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FRED BRENNAN

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I raised the bull calf that took first premium, also calf that took fifth in same class, in open competition, at our State fair in September 1907. My herd took fourteen ribbons, altogether. I now have thirty bulls, from one to three years old, which I would like to sell for fall delivery; a car load. I will sell from twelve to twenty; you take your pick for \$300 each. I will keep them for two months, feed them oats, alfalfa, etc., get them in good shape. You take them in December, winter them at home, and they will do you some good. J. G. BRENNER, 43 1 year* Broken Bow, Neb.

Do You Owe Any Back Tax? If so, Better See the County Treasurer.

To the county treasurer of Box Butte county, Nebraska: You are hereby ordered by the county commissioners to collect all back tax due the county and to issue distress warrants on all delinquents who have been notified and have neglected to pay. By order county commissioners. By W. C. MOUNTS, County Clerk. May 14.

HEMINGFORD

Postmaster W. F. Walker, Editor.

Jan. Curry was a Cantonite on our streets Monday.
Miss Marie Madison is clerking in Norton's store.
Mr. Sloan visited home folks a couple of days recently.
Clark Lewis and Brown Church had business at Alliance Tuesday.
J. T. Butler, I. R. Walker and W. B. Millet were in Alliance Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brown are at the Beaumont home this week.
Mr. Wallace, of the Canton neighborhood, was on our streets Monday.
Monte Green is doing some painting and papering in the country at present.
Mrs. Dr. Little went to Rushville the first of the week for a visit with friends.
Miss Bertha Barleigh went down to Lakeside Tuesday to visit for awhile and to see to some improvements on her claim.
B. U. Shepherd was an Alliance visitor over Thursday night, returning on 41 Friday.
Willie Walker accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Hutton to Alliance the first of the week.
Robert Graham is having a neat little four-roomed cottage erected in the east end of town.
Ross Eneyart has a pretty sore finger, caused by having it caught in a potato plant.
Alex. Muirhead contemplates building a new residence in the south part of town in the near future.
Little Della Brown had the misfortune to step on a nail one day this week, inflicting a pretty painful injury.
Mr. and Mrs. John Grommet are enjoying a visit with Mr. G.'s brother, who arrived from the east last week.
Mrs. Burlew and daughter Regina departed Monday evening for Montello, Wis., to visit with relatives and friends.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fosket went down to Alliance Saturday evening and visited until Sunday afternoon with friends.
Miss Madeline Carey returned from Ardmore the first of the week. She had been visiting her friend, Mrs. Richards, for a week.
Misses Gladys Barleigh, Clara Bussi and Edith Brosbar went down to Alliance last week to take examinations held there Friday and Saturday.
We wish to correct the statement made last week that Miss Lettie Carey was visiting friends at Ardmore. She was visiting friends in the country instead.
Mr. and Mrs. Powell, parents of Mrs. Wesley Zimmerman, arrived from Omaha Sunday and were driven out to the Zimmerman home in Sioux county Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wildy arrived last week and expect to make this their home in the future. H. B. will engage in business with his brother Calvin, so we are informed.
Several from here attended the Bosvar sale Monday. This was one of the largest sales held in these parts for a long time. There was a good crowd and things sold at a fair price.
The steam plow is working in this vicinity. The boys are rushed all the time and find it necessary to work nights, running until midnight every night, which necessitates a large force.
Eighth grade examinations for the north and west sections of the county were held here last Friday and Saturday, conducted by Principal Opal Russell. Twenty-one took the examination for diplomas.
We have noticed "Dad" Shirk on our streets several times lately. We did not learn when he did get back, but suffice it to say, he is here and looking remarkably well. His many friends are pleased to see him in their midst again.
Tuesday was a sort of a red-letter day in the way of an exodus to Alliance. Nearly everybody that could get away went to the county-seat on that day. Messrs. Hutton, Hedgecock and Pierce each took a load in their cars, while several drove down with teams.
Dr. Bellwood and Mr. Barnes, with Aspenwall as chauffeur, drove up from Alliance Friday in the doctor's car. The doctor holds the record for the fastest time made by an auto between Alliance and Hemingford—41 min., 18 sec., with a 9-min. stop at Berea. Next!
The Scribner boys' teams ran away one evening last week while hitched to a gang-plow, and collided with the town windmill, tipping it over. Neither of the four horses was hurt in the least, nor was the plow broken, but the windmill was wrecked. Ira Scribner was driving the team, but was thrown to the ground a short distance from the mill, which perhaps saved him from serious injury.
N. J. Kinsley and daughter Ethel came in from Sioux county Thursday afternoon and to consult the doctor in regard to Mr. Kinsley's hand which he bruised while he was section foreman here, and which has been causing him considerable trouble. The doctor found that he had blood poison in the injured finger and found it necessary to open the hand. They returned to their home Friday. Mr. Kinsley came back to town the first of the week to be closer to the doctor.

Notice.

Parties having cases and keys belonging to King's place are requested to return them at once.

MARSLAND.

C. H. Richay has added a nice new carryall to his livery outfit.
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Burns went to Alliance Friday and returned Sunday.
S. Albro and family, of Alliance, were Sunday visitors at F. R. Bellomies.
The telephone line down the river is completed as far as J. C. Bennett's.
Mrs. J. C. Wood has gone to Iowa, having been called there by the serious illness of a sister.
Squibb & Hunsaker finished the well at Dr. Willis' and have gone to C. G. Hollibaugh's to drill one.
Cattle and horse buyers were here the latter part of the week and picked up a small bunch of stock.
The Misses Louie and Maude McGogy went out to Hazel Furman's Saturday and returned Sunday evening.
Con. Bass and family came in on 41 Sunday and were taken over to the south table by one of C. A. Richie's drivers.
Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, of Crawford, took dinner at the Commercial Sunday, being enroute to Hemingford to visit relatives.
James Burke and family and Mrs. Jorammon visited friends on north table the latter part of the week and returned Sunday evening.
George Gregg has purchased one of the celebrated jacks from Kendrick Bros. The demand for and high price of mules is the inducement.
A party of Seventh Day Adventists were busy all day Sunday erecting the telephone line. We suppose they were such, or they would have worked Saturday and rested Sunday.
Mrs. Weir, of near Ashbrook, is assisting Mrs. Richie at the Commercial. Nellie Horner, who has been staying there during the school months, will continue to serve in the dining room.
The friends of Mrs. Mary Diehl, of Crawford, are glad to know that she won out in the suit she instituted to oust a saloon from the lot adjoining hers. She was represented by Att'y Crites of Chadron.
The Byers family, formerly of this place but now of Blackfoot, Idaho, write to have their subscription renewed to The Herald. They are still much pleased with their new home and have quite a fruit farm started.
Lee Gregory and wife have resigned their positions with the B. & M. and have moved to the homestead, seven miles west of this place. Mr. Gregory says he has farming to learn, but if he stays by it with the same faithfulness with which he has served the railroad company he will surely win out.
Mr. Walters, of Des Moines, Iowa, who came here some months ago to visit his daughter, Mrs. Weir, and who had a stroke of paralysis recently, was brought in last Thursday, and stopped at the Commercial until the arrival of his son-in-law, Mr. Harrington, of Port Arthur, Texas, who came to accompany him back to Iowa. Mr. Walters was much pleased with this country and had recently taken a homestead near Ashbrook postoffice, expecting to remain some years near his daughter, but his sudden and severe sickness caused him to return to his former home.
HASHMAN.
Carl Hashman visited at Frank McCoy's Sunday.
A. Ross is having a well dug near his dwelling house.
Fred Nichols went out west and has filed on a fine claim.
William Showers went to Alliance Tuesday on legal business.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Leishman visited at Mr. Skinner's Sunday.
Miss Lillian Florence Jessie Key visited with Mrs. Gagabagen Sunday.
Mrs. Grace Duskin expects soon to make her home on a claim near Scottsbluff.
Mrs. Martha Wilson, who has been on the sick list for the past week, is mending.
Mr. Hashman returned Friday from Omaha, where he left his wife. She is improving.
We are rejoicing over the grand success of our Sunday school. The attendance on last Sunday was 22.
George Kep and daughter Florence returned Saturday morning from his sister's funeral near Clark, Neb.
This vicinity had a caller on Tuesday, a man who was enlarging pictures, but no one appreciated his kindness.
State Holiness Camp Meeting
The annual camp meeting of the Nebraska State Holiness Association for 1908 will be held at Epworth Lake Park, Lincoln, June 18th to 28th. Rev. Joseph H. Smith, Rev. J. L. Glasscock and Rev. E. F. Miller will be the leaders. Special preparations are being made to make the meeting this year the best in the history of the association. Everything possible will be done to make the meeting economical, pleasant and profitable to all who attend.
Address W. B. Howard, Lincoln, for information concerning tents, furniture and board. For other information address the secretary, W. H. Prescott, 1210 O St., Lincoln, Neb.
Lost—Silver watch, Elgin works, gold stem, gold hands, with a leather fob and Alliance high school pin. Reward for return to Herald office.—Elmer Reed. 22-4f

Wolf or Sheep?

By J. LUDLUM LEE.

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There was a run on the Illinois National bank, and depositors were standing in line hour after hour waiting their turn to withdraw their money. Paying tellers worked with deliberation that was maddening. Some days only half a dozen people would be paid off, but still the line increased, hoping against hope. For two days and nights the figure of a young girl had been noticed. She was slowly working her way to the front. At 2:45 p. m. on the third day she was admitted to the bank and withdrew her entire account. To avoid confusion depositors were admitted at one door and passed out through a side entrance, and as she emerged from the latter she cast a hurried glance about her. She gave a sigh of relief when she saw that she was quite alone and apparently unnoticed. Then suddenly a tall man appeared in the doorway behind her. Lillian Burkhardt trembled as she clutched the roll of bills, her teeth chattered, the color faded from her cheeks, and she was conscious that her hands trembled visibly. The man looked at her sharply, stepped forward and asked if he could be of service to her.
"You seem to be in trouble. Can I do anything for you?" he asked, with some concern.
"You can go away," she managed to answer.
The man calmly proceeded to button his heavy ulster, slipped his hand in the pocket thereof and pulled out a heavy pair of gloves, which he drew on slowly. His tall, broad shoulders were surmounted by a handsome clear cut face; his whole appearance was faultless. He glanced concernedly at Lillian, whose color had not yet returned and who seemed to tremble from head to foot.
"Really, I feel that I must call for assistance. Will you have a cab or a doctor? It would be nothing short of brutal to leave you here shivering like that. Are you ill or simply cold? I insist upon knowing."
Lillian was forced to look at him again, and it seemed to give her courage to speak.
"Were you ever hungry?" she murmured as she took a firmer hold on the bills.
"Yes, indeed," said her companion. "But never with that amount of money in my grasp."
Lillian started with a sudden jerk at the mention of her money and dropped the entire roll of bills. He stooped to pick it up, and after one wild shriek she called distractedly:
"Stop thief! Stop, I say!"
The crowd was massed in front of the bank, and the cry seemed to have passed unnoticed. The man picked up the bills despite her exclamation and handed them to her. Lillian laughed a tickly little gurgle, saying:
"Perhaps you're not a thief after all—are you?"
"No, I'm not! Are you?" suggested the man. "I am merely one of the many depositors trying to get a few dollars. But you were more fortunate than I. When I reached the window the cashier pulled it down, saying it was 3 o'clock and too late to draw. Better put that wad out of sight and don't tempt the hysterical mob outside," he added.
"That's what I wanted to do, but you won't go away and let me. A woman doesn't have pockets all over her clothes like a man. And, oh, I wish you would go, for I'm so hungry and want to get home! I've stood in that line for nearly three days to get money for the landlord. My, but I hate that man!" she expostulated, with a shrug of her pretty shoulders.
"Well, I'll be on my way, and be sure you tuck it safely away in its hiding place. I'll promise not to look back." He laughed and turned on down the street.
Lillian hurriedly slipped the bills in the bosom of her gown and nervously started in the opposite direction toward her little home. Her mother met her at the door, and after some hot luncheon the girl was equal to relating her troubles.
"But, mother, we have the money, and that old Shyllock can be paid. I'll take it around to tell myself in the morning and just tell him what I think of him," said Lillian, with some satisfaction and a threatening intonation of her voice.
The next morning about 10 o'clock she started for the landlord's office, and as she passed the long line waiting at the bank she thought how fortunate she had been. "Extras" were out saying that no more depositors would be paid.
Arriving at the offices of Payne & Payne on Main street, she entered the snug little reception room and asked for Mr. Payne.
"Which one, ma'am?" asked the office boy at the door.
"Why, the one who owns our house, the cross one," she added by way of further explanation.
The boy seemed to know which man she wanted and disappeared in the inner office. He returned in a few minutes, saying that she might go right in, ushering her to the door and closed it after her.
Once inside, Lillian, blushing to the roots of her red brown hair, found herself confronted by the man who had offered her assistance the day before.
"I am looking for Mr. Payne," she managed to mumble.
"I am Mr. Payne," said he as he

Notice to Alliance Property Owners.

Notice is hereby given all Alliance owners of real estate that alleys, vacant places and streets adjoining must be cleaned without delay, of all waste papers, refuse, manure, etc. Prompt attention and compliance with this notice will save costs.
C. C. SMITH, Mayor,
W. O. BARNES, City Clerk.

For Sale.

Avery corn planter, good as new.—L. E. Bye.

Estray Notice.

Strayed onto my premises about November 1907, one blue roan mare unbranded, weight about 1000 pounds, age about 7 years. Owner can have same by proving property.
WALTER R. KENT,
sec. 12, twp 26, R 46,
Sheridan county.

New Machine Shop.

R. E. Rodgers, a practical machinist, has opened up a general repair shop in Gadsby's carpenter shop, back of Bogue's store. He will give special attention to repairing automobiles, sewing machines, guns and all kinds of machinery. Reasonable charges and satisfaction guaranteed. Give him a call. Telephone 303. 18-4f

Well Drilling.

I am now prepared to put down tubular wells, deep or shallow. Satisfaction guaranteed. For further information inquire at The Herald office or Robert Littick, Long Lake, Neb.

Warning.

Any person or persons found guilty of marring or in any way destroying newly finished cement walks, will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.
Attest: C. C. SMITH, Mayor,
W. O. BARNES, City Clerk.

Notice.

The starting of numerous fires in the alleys and neglect of same before extinguished is a very careless practice and may be the cause of a disastrous fire in the city. The public is hereby cautioned not to set out a fire while the wind is blowing, nor to leave one burning at any time without watching same. Anyone violating this order will be arrested and prosecuted.
C. C. SMITH, Mayor,
Attest: W. O. BARNES, Clerk.

Tell Us About It.

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