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RESOURCES

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PEACEFUL PRIMARIES

Nothing Occurs to Ruffle the Political Contest

Molling and Pilkington Nominated for County Treasurer, Cox and Wiker for Sheriff.

The vote in Box Butte county at the primary election on Tuesday was very light, owing partly to a lack of interest and partly to the fact that this is a busy season and many voters thought they could not spare the time from their work to vote. There were but four contesting candidates, two for the democratic nomination for sheriff, Cal Cox and Thos. B. Shrewsbury, and two for the republican nomination for the same office, Al Wiker and Judge Bullock. Returns have not been received from all precincts in the county at the time of going to press, but enough are in to insure the nomination of Cox and Wiker.

In the state primary there were but three candidates for the three nominations for supreme judge, John J. Sullivan, B. F. Good and James R. Dean. There was a long list of republican candidates for the three nominations, and the latest information that we have indicates the success of Judges Barnes and Sedgwick, with Fawcett of Omaha and Hamer of Kearney running close.

support of this section of the country. Being on the main line of the Burlington and at the terminus of the Denver branch, it has the advantage of being the only railroad center. Having successfully conducted a Junior Normal for the past four years it has shown a worthy interest in school work and the public in general appreciates the enterprising spirit of its citizens. The State Board of Education can not make a better choice than Alliance.

From Mitchell Index:
The last legislature passed a law for the establishment of another normal school in Nebraska. Alliance, with commendable enterprise, is endeavoring to have the school located in that city. We hope the move will be successful and we believe the whole North Platte valley feels the same about it. Western Nebraska should have such a school, and no other location is so suitable as Alliance.

From Gering Courier, Aug. 13:
W. W. Norton of Alliance was in the city yesterday and asked that the citizens of this place assist in getting Alliance named as the seat of the new normal school about to be located by the state. So far as we are concerned, we think such a school at Alliance will be better located than at any other point mentioned, and certainly far better for the people of this section. Mr. Norton is one of the old timers and is pretty well acquainted over this way.

You Are Invited

The ladies of the Altar society of Holy Rosary church will hold a lawn sociable tonight on the premises surrounding the Catholic church. It will be a good place to go for an evening's outing. The beautiful lawn has been especially arranged for this occasion. Refreshment of all kinds will be served by the ladies. Ice cream, cake, cool drinks, fruit, candies, cigars, etc. A bevy of young ladies will wait on you, and this ought to appeal to the young men, at least. There will be music and other pleasant features which will be furnished free of charge, and to make the affair most social all are invited to attend. So come on and have a good time.

"The Girl and the Gawk"

At the Phelan opera house tomorrow, Friday, Aug. 20, promises to be a superb attraction which none can afford to miss. Get reserved seats now. Prices 75, 50 and 35 cents.

Box Butters Draw Luckily

In the Flathead (Montana) reservation land drawing recently, two Box Butte residents were holders of lucky numbers, namely: Conductor Wm. Zollinger of this city and Miss Virginia Burlew, daughter of C. A. Burlew of Henningford.

Talks on Ireland

Since his return from a trip to Ireland, Father McNamara has been giving descriptive lectures of what he saw on the trip, Sunday evenings at Holy Rosary church, which are so interesting as to crowd the church with people. Father McNamara will speak on this subject again next Sunday evening.

Sheridan County Fair.

The Sheridan County fair will be held at Rushville, Sept. 22, 23 and 24, which will be during the week preceding the Box Butte county fair. We are in receipt of a letter from Editor C. L. Mayes of the Rushville Standard, from which we extract the following for our readers:

"We are going to have a fair at Rushville the 22, 23, 24, of September. Our premium lists are not quite finished, but we are at work on them at present and I will be pleased to send you one or more as soon as they are completed. Our fair this year will be the main one of the year. We expect to have some farm and stock exhibits, and cut out the carnival rot, which, in my judgment kills more fairs than any other one thing. I am the secretary this year and I shall endeavor to have a fair instead of a show, and I feel confident that it can be made to pay its way and have a little left in the jack pot for a next year. Will be pleased to have you advertise our dates and I will reciprocate when I learn your dates."

Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank the friends who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and burial of our infant daughter; and also those who contributed the beautiful floral offerings.
MR. AND MRS. GEO. A. WEST.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

Introduction of Class of Candidates into Mysteries Scheduled for Next Wednesday Night. Ceremony to be Followed by Festivities in Odd Fellows' Hall. Local Interest is Increasing.

As a fitting close for the canvass for increased membership in and about Alliance, on the part of the Woodmen of the World, arrangements have been made for a class introduction of the members who have recently been interested in the fraternal benefits accruing to fellowship in this splendid fraternal organization.

Members of Maple Camp No. 165, W. O. W., will meet in regular session promptly at eight o'clock on Wednesday evening, August 25th, in order that the routine business of the organization may be promptly disposed of, and in order that the ceremony attendant upon class introduction may be started promptly at 9 o'clock. It is urged that every member make special effort to be on hand promptly, and that nothing delay the hour for the class initiation.

The work of the deputy has been augmented by co-operation on the part of a number of the more active members of the order residing in Alliance, and a goodly number are in line to receive the mysteries of the Order at this meeting; and there are a number who have not yet been written, who have expressed confidence in the strength of this organization, so that there will be candidates presenting themselves for some time later.

Maple Camp will serve refreshments in the hall, following the introduction ceremony, and every Chopper is cordially invited to be present and participate in the good things to be offered.

Better Mail Service with Denver

Beginning tomorrow, Alliance will enjoy better mail service with Denver. Instead of the mail-pouch system, through mail with three additional clerks will be established. The new employes on this route will be W. J. Poole now on the Guernsey, and Mail Clerks Stockman and Lawe of Denver.

Messrs. Bracken and Birdsell made a tour of inspection over the Alliance division last Monday, going through to Ravenna from Alliance. The officials returned on No. 41, while Mr. Bracken's car came back on No. 43 Tuesday morning.

Co. Supt. Ora E. Phillips is combining business with pleasure this week in a trip to eastern Nebraska. He will visit relatives at Blair and also look after the interests of the Phillips-Thomas Land company in that part of the state.

Camille Nobe returned yesterday from Colorado Springs, where he has been spending the past few weeks visiting relatives and friends.

For rent.—Furnished room, modern. Enquire at Herald Office.

Subject of sermon next Sunday morning: "Things That Hinder." B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Union service at 8 p. m., at which Dr. H. P. V. Bogue of the First Presbyterian church will preach.

Rev. D. B. McLaughlin returned from Lisco Tuesday, driving across the country. On the way over he picked up a relic of the long ago in the shape of a buffalo horn which he presented to The Herald. We will have it polished and mounted if we can secure a mate for it.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Warrick are entertaining this week the following young ladies: Misses Bess and Ruth Warrick of Meadow Grove, Miss Lattie Cornette of Virginia, Miss Edith Lomax and Miss Inez Sullivan of Broken Bow.

G. W. Shreve, a railroad man of Beardstown, Ill., arrived in Alliance last Saturday, accompanied by his wife. They think of locating here.

Imports Belgian Horses.

The first of the week C. C. Smith received an importation of sixteen thoroughbred stallions direct from Belgium. They are being kept at the west barn in charge of Michael De Muejt, the horseman who came across the ocean with them.

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS.

Engineer J. M. Petersen has been assigned to work between Ravenna and Seneca.

J. L. Beiderman is acting as night wire chief in the Alliance telegraph office at present.

The pay car arrived in Alliance Monday afternoon to gladden the hearts of the railroad men.

A. L. Spradling has returned to his duties as agent at Seneca after quite an extended vacation.

The Broken Bow chautauqua is making local passenger business in that vicinity pretty lively.

George Milliken laid off a trip the early part of the week, Engineer G. F. Johnson catching his run.

A delegation of landseekers came through Alliance in a special car Wednesday morning bound for the vicinity of Scottsbluff.

Dame Runor has it that the popular brakeman, Al. Larson of Ravenna, will soon take unto himself a wife in the person of a fair and popular young lady.

D. W. Smith, who has been working as operator at Edgemont for the past year, has returned to his duties after an extended visit with relatives in Chicago.

Brakemen Griffith and Burright have been promoted to conductorship and will do what extra running there is until business warrants the putting on of a few more crews.

Brakeman C. E. Calendar of Ravenna came to Alliance on No. 41 Wednesday morning to take charge of a car out of this place. He intends to move his family to Alliance in the near future.

Passenger business is coming in spurts these days. No. 41 Wednesday morning in two sections, having all told sixteen cars, and No. 43 the same day went through in one section, but with fourteen cars.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hayes of Marsland, who have been east on a vacation, stopped over in Alliance a day or so on their return. Mr. Hayes has resumed work as agent and Mrs. Hayes as night operator at Marsland.

Yardmaster Parrish of Seneca laid off the first part of the week for a couple of days owing to the illness of Mrs. Parrish. Brakeman Berkheimer was sent down to take charge of affairs during Parrish's absence.

The telephone line, which has been under construction between Ravenna and Seneca has been completed and the night operators at Broken Bow and Litchfield have been taken off. This makes a continuous telephone from Ravenna to Seneca.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Haney at Broken Bow on Aug. 9th. Mr. Haney was for several years an employe of the Burlington in the telegraph department, his last work being at Ansley. He is now on the road traveling for the Cudahy Co.

Last Friday morning engine 2221 was accidentally backed into the turntable pit at Ravenna, making it impossible to get engines in or out of the house for several hours. In the meantime, Lincoln engines were sent west, and Alliance engines east of Ravenna, to keep trains moving, and no serious delay to traffic resulted.

Early Monday morning while at Bingham Conductor Dick Burke found it necessary to move the boarding cars in order to get at cars which he had to pick up. The Italians vigorously resented the disturbing of their slumbers by filling the air with shot, stones and other dangerous missiles, in fact, the demonstration became so war-like that Dick had to use his "zulu" to hold off the "Black Hand" bunch until he could get his train out of town. But it seems the railroads will use these hot-headed, unreasoning foreigners as long as they are willing to work for next to nothing.

"Attention, Railroad Men."

Official notice is hereby given that it is impossible to run an engine from Alliance to Seneca on just one "JUG FULL" of water.
Signed, C. W. TILLET.

I have two second hand pianos for sale at unheard of prices. One of them used but a few months. Cash or easy payments.—T. J. Threlkeld.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Do you want a sowing machine? I can sell you one cheaper than anybody. Call and be convinced.—T. J. Threlkeld.

For Sale—9 or 10 choice milch cows, 5 yearling calves, 7 spring calves, also 1 fine yearling mare colt and 1 3-year old gelding. Enquire at Canton or Curly postoffice. 3 or 4 of these cows will be fresh in September or October.

Boards wanted—Will furnish rooms and board for two or three men.—W. F. Knight, 518 West Dakota St. 35-3w*

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

For Sale—Five quarter sections of fine land, 14 miles north of Alliance. Will sell part or all.—Mrs. Matilda Hood, Alliance, Nebr. 33-4w*

Lawn Swings at The Gadsby Store.

For Rent—Ten room house, close in, furnace, toilet and bath. See G. W. Duncan at Graham's grocery. 30-tf

Before ordering anything in the line of office supplies of traveling salesmen or mail order houses call up the Western Office Supply Co., and let them show you samples. Phone 58 or 340.

Wanted—Girls to work at Alliance Steam Laundry; good wages; steady employment.

A complete canvass glove machine for sale cheap. Also an A No. 1 pop corn and peanut machine. Inquire of Desch Land Co., Grand Island. 36-6t

Fall and Winter Samples Received

Jos. Orchowski, the tailor, has just received his fall and winter samples, the finest line ever shown in this city. Call and examine. Ladies' and gents' tailoring done by first class tailors. Everything up-to-date.

Swimming.

I have been to great expense to provide a suitable place for this recreation, and since it is established am endeavoring to keep it in first-class condition. At least 2,000 gallons of fresh water is forced into the tank each day. I am forcing it through a small heater to take off the chill. Of course I cannot beat the entire tank.

I hope for the patronage which the expense incurred warrants.
33-tf L. A. BERRY.

New House for Sale

I will sell my new house at 518 Dakota St. Five rooms, also pantry, closets, etc.; good well, large cellar; fenced. Easy terms. W. F. KNIGHT. 35-3w*

Big Price for Cream

The Alliance Creamery is paying 22 cents for cream. 31-tf

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