

Additional Local.

The attendance at the performance, "We Are King," given at the opera house last Thursday evening, while not large, seemed very enthusiastic. This company had some very pretty scenery and some capable actors that are deserving of mention.

The real estate firm of E. T. Kibble & Company sold four quarter sections of Box Butte county land to eastern buyers last week at a good price. Mr. Kibble states that these men expect to locate on their farms and will add a couple more good farmers to Box Butte county.

Hal Pardey reports that he is having great success with his moving picture show on the road. Hal made a trial trip up the Guernsey line and when storms did not interfere, had good crowds at all performances. He is getting a much desired opportunity to look around and become acquainted with this western country.

The W. C. T. U. entertainment given at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, was thoroughly enjoyed by all present. It was one of the strongest programs that has been given under this auspices. Stella Parker was awarded the silver medal. Miss Agatha Gregg is certainly deserving of much credit for the efficient manner in which she had drilled the contestants.

The Crystal theatre continues to draw large crowds every evening. The proprietors of this popular little theatre are making every effort to furnish their patrons with the best talent to be secured while the best grade of pictures are being furnished. Monday evening the house was crowded, both in the balcony and downstairs. Souvenirs in the form of shamrocks and small hods were furnished to the delighted crowd. The vaudeville sketches are making a decided hit. The management still retains the price of ten cents for admission in spite of their heavy expenses.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Mr. A. F. Bundy, missionary for the American Sunday School Union, will be found at his rooms, 401 Cheyenne Avenue, Phone 519, every Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Vallow of the M. E. church states that the exchange of pulpits with Rev. Mitchell of the Congregational church at Chadron has been postponed from next Sunday to the following Sunday, March 28th.

Chancellor Davidson will probably preach at the Methodist Episcopal church Sunday morning. If not, the pastor will preach. Subject, "The Sixth Sense."

Chancellor W. J. Davidson of the Nebraska Wesleyan University will address a mass meeting of the citizens of Alliance at the opera house on Sunday evening, March 21st. Mr. Davidson is the new chancellor just appointed to the University from Decatur, Ill. The churches of Alliance will probably all be closed Sunday evening to enable all to attend the address.

Circle No. 1 of the M. E. Ladies' Aid Society will entertain Circle No. 2 at the home of Mrs. Renswood Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. All of the ladies are cordially invited.

In connection with the morning service at the United Presbyterian church next Sabbath the Lord's Supper will be dispensed. No evening service.

Miss Orvilla Snow will fill the pulpit at the Baptist church next Sunday, and will deliver a talk on the great Chapman revival at Boston, which recently closed.

North-west Nebraska Needs A State Normal School.

Last Tuesday the House of Representatives resolved itself into a committee of a whole and much time was consumed in considering the purchase of the Wayne Normal school. The bill under discussion called for an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purchase of this normal. A special committee had been sent to Wayne to investigate conditions, and this committee, consisting of seven men, from both parties, and from every section of the state, reported favorable to its purchase for \$90,000. After a hot debate and a few "tricky" political moves to amend the bill it was recommended to pass by a large majority. All indications at the present time are favorable toward the passage of this bill which is undoubtedly a good one and should be passed. But should the bill pass and a State Normal School be located at Wayne, it is the sentiment of all the school population of the state and entire population of the west that there should be another normal school located in the north-west part of the state in a central position so as to be accessible to the 1000 or more teachers required to instruct the boys and girls of this great northwestern one third of the state.

It seems that the only hopes that can be entertained at the present time is the passage of the Chase bill, as amended, which asks for an appropriation of \$25,000 for the erection of a state normal school to be located by the state board of education at some point north of the forty second parallel and west of the ninety ninth meridian. It is certain that not a single senator or representative in the present legislature would withhold his hearty support from this bill which has for its object the establishment of a state normal school in western Nebraska if he were familiar with conditions as they actually exist in the west. The people of the west are not opposed to the Wayne proposition or any other proposition that would give to the teachers of northeastern Nebraska a state normal school. We have, for years, paid without murmuring, the taxes assessed against us that have gone to support the state institutions in other parts of the state. Notwith-

standing that, this territory does not have a single permanent state institution within its boundaries.

A normal school established in north-west Nebraska would mean that the teachers of the great northwest would enjoy the privileges of professional training that are accorded the teachers in other parts of the state. It would mean a recognition of the just rights of the teaching force of this great area. It would mean that our teachers would no longer be required to go as far to receive their professional training as would be necessary for the teachers of eastern Nebraska to go if compelled to get their training from points as far remote as Chicago. There is a law in the statute book of Nebraska which says to our teachers, in effect, YOU MUST HAVE NORMAL TRAINING BEFORE THE STATE OF NEBRASKA WILL PERMIT YOU TO RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE TO TEACH IN HER PUBLIC SCHOOLS. Yet they are not provided with the means to secure this training. Now, it seems no more than just to us that the senators throughout the state, after considering the conditions of the northwest as compared with other parts of the state, give their support to the passage of this bill.—ORA E. PHILLIPS, County Supt.

W. C. T. U.

Another W. C. T. U. silver medal contest will be held in the M. E. church Tuesday evening, March 23.

PROGRAM

Invocation.....Rev. Gordon Music
Reading, "Rum's Tragedies".....Helen Beason
Reading, "Me and Masy".....Edna Donovan Music
Reading, "Red Rum".....Grace Johnston Music
Reading, "The Widow and Her Only Son".....Glen Mounts
Reading, "There Were Ninety and Nine".....Ruth Reed
Reading, "Saved".....Lurette Zehring Music
Judges' Decision
We are unable to give the musical program at present but a good program is promised. Program begins at eight o'clock. Admission ten cents.

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS.

C. Hale and wife are visiting at Phelps, Mo.

B. E. Gjelsteen is a new switchman at Alliance.

Mrs. J. F. Lawler and daughter are visiting in Denver.

Engineer H. R. Beans, wife and son are spending a few days in Denver.

C. H. Fredericks, wife and niece are spending a few days at Hot Springs.

Trainmaster A. E. Wallace of Sheridan was an Alliance visitor Sunday.

B. I. Benjamin will leave Saturday on 44 to spend Sunday at Grand Island.

H. J. Severns and wife are spending a few days with friends and relatives at Newcastle.

E. C. Scott and wife left Tuesday on No. 44 for a visit with friends and relatives at Blue Hill.

Superintendent of Motive Power Roope of Lincoln was in Alliance on business Wednesday.

C. R. Johnson will arrive from Denver Friday to take a position with the company as car repairer.

H. C. Davies arrived from Denver this morning to accept a position with the company as car inspector.

Fireman L. Jensen, one of the officers of the local B. of L. F., is spending a few weeks in Chicago and Denver on business.

L. M. Smith of the local storehouse clerical force has gone to Edgemont to accept a position as electrician for the company at that place.

R. G. Holden, chief clerk to Supt. Weidenhamer at Sterling, spent Sunday and Monday with Alliance friends. He left Alliance on No. 305 Tuesday morning for a business trip over the Guernsey line.

The pay car arrived at Alliance Tuesday morning on No. 303, running a special from here to Edgemont. Conductor G. H. Young was in charge from Alliance to Edgemont.

Brakeman R. E. Evans made a flying trip from Ravenna to Adams, Nebr., while he was laying over at the former place Friday, having received word that his mother was very ill.

Operator L. W. Wright, who has been spending a couple of weeks visiting with home folks at Fort Worth, Texas, returned to Alliance Tuesday on the Denver train. He reports having a very enjoyable visit, but says there is no place like Alliance.

Conductor C. E. Mathews, the ever hale and hearty Charles, returned to Alliance this morning after an extended trip to the east; Chicago being one of the principal points of interest he visited.

B. H. McCarthy, who for the past several months has been night yardmaster at Alliance, has returned to Sheridan, where he will resume his run as conductor. He has been succeeded by J. P. Young, who is a son of E. E. Young of the Sheridan division.

Effective May 23rd, a through line of standard sleeping cars will be operated between Omaha and Seattle. These cars will be equipped for electric lighting, and will leave Omaha on No. 3, connecting at Lincoln with train 41, returning on train 42 and from Lincoln on No. 19.

Trainmaster Joder and Chief Dispatcher Gavin left on 43 Monday to hold time card school at Crawford, Edgemont and Deadwood. They were joined at Crawford by Road Foreman W. A. Bennett, who accompanied them to assist in the examination. Messrs. Joder, Gavin and Fitzpatrick held time card school at Ravenna Friday and Saturday.

R. J. Dietlein, who for the past several years has been employed as train and engine-men's time-keeper at Alliance, has resigned to accept a position in the offices of the International Harvester Co., at Crawford. He will be succeeded by A. W. Pierson, who until recently has been employed in the offices of the International here.

HEMINGFORD HERALD.

HEMINGFORD, BOX BUTTE COUNTY, NEB., MARCH 18, 1909.

Hemingford Happenings.

Harry Pierce has ordered a new steam plow.

Pete Jensen returned from Blair Saturday.

Grandma Hollirake is improving very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Wanek were in town Tuesday.

B. E. Johnson went to Omaha on business Monday.

Wintzen Bros. and Tschacher's steam plow is here.

C. J. Wildy's children have all been down with the grip.

Tom Katen went to Omaha with a car load of cattle Monday.

B. F. Gilman was up from Alliance Thursday and Friday.

A. C. Witcher shipped a car load of horses to Hazleton, Iowa.

Two strangers from Marsland stepped off 44 and went back on 43.

Mr. Dickison's father-in-law, Mr. Weise, is here looking for a location.

Mr. Moe and family leave Wednesday for their new home in Oregon.

John Van Camp, from Rushville, is here visiting with the Scribner boys.

C. J. Wildy is loading another car of prairie green potatoes this week.

Fred Wetstone, from Pine Ridge, came through here on his way to Alliance.

Charley Movarek and Bert Langford went to Alliance on business Monday.

Frank Barney and daughter have been considerably under the weather lately.

Lawrence Ford stepped off the train Friday for a short visit with home folks.

Wetly Brothers, after closing up their business here, returned to Denver Friday.

H. H. Pierce sold his house and lot to Wetly, who bought Wildy's lumber yard.

Joe Duhon and Luke Phillips were seen hunting coyotes with their hounds Sunday.

Mr. Best has returned from Washington, where he had been looking for a location.

The McKuskey boys went down to the sand hills hunting, a couple of days last week.

N. Boon, the cattle buyer, and Lester and Gene Sights came up from Alliance Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell came down from Scotia Friday for a visit with relatives and friends.

C. J. Wildy will have another large public horse sale and auction on Saturday, March 27.

Frank Matusek went to Sargeant, Nebr., in answer to a telegram stating the death of his brother.

Mrs. Joel Sheldon and children have been very sick with the grip but are improving rapidly.

Byron Fossit was in town Tuesday to meet his teacher, Mrs. Weimer, who comes from Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rowland are going back to Iowa to visit a couple of weeks with Mr. Rowland's parents.

The Ladies' Club gave a reception Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Clark Olds in honor of Mrs. Elmer Rowland.

Ira Roland went to Sioux County to get his wife, who has been 'there visiting her parents for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Evans, from Hay Springs, came up Sunday to take care of Mrs. Colvio who has been sick for quite a while.

The Harold Olds family got poisoned by eating canned salmon. But they were not seriously ill as all are well again.

Miss Coleman from Alliance came up Thursday to visit a couple of days with her father, who is a carpenter here.

Birdie Burleigh, accompanied by her friend, Miss Cook, came up from Lakeside Friday. Miss Cook returned Sunday.

The play given by the Hemingford Dramatic Club was very well attended and everybody was immensely pleased.

Bert Carr and wife came up from Alliance Tuesday. Bert is going to work on the telephone line and his wife is visiting.

Tom Tuckek, from Hemingford, and Miss Josie Drautisa, from Hay Springs, went to Rushville to get married Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Curry went to Alliance Tuesday, taking with them their son Robert, on whom an operation is to be performed.

FAIRVIEW.

Grandma Elckeman is reported to be very ill.

Grandpa Lawrence has been very sick the past few days.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Wm. Rust, Sr., March 24.

C. J. Benjamin and Peter Kicken were Fairview callers Monday.

R. H. West has been rather indisposed the past week but is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Hadley were the guests of Ab. Curry and family Sunday.

J. W. Frazier and family were the guests of J. K. Lawrence and family Sunday.

T. J. Lawrence and Elmer Shanks made a business trip to the latter's homestead Sunday.

Sunday School will begin the 1st Sunday in April at the church. We hope to see a large crowd out.

J. B. Hadley spent Sunday with his parents, returning to the hills Monday. Mr. Hadley is working for Mr. Hooper.

The oyster supper at W. I. Lorraine's, March 10, was well attended and a fine program was rendered. The supper was

given by the lovers of the Literary. It was a long contest and hard fought, the winners having no ground on which to boast of their victory.

On account of the inclement weather, Shanks Bros., who are erecting a hen house for Mr. West, could not work; so Robert spent his time in Alliance, the guest of his wife. Mrs. Shanks has just returned from the eastern part of the state after a two month's visit with her parents.

Telephone Co. Organized

The Lake Precinct Telephone Co. was organized on Tuesday of this week, its purpose being to build a high line from Alliance to fifteen miles northwest of this city. This shows the progressiveness of our Box Butte county citizens and brings the fact to us that our surrounding country is becoming rapidly settled. The officers of this company will be J. Barkhurst, Pres.; Norman Leishman, Vice Pres.; W. A. Springer, Sec.; J. T. Nabb, Treas.; and P. J. Knapp, lineman. The company starts with seven stockholders and work commenced Wednesday. A contract has been made with the Alliance Telephone Co. to handle the switching for five years. We predict that it will not be many seasons before Box Butte county is entirely covered with phone lines and The Herald wishes the new company much success.

Special Notice

It is requested that singers from all churches in the city meet at the opera house next Sunday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. to practice for the union service to be held Sunday evening. The chorus will be assisted by the High School orchestra under the leadership of Prof. Reimund.

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR PERSONAL TAX?

Remember It Draws Ten Per Cent Interest

Taxes are due Nov. 1. Personal taxes delinquent Dec. 1. Land tax delinquent May 1. Interest 10 per cent from date of delinquency. Real estate advertised for sale the first week in October and sold for taxes the first Monday in November. In all communications relative to taxes, please give description of property.

FRED MOLLING, Co. Treasurer.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Dr. Allen, dentist, Opera house blk.

I am now ready to make contracts for cement work to be done as soon as the weather will permit.—John Pederson.

Dr. Allen, dentist, Opera house blk.

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We will have one carload of full blooded Short Horn bulls which will arrive in Alliance next Monday. 14-1W WATKINS & FEAGINE

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H. E. Jones, Hemingford, Nebraska

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