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THE HISTORY OF GROWTH IS A HISTORY OF GUARANTEE

With pardonable pride we call attention to three items of our last "Report of Condition," rendered to the Comptroller of the Currency:

Total Capital, Surplus and Earnings	\$106,380.20
Total Deposits	401,125.20
Cash Reserve	110,395.40

The foregoing Facts places the name of **The First National Bank** synonymous with the best and is a guarantee not only of **Safety** but **Prosperity**

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Annual Eighth Grade Graduating Exercises

The annual eighth grade graduating exercises for Alliance and Box Butte county were held in the Phelan opera house, and were attended by a large audience. The following program was well rendered:

- Music.....High School Orchestra
- Invocation.....Rev. J. L. Vallow
- Chorus.....Labor Song—Norse Lullaby
- Dorothy Entertains.....Bessie Reid
- How He Saved St. Michael's.....
-Fred Sweeney
- The Mission of the Anglo-Saxons.....
-Emma Tash
- The Old Musician.....Ruth Reed
- Chorus.....Song of the Vikings
- Our Minister's Sermon.....Russell Allen
- Violin Solo.....Naomi Nelson
- Mrs. Casey at the Euchre Party.....
-Leone Mallery
- Daniel O'Connell.....Elvira Williams
- Chorus.....Anchored
- Buying a Railroad Ticket.....
-Merritt Chaffee
- Drill.....Sixteen Girls
- Presenting Diplomas.....
-Supt. D. W. Hayes

The entire program was so well received that to mention part by way of commendation would seem to be an injustice to those omitted, but we will venture to say that the last number, save the presentation of diplomas, the drill exercise by sixteen girls, was exceptionally well rendered.

Following is a list of the eighth grade graduates:

CITY OF ALLIANCE SCHOOLS	
Russel Allen	Elva Hamilton
Lyle Berry	Earl Holtz
Merritt Chaffee	Adrian Keane
Helen Collins	Mabel Mosher
Euoice Dean	Leone Mallery
Claud Donovan	Naomi Nelson
Willie Darnell	Maybelle Pilkington
Hillman Eckerson	Madge Phillips
Fred Feagins	Ruth Reed
Bernice Fox	Bessie Reid
Lennie Franklin	Mabel Sward
Ethel Graham	Carrie Stroud
Madge Graham	Don Shrewsbury
Vivian Holloway	Fred Sweeney
Emma Tash	Lloyd Tully
Clark Taylor	Tenney Woods
Elvira Williams	Richard Young
Grace Culver	John King

VILLAGES AND COUNTRY SCHOOLS	
Vella Marsh	Alliance
Willie Hill	"
Willie Sherlock	"
Fern Lorance	"
John Sherlock	"
Harry Smith	"
Bonnie Hagaman	"
Myrtle Carey	"
Mary Shores	"
Edna Shepherd	"
Clyde Coker	"
Shirley Hagaman	"
Fred Marsh	"
Henry Smith	"
Ray Reddish	"
Francis Ramsdell	"
Thomas Gilshannon	"
Royce Nichols	"
Grace Barkholder	"
Guy Nabbs	"
Philo Sturgeon	"
Lulu Sturgeon	"
Inez Brandt	"
Clarence Shepherd	"
Willie Walker	Hemingford
Mamie H. Gassling	"
Etta LaVern Michael	"
Ethel M. Kiestler	"
Helena Annen	"
Virginia Rosenburger	"
Rexford Mosher	"
Nellie Curry	"
Anna Fronapfel	"
Agnes Delsing	"
Jessie Geiger	"
Alma Rosenburger	"
Ray Forbes	Canton
Barnett Forbes	"
Hazel Hickey	"
Clara Hockett	Marsland
Smith Poole	"
Fay Gregg	"
Ruey Scofield	"
Tommy Squibb	"
Pearl Horner	"
Hazel Hunsaker	"
Hobart McLaughlin	"
Marguerite Bellamy	"
Laurence Trussel	"
Clarence Marble	"

The above list does not include the eighth grade graduates from St. Agnes'

academy, the examinations of which has not been completed but which so far as it has been given shows splendid work, so we are informed by County Supt. Phillips. Last year there were sixty eighth grade graduates in the county. The above lists show eighth-six and there will be enough from the academy to make the total considerably more than one hundred, nearly or quite double that of last year. This showing is certainly very encouraging to persons interested in the educational progress of this county as well as in its development otherwise.

Junior Normal Opens June 7th

The seventh annual session of the Alliance Junior Normal will open Monday morning, June 7th. Conditions are very favorable for one of the best sessions this summer in its history. The interest shown by the citizens of Alliance has contributed largely to the success of the normal in the past, and there is no doubt that greater interest will be shown this year than ever before.

While the school is essentially a school for the preparation for teaching, there will be subjects offered that will be of great cultural value to any one who may wish to attend. A number of persons in Alliance and surrounding territory have signified their intention of enrolling to take advantage of the work offered in English literature and other cultural subjects, persons who have no intention of teaching. Others are going to enroll to review the common branches that will be taught.

The school offers an opportunity to high school students who may need to make up work to enable them to graduate.

Those who will enroll locally will find it to their advantage to enroll on Saturday afternoon. This will also relieve the congestion that is almost inevitable on the opening day, Monday.

Those enrolling will receive a season lecture and entertainment course ticket free. This will admit to all lectures and entertainments during the session. Season tickets to the Entertainment course will be sold at one dollar. There are but three numbers on the course this year, but they are the best that could be secured.

They are The Parland Newhall Concert Company, Adrian M. Newens, Impersonator and Entertainer, and Governor Ashton C. Shallenberger.

There is no period in the history of the normal where loyalty to the school will be of such consequence as this year.

Secure your season tickets at once at Holsten's, or of Supt. D. W. Hayes. The first number of the course will be June 10th.

Automobile Business Booming

There is something doing now right along in the automobile business in the machines handled by James Keeler, the Reo and Buick. On Wednesday of last week he sold a Reo to Nels Worley but before he had time to get another from the factory the Bridgeport livery man, Fred Reddish, ordered one of the same make and wanted it delivered immediately. Mr. Worley being an accommodating man consented to let Mr. Reddish have his machine and he would wait until another arrived which was Wednesday of this week.

Mr. Keeler is now trying to guard against getting caught without plenty of machines on hand and has accordingly ordered five Reo and three Buick machines shipped to him direct from the factories. He expects them to arrive this week, when he will be in shape to fill orders again on short notice.

Both the Reo and Buick are very popular machines and it is not surprising that so many of them are being sold here.

Announcement.

I wish to announce to the people of Alliance and vicinity that I have purchased the office location and practice of Dr. Thos. Allen and am prepared to do all kinds of dental work in a careful and first class manner.—Dr. H. R. Belville. 25-2w

F. M. KNIGHT, President. F. W. HARRIS, Cashier.
W. H. CORBIN, Vice Pres. S. FICKELL, Asst. Cash.

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The People Who Publish the Paper

It is customary for a newspaper to print in an appropriate place in its columns the name of the publisher, but the real publishers of the paper—the people who are back of it—are those who patronize it. They deserve to have their names published occasionally just as much as the nominal publishers. It is not possible now to mention all who have recently given encouragement to The Herald by their patronage, but we take pleasure in acknowledging as we can some of the patronage that keeps our press going.

Usually advertising is the best paying patronage of the local newspaper, but the subscribers to the paper make the advertising profitable to the advertisers; hence the support of the publication comes either directly or indirectly from its subscribers.

The Herald has a large and increasing number of loyal subscribers. We are pleased to acknowledge receipt of the following on subscriptions during the month of May:

E. I. Gregg	\$3 00
Michael Bayer	1 50
Legene Barnes	2 00
H. P. Coursey	3 00
Rev. M. E. Jordan	50
H. R. Dellinger	50
C. G. Reeves	1 50
C. O. Davenport	1 50
L. R. Dickenson	2 15
Geo. D. Gaddis	75
D. E. Purinton	1 50
Barney Halbur	1 50
W. J. Minnich	3 00
Mrs. M. E. Bernhardt	50
Al. Ravor	75
Mrs. Nettie Westley	1 50
J. P. Christenson	1 50
Jno. A. Wilson	1 50
H. H. Brandt	6 00
T. R. Randall	1 50
L. A. Berry	3 00
Mrs. S. J. Holdridge	1 75
Fred Mollring	1 50
J. L. Gregoire	6 00
H. T. Carey	3 00
J. P. Elmore	7 75
L. J. Schill	75
Chas. Daniels	1 50
Mrs. W. B. Heath	9 00
L. H. Jay	75
C. P. Pickens	25
Mrs. L. W. Curtis	3 00
Miss Nellie Carter	1 50
Mike Vaughn	1 85
Fred Schwaderer	1 50
Jesse J. Steele	1 50
Barry House	1 75
Jas. Watson	75
Miss Ruth Taylor	3 00
J. R. Baskins	4 50
R. B. Logan	1 50
J. D. C. Garrison	1 50
J. M. Leidtke	3 00
Geo. Alt	3 00
James T. Reed	25

The large mail order houses of Chicago have now turned to the country papers with their advertising and we will have a chance to see how many of the editors who are howling their heads off about the mail order business will run the advertising. Then, too, we will have a chance to see how well the home merchants will patronize the papers which refuse the ads which would be cash to them but injury to the home merchants. Everybody watch. There is always two sides to every question.—Cuba, Ill., Journal.

F. A. Pierson, who recently left Alliance on a trip to the east, has secured a pleasant and lucrative position as private secretary to the superintendent of motive power and machinery of the Union Pacific railroad at Omaha. Frank is an expert stenographer and is conscientious in all of his work and the tender to him of this responsible position is a very deserved recognition of his ability. His address is Y. M. C. A. Building, Omaha, Nebr.



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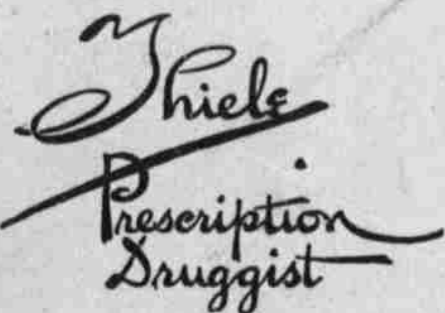
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BUSINESS LOCALS.

Mr. G. H. Williams of the high school desires the privilege of room and board in private family, beginning Sept. 6, '09. If both are not obtainable, rooms may be desired. Communicate immediately. 23-1f

For sale cheap—A new Dunbar pop corn and peanut roaster. Can give good terms, monthly payments if desired. Inquire of L. E. Bye at Pool Hall. 23-1f

I am now ready to make contracts for cement work to be done as soon as the weather will permit.—John Pederson. 1f

See the model "F" Jackson automobile for sale by F. J. Betzold. It is a beauty. 18-1f

All kinds of painting done in first class manner. Orders may be left at The Herald office.—C. P. Matson. 16-1f

Will trade a fine automobile for land if suited. F. J. Betzold. 18-1f

Have you land to trade for an automobile? See F. J. Betzold. 18-1f

The Alliance Steam Laundry can give employment to a reliable woman.

The M. E. Ladies will have an exchange at Acheson Bros. every Saturday afternoon. Home made bread a specialty. 24-1f

Wanted—100 rooms for June 16, 17 and 18 for Stockmen's meeting. List your rooms now. Headquarters at Commercial Club rooms in opera house block. Phone 677. W. S. Ridgell, 24-3w

Wanted—A reliable man and wife want place to work on ranch or in town. James T. Reed, 518 West Wyoming St. 24-2w*

City properties to exchange for Box Butte county land. Nebraska Land Co. 24-1f

Wanted—60 acres broke on S. W. of 30-25-47, adjoining Alliance. Nebraska Land Co. 24-1f

Millet Seed for Sale

250 bushels common millet seed for sale. C. H. EVANS, Marsland, Nebr. 24-3w*

Pure Bred Poultry.

Choice R. C. Leghorn cockerels for sale. Eggs 50 cents per setting. Call or write Mrs. A. Gregory, Marsland, Nebr. 18-13w

Fine Model "F" Jackson automobile with one rumble seat and turtle deck attachment; will trade for land close to any siding in Box Butte county or sell for cash cheap. F. J. Betzold, Alliance. 18-1f

June Prices on Flour

Price of flour for June at Gregg's Flour and Feed Store:
Best High Patent per sack \$1.90.
Best High Patent two sacks \$3.75.
Best High Patent five sacks, or more, per sack \$1.85. 25-2w

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