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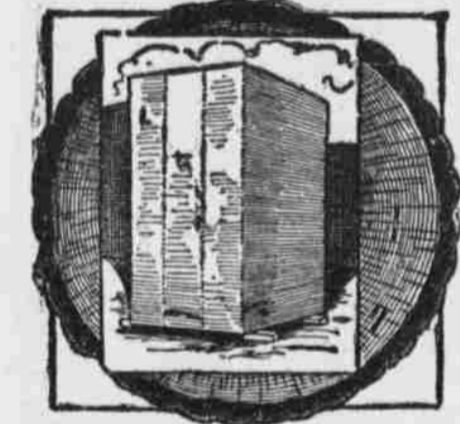


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Application for Liquor License.

The compiled statutes of Nebraska (page 778, 3592 Sec. 2) says: "No action shall be taken upon an application until at least two weeks' notice of filing of the same has been given by publication in a newspaper published in said county having the largest circulation there." The HERALD's actual bona fide circulation is nearly twice that of any other Alliance paper.

Application for Druggist's Permit.
Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern that at the regular meeting of the city council of Alliance, Nebraska, on May 3, 1904, F. J. Brennan & Co. will make application to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors for medicinal, mechanical, culinary and sacramental purposes, in the building situated on lot 12, block 16, fronting Wyoming avenue, in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, and that their petition as required by law with the city clerk so obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 2, block 21, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
F. J. BRENNAN & CO.
Dated Alliance, Neb., April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that Simon Spry has filed his petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 2, block 21, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
SIMON SPRY.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that William King has filed his petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 7, block 22, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the Second ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
WILLIAM KING.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that Abley & Wilson, a firm comprised of A. J. Abley & F. C. Wilson, have filed their petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 13, block 22, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the Second ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that they will ask that said license be issued to them on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
A. J. ABLEY,
F. C. WILSON.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that F. J. Betzold has filed his petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 17, block 27, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the Second ward in the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
F. J. BETZOLD.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that Barry Bros. have filed their petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 3, block 21, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that they will ask that said license be issued to them on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
E. J. BARRY,
J. D. BARRY, II.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that Henry C. Armstrong has filed his petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 3, block 21, fronting on Box Butte avenue in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
HENRY C. ARMSTRONG.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that W. N. Cornwell & Co. have filed their petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 9, block 22, fronting on Box Butte avenue, in the Second ward of the City of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that they will ask that said license be issued to them on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
W. N. CORNWELL,
HENRY C. ARMSTRONG.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 12, 1904.

Application for Liquor License.
Notice is hereby given that Spry & Co. have filed their petition as required by law with the city clerk to obtain a liquor license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lot 9, block 22, fronting on Box Butte avenue, in the Second ward of the City of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1905, and that they will ask that said license be issued to them on the 3rd day of May, 1904, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska.
SPRY & CO.
Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 9, 1904.

Notice to Creditors.
In County Court, within and for Box Butte county, Nebraska, April 10, 1904, in the matter of the estate of Henry H. Miller, deceased. To the creditors of the said estate: You are hereby notified, that I will sit at the County Court, Room 10, Alliance, in said county, on the 26th day of October, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m. to receive and examine all claims against said estate with a view of the adjustment and allowance. The time limited for the presentation of claims against said estate is 6 months, from the 15th day of April, A. D. 1904, and the time limited for the payment of debts is one year from said 15th day of April, A. D. 1904.
Witness my hand and seal of said County Court, this 15th day of April, 1904.
(A true copy)
D. K. SPACHT, County Judge.
fp Apr. 22-1w

ORDINANCE NO. 86.
An ordinance to repeal ordinance No. 76 of the City of Alliance, Box Butte county, Nebraska.
Be it ordained by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Alliance,
Section 1. That the following ordinance, adopted by the city council of Alliance, City of Alliance on the 7th day of July, 1903, entitled as follows:
"Be it ordained by the mayor and city council of the city of Alliance, that section 1 of ordinance No. 11 of said city entitled, an ordinance providing an occupation tax on saloons where intoxicating liquors are sold in the City of Alliance and providing penalties for the violation thereof and to repeal ordinance No. 16 of the Village of Alliance, entitled, an ordinance providing an occupation tax on saloons in the Village of Alliance and providing penalties for its violation."
be and the same be repealed.
Passed, approved and ordered published April 9, 1904.
LOUIS BUECHENSTEIN, Mayor.
JAN. H. HEWETT, City Clerk.
[SEAL]

Sheriff's Sale.
By virtue of an order of sale issued by the clerk of the district court of Box Butte county, Nebraska, upon a decree rendered by said court in favor of Charles J. Benjamin, plaintiff, and against Marzell Leppert, defendant, I will offer on the 30th day of May, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, at the west front door of the court house in Alliance, in said county, sell the following described real estate, to-wit:
Southwest quarter section 19, township 26, north range 48, west sixth principal meridian, in Box Butte county, Nebraska, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, to sat- isfy an order of sale, in the sum of \$800 and interest, costs and accruing costs subject to all unpaid taxes.
IRA REED, Sheriff of said County.
W. G. SIMONSON, Attorney for Plaintiff. fp April 12

Other Words of Praise.

INTERESTING FROM START TO FINISH.
Byron Williams, editor of Western Publisher of Chicago, a journal of intrinsic value to the country press, with no uncertain sound praises the Special Edition of THE ALLIANCE HERALD in the following letter of the 16th inst., received by the publisher: "My attention has been called to your recent edition, and I have arranged to have a notice of the edition and of yourself, in the May issue of the Western publisher. In looking over the edition of THE HERALD I find almost a score of cuts which I could use in the Western Publisher. I could hardly have the nerve to ask you for these, were it not that Mr. Julian, who knows you well, says that you are the easiest proposition on earth when it comes to serving your friends. Anyhow I would like the cuts of yourself and your assistant, etc., to go with the write-up, and I have included in this letter proofs of those cuts which I could use, if you feel like favoring me with them. I am not attempting to jolly you when I say I haven't seen a special edition for many, many months that made such a hit with me as did yours of recent date. It is thoroughly interesting from start to finish."

HANDSOME AND CREDITABLE PRODUCT ON GERING COURIER: The Industrial Edition of THE ALLIANCE HERALD is received, and it is certainly a handsome and creditable production. We have a doubt if Bro. O'Keefe will be much to the good after he pays his expense account, but it is an enterprising deal nevertheless.

ELABORATE EDITION.
Carroll (Iowa) Herald: John Knies sends this paper a copy of a special edition of THE HERALD of Alliance, Nebraska. It is one of the most elaborate editions of a country weekly we have ever seen, creditable alike to the publishers and the town of Alliance, showing rare enterprise on part of both.

You'll Have to Hurry!
Have you sent a copy of THE HERALD'S illustrated industrial edition to your friends in the east? They would appreciate it more than other remembrance which cost six times as much. You'll have to hurry to get one. They're going fast.
Test Fire Whistle.
The new fire whistle will be tested tomorrow evening at 5 o'clock, hence citizens need not be alarmed if some "unearthly screeching" is heard at that hour.

Resolutions.
A tribute of respect to the memory of our pastor, Rev. W. N. Howie, from the Women's Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church of Alliance, Neb. Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father to call his servant home, be it Resolved, That our society has lost a faithful friend and advisor.
Resolved, That we will remember his teachings and strive to forward the Master's work.
Resolved, That we mourn with the sorrowing family and pray that God's richest blessings may be theirs in this affliction.
MRS. CAVEN,
MRS. JAMESON,
MRS. BELL.

A tribute of love and respect, from the congregation of the United Presbyterian church, Alliance, Neb., to the memory of our beloved pastor, Rev. W. N. Howie, who was called to his heavenly home Sabbath morning, April 10, 1904, at the age of 58 years.
A life of devotion to the Master's service is closed with the departure of this Christian man, and we, his people would testify to his faithfulness and zeal in all good works.
While we mourn the loss we have sustained we would bow in humble submission to our Father's will.
We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the sorrowing wife and children and commend them to Him who hath said "I will never leave thee nor forsake thee."
MRS. R. B. HAMILTON,
MR. J. N. JOHNSTON,
MRS. W. S. ACHESON.

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Sale of Creamery Company.
Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, May 4th, 1904, the building and machinery belonging to the Liberty Creamery company, located on section 12, township 26, range 21, Box Butte county, Nebraska, will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Sale will take place at the site of the creamery.
LIBERTY CREAMERY CO.,
H. J. WINTEN, President.

Probate of Will.
State of Nebraska, ss
Box Butte County, ss
At a county court, held at the county court room, in and for said county, April 14, A. D. 1904.
Present, D. K. Spacht, county judge.
In the matter of the estate of Lawrence Butler, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition of Annis G. Butler, praying that the instrument filed on the 14th day of April, 1904, and purporting to be the last will and testament of the said deceased, may be proved, approved, probated, allowed, and recorded as the last will and testament of the said Lawrence Butler, deceased, and that the execution of said instrument may be committed and the administration of said estate may be granted to Annis G. Butler as executrix.
Ordered that April 30th, A. D. 1904, at 8 o'clock a. m., is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at a county court to be held in and for said county, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in THE ALLIANCE HERALD, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks, prior to said day of hearing.
(A true copy)
[SEAL] D. K. SPACHT, County Judge. fp Apr. 15

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