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## 1909 — GONE — 1909

How did you close your book?  
Resolve for the New Year. **Limit your spending** and save the balance. That is a better way to get a financial start than to limit your **saving** and spend the balance.

**With capital**—reserve funds—you are ready for business opportunities which will surely come to you.

**Remember**, it is not your saving alone that will make you independent. **Your money** must be in a safe place and must work for you.

**The First National Bank**  
ALLIANCE, NEB.

### Branched Out

Some of our exchanges are somewhat inaccurate in their mention of the purchase of the First National Bank of Scottsbluff by Messrs. S. K. Warrick and C. E. Ford. The following from the Minatare Free Press of Dec. 24th is approximately correct, except that Mr. Warrick is cashier of the First National of Alliance and the First National of Scottsbluff, and president of the Minatare bank:

Mr. S. K. Warrick, who is president of the Minatare bank, but lives at Alliance, was a visitor at the Free Press office Thursday morning. He has been over to Scottsbluff where he and Chas. Ford, of Chicago, acquired a controlling interest in the First National Bank of Scottsbluff, having purchased the stock formerly owned by S. H. Burnham and Geo. W. King and a portion of the Bowen Stock. Mr. Warrick is president of a line of banks that he and Mr. Ford own along the Burlington road from Ravenna to Alliance; and step by step they are extending their banking system up the Platte Valley, wherever a promising town is available.

### Returns from Western Trip.

T. J. O'Keeffe arrived Tuesday on his return from his two months' western trip, having visited Idaho, Oregon, Salt Lake, Los Angeles, and other points. While away he met a number of former Box Butteites. At Weiser, Idaho, he saw Dr. Allen, the dentist, who is now engaged in a lucrative grocery business, instead of drawing and filling teeth. He also saw S. B. Libby who has a farm near the town. Also, he had a talk over the telephone with Mr. Record, formerly a banker at Hyannis, and Mrs. Dorrington, formerly of Alliance. At Boise he met Ira Reed, who is well pleased with his new home in the west.

Tom is not much given to lurid descriptions of places he has visited, being quite conservative in speaking of the same, and advising people before investing anywhere to investigate for themselves. However, he says that Idaho is a good country and developing rapidly.

### Bottling Works to be Enlarged

The Golden Rod Bottling Works are preparing to increase their already large business with the opening of the spring trade. They have leased the Reck building, north of the electric light plant, now owned by C. A. Anderson, and will move into it about the middle of April, probably a little sooner. This gives them more

room than what they have in their present location. They have ordered about a thousand more cases and are otherwise preparing to increase their output.

### To Our Many Friends.

We, the Swastika club, wish to thank our many friends who patronized the Xmas hop, which proved to be a great success; and we think that the greatest part of our success was due to the fine music which was rendered by the A. L. Joy orchestra. This music was the best that could be had in this part of the state and proved its success.

### Big Sale of Hay.

Geo. Richardson, one of The Herald's Garden county's subscribers, recently sold at his sand-hill ranch 2,000 tons of hay to Messrs. Stevens of Denver and Stuekey of Hyannis, the price paid being \$4.00 per ton in stack. The hay will be fed on the ranch.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
In the morning the pastor will preach a New Year's sermon, which will be followed by communion service. The evening topic will be, "The Pharisee's Prayer." Special music at evening service.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
The topic of morning service will be, "Garments of Praise." Services in the evening as usual. Everyone cordially welcomed.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Subject of next Sunday morning sermon: "Can I Hide My Sin?" Evening subject: "A Rule without Exception."

### Special Meetings.

A series of special meetings will begin at the United Presbyterian church next Wednesday evening, Jan. 5th. Rev. J. H. White of Fort Morgan, Colo., synodical missionary, will be present and preach at the opening of the meetings till the Monday evening following, after which either Rev. Phillips or Rev. Lackey will attend and preach. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

### Coal at Reduced Price

I am selling Coal from the car, at a saving of \$1.00 to \$1.50 to customers. Orders will be filled in the order received. W. F. Knight, 518 W. Dakota. Phone 506 Blue. 2tf

## BANQUET COMMITTEE'S NOTICE

The banquet committee appointed by the Commercial Club to solicit subscriptions to defray expenses incidental to the entertainment of the State Normal Board have completed a personal canvass among the business men and wish to announce that if any one has not been personally solicited it is purely an oversight on the part of the committee, there being no disposition to make this banquet in any way exclusive, and the committee will be pleased to have any who care to attend make application for tickets. The banquet is to be served at the Alliance Cafe at 6:30 p. m., Jan. 3rd.

The committee would like it understood that this is not a social affair, but simply a gathering of the business men of Alliance to meet the State Normal Board and present our qualifications for a State Normal School in a business-like manner.

This is our final effort to secure a Normal School for Alliance and everyone interested should feel it a duty as well as a pleasure to attend.

Tickets can be secured from

E. C. McCLEUR,  
DR. F. M. KNIGHT,  
R. J. LAWRENCE.

## NEW YEAR GREETING

I wish to thank you very kindly for your patronage during the past year, soliciting a continuance of your favors, and wishing you a Happy and Prosperous 1910.

W. W. NORTON

**OUR DRUGS**  
are all of the highest quality we can get and are all examined critically after we receive them in stock here before a single one is placed on sale—we do everything in our power to be on the safe side. A good thing for you to remember.

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Prescription  
Druggist

GEO. I. HAND, M. D.  
EYE, EAR, NOSE AND THROAT

Eyes Tested and Glasses Fitted.

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A FULL LINE OF MONUMENTS AND HEADSTONES

Note the following: By buying of us you have no extra freight to pay. We buy our stock in car load lots and do the cutting in our yards at Hemingford.

You can examine your work before accepting it. We guarantee satisfaction

FOREST  
LUMBER  
COMPANY

We always give you the Most of the Best for the Least

J. A. Berry, Mgr.

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Office in Alliance National Bank Bldg Over Postoffice. Phone 391.

### Thank You

We desire to thank all who attended our Christmas dinner for their patronage.

To you who did not we extend our invitation to try us New Year's. Private tables on order Dinner, 50c

Cafe Alliance  
"WHERE YOU GET WHAT YOU ORDER"

### The Troxelle Quartette

The Lyceum Entertainment Bureau kept up its reputation for high class entertainments when it presented to the public the Troxelle male quartette last Tuesday evening. The musical numbers were interspersed with readings and chalk talks by members of the quartette. The evening's program was well received, especially by the juvenile members of the audience of which there were many, the Baptist Sunday school attending en masse.

The next and concluding entertainment to be given by the Lyceum bureau will be the Georgian Jubilee Singers, which is to be presented Feb. 2.

### Mr. and Mrs. Robert Birney Entertain

One of those pleasant days that make life worth living and that will long be remembered as one full of happiness and good cheer was Christmas day in the Birney home. With true hospitality they shared their pleasure with a number of friends. At 7:30 a. m. the parlor doors were opened and Mrs. Birney surprised the whole company with a beautiful candle lighted Christmas tree. Beautiful hardly describes the colored candles, gold and silver decorations and the many and lovely presents for each one.

At one thirty p. m. a very elaborate three course dinner was served. Among other good things were: oyster soup, olives, mixed pickles, celery, nut salad, lettuce, beet pickles, sliced tomatoes; roast young turkey, sage dressing, cranberry sauce; baked sweet potatoes, mashed potatoes, cold slaw; nut cake, chocolate cake, pine apple soufflé, pumpkin pie, stuffed dates, figs, oranges, apples, green grapes, mixed nuts, candies and black coffee.

At 7:30 p. m. the candles were again lighted and a delightful hour was spent in the candle light talking of childhood days and other happy Christmas times. Those who were fortunate enough to be present were: Mr. and Mrs. U. N. Hoskins, Mrs. H. C. Holloway, Miss Vivian Holloway, Mrs. L. Fossett, and Miss Loretta Fossett.

**NEW LOCATION**  
313 Box Butte Avenue - - Next door north of Miller Brothers' China Store

## SPECIAL Two Weeks' Sale



- Wool Scarfs, reduced from \$2.00 to **\$1.50**
- Wool Scarfs, reduced from \$1.75 to **1.25**
- All-Wool Blankets, reduced from \$10.75 to **9.00**
- Large Fleece-lined Blankets **1.00**
- Children's Fleece-Lined Underwear, all sizes, reduced from 35c to **.25**
- Fleece-lined Dress Goods, reduced from 12 1/2c to **.09**
- All-Wool Ladies' Union Suits, reduced from \$2 to **1.50**
- Fleeced Night Gowns, reduced from \$2.00 to **1.50**
- 1/2 Reduction on all **TRIMMED HATS**
- LADIES' SUITS **25%** discount during this sale

Come early and see the bargains we are offering

**R. SIMMONS**

Remember, we have moved from the corner at 401 Box Butte Ave. to 313 Box Butte Ave., first door north of Miller Brothers' China Store



By Jennette Lee

This is the title of a fascinating love tragedy of the present day

One Way of Love that has never been told before—

One Way of Love that is different from the others—

One Way of Love that carries a charm in the telling—

One Way of Love with a tragic denouement—