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The "man higher up" is always just out of reach.

A reason for locating the state normal school at Chadron has at last been discovered. The location is "picturesque." If the matter of scenery was the only legitimate reason for choosing Chadron, and we know of no other, the State Board of Education would have done better had they located the school in the Black Hills or out in Wyoming.

Chadron has been doing a little cleaning up, too. A raid was made early on Wednesday morning of last week and a bunch of "tin horn" gamblers landed. The Chadron Chronicle says they "were caught in the act with a full poker layout, of tables, cards, chips and money in sight and with no other show on earth but to plead guilty which they did and all took their medicine in packages of \$10 to \$30 and costs each."

Tuesday, January 25, was "Bobbie" Burns' birthday. It was 151 years ago that Scotland's greatest bard opened his eyes to the lowly surroundings of his father's home. He was a child of poverty and unremitting toil and as a man suffered much of wretchedness and squalor. While he lived the beauty of his immortal verse was recognized by but few and not until long after his death did the world appreciate the genius that had spent a few years with it. But the songs of "Bobbie" Burns will continue to warm the hearts of men and women for all time to come and his memory will not die.

Some imaginative newspaper correspondent at Washington became imbued with a wild idea the other day that the administration was really going to do something to relieve the common people who are suffering from the exactions of the trusts. How such a wholly fantastic notion ever gained currency is a mystery, but it did, and the newspapers published glowing forecasts of a Taft trust-busting crusade. The trust heads and Wall street stock manipulators were annoyed exceedingly by the publication of such foolishness. So Mr. James J. Hill was sent to the white house. He had a brief interview with Mr. Taft, at the conclusion of which the president issued a statement declaring that the "sensational statements" published in the newspapers were unauthorized and without foundation and that there will be no "indiscriminate prosecution of important industries." The important industries may therefore continue in the pleasant pastime of picking the people's pockets with renewed assurances of distinguished consideration from the great man at Washington.

The public service commission of New York state asks the legislature to pass a law requiring railroad companies to publish their time tables in the local newspapers for the benefit of the traveling public. The commission, while it has wide powers in dealing with the railroads in the interests of the public, doubts that it can compel the railroad corporations to publish their time tables without special legislation to that end; hence its request of the legislature. As the commission says, the absence

from the newspapers of the railroad time tables is a matter of great inconvenience to the traveling public. In its own words: "No better or ever-present means of making information readily accessible at all times and to all people has ever been discovered than the local newspapers, which can be found in every house and nearly every place of business." The commission does not believe the expense of publishing such time tables would be a heavy or unreasonable burden upon the railroad companies. The commission views the matter from the standpoint of the public and not as a "booster" for the newspapers, and its conclusions are logical and will meet with general approval.

### Call for a Mass Meeting

To the Democrats of the State of Nebraska:  
We, the undersigned officers of your state committee hereby call a mass meeting of the democracy of Nebraska to gather in Lincoln on Monday, February 14th, as participants in a dollar banquet. We do this in conformity with a precedent followed for many years in the holding of such meetings at the capital city for the benefit of the democratic organization and the propagation of democratic doctrine. And we feel that this year especially the advisability of such a gathering is apparent, since conditions more than ever demand a vigorous campaign in every state in this union to assert anew the gospel that principles and not money should be the basis of the government at Washington.

There has never been a time in recent years when the great mass of the people were so heartily in favor of democratic doctrines as now. There has never been a time when the necessity for the establishment of those doctrines was as plain. A republican administration finds itself repudiated and condemned by multitudes of republicans because it has departed still further from democratic principles than did the preceding administration, and because such democratic policies as the preceding administration in part espoused the present administration is deserting. The country is hungry for democracy—democracy in the house of representatives, in the senate and in the White House. And the country is sick at heart over the spectacle of false pretense under which a republican administration was elected, and the deliberate betrayal that followed that election.

It behooves democrats everywhere to get together. Great principles are at stake. The future of the republic, as depending on political and industrial liberty, is involved. The country must look, and is looking to the democratic party for salvation. It devolves on us as democrats to show that our fellow citizens will not look to the historic democratic party in vain. Many years of experience has shown that it is hopeless for progressive citizens to expect relief at the hands of the republican organization, and they will come to us if we show them that we are deserving of their confidence.

We therefore urgently request Nebraska Democrats to bury and forget all minor and personal differences and assemble in force at Lincoln on the day mentioned to take up in earnest the work of advancing the welfare of the party and the principles for which it stands.

Announcements as to details of the meeting, including the program will be made at a later date.  
J. C. Byrnes, Ch'n.  
C. M. Gruenther, V. Ch'n.  
Leo Mathews, Sec'y.  
Dr. P. L. Hall, Treas.

Rev. J. R. Jordan was greeting friends in this city yesterday. He is now pastor of the Methodist church at Crookston.

### Additional Railroad Items.

Georgia Jubilee Singers at the opera house Saturday evening of this week.  
R. T. Watson and wife spent Sunday at the Munger home west of town.  
Mrs. J. W. Reed entertained the M. E. church Ladies' Aid yesterday afternoon.

F. E. Reddish returned last Saturday from a trip to the eastern part of the state.  
Johnny Westover, son of Judge Westover of Rushville, is in town visiting friends.

A number of Mrs. B. F. Gilman's friends were entertained at her home last Saturday evening.

The meeting of the P. E. O. Society next Monday afternoon will be held at the home of Mrs. Percy Cogswell.

Glen Hampton is back at his post in the First National bank, having returned Tuesday from his vacation trip.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church was entertained by Mrs. B. F. Gilman yesterday afternoon.

N. S. Nelson, the tailor, is busy at work trying to make up for lost time since his return from eastern Nebraska and Iowa a couple of weeks ago.

W. A. Ford, who was called to Melrose, Iowa, last week on account of the death of his grandfather, returned to Alliance Wednesday morning.

John Fitzgerald is one of a number of Herald subscribers who has taken advantage of the Omaha Daily News special within the last few days.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will give a chicken pie dinner and sale February 22nd in the McWhinney building on Box Butte Ave.

R. A. Charlton has bought Alfred Jahnke's interest in the Mission pool room and is now sole proprietor of the same. The deal was made last Friday.

Ed. Teater spent Tuesday in Alliance in consultation with his partner in the grocery business in which the Teater Bros. are interested.—Hyannis Tribune.

Rev. J. M. Huston is expected home today or tomorrow from Palmyra, Neb., where he has been holding meetings in which it is reported a good interest was taken.

Robert Mackey, who has been employed in the yard office at Alliance, had his foot hurt Tuesday morning by being thrown from a moving car. He is recovering and will be back at work soon.

The new Rumer block is almost ready for occupancy. F. J. Brennan, the druggist, will move as soon as the fixtures, which are now on the road, arrive. Geo. Molling will probably be in his new location on or before the 15th inst.

Rev. McLaughlin informs The Herald that a Presbyterian church was organized last Sunday at Adelia with a membership of 19, which will probably be increased to 25 within two weeks. It has been decided to build a church at the place which is a small railroad town on the Burlington, the name of the station being Orella.

J. W. Jamison came up from Reno Monday and while in the city called at The Herald office to subscribe for the paper. He came from Warren county, Iowa, to northwestern Nebraska about six months ago and seems to be well pleased with this country. When in Alliance last Monday he was accompanied by Marshall Howsare, who recently came to this country from Iowa and expects to remain.

Mrs. H. W. Stille, who was kicked by a horse Monday evening of last week and brought to Alliance from the ranch for medical treatment, is recovering and expects to return home about next Sunday.

Ex-county superintendent Phillips went to Hemingford on business the latter part of last week, returning to Alliance Monday. While at Hemingford he leased a part of the store building for which he recently traded.

G. B. Carr has resigned his position with the railroad at this place and has moved back to Hemingford, preparatory to begin running his steam plow as soon as the frost is out of the ground. He called at The Herald office to order his address changed, also to subscribe for the Omaha Daily News under the special offer published last week.

That the sentiment in favor of municipal ownership of public utilities is growing is indicated by the universal favor with which the petition for the city of Alliance to purchase the electric light plant is being received. Nelson Fletcher circulated a petition the first of the week asking the city council to call a special election for the purpose of voting on the proposition to bond the city for that purpose. When

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presented to the editor of The Herald for his signature it already had a large number of names on it and Mr. Fletcher informed us that not a single person who had been requested up to that time had declined to do so.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Thomas departed last Thursday morning for Phoenix, Ariz., where L. C. has a lucrative position with a real estate firm.

W. A. Springer having bought out M. O. New's grocery store, starts in business right by ordering an ad in The Herald. We shall be pleased to see him receive a good patronage and believe he will get it.

### Butte Chautauqua at Crawford

The Crawford Chautauqua will be held this year from August 5th to 10th inclusive, and the management has already booked some excellent talent. Among others, Gov. Folk of Missouri will be a great attraction this year. An effort is also being made to secure Senator La Follette of Wisconsin. An article telling at length what the management is doing and their plans for the future, is on the hook for publication next week and will be of interest to all our readers. The chautauqua is a good thing, and Crawford is an excellent location, so let's unite and push it along.—Crawford Courier.

### Representative Taylor for Congress

Hon. W. J. Taylor of Merna, who attended the convention of the co-operative grain dealers in Omaha, stopped in this city last Friday on his return and spent a short time visiting with the editor. Mr. Taylor is considering the advisability of beating Kiakaid to congress this fall and the editor has more than a half notion that he can do it.—Custer County Beacon.

Taylor is a fighter from 'way back, and we guess if the democrats nominate him for congress the Hon. Moses P. will have the race of his life, with a strong probability of retiring him to private life.

### Annual Meeting of the First Presbyterian Church

The annual meeting of the First Presbyterian church will take place in the church at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, Feb. 4th.

A second hand Oliver typewriter for sale at a bargain. This machine is practically as good as new. Inquire at The Herald office.

### Auto-Piano for Sale at a Bargain

An exceptional fine new Auto-Piano for sale at a bargain. If you are interested, inquire at The Herald office.

### Oliver Typewriter For Sale

A second-hand Oliver typewriter, in first-class condition, for sale. Inquire at The Herald office.

### Denver-Alliance Bowling Contest

Considerable interest is being manifested in the coming Denver-Alliance bowling contest which will open at 7 p.m., Saturday of this week, in John Sirrs bowling alley. Tickets are being sold for the same and indications are that there will be a good attendance.

Switchman Wm. Sauer, who was very severely injured in the yards last November, is now able to be on the street. His right side, where he was pinched, is still very painful, but Mr. Sauer is very patient and good natured and says he is glad to have escaped with his life.

### LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Nebraska, in and for the county of Box Butte, in the matter of the application of J. F. Keane, Guardian of the person and estate of William J. Keane, a minor, for permission to sell real estate.  
Upon reading and filing the petition, duly verified of J. F. Keane, guardian of the person and estate of William J. Keane, a minor, for license to sell the following described real estate, situated in the counties of Richardson and Box Butte, Nebraska, the land in Richardson county being described as Lot numbered Three, or North East Quarter of North West Quarter of Section Three, and the South West Quarter of the South East Quarter of the North West Quarter of said Section Three, in Township Three, Range Sixteen, Richardson county, Nebraska; the land lying in Box Butte county being the South East Quarter of Section Eighteen, in township Twenty Eight, Range Fifty.

Each petition asks that said lands may be sold and the proceeds invested in other ways for the reason that the looking after the said lands and collection of the rents therefrom is attended with such expense as to make the land unprofitable for said minor, said lands being situated at so great a distance apart that some person must be employed to look after the same which makes the expense of attending to the collection of rents and looking after said lands very great.  
It is therefore ordered that the next of kin of the said minor, and all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers at the city of Rushville, Sheridan county, Nebraska, at the Court house therein, at 9 o'clock A. M. on the 28th day of February, 1910, to show cause if any they have why a license should not be granted to said Guardian to sell said lands as prayed for the purpose named in the petition. It is further ordered that a copy of this order be personally served on all persons interested in said estate at least fourteen days prior to the date of hearing in Box Butte county, Nebraska, for three successive weeks in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in Box Butte county, Nebraska, and in the Nebraska Herald, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in Richardson county, Nebraska, this 20th day of January, A. D. 1910.  
W. H. WESTOVER, Judge of the District Court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.  
fp Jan 27-7-31

### LEGAL NOTICE

In the District Court of Nebraska, within and for Box Butte county.  
In the matter of the application of J. F. Keane, Guardian of the person and estate of William J. Keane, a minor, for permission to sell real estate.  
Your Petitioner, J. F. Keane, respectfully represents unto the court that he is the regularly appointed and qualified Guardian of the person and estate of William J. Keane, a minor, who is of the age of 18 years, and now a resident of — in the State of —

That said minor is the owner of an undivided one ninth interest in lands situated in the counties of Richardson and Box Butte in the State of Nebraska, as follows: The lands in Richardson county being described more particularly as Lot numbered three, or the North East Quarter of the North West Quarter of Section Three, and the South West Quarter of the North West Quarter of the North West Quarter of said Section Three, being ten acres, all in Township Three, Range sixteen, in Richardson county, Nebraska. The land situated in Box Butte county, being the South East Quarter of Section Eighteen, Township Twenty Eight, Range Fifty, (S.E. 1/4, Sec. 18, T. 28, R. 50.)

That said real estate is owned by said minor jointly with Sarah E. Huston, Robert G. Ball, Bessie W. Kennedy, Robert G. Keane, Winfield V. Keane, John F. Keane, Prentiss L. Keane, Sherman H. Keane.  
That the other owners of the eight ninths interest in said lands are desirous of selling the same, the land in Richardson county being at such a distance that it is handled and controlled only at great expense and inconvenience to all the parties concerned, and ready to a loss to the owners. That it will be to the much better advantage of all the owners of the said land that the same be sold and the proceeds divided between the owners thereof. That in fact the other eight owners of the land in Richardson county have sold the same or their interests therein, thus leaving the one ninth interest owned by said minor, and the balance owned by a stranger, and that it will be for the best interest of this estate that the said land be sold, the proceeds divided, and the funds owned by said ward be otherwise invested, for the reason that the looking after said lands, being so widely separated is attended with such expense to this minor so much so that the profits and receipts therefrom are greatly lessened, and that if the lands were sold and proceeds invested in a different way the receipts therefrom will be much greater and to the better advantage financially of his ward.

Wherefore your petitioner prays that a license may be granted him to sell said real estate, or so much thereof as may be to the benefit of his ward, with such other relief as may be equitable.  
J. F. KEANE, Guardian.  
By L. A. BERRY, his Atty.  
Box Butte county, ss  
L. A. Berry, being duly sworn, says that he has knowledge of the matters set forth in foregoing petition. That J. F. Keane, the Guardian, is not accessible being out of the county, and the statements in said petition are true as he verily believes.  
L. A. BERRY,  
Subscribed and sworn before me this 18th day of January, 1910. A. F. BERRY, Notary Public.  
[SEAL]  
fp Jan 27-7-31

### LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.  
In the Matter of the Estate of John M. Whitaker, deceased.  
Order for hearing on final account.  
Now on the 28th day of January, 1910, came J. C. McCorkle, administrator of said estate, and prays for leave to render account as such administrator. It is therefore ordered that the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10 o'clock a.m., at my office in Alliance in said County, be fixed as the time and place for examining and allowing such account. And the heirs of said deceased, and all persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause why such exist, why said account should not be allowed. It is further ordered that J. C. McCorkle, administrator, give notice to all persons interested in said estate by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper published and in general circulation in said County, three successive weeks prior to the day set for said hearing.  
Dated Jan. 20, 1910.  
[SEAL]  
L. A. BERRY, County Judge.  
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### LEGAL NOTICE

In the County Court of Box Butte county, Nebraska.  
In the Matter of the Estate of Robert Leishman, deceased.  
Order for hearing on Final Account.  
Now on the 10th day of January 1910, came Norman G. Leishman, administrator of said estate and prays for leave to render account as such administrator. It is therefore ordered that the 11th day of February, 1910, at 10 o'clock a.m., at my office in Alliance in said County, be fixed as the time and place for examining and allowing such account. And the heirs of said deceased, and all persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at the time and place so designated, and show cause why such exist, why said account should not be allowed. It is further ordered that said Norman G. Leishman, administrator, give notice to all persons interested in said estate by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper published and in general circulation in said County, three successive weeks prior to the day set for said hearing.  
Dated Jan. 20, 1910.  
[SEAL]  
L. A. BERRY, County Judge.  
fp Jan. 20-7-31

State of Nebraska, Box Butte county, in District Court.  
In the matter of the petition of J. J. Buttery, Administrator, for license to sell real estate.  
Now on this 10th day of January, 1910, this cause came on for hearing upon the petition, under oath of J. J. Buttery, Administrator of the estate of Adelle E. Thompson, deceased, for license to sell the following described real estate of the said Adelle E. Thompson, to-wit: Lot numbered Thirteen (13) in Block Numbered Twenty (20) in the First Addition to the city of Alliance, in Box Butte county, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount thereof to bring the amount of \$25.00 for the payment of the debts allowed against the said estate; a 3d costs of administration, for the reason that there is no personal property belonging to said estate which can be applied to the payment of said amounts. It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at chambers in the city of Rushville in Sheridan county, Nebraska, on the 28th day of February, 1910, at 10 o'clock a.m. to show cause if any they have why a license should not be granted to said J. J. Buttery, Administrator, to sell the said property, or so much thereof

as shall be necessary to pay said costs and expenses.  
It is further ordered that a copy of this order be served upon all persons interested in said estate by causing the same to be published once each week for four successive weeks in the Alliance Herald, a newspaper printed and published in said county of Box Butte, Nebraska.  
W. H. WESTOVER,  
fp Jan. 20-7-31 Judge of the District Court.

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