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GET ready to celebrate the 4th at Alliance this year.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is in the mountains of Colorado, on a bear hunt and had bagged two cinnamon bear up to noon today.

MAYOR BURCHENSTEIN built the city hall, a lasting monument to his administration. Now let him provide for a sewerage system, and all Alliance will rise up and call him blessed. And he'll do it, too!

THE RUSSIAN-JAP WAR is progressing by land and sea, but just now all the world is expecting a naval battle in the Indian ocean, where both the Jap and Russian fleets are. Here's two to one on the Japs.

The city council turned down an ordinance to build new board sidewalks, and have under advisement the passage of an ordinance to make all sidewalks and crossings permanent. A good move if they just put it into effect.

THE ELKS have set a good example for home patronage. Every dollar's worth of furniture and fixtures is provided by home dealers. Darling and Lockwood each get about half the furniture, Norton and McClure get the carpets and Bogue the curtains and draperies, Fred Brennan the plumbing, Judge Ridgell the painting and decorating, all home merchants.

If Alliance is going to celebrate the Fourth this year, and she is! It's none too soon to get busy and perfect an organization to do it right. 10,000 people tributary to Alliance want to come here to celebrate the Fourth, because we have the liveliest town on the map, and its time to get ready to entertain them, say after the fashion of two years ago.

THE HERALD is in receipt of a letter from the Denver Chamber of Commerce asking for information in addition to that given in the HERALD about Alliance and asks: "Have you a commercial organization in your city. If so what is its name and who is its secretary?" Is there any further argument necessary for the reorganization of a Commercial Club in Alliance.

The scramble for Senator Burkett's shoes in the first district is getting warm and a special election is likely to be called in time to elect his successor before the next session of congress convenes. Among the Lincoln statesmen who aspire, are state chairman H. C. M. Burgess, Judge Holmes, Hon. Paul Clark and Judge Frost. The latter insists that direct primaries designate the man, which is eminently fair. In the meantime the First District's affairs are being looked after by Senator Burkett.

We should never be so short sighted as to think that we save money by sending away for goods that we might as well have bought at home. It is the business of the town that gives it life. Take away the employment of the workman, the shop keeper or the merchant, and the town will soon become a dead place. When the town disappears, the schools deteriorate, farm values in the neighborhood become lessened, and all this at the cost of the people of the community, and the building up of some other place.

The civil engineer who was here from Lincoln recently, says that seven and one-fourth miles of sewer pipes will cover the entire city and can be put in at an average cost of \$5,000 per mile. This would include terminals or outlets. His plan is to build the main sewer east and west on Cheyenne avenue and lay the other mains north and south to connect with it, and put those in the alleys, as all alleys run north and south. Another plan will necessitate much additional pipe and no better results. The ways and means will be taken up as soon as the new city council get in motion.

We don't hear much politics these days and yet every once in a while we have an object lesson that is worth repeating. The Sheridan Post has this to say of the wool industry, which

The City of Alliance

ALLIANCE is a thriving city of more than 5000 population, prosperous and glowing prospects for the future. 400 miles west of Omaha, 235 miles north of Denver. It is the metropolis of western Nebraska. It has water works, electric lights, a three story city hall and fire engine house, first class fire company and apparatus. Two large school buildings; employs twenty teachers to educate its 1000 school children. Seven churches, U. S. land office, Court house, two National Banks, modern business blocks and handsome residences. Its railroad facilities are the best. It is on the main line of the Burlington from either Chicago or St. Louis to Portland and the Pacific coast. It is the Division headquarters for western Nebraska, Wyoming, South Dakota and Montana, the offices of General Superintendent Rhodes having been recently located here. The western division shops are located here and more than 600 railroad men are employed here. Its people are hospitable, enterprising, and intelligent. Its climate is healthful and invigorating. In short, no town in Nebraska presents superior inducements for men of capital, enterprise and push, to locate within her borders. Letters of inquiry addressed to the Alliance HERALD will be answered promptly and in detail. Better write for a copy of our handsome twenty-four page illustrated Industrial edition, it will tell you more than we could write you in a month.

needs no comment and applies to Nebraska as well as Wyoming:

"In the halcyon days of the sheep business in Wyoming under the high McKinley tariff in 1892 Wyoming wool sold for 20 cents a pound. Under the free-trade Wilson law in 1897 the same wool sold for 7 1/2 cents a pound. After the enactment of the Dingley tariff law the price of wool again began to advance and there has been a steady increase from year to year. Today prices are back where they were before the democrats began tinkering with the tariff. Tim Kinney of Sweetwater county, one of the largest sheep owners in southern Wyoming, has just sold his wool clip, which amounts to several hundred thousand pounds, for 20 1/2 cents a pound. This is said to be the highest price ever received for Wyoming wool. Mr. Kinney runs an average grade of range sheep, and this price is a fair indication of the average value of Wyoming wool this year."

Need For Reform.

The free-and-easy night hawk rabble is becoming all together too brazen and forward. It has been the complaint of those rooming and residing in the business part of lower Box Butte avenue that nightly there is a carousing, drunken gang of men and prostitutes from the houses, holding high carnival of the vilest character. People who had business at the depot last night when 42 arrived, were horrified to witness a brute of a man, at the Rodgers corner, inhumanly beat and kick one of the unfortunates from one of the houses, till she wept and begged for mercy. The great big degenerate dog had his weak victim at his mercy and did not hesitate to knock her down. How long is this debauchery to continue in the prominent parts of the city?

The Hospital Site.

Recently Mr. J. R. Phelan outlined a plan whereby the city should or could sell the City Hall to the hospital association and with the proceeds begin the building of a sewer system. While the plan may have merit the HERALD could not advocate such a move. If the City Hall had not been built and the money had been used for sewerage, that would have been another matter, but now to dispose of City Hall, No! By all means, no! The city needs the city hall, the city jail there is necessary. The fire department must have quarters, and more than all that would not be a proper location for a hospital. Too close to the heart of town, too much noise, not enough room, no chance for lawn or trees, and not an inspiring landscape. The environments of a hospital must be congenial to get the best results. Let us have a hospital and a city hall too, and sewerage will no doubt soon be provided for.

Would be Senator F. J. Neidring-housen, of Missouri, who was recently within four votes of being U. S. senator, went to Butte on No. 41 today.

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A WORD ON MOTHERHOOD.

Omaha Daily News.

Be it hovel or palace, a "shack" on the prairie or a "brown-stone front," it is home until a man places therein the one woman of all the world to him. And when she holds the scepter of motherhood, theirs is a kingdom bounded by the infinities.

If I were to go into that branch of politics called "Women's Rights," I should try to make a "split in the party" in short order. "Woman's Rights" means too often children's wrongs, when a woman places outside duty between home and herself; robbing childhood of its "gold" to pay the "price" of worldly ambitions. A woman has the divine right to the selection of those to whom she intrusts the education of her children; a voice in limitation of vice and intemperance, and the unhampered disposal of her share financially in the firm of Home & Co. I am very glad the "free and equal" clause in our constitution does not include women.

But if a woman really wants it, let her take her place shoulder to shoulder with the men she desires to imitate; bear arms in time of war; go down in the mine; stand with her hand on the throttle, and sail by the same chart. If she wants the "freedom" of man, let her "stand treat" with the boys; carry her own 2 a. m. latch key; bet against her husband at horse racing and poker, and compare brands of cigars with him—become an unsexed monstrosity. The relation of cause and effect between Women's Rights and "Wrinkle Removers," "Complexion Renewers," "Shape Reformers" and "Hair Restorers" is clear. "Woman once craved admiration at home, individually; but in her ever-widening circle, she now demands it collectively, and builds to suit the varied tastes of her audience. We all cling to youth; and it is our own prerogative to keep its legitimate charms so long as we may, when the passing years filch them from us one by one.

But there will come a time when the hair is white; the face graced deep with lines; the eye too dim to see beyond the threshold; when we must each write "finis" over the grave of our buried youth. Beautiful above all women, then, is one whose image is shrouded sweetest and fairest, and fadeless in the hearts of husband and children, who "rise up and call her blessed." Another result: thus read the daily papers: "Rooms for rent—no children;" "Fine flat for childless couple;" "House to rent—to parties without children." There is room for the inhumanly human parrot; the family cat and her progeny curled unmolested in a cosy corner; my ladies dog nestles unrebuked against her silken skirts; but— The Madonna, mother of the twentieth century, with her babe at her breast, seeks shelter in vain; and once again there is no room at the world's inn for these "babes of Bethlehem."

We are great on statistics; and one yearly item on the list states that the common hen, caterer for and martyr to gross, material man, ranks in money value away up in the millions—far above everything else in this great and glorious U. S.—us. And I wonder, if it could be estimated in good round dollars, how much the mothers are worth to the nation? But we have no "protective tariff" upon that source of production, and mothers and children are below par in "governmental stock" quotations. These commodities—the bone and sinew, purity and truth, honor and integrity—are sold upon the block of political party to the highest bidder. And when we are bankrupt in all these; the treasury filled with spurious coin and base counterfeit, we will awake to the fact that we have been building "without straw," and the despoiler is upon us.

Residence Not Required.

The question of residence has been asked so often, whether people who had made final proof, and who had filed on contiguous land under the Kinkaid law, must move to the new lands, that we give the following extract from the law as forwarded to Judge Kinkaid from the commissioner of the general land office. This provides that homesteaders who have proven up and taken adjoining land to their homestead need not move onto the new land, but may continue to live where they have lived. It would appear that the privilege of entering additional land under section 2, above quoted, was given alike to entrymen who had made final proof on their original entries and to those who had not perfect-

ed title to the land formerly entered, if such entryman still owned and occupied the land so formerly entered, and in case final proof had been made the party would not be required to move from the land originally entered to that embraced in his additional entry, but continuous residence on the original entry for five years after date of the additional entry and the placing of permanent improvements on the land embraced in such additional entry of the value of not less than \$1.25 per acre for each acre included therein would be sufficient, if satisfactorily proved within the statutory life of the entry.

Burlington Time Table Alliance, Nebr.

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Land Office Notices.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Mar. 13, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on April 24, 1905, viz:

CYRUS C. JOY of Jess, Nebraska, on H. E. No. 3223 for the N 1/4 of sec 4 section 10 town 20 n. range 44 w. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: E. H. Squire, of Rushville, Nebr., and James Koeler, S. M. Smyser, H. M. Hampton, all of Alliance, Nebr. 13-6 BRUCE WILCOX, Register.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., March 30, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on May 18, 1905, viz:

MARY BLISS of Hemingford, Nebraska, on homestead entry No. 3100, for lot 4 and 1/4 NW 1/4 section 1, lot 1, and SE 1/4 NE 1/4 section 2, township 25 N, range 50 W. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Alie Madin, Robert Curry, George W. Loer, William F. Walker, all of Hemingford, Nebr. 13-6 BRUCE WILCOX, Register.

Land Office at Alliance, Neb., Apr. 11th, 1905. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before Register and Receiver at Alliance, Neb., on June 19th, 1905, viz:

RICHARD S. BEVAN, of Hemingford, Nebr., on Homestead entry No. 2190 for the North East 1/4 section 31 township 29 N E 1/4 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: David A. Paul, Peter K. Christensen, John Mehalson and Frank Bevan, all of Hemingford, Nebr. 17-6 BRUCE WILCOX, Register.

Notice of 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 Box Butte avenue, in the Second ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1906, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the second day of May, 1905, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska. William King. Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 6, 1905.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that Ed. J. Barry 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 5, block 21, fronting Box Butte avenue, in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1906, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the second day of May, 1905, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska. Ed. J. Barry. Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 6, 1905.

Notice of 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 Box Butte avenue, in the First ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1906, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the second day of May, 1905, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska. Simon Spry. Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 6, 1905.

Notice of 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 Box Butte avenue, in the Second ward of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the year ending May, 1906, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the second day of May, 1905, being the regular meeting of the city council of the city of Alliance, Nebraska. F. J. Betzold. Dated Alliance, Nebraska, April 6, 1905.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

Notice is hereby given that W. N. Corneal 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 9, block 27, fronting Box Butte avenue, in the Second ward of the city of Alliance, Nebr., for the year ending May, 1906, and that he will ask that said license be issued to him on the 2nd day of May, 1905, being

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