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For rent, eight room house. Inquire at Rodgers' grocery.

For Sale—Pure blood Hereford bull. Jos. Manion, Alliance; residence, Sec. 1-27-48.

For Sale Cheap—National cash register No. 47 with tape; used one year. Apply at this office.

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Residence for Sale. Brand new 5-room house, bath room, pantry and cellar. Two porches. Finished throughout in hardwood. Price \$1,600. R. B. HAMILTON.

Ranch for Lease. Five hundred acres of irrigated hay land, four miles east of Bridgeport. For particulars see M. H. Hagerty, Alliance, or John Hagerty, Bridgeport.

What \$20.00 Will Buy. One half dozen fancy leather seat quartered oak dining chairs, one fancy leather seat rocker, one fancy library book case, one birds eye maple ladies dressing table, one fancy oak chiffonier or one fancy dresser, at George Darling's furniture store.

Get Your Laces for your Spring sewing

SATURDAY 10 PER CENT Special Sale at Bogue's

Season of Sack Cloth and Ashes.

The lentes season is upon us with all its force and the inner man is denied the full vent of carnal desires. Canned lobster and clove oysters have taken the place of flesh and sack cloth and ashes that of the dance and opera. Of course to some this has no significance; the season of fasting and prayer comes and goes without being noticed. But for the person who is solicitous least the flesh rules the spirit, this season means much as a safeguard in which to hold the material man in subjection. It is a well known fact that human nature is weak and rebellious and resists the will power to confine itself within the bonds of reason, while on the other hand the spiritual man recognizes reason and will without the least effort rise above the weakness of human frailty if the body is held in subjection. Hence the lentes season comes not as an imposition to mankind but a short period when over-indulgences may be checked. Last Wednesday, known as Ash Wednesday, the lentes season began and in this issue we publish extracts from the annual pastoral letter of the Right Rev. Richard Scannell, bishop of Omaha, which dwells on this subject and points to the "dry rot" that exists in the social and family circles of the American people at the present time. Not only does the prelate point out the disease, but he prescribes a remedy which, if applied, will eradicate the evil. The letter is one of the most forceful given out in years and its contents will put many to thinking regarding society and its ethics.

M. L. Hageaves who has been visiting his parents in Hay Springs returned Monday.

Brakeman T. L. Harris is sick with the grippe.

George Mollring of Newcastle visited relatives and friends in Alliance a few days this week.

Brakeman Clark who has been spending a month in Chicago came in on 41 Wednesday morning.

Conductor Wood who has been on the east end local has returned to Alliance and will run out of here.

Brakeman U. N. Hoskins who has been off for six weeks with typhoid fever is again seen on our streets.

Engineer Robert Yarburgh left Tuesday morning for a two weeks vacation. He will visit Omaha and Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Fosket of Runnig-water precinct were in the city Tuesday to witness the Whelan-Hollinrake nuptials.

Pete Swanson, a substantial stockman of Nonpareil precinct, and Orville Meyers of Berea were county seat visitors yesterday.

Miss Edith Swan has been appointed organist at the Episcopal church to succeed Mrs. Colburn who has moved to a ranch.

The attraction at the skating rink tonight will be a potato race which will doubtless be an amusing affair. Two prizes will be given.

The ladies of the Highlander lodge will give a public reception on the evening of March 10, and it will doubtless be a pleasant affair.

Dr. Ellis and Al Hobart who have been recreating at the Ankeny ranch for several months left Tuesday night for their home at Clinton, Iowa.

W. L. Jewell, a bustling stockman of Lawn precinct, was in the city Saturday. Mr. Jewell informs us that one of his neighbors went fishing the other day and returned with a fine five pound bass.

The Gering Courier of last week says: "Harold Pardee, and old friend of R. B. Judson, was here this week and practically decided to put in a bakery. He is reported to be a fine baker as well as a genuine hustler."

The meeting of the B. of R. T. have been changed from Thursday evening to Sunday afternoon, 2 p. m. Now boys, come and attend each meeting. You'll have plenty of time to hold your best girl's hand after meeting.

Mat Shimek, a stockman of Lawn precinct, was in the city yesterday accompanied by his son-in-law Frank Logan who filed on a homestead. Mr. Logan is section foreman at Ashby but expects to move on his new possessions soon.

The board of county commissioners was in session last Friday. The depository bonds of the First State Bank of Hemingford was approved and a list of sixty names selected from which were drawn the jurors for the spring term of court.

Mr. Clyde Whelan and Miss Margaret Hollinrake were united in marriage Tuesday morning at the home of Norbert Frohnagel in this city. Judge Spacht officiating. The contracting parties are well and favorably known in the north part of the county where they will reside. The groom is an industrious young stockman and his bride was a popular school teacher of this county. THE HERALD wishes them a happy and prosperous voyage through life.

A PICTURESQUE BEAUTY

The Herald's Mammoth Edition a Grand Success

WILL APPEAR MARCH 4

To Contain More than 100 Half-tone Views—Scenes of the "Flower of the West"—Descriptive Writings and Biographical Sketches—Box Butte County's Business Men Generally Represented.

The Alliance HERALD's mammoth special edition will appear March 4. It is undoubtedly the greatest and most expensive journalistic effort ever attempted by any country newspaper in Nebraska, and that our citizens will appreciate its intent and purpose is a conclusion that we do not hesitate to venture.

The canvas by our solicitor and compiler has been as thorough as it was possible to make it, the only regret being our inability to visit more of our ranchers in this locality.

More than one hundred half-tone views and scenes will adorn its pages, with a concise and descriptive write-up of historical events, the future prospects of Alliance and Box Butte county, legends and biographical sketches of our leading citizens, accompanied by likenesses of each individual.

Across the top of the first page will appear a large panoramic view of the city, showing the residence and business sections, and also an accompanying view of the south side of the railroad, where the vast machine shops are located.

Many ranch and stock views, interior and exterior fac simile of our business houses, etc., views of our churches, public buildings, Wyoming avenue, our principal business street, and many other interesting scenes too numerous to mention at this time.

Only a few more days are allotted to those wishing space in this special number of 5000 copies to get in their copy.

The mechanical and press work will all be done in one of the large printing houses of Denver, as the task is too great for the capacity of an ordinary country newspaper office.

Father Galvin visited Hyannis Wednesday.

C. A. Newberry is expected home Sunday morning.

Mesdames N. Fletcher, Richard and Fred Brennan are numbered among the grippe victims this week.

Mrs. Thos. Regan and daughter, Miss Mid, expect to start for Chicago Sunday evening to purchase their spring stock of millinery.

Simon Spry and R. H. Watkins returned Sunday morning from their extended trip to the Pacific coast. They report a pleasant visit with former Alliance citizens at Los Angeles. John Pilkington sends word that he will not return so long as fishing remains good.

Harry Anderson, the good looking and well known "Terrible Swede," Cudahy's canned meat man, made a trip this week over the northwest territory with J. B. Gray. Harry knows his business and that's why he is Cudahy's right-hand bower in the sales department of that mammoth concern.

Rev. G. Bernard Clarke contemplates a short visit to New Mexico for the benefit of his health and will leave next Monday to be absent about three weeks. No services will be held at the Episcopal church during that time, but the Sunday school will go on as usual under the directorship of Mrs. J. C. Neubaer.

James Kennedy came in from Liberty precinct Monday and was accompanied home by his brother Ed who arrived recently from Mexico. Ed left here in '87 and was engaged in railroad construction work in the southwest until two years ago when he had the misfortune to lose his eyesight while blasting rock work.

Off For Mexico.

A. H. Grove and family took their departure Sunday night for Torreon, Old Mexico, where it is probable they will reside in the future. Art has an interest in some mines there which has been paying good dividends and he will devote his time to mining matters. Mr. Grove was one of the first settlers in this county, locating six miles north of Alliance in 1885, where he

still owns two sections of land. This he has leased to George Zobel who resigned his position on the B. & M. a few days ago and has moved his family to the ranch. Mr. Grove was one of our best citizens and his many friends hope he will strike it rich in the land of the "greasers."

The members of the Degree of Honor lodge will long remember their meeting Monday night. At the close of lodge they were invited by the entertaining committee to "follow us." They were led to Steen's Cafe where a long table, daintily laid and decorated with palms had been prepared for them. In story telling, social conversation and doing justice to the splendid lunch a very happy hour was spent.

For Stealing County Coal.

Joe Price was arrested Wednesday night for rustling coal from the coal bin at the court house. He was given a hearing Thursday morning before Police Judge Berry and upon pleading guilty a fine of \$30.00 and costs was imposed. In default of payment Price will spend twenty-four days in jail. Price is the father of one of the boys who was taken to the reform school a few weeks ago.

Losses a Limb.

Fireman Bert McCool of the Denver line met with a terrible accident in the Alliance yards Thursday morning. While getting off the engine to throw a switch his right foot slipped from the step and was run over by the tender, crashing it so badly that amputation above the ankle was necessary. Mr. McCool is a man of family and resides here.

Five Years in Pen.

This week Mrs. John M. Trout and daughter, Viola Biggs were found guilty of kidnapping Mrs. Biggs' child at Casper, Wyo., last fall and sentenced to a term of five years in the penitentiary. The child was kidnapped from its father and Mrs. Trout took the infant to Denver where she left it in the depot. A full account of the affair was published in THE HERALD when it occurred. The Trouts are well known here having resided in the north part of the county for years.

List of Jurors.

The following is a list of jurors drawn for the April 19th term of district court: Ole J. Moe, A. F. Baldrige; J. W. Gaddis, Adolph Nikot; Leonard Boyer, W. M. Fosket; Robert Curry, C. Humphrey; Robert Garrett, Joe Carey; T. L. Hopkins Sr., E. P. Swezey; Henry Shimek, W. A. Coleman; H. B. Slater, J. M. Wanek; Richard Bevan, F. E. Hamblin; Mike Butler, S. R. Burk; Wm. James, Emil Rockey; Mat Beaumont, Barney Halbur

M. E. Church Notes.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the basement of the M. E. church February 27, at 7:30 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. R. T. Watson next Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 p. m.

Sunday school teachers' meeting will be held with H. G. Warwick at the residence of H. T. Cary next Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

The official board meeting will be held at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Young next Monday evening. All members of the board are urged to be present.

The spelling match is in such demand that Mr. Warrick's class has decided to give one the last Friday of each month at the M. E. church. Admission 10c.

Regular services at M. E. church next Sunday, Morning subject: "The Barren Fig Tree and So-called Christians;" evening subject: "We come to Kadesh-Barnea—The Battlefield of Doubt." Class meeting at 12:00 m.; Junior League, 2:30 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

The Sunday dinners at Steen's cafe are becoming so popular that scarcely a day passes that you cannot see a crowd in that popular cafe.

Mrs. F. M. Broome entertained a party of friends complimentary to Miss Edith Phelan at a "towel shower" Tuesday afternoon and also entertained several couples in the evening.

P. F. H. Schars of Kearney, arrived in the city Saturday for a few days visit with his son H. K., the genial book-keeper at Newberry's. Mr. Schars is an old resident of Kearney, having been a county officer there for years.

Mr. Warren Wilcox and Mrs. Mabel Edgar were united in marriage Thursday evening, February 4th, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Wilcox. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Joseph Wesley.

Mrs. Sarah Lemons will start for Omaha tonight where she expects to undergo an operation. Her many friends hope that it will be successful. Mrs. Lemons will be met at Omaha by her son, Everett Cook, and niece, Miss Marguerite Elmore who will remain with her till she recovers.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Tolumbia Comic Opera Company to Give Two Operas in Alliance.

The theatre going public of Alliance will be pleased to know that two operas are to be given in the opera house Saturday and Monday, February 27 and 29. The company under the auspices of which these operas are given is known over all the United States as one of reliability and people may rest assured that the performances to be given in Alliance will be all that is represented. There are eighteen people in the company to appear in Alliance and all are good performers and excellent singers. On Saturday night will be presented the new and beautiful opera "Dorothy" and on Monday night the famous opera "Mikado." Seats will be placed on sale at the usual place Wednesday, February 24. Prices for reserved seats 75 cents, with slight reduction when tickets are purchased for both performances. Gallery tickets 50 cents and children's tickets 25 cents will be sold at the door.

Mrs. F. W. Harris entertained at a six o'clock dinner Wednesday, the following teachers; Misses Lula Duncan, Fay Van Hoskirk and Kathryn Duffield.

F. B. Ankeny, the genial stockman, post-master, mayor and politician of Mumper City, was in Alliance Wednesday morning between trains. He was enroute to Lead City on business.

The regular Sabbath services at the United Presbyterian church at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning subject: "Developing the Best Within You;" evening subject, "Old Landmarks."

Mrs. Hillier entertained the Cheese & Cracker club Thursday at 4:30 at the Steen Cafe. The following three course luncheon was served:

- Salted Wafers
- Brick Cheese
- Chicken Salad
- Mayonnaise
- Fruit Ambrosia
- Whipped Cream
- Chocolate Cake
- Home-made Bread
- Butter
- Coffee

Lessees on School Lands Take Notice.

On November 10th last, the Board of Educational Lands and Funds declared the following lands forfeited for non-payment of rental: E 1/2 S W 16-24-49, N W N W 16-27-40, S 1/2 35-22-49, all 36-28-50 N 1/2 16-27-52, located in Box Butte county Nebraska. If the lease holders desire to retain this land it will have to be redeemed before the land is advertised for auction, as the legislature passed a new law that lands could not be redeemed after same had been advertised for sale at public auction. In counties where the amount of land is small the board may conclude to lease privately. GEO. D. FOLLMER, Commissioner P. L. & B.

In communication please refer to number 10260.

CANTON

G. H. Clayton was in Hemingford Thursday for a load of furniture.

Bert Langford from Upper Snake Creek, was trading in Hemingford Friday.

Arthur Bass had charge of the over-land flyer and mail route from Canton to Lawn Tuesday.

Mrs. Jacob Shetler was visiting with Mrs. Broshar and family from Wednesday until Monday.

Mr. Donovan from near Alliance, passed through these parts Thursday, with a bunch of cattle from Emmet Johnson's ranch.

Early Monday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bass, a pretty little boy made its advent, thus adding another link to their unbroken chain of happiness.

The party given at John Moravek's Friday night was a very pleasant social event. Games and music, both vocal and instrumental, furnished amusement for the evening. They were not many present, but enough to have a pleasant time.

Quite a number of our people are on the sick list at this writing. Miss Cora Reese, teacher in the Clayton district, was able to attend Sabbath School Sunday; Everett Clayton was out of school a couple of days this week with la grippe; A. S. Stewart was confined to his room a few days neuralgia in his face; J. W. Broshar has been confined to his room with la grippe for the past several days.

For Sale.

The undersigned offers for sale, owing to poor health, his ranch twelve miles northwest of Alliance, consisting of one section of deeded land and a number of leased quarters; sufficient range for 125 head of cattle; one hundred acres under cultivation; over seven miles wire fence. Good house, stable, granary and stock sheds and windmill. Purchaser can buy wheat, oats, barley, corn and potatoes for planting; there are 36 acres seeded to rye, good stand. Cattle and horses on place are also for sale. For terms and further particulars write or call on ERIC RASMUSSEN, Hemingford, Neb.

The Winter Season

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Lee Acheson

'Phone No. 4.

Business Local Column.

Advertisements in this column will be charged at the rate of 10 cents per line first insertion and 5 cents per line each subsequent insertion. Advertisers should remember that THE HERALD's circulation is much larger than any other Alliance paper and has the largest circulation in the city and county.

Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house. Old papers for sale at this office. Go to Dr. Reynolds for dental work. Sears building. Phone 213.

See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate.

Dr. Koons, dentist. Office upstairs Norton block.

For storm windows and doors see Forest Lumber Co.

70 cents for spuds at C. J. Wildy's, Hemingford.

Fresh Jersey milk cow for sale. C. J. Wildy, Hemingford.

Forest Lumber Co. make a specialty of manufacturing dipping vats.

See Humphrey for picture framing, upholstery and furniture repairing.

Picture framing, upholstery and furniture repairing—C. HUMPHRY, 7-10-11

NOTICE—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife Winnifred E. King.—WM. KING.

Harold B. Miller, M. D., physician and surgeon, office and residence 321 south Seventeenth street, Lincoln, Neb.

Dr. Reynolds, the dentist, is now permanently located in the Sears building, first door west of Blackburn's store.

For storm windows and doors see Geo. Gadsby.

FOR SALE—A quarter section of land, ten miles northwest of Alliance; good house, stable, granary, etc. Will sell stock on the place if desired.—Pete Weinel, Alliance, Neb.

Carpet Weaving. I am prepared to do all kinds of carpet weaving. Leave orders at residence three blocks east of Alliance National Bank, or Star Restaurant. J. W. JOHNSON.

LODGE DIRECTORY. ROYAL HIGHLANDERS—Alliance Castle No. 43 meets every second and fourth Thursday evening in W. O. W. Hall. Visiting Clansmen cordially invited.

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