and musicals in the church Thursday evening, September 17. The program is as follows:

Instrumental solo.....Robbie Reddish  
Solo.....Julia Darnell  
Instrumental solo.....Edith Swan  
Reading.....Lulu Duncan  
Song.....Virginia and Helen Broome  
Instrumental duet.....Mrs. Cox and Alma Hamilton  
Trombone solo.....Mr. Bingham  
Reading.....G. E. Coru  
Solo.....Mr. McAllister  
Instrumental solo.....Mrs. Cox  
Reading.....Harold Pardee  
Solo.....Miss Kridelbaugh  
Viola solo.....Ben Fernald  
Reading.....Miss McCorkle  
Solo.....Wilma Frew  
Instrumental solo.....Mrs. Cox and Edith Swan

### Millinery Opening.

Ladies ready-to-wear hats and tailored street hats.—Mrs. THOS. REGAN.

Wanted, a delivery boy at the steam laundry. One who will attend strictly to business. Phone 31.

Robert Garrett and son are prepared to do housemoving and well drilling and repairing; first-class outfit. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 74.

Don't forget to have your children's eyes examined by Dr. Barnes Saturday the 19th at the parlors of the Hila Grand. Hemingford, Monday the 21st, office with Dr. Eikner.

Try Rowan's rye flour—it can't be beat.

Judge Spacht has been indisposed for a few days.

Rowan don't handle cheap flour but he sells good flour mighty cheap.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Suprise spent a few days on their homestead this week.

Miss Hallie Ash of Lakeside is in the city and will attend school here this term.

B. F. Pitman, a prominent citizen of Chadron, was in the city Monday evening.

C. A. Newberry and E. G. Morris attended the state fair a couple of days this week.

Will Tuttle was among those from this city to attend the state fair at Lincoln last Monday.

Joe Thornton joined the throng who went to Lincoln this week for business and pleasure.

John O'Mara has been awarded the contract for carrying the mail from Alliance to Box Butte.

Wanted, a girl who desires to attend school to assist in general housework.—Mrs. E. A. Hull.

T. L. Harris returned Tuesday from Dawes county where he spent a week homesteading and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Fenner drove down from their ranch near Dunlap Wednesday afternoon, returning in the evening.

Photographer Fuller is visiting in Denver this week and will enjoy the pleasure of Colorado scenery during his absence.

Miss Lehart, who has visited Mrs. Lindquist during the summer, returned Saturday morning to her home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Johnson and family departed Monday for a visit through the west which will include many places of interest.

Mrs. Wm. Mitchell and daughter Pearl left Wednesday for Bayard to visit friends and attend the fair. They will return tomorrow.

Tom G. Burke, the hustling representative of the Flato Commission Co., was up from Bridgeport Monday and Tuesday in the interest of his firm.

W. M. Bachman, who recently arrived from Grand Island, will conduct a boarding house in the residence lately erected north of the freight depot.

Rev. E. C. Horn left Monday morning for Valentine where he is attending conference this week. Rev. Horn delivered a lecture in that city Tuesday evening.

Vern Hampton left Saturday morning for Indiana to resume his studies at Purdue University. He was accompanied by Ralph Smith who will also attend school there.

Labor day was observed by the local postal department and as a consequence the general delivery and money order departments were closed for a half day Monday.

Dr. Knight, who was a Sylvan lake resorter for the past few weeks, returned home last Monday and as a result of his outing has found great relief from an annoying attack of hay fever.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reed was made doubly happy Sunday afternoon by the arrival of a new born son and we are pleased to note that Mrs. Reed and child are enjoying good health.

Ed Mollring left Friday for Chicago to make some purchases of dry goods. Mr. Mollring and children who have spent the summer in Pennsylvania will meet him there and accompany him home.

J. R. Pierce was down from Hemingford Wednesday on business. Mr. Pierce will commence harvesting his potato crop next week. He has thirty-five acres planted and expects to have about 3,000 bushels.

Miss Ella H. Hood returned Wednesday to Billings, Montana to resume her duties as teacher in the public schools, having taught there for the past eight years. She spent vacation with her mother and sister on the ranch north of Alliance.

Miss Helen Phillips, who last spring graduated in her studies and received the honor of being one of the best scholars of the school, will teach school in the Poole district near Marsland for eight months. She left for that place last Saturday.

The watermelon monopoly has been busted, the result of the appearance of the home-grown article, which sends the price of purchase down within the reach of the average consumer. The imported melon has long held the price at the top notch, but now it will be compelled to take a back seat.

A meeting of the state Sunday school association was held in the Methodist church Tuesday evening. Those present from a distance were Prof. H. M. Steidley, field secretary, Miss Mamie Haines, superintendent of state primary work and J. E. Burk of Harrison, who is also a field secretary. The meeting was interesting but the attendance was not as large as anticipated.

## A LARGE ATTENDANCE. 657 Scholars Enrolled in the Public Schools.

School began last Monday morning with everything in working and every indication for a prosperous and interesting term. The children took to their studies with a vim and disposition that indicated a general desire to make the best of the term just begun. The enrollment for the first day numbered 657 pupils, the best attendance in the history of the public schools of Alliance, thus proving that they have the confidence of not only the citizens of this city but also those of Box Butte and surrounding counties in general.

Following is a list of the teachers and their grades:

Miss Susie Frazier—first primary.  
Miss Gertrude Warren—second primary.  
Miss Lulu Duncan—third primary.  
Miss Katharine Duffield—fourth primary.  
Miss Ince McCorkle—second grade.  
Miss Ada Post—third grade.  
Miss Fay VanBoskirk—lower fourth grade.  
Miss Mamie Griffith—fourth grade.  
Miss Lena Laravao—fifth grade.  
Miss Bess VanBoskirk—sixth grade.  
Miss Lena French—seventh grade.  
H. R. Carson—eighth grade.

Principal, D. W. Hays; assistant, Miss Allison Johnston; superintendent, W. H. Bartz.

## Visited by Horse Thieves.

Horse thieves paid a visit to Alliance last Sunday night and succeeded in getting away with several horses and other property. Those who missed horses from their premises the next morning were Zbinden Bros., L. N. McFall and Henry Brenaman. Messrs. R. Standen and Collins' stables were also entered the same night and the thieves carried off a saddle and bridle from each place. So far the thieves have not been apprehended.

## A Close Call.

Henry Mosher, son of Chief Dispatcher Mosher, came near losing his life Sunday afternoon by trying to prove that gasoline used as a renovator would not ignite. Henry's theory did not result as he anticipated for the minute he touched the burning match to his pants, which he had cleaned with gasoline, he was in flames. Prompt action on the part of those nearby saved the lad from serious burns and perhaps a horrible death. As it is, he is suffering with slight burns.

## Mrs. Quivey Entertains.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Quivey last Tuesday. The genial hostess was ably assisted in the social function by the Misses Wilma Frew and Bernice Kridelbaugh. The game of high-five interested the guests during the greater part of the evening and as a result of the contest Mrs. C. H. Connett was awarded first prize and the consolation number found a winner in Mrs. B. F. Gilman. A musical program was also a pleasant feature of the social event. Luncheon and refreshments were served and a delightful evening enjoyed by all present. Following is a list of guests present:

Mesdames Jackson, Irish, Schars, Hall, Cramer, F. C. Mollring, R. M. Hampton, Rumer, Fletcher, Brown, Bellwood, Young, Phelps, Dewey, Simonson, C. C. Smith, Connett, Holsten, Lester, Ray, Hemingway, Frankle, F. J. Kraemer, Norton, Kridelbaugh, Marvin, Raymond, Harris, Thatcher, McDonald, Gilman; Misses Frew, Kridelbaugh and Sholes.

## "Material Improvement."

During the "old man's" absence in Colorado a couple of weeks ago the Times commented on the "material improvement" of THE HERALD, which assertion was correct, we are pleased to say. However, all the credit was given Mr. Lounsbury when it should have been divided with Mr. Knies as both of them took much interest in the paper. And what made the comment more pleasing is the fact that this was the first favorable mention ever made of THE HERALD by that sheet. We thought at the time that a treat it would be to Times readers if Bro. Ellis would take a vacation and that is what he did this week. Mrs. Rustin, republican candidate for county superintendent of schools, has editorial charge of his paper with the result of "material improvement" and we venture to say that great family journal of morality and sunshine would be appreciated by its readers if the present editorial management was made permanent and Mr. Ellis run for the superintendency.

At the meeting of the city council last Saturday evening the mayor appointed W. R. Akers as a delegate to attend the irrigation congress at Ogden, Utah. Captain Akers is thoroughly conversant with all matters pertaining to irrigation and THE HERALD hopes that he may be able to represent northwest Nebraska.

The ladies of the M. E. church will meet next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. L. F. Smith.

Rowan's for flour, every time.

Wm. Elmore is having a commodious addition built to his residence.

M. J. Hagerly returned Tuesday from a six weeks' trip, having visited in Missouri and Colorado.

Andy Graham returned Wednesday from Lincoln and has apparently regained his former good health.

W. E. Spencer took his son Earl to Boone, Iowa, Wednesday, where the lad will attend school this winter.

M. B. Quivey was at Hemingford yesterday to complete arrangements for buying potatoes there this fall.

T. A. Coffey returned to Alliance Wednesday, having spent a couple of weeks at his ranch in Cherry county.

A good girl who wishes to work for board and attend school can find a desirable place by addressing Box 6, Alliance.

J. D. Carmicle and wife went to Bayard Wednesday to attend the fair. They will also visit Mrs. Carmicle's parents at Redington.

The high wind together with a damaged awning was the cause of smashing one of the plate glass windows in Olsen's shoe store Tuesday.

Mrs. A. R. Lewis went to Marsland yesterday and will return with Mr. Lewis Saturday. He is soliciting life insurance in that vicinity.

Attorney Fanning of Crawford was in town between trains Tuesday mornings. He had been attending the state fair and reported it very successful.

There will be no services in the Methodist church Sunday morning. The choir is arranging to give a sacred concert the regular service hour in the evening.

The quarterly report of the condition of the First State Bank of Hemingford will be found in this issue of THE HERALD and shows that reliable banking institution to be in a flourishing condition.

The list of appointments made at the M. E. conference at Valentine has not been announced at this writing but it is reported that Rev. C. W. Ray of Valentine will be assigned Dr. Horn's charge in this city.

Geo. A. Hills of Grand Island was in the city Wednesday, returning to that place Thursday morning. Mr. Hills is engaged in placing agencies for a weather strip door and window attachment, a very neat and useful article.

Mrs. Ruby Kischczak of Chicago arrived Wednesday and will visit three weeks with her aunt, Mrs. F. M. Phelps. Mrs. Kischczak nee Van Arman resided in Alliance several years ago and has many friends among the young people.

Ward Earl and wife in company with Miss Larkin arrived in Alliance yesterday morning from Pawnee City for a visit with Mrs. Earl's father, Dr. Collins. They were on their way to Lead City, S. D., and remained here between trains.

Miss Arvilla Snow was tendered a surprise party at her home Wednesday evening which was a most pleasant affair. Miss Snow was to leave for Boulder, Colo., the day following and this social event was quietly arranged in her honor before she left.

Father Galvin was called to North Platte Sunday night by Father Carroll who was suffering with a severe attack of appendicitis. He was removed to the hospital at Omaha Monday and will be operated on about the 20th. Father Galvin accompanied him to Omaha and returned home yesterday.

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning Rev. Jeffers, pastor, subject, "The Heroic in Christianity." Evening sermon, "Passing Ships." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. The Juniors meet at 3 o'clock for reorganization. C. E. meeting at 7:15 p. m. Midweek prayer service Thursday evening at 7:30, one-half hour earlier than formerly. A welcome to all services.

Mayor Buechstein returned this morning from Deadwood where he attended the mining congress. This was Louie's first visit to the Hills and he enjoyed the trip immensely. He investigated the properties of the Hidden Treasure mining company, in which he is interested, and was so well pleased with the prospects that he will invest in more stock.

The following item of interest was received this week from our correspondent at Malinda: "A quiet, beautiful wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Severson, on Tuesday, Sept. 8, at 12 o'clock, in which Mr. Edward Deuker and Miss Minnie Severson were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony. The young couple are held in the highest esteem and their prudent judgment to enter into the ties of wedlock should be followed by others of our young people. Those present to witness the occasion besides the bride's parents were Rev. Henry Deuker who performed the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wildy, Mrs. Tiernan, Mrs. Kennedy, Henry Deuker, L. H. Neeland, Harry Wildy, John Tschacher."

Miss Mabel Johnson, who accompanied the remains of Guy Hague to Nevada, Iowa, last week, returned home Saturday.

G. W. Duncan has traded his property in Duncan's addition to Mrs. Myron Tuttle for the Scofield residence just north of the school house.

Ray Clapp returned to Fairfield, Iowa, last Monday after an extended visit with his father, and will resume his school studies at that place.

The question of improvements of the city in the way of sewerage and sidewalk improvement seem to meet with general commendation by our citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bignell of Lincoln were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bignell from Saturday till Monday. They were enroute home from Denver.

Messrs. Tully, Ankeny and Hobart, all good old Iowa men who reside at Clinton, left for a trip to Deadwood this week after a pleasant visit at the Ankeny ranch.

John H. Ellis was operated on for appendicitis in an Omaha hospital Monday. The operation is reported to have been successful and the patient doing well.

County Supt. Kent went down to his ranch last evening to help ship a car of cattle to Omaha. He will also take in the state fair before returning.—Rushville Standard.

Mrs. C. A. Burlew of Hemingford stopped in the city between trains Wednesday morning. She had accompanied her children to Fremont where they will attend school.

The remains of the infant of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Colvin, who reside near Bridgeport, were brought to this city last Sunday for interment. The little one passed away last week.

Roy Randall went to Alliance Monday morning where he has secured a position braking on the B. & M. His family will follow later. The Times wishes Roy success.—Chadron Times.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McCandless of Wymore passed through Alliance yesterday enroute to Hemingford to help celebrate the eightieth birthday anniversary of Mr. McCandless' mother.

Mrs. Burris left for Anaconda last Saturday on receipt of the news of the death of her sister-in-law. The deceased leaves two small children and it is Mrs. Burris' desire to care for them.

Guy Lockwood returned home last Saturday from the east where he went to take a course in the art of embalming. He is now a full-fledged embalmer, which is a newly issued certificate of the Chicago Embalming school.

Alliance put up a mighty good fight for the new state normal school, but to no avail, as Kearney was selected after over a hundred ballots. Alliance need not feel bad for her turn is bound to come. She is already the best town in western Nebraska, and still growing better. It does not seem a square deal, however, to locate the school at Kearney, which already has a large state institution.—Gering Courier.

The duck season is here and the city sportsmen are taking advantage of the gay sport. The game is plentiful and some large hauls are reported. Broncho lake is lined with hunters from morning till night and many a duck has come to an untimely end upon its waters by the unerring aim of the nimrod. Two large blue herons were seen on the lake Tuesday evening but they evaded the eager desire of the boys to capture them.

Rumer's Cash Department store, as usual, is prepared to meet the fall trade with a new assortment of seasonable goods. By referring to their advertisement on page 4 the reader will learn of a number of excellent bargains and Rumer has many more not listed therein. THE HERALD with its unequalled subscription list is the popular medium through which the merchants of Alliance can fully acquaint the people with their fall and winter stocks.

The German Lutheran church will soon be ready for use and services will be conducted therein. The Presbyterian church, located on north Box Butte avenue, is now under way of erection, workmen being busy in excavating for the foundation. Alliance is to be congratulated on the number and fine appearance of its places of worship, thus proving that our people possess the right spirit. If the number of houses of worship is a criterion, we are indeed a God-fearing community.

C. W. Brennan went to Hemingford Wednesday to form the acquaintance of voters in that section of the county. It is now evident to everybody that Charlie is the strongest candidate the fusionists could have nominated for the office of county treasurer. He has been a resident of the county for sixteen years and nothing can be said against his character or qualifications. He will receive a splendid vote in Alliance and there is no reason why he should not have the solid fusion support throughout the county. Mr. Brennan will make a clean, gentlemanly campaign.

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Old papers for sale at this office.  
Special line of children's hats at 99c.—Mrs. THOS. REGAN.  
Go to Dr. Reynolds for dental work, Sears building, Phone 213.  
Thornton pays six cents for hides.  
See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate.  
For storm windows and doors see Forest Lumber Co.  
Take hides where you will get the most for them.—Thornton's.  
WANTED—A good girl to work at laundry. Call at laundry. 6-26-11  
Forest Lumber Co. make a specialty of manufacturing dipping vats.  
All kinds of screen doors and windows made to order by Geo. G. Gadsby.  
Two furnished rooms for rent.—Mrs. J. SLOAN.  
See Humphrey for picture framing, upholstery and furniture repairing.  
For sale—Lady's good saddle horse, saddle and blanket; five head of calves.—Jennie Kinges at Nellie Thompson's residence.  
Help wanted at the Barry House.  
Dr. Reynolds, the dentist, is now permanently located in the Sears building, first door west of Blackburn's store.  
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## Lee Acheson

'Phone No. 4.

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## Wanted.

Plain sewing by Mrs. A. F. Snyder, at patrons' homes. Phone 378.

## Plain Sewing Taken.

The undersigned, located two blocks west of the Rumer store, and door south of Mr. Quivey's residence, is prepared to do plain sewing of any kind, children's garments a specialty. Prices reasonable and all work guaranteed.

Mrs. ADA LOUNSBURY.

## Public Sale.

I will sell at public-auction at the Hatch ranch, twelve miles north and two miles east of Hemingford, and ten miles east of Marsland, to the highest bidder, according to the terms of sale, on

TUESDAY, SEPT. 22, 1903,  
at 10 a. m., the following described property:

Fifty-four head of cattle, as follows: Sixteen yearling steers, 1 yearling heifer, 2 two-year-old heifers, 21 spring calves.

Nine head of horses as follows: One six-year-old mare with colt by side, 1 old mare, 5 two-year-old colts, 1 yearling mare. Thirty head of hogs as follows: Six sows, 24 small pigs. Four dozen hens and some young chickens. Two acres of Early Ohio potatoes. Hay rake, lumber wagon, a large quantity of rye, alfalfa and native hay, household goods and many other articles.

Sale will begin promptly at 10 a. m. Free lunch at noon.

Terms: Under \$10 cash; over \$10 a credit of 10 months will be given at 10 per cent interest with good security. Positively no by-bidding. The property will go to the highest bidder who can conform to the terms of the sale. FRANK STANER.  
Wm. FOSKETT, Auc.  
K. L. PIERCE, Clerk.