

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mike Haggerty was in the city yesterday from Bridgeport.

Chas. Forney of Kenoma was in the city Monday and Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Kridelbaugh will entertain the Cheese and Cracker club this afternoon.

A. D. Ozman, an old-time blacksmith at the railroad shops, was here Monday.

A. D. New, the Ellsworth mail carrier and auctioneer, visited in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ozman spent a few days at their ranch near Kenoma this week.

Mrs. Ella Haynes was in from her ranch in the west part of the county yesterday.

James Gray was at Crawford and Chadron Monday and Tuesday soliciting insurance.

Geo. J. C. Lange of Kenoma visited a few days with F. W. Scribner, at the Commissary, recently.

Mrs. W. W. Norton entertained ten of her lady friends at a six o'clock luncheon Tuesday afternoon.

Tom James, of the store house force, sustained a serious injury to one of his hands at the railroad shops yesterday.

Harry Hamilton's wife and children returned home Tuesday morning from an extended visit in Aurora, Ill., and Lincoln.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Schill and daughters went to Kenoma this week to visit their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Schill.

Geo. Williams, who was recently at the Box Butte hospital with a fractured collar bone, returned to Kenoma Sunday evening.

Mrs. Nelson Fletcher will entertain Friday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Ford, who will soon return to her home at Oshkosh, Wis.

Messrs. Fred Herbaugh and F. M. Tykwart have been out on their homesteads a few days building preparatory to taking up residence thereon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Shipley arrived here yesterday morning from Grand Island to visit their daughter, Mrs. John O'Keefe and other relatives.

Sang Reck left on 44 last Sunday afternoon for a business trip to the coast country of Texas which includes Port Arthur, Galveston and other important points.

The many friends in this city of Dr. Julia V. Frey were pleased to learn of her arrival here last Saturday morning. Miss Frey is the guest of Dr. Coppernoll.

Mrs. Fred Brennan and children returned last Sunday morning from their visit with relatives at Stuart, Iowa. Thus another member of the grass widowers' club is taken from us.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Loer enjoyed a visit with their son-in-law, J. C. Osborn of Kansas City last Sunday and Monday. Mr. Osborn was on his way east from a visit at the democratic national convention at Denver.

Bert Laing is more than happy now days because his better half and the little children returned last Sunday. It's easy to tell how the women folks are missed when their husbands are compelled to join the grass widowers' club.

Rev. Father McNamara was called to Angora last Tuesday morning to officiate at the funeral of Bernard P. Daxon, a rancher living six miles east of that place. Deceased was a new comer and leaves a wife and small children.

County Judge Berry and son left Tuesday for an outing north of Rushville. They took along their guns, fishing paraphernalia and bags in which to carry home the game. Judge Westover's ranch is one of the places they will visit.

Mrs. Leora Rustin and daughter, Lee, came down from Hemingford yesterday for a couple of days visit with Alliance friends. They will return to Lincoln next month, Mrs. Rustin having been re-elected to a position in the city schools for another year.

Geo. J. Burke spent a few days this week visiting at Lincoln. It is quite probable that he went out to the farm to visit Brother Tom and family and partook of some of those spring fries and rich country cream of which there is a plenty on the Burke farm.

John O'Keefe, Sr., accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Maher, of St. Joseph, Mo., returned home last Tuesday morning. Mrs. Maher will enjoy the cooling atmosphere of western Nebraska for a few weeks before returning to her home in St. Joseph.

John Williams, who for the past year has been in the employ of the Thiele drug store, left yesterday for

Omaha where he will engage in the drug business for himself. Mr. Williams made many warm friends here who will hope for him the best of luck.

C. A. Newberry and children, Mae and Norman, left last Saturday for Kearney to visit C. A.'s mother. Mr. Newberry returned home Tuesday, the children remaining for a longer visit.

Mrs. C. A. Burlew and daughter, Regina, of Hammingford came in on No. 41 Sunday and visited Alliance friends until 4:30 in the afternoon. They were on their return home from a nine weeks visit in different parts of Wisconsin.

County Assessor Sweeney has completed the footings of the valuation of property in Box Butte county for this year which shows the real estate to be \$3,627,091.00 and personal property, \$2,130,290.00, making a total of \$5,757,381.00.

W. S. Ridgell wasn't going over to the democratic convention but before the game was up the fever of democracy struck him so forcibly that he could not resist the temptation and lit out for the storm center the day Bryan was nominated. He got back Monday morning with the Bryan smile spreading over his face from ear to ear.

Sunday at the Baptist church, G. C. Jeffers, pastor, Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Subject of morning discourse, "Stopped Wells Reopened." Young people's meeting at 7 o'clock; meeting to be led by the president, Mr. Philip Nohe. At 8 o'clock, a stereopticon sermon will be given upon the subject of "Old Testament History." Midweek prayer service Thursday evening. A welcome to all services.

JUNIOR NORMAL NOTES

Students, who have enrolled this week, are as follows: Fannie Peppers, Whitman; Cora Henderson, Hyannis; H. R. Dellinger, Hyannis; Carrie A. Drake, Whitman; J. A. Rodman, Potter; Martha Kockerscheidt, Whitman; Mrs. C. N. Walton, Chadron; Mrs. Clark, Bridgeport.

Normal work will close Wednesday, and Thursday and Friday will be devoted to examinations. The work will all be closed by Saturday night and by that time or at the farthest, Sunday, the students and faculty, who live elsewhere than Alliance, will have "told their tents like the Arabs and silently stole away."

J. T. O. Stewart, formerly principal of the high school at this place, was present at chapel Tuesday morning greeting friends of old. He is traveling over the state in the interests of the national corn exhibit to be held at Omaha in December, and was here to encourage Box Butte county to make herself known at the exhibit and succeeded in arousing considerable enthusiasm in the matter.

Although we have not the full record of attendance of the other junior normal schools at hand for comparison, we believe from reports received at various times during the summer, that our total enrollment, 237, is at the head, or very nearly at the head, of the best of junior normal schools, and we are confident that our junior normal enrollment of 181 is ahead of the bona fide junior normal enrollment in the state. Hurrah for Alliance!

The most largely attended, and perhaps the best number of the lecture course, was the entertainment given at the Phelan opera house last Thursday night by the Chicago Glee club. As advertised last week, the program consisted of vocal quartettes, solos, trombone quartettes, readings by Mr. Dixon, etc., and each number was heartily encored by the appreciative audience. This is the second time this company has been here and they can rest assured that a full house will be present at any future time they may appear here.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO SISTERS' ACADEMY

Weekly Report of Payments Toward the Erection of the School Building.

Previously acknowledged.....	\$10,545 05
Cash.....	50 00
L. Baechenstein.....	10 00
W. Swift.....	50 00
Total.....	\$10,655 05

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS

Mechanical Inspector O. N. Terry is in the city this week on business.

Fireman W. F. Rosenkranz is spending a few days in Sidney this week.

Mrs. C. H. Rockey and daughters are visiting relatives in Edgemont.

Engineer I. U. Hager is on a brief business trip to Cheyenne this week.

Roadmaster D. E. Lynch of Edgemont was in the city Tuesday on business.

F. J. Connors of the blacksmith shop is visiting friends in Sterling, Colo.

Mrs. C. H. Fredrick is spending a few days with friends in Mitchell this week.

Chas. Brown, E. A. Whisman and C. A. Johnson are new brakemen employed.

Brakeman J. P. Watson will leave in a few days for a brief visit with friends in Denver.

Miss Inez Beck left a few days ago for a visit with relatives and friends in Columbus.

F. Kupler and family are on an extended visit with friends and relatives in Auburn.

Geo. Burke is taking a well earned vacation this week and will visit friends and relatives in Lincoln.

Mrs. W. L. Austin of Seneca will arrive in Alliance in a few days for a short visit with relatives.

G. L. Helzer and family left Tuesday morning for an extended visit with relatives in Longmont, Colo.

Brakeman W. C. Heelan returned from Omaha Wednesday on 43. He says he lost Burke in Denver.

J. M. Shirk who was injured about a week ago, is around again and soon will be able to return to his duties.

Fireman C. W. Miller came down from Edgemont Saturday to spend Sunday with relatives and friends.

Engineer G. E. Hicks left Wednesday morning for a sight-seeing trip to Chicago and other eastern points.

Jas. Dobry and family are spending a few weeks in Hot Springs and other points of interest in the Black Hills.

Dr. C. L. Weber, at one time relief doctor at this place and recently of Wymore, returned to Alliance Wednesday and will act as assistant to Dr. Bowman.

Jas. A. Garfield, Secretary of the Interior, expects to pass through Alliance about July 25th. Mr. Garfield has been taking a trip through the Big Horn Basin and will spend a few days' sight seeing in the Black Hills before returning home.

A special train consisting of five cars occupied by Messrs. Harria, Willard, Holdrege, Spens, Allen and Birdsall passed through Alliance Tuesday p.m. enroute to Billings and the Cody lines. Mr. Birdsall returned home this morning. The party will return in about two weeks via Denver.

D. B. Ogelvie, foreman at Marsland, sustained a very painful injury Monday evening. Mr. Ogelvie was oiling the cogs on the hoisting apparatus and in some manner his hand was caught in the cogs, badly mashing that member. Mr. Ogelvie was brought to Alliance by Dr. Willis of Marsland and an amputation was performed by the company surgeons.

Operator J. E. Mifka left for Deadwood Tuesday morning to relieve H. E. Marvin, who will return to Alliance to take his old trick. Mr. Marvin will succeed R. C. McLeese, who has been promoted to night chief dispatcher vice C. D. Conn, who will return to Ravenna to reassume his duties as conductor. Mr. Conn and family are desirable citizens and have a host of friends who regret their departure.

Railroad Notes from Edgemont

Two new crews have been put on the Deadwood line this week owing to increased business.

Fireman H. E. Corney has been transferred from the main line to the bald mountain run.

R. H. Lamb, wife and two children went to Alliance on the Fourth to take in the celebration there.

W. Reimers returned Tuesday from his visit in Auburn, Nebr., where he spent a few days visiting.

S. E. Woods, night hostler in Edgemont, has been promoted to engineer and has gone to Alliance to take his run out of there.

E. E. Lawrence, who was set back to firing in the dull times, has been put back as engineer and has gone to work in his new capacity.

Fireman Grabbit, who has been running from Alliance to Ravenna, has

been transferred to take the run from Alliance to Edgemont in the same capacity.

Miss Mildred Wade and Dale Wade are expected here in the near future from Grand Island to visit with their father, who is engineer on the passenger run from here to Deadwood.

Engineer Johnson brought engine 3127 from Alliance to Edgemont and then went to Alliance. The engine has been at Havlock for repairs and will be put in commission on the Sheridan division.

The new Duplex Gardner pump has been shipped to Edgemont and will be put in position to work as soon as it arrives. It will be used in washing the boilers and is a big powerful piece of machinery and just the thing for the place.

Engine 1057 is still in the shops undergoing repairs. This is the engine that first demonstrated that the water in the deep well was good for engine purposes. The flues were examined here and it was found that the water had not pitted or hurt them in any way.

American Federation Will Support W. J. Bryan

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, which represents 3,000,000 voters, in an interview with a Lincoln Star representative at Lincoln last Tuesday morning made the following state in reference to the political situation:

"I am very well satisfied with the Democratic platform as promulgated at the Denver convention," said Mr. Gompers, "and I will do everything in my power to ratify that platform. The officials of the American Federation of Labor seem satisfied with the Denver platform and will support it. The Republican party has repudiated the just demands of the working people, and in that action has taken a stand for injustice and unfair treatment of labor. We did not get any expressions in that line from the Republican platform, but the Democrats went on record for the fair thing."

"As for myself, I have been a Republican, but I shall vote this fall for Mr. Bryan and will go on the stump for the Democratic national ticket and will use all honorable means within my power to secure his election. The Democratic platform expresses the principles for which the American Federation of Labor and its officers have worked, and of course, in supporting and fighting for the success of these principles we will support and fight for the candidates who are pledged to carry them into effect."

"All our affiliated organizations have been instructed to work for the principles of justice and right and in their meetings they have declared for the principles that the Democrats have embodied in their platform. The labor organizations have been instructed to support these declarations and of course that means we will work for the election of the men who stand for our principles."

"I have never expected defeat in any undertaking, never hoped for defeat and never have given up fighting for an idea or principle that I firmly believed to be right and just. I will always be found fighting for what I believe is right, no matter what the temporary results may be. I believe that in this fight we now have on hand, that we will win, and I shall work for Mr. Bryan's election and for the ratification of the principles that we have advocated as officers and as an organization."

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

A. F. BALDRIDGE, Bonded Abstractor
Robt. R. Ralls to John Sass, Jr., SE 1/4 of 13-25-49. \$1.00 and Val.
W. T. Eiker to Charley Sampson, SW 1/4 of 17 and SE 1/4 of 18-28-49. \$4800.
Leroy Bye to Martin Rock, NE 1/4 of 28-25-88. \$1.00 and Val.

Ordinance No. 124

An ordinance appropriating funds to defray the expenses of the city of Alliance, Nebraska, for the fiscal year ending May 4, 1909, and levying a tax to pay the interest on the water bonds of the city of Alliance and to pay interest on city hall bonds of said city of Alliance, and to pay the expenses of said city.

It is ordained by the mayor and council of the City of Alliance, Nebraska:
Sec. 1. That there is hereby appropriated out of the money to be raised by taxes or otherwise by the City of Alliance, Nebraska, for the fiscal year ending May 4, 1909, the sum of \$18,240.00, for the purpose of paying the expenses of the City of Alliance, and the annual interest on the water bonds and city hall bonds of said City of Alliance, in funds as follows:
Officers' salaries..... \$1,000.00
Streets and alleys..... 3,000.00
Fire and water..... 5,000.00
General fund..... 3,500.00
Stationary and printing..... 500.00
Interest on water bonds..... 400.00
Interest on city hall bonds..... 900.00
Lighting streets and alleys..... 1,500.00
Sec. 2. That there is hereby levied a tax of 10 mills on each dollar of the assessed property valuation of the said City of Alliance, for the purpose of paying the interest on the water bonds of said City of Alliance, as provided in section one of this ordinance.
Sec. 3. That there is hereby levied a tax of 7 mills on each dollar of said assessed property valuation of said City of Alliance, for the purpose of paying the interest on the water bonds of said City of Alliance, as provided in section one of this ordinance.
Sec. 4. That there is hereby levied a tax of 3 mills on each dollar of the said assessed property valuation of said City of Alliance, for the purpose of paying the interest on the city hall bonds of said City of Alliance, as provided in section one of this ordinance.
Approved July 15th, 1908.
W. O. BARBER, City Clerk. C. C. SMITH, Mayor.

THOUGHTS ON BUSINESS

BY WALDO PONDRAY WARREN

THE MASTER'S EYE

THERE is an ancient proverb that "the master's eye does more work than both his hands." The modern version of the master's eye is a card catalogue system that keeps a record of the work of thousands of employes of a great industrial institution. In passing such a card file the other day I made inquiry about it, and the manager said: "This is our system for keeping track of the mistakes made by employes. Nearly every mistake we discover in any part of the work is traced back to the employe who made it, and it is recorded here against his name."

"Do you point out each person's mistakes to him at the time?"

"Oh, yes. Especially when they amount to much. But we don't speak about every mistake. That would only confuse the employes and make them fearful and probably lead to making more errors."

"What do you find is the cause for most mistakes?"

"Carelessness—almost every time."

"How does your system affect that?"

"Well, he said, "the mere fact that we keep such a record is a stimulus to employes to be careful. Even if we never looked up a card it would be worth while keeping up the system just for the general influence it has. But we refer to it often. And we know it works because the percentage of mistakes is lowered from year to year."

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BUSINESS LOCALS.

New line of work shirts at the Commissary. 31-tf.

Wanted—To buy a five or six room house, or vacant lot in the northwest part of the city.—W. H. Holtz.

Stop on the corner by the Alliance National bank and look southeast. See the Commissary sign above the tree tops. 205 Box Butte avenue. 31-tf.

Girl Wanted at Alliance Steam Laundry. 31-tf

Fresh bread at the Commissary, 205 Box Butte avenue. Phone 519. F. W. Scribner. 31-tf.

We always have money to loan on farm land and city property. 18-tf F. E. REDDISH.

When you want a carriage or vehicle of any kind repaired remember that Jordan & Son of Alliance is the only firm in the city that is doing first-class work in this line. 28-tf

Look for the Commissary ad in this issue and all other issues. It will do us all some good. 31-tf.

Try Pardy's Cottage Bread.

For Rent—Four-room house on Missouri ave.—Christian Matz. 28-4t

Lost—Ladies light gray jacket, between Alliance and Wm. Sherlock's. Leave at Herald office and receive reward.—Jacob Jasse. 31-t

Go to Pardy's Bakery for your Pies and Cakes.

See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate. 27-tf

Dr. Allen, dentist. Opera house blk

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Reduced prices on women's and children's oxfords at the Commissary, 205 Box Butte avenue. 31-tf.

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Pardy's Bakery is 114 West Montana street.

Less than a carload of tablets at the Commissary. They are for sale. 31-tf

The Denver Times delivered to your house every day for 65c per month. Leave your order at the Bee Hive store.

Have you tried Nohe's bread? 26-tf

The John Hague Co.—Windmills, Pumps and Hardware.

New line of 50-cent dress shirts at the Commissary. 31-tf.

Have you seen that washing machine yet? Easiest running machine made. Only \$7.00. At A. D. Rogers. 23-tf.

Let the John Hague company figure on your tin and galvanized iron work; also plumbing and heating.

House and Lot for Sale

New house, just completed, situated in the northwest part of Alliance. For particulars, inquire phone 239. 29-tf

If you want to rent a house, flat, store, or barn, see S. A. Miller. He has them. 30-tf.

For a pleasant evening's entertainment go to the Crystal Picture Parlors.

For Rent.

Two nice furnished rooms. 507 Sweetwater Ave. Phone 559.

Wanted—Girl for general housework on ranch, or could use man and wife. Inquire of Nebraska Land company, Alliance, or address E. C. Pringle, Berea, Neb. 30-2*

The John Hague Co., hardware, heating and plumbing, also tin and galvanized work.

Man and wife wanted for work on ranch. Inquire at The Herald office. 31-2*

Young lady! Do you want to be a teacher or become a better teacher? Write to Chadron Academy, Chadron, Neb.

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It should be a fit representative of your business, which means the high grade, artistic kind. That's the kind we do.

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J. C. McCorkle, Mgr. Lloyd C. Thomas, Secy.
Nebraska Land Company
Phone 281 Offices, Alliance Nat'l Bank Bldg.

CITY PROPERTY FOR RENT.

A fine six-room house with bath, modern throughout, \$17.
Five-room basement, electric lighted, city water, \$11.
Seven-room residence, shade trees, barn, cellar, \$16. For sale cheap.
Two furnished rooms in a neat little cottage, fine furniture, \$15.

FOR SALE—Refer to Number.

No. 13—Seven-room residence, four lots, one lot in fruit, cheap for cash.
No. 14—Seven-room residence, electric light, furnace, bath and toilet two stories, a fine home. Rentals for \$30. Sale price, \$3600.
No. 20—Eight-room residence, two stories, hot air furnace, fine basement, two lots, fruit, cheap for cash.
No. 22—Five-room stone house, worth \$2000, our price \$1600.
No. 30—Five-room house, fine condition, cellar, etc. \$1300.
This is only a partial list.
Ask for other bargains

BUSINESS FOR SALE

A SNAP—A half interest in the best grocery in Alliance. Owner is leaving the state and we will sell this half interest for half what the stock and fixtures invoice for. This is a rare bargain. NOW.

List your city property, your farm, land, ranch or stock with us. We are doing the largest business of any firm in Box Butte County.

YOUR DOLLAR

Will come back to you if you spend it at home. It is gone forever if you send it to the Mail-Order House. A glance through our advertising columns will give you an idea where it will give the most.