

RAILWAY NOTES AND PERSONALS

C. H. Hull is a new fireman here from the east end.

Engineer J. Carr returned Sunday from a visit to Ravenna.

Stockyard Foreman Frank Shirk is now at the Merritt home.

Civil Engineers Jackson and McCandless were in Alliance Tuesday.

Brakeman H. F. Willey has taken Vaughn's place on passenger with Con. Andrews.

Conductor J. S. Ward, who has been on an east end work train, came home Tuesday.

Conductor Cunningham has been sent to Seneca to take Ross Parin's place as yard master.

Conductor Hoskins and crew dead headed to Ravenna. They left Alliance on No. 46 Saturday.

A. E. Metz is preparing to move into his new home, the house now occupied by Engineer Bennett.

Brakeman Castle left Monday for a thirty days' visit with friends in the Hills and South Dakota.

Brakeman Grant who went to Edgemont Sunday to switch returned to Alliance Tuesday night.

Word comes that the little child of Engineer Jones of Crawford, who has been very sick, is slowly improving.

Engine 4002, a Mallet from Crawford Hill, is in the shops for repair. She brought a train down Saturday.

Brakeman F. S. Grant who has been visiting in Omaha returned Tuesday and took Meeker's place on Beard's car.

Allen Gordon and family were in town Tuesday. Mr. Gordon was for years one of the best engineers out of Alliance.

Passenger brakeman Frank Vaughn has been transferred to the freight service and went out Tuesday on the east end local.

It is rumored that Conductor John Robinson of the Hot Springs run is coming back to Alliance and that Conductor Bennett of the east end will move to Hot Springs and take that run.

Conductor Jack Ward went to Edgemont last week to meet his sister Cora who is on her way to California to make her future home.

Switchman Owens who, with another switchman, had to be dug from under the "goal" about two weeks ago was on the street Wednesday.

Conductor Reeder's work train that has been picking up steel between Edgemont and Ardmore, was pulled off and came into Alliance Tuesday night.

Brakeman Ray Meeker has asked for a thirty-day layoff and transportation to Omaha. Is Meeker following the example set by so many this month? He refused to show his return pass.

Howard Short, wife and little son of Slater, Missouri, are expected here for the 4th. Mrs. Short will be remembered here as Miss Helen Phillips of the post office force. Mr. Short was a freight brakeman. They will visit with Mrs.

Short's parents in West Lawn and with Conductor Tom Campbell and wife.

Jess Morrison writes from Havelock that the shops there are all right but there is no place suits him as well as Alliance. Jess has less than a year now until he is a full paid machinist.

Fireman Branley of Crawford Hill came to Alliance on No. 46 Tuesday. He returned on No. 43 Wednesday night. Round house foreman Robbins fired the Big Malley while he was away.

One of our former brakemen to come back is C. H. Coffee. For the past year he has been railroading out of Chicago. He says Alliance and the Burlington look good to him. He made his first trip Wednesday.

Conductor Gus Larson is another who has committed matrimony. He was married in Ravenna last Saturday. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Frank Vaughn. Mr. and Mrs. Larson went east for their honeymoon.

Tom Harris, a well remembered trainman here, but who for the last three years has been railroading in the Black Hills, has again entered the employ of the Burlington. He is now running a train on the south line.

Owing to a terrible dust storm so bad you could not see one hundred feet in front of the engine Engineer "Dad" Hurst struck a motor car going down Crawford Hill near Ratland last Friday. The car was completely demolished but no one hurt.

Mrs. R. A. Smith and son Clarence left on No. 44 Wednesday for Stanbury, Mo. Mrs. Smith arrived here June 10 to be with her boy who was confined to the hospital with pneumonia. Thanks to good care he is now well enough to be moved and with the advantages of a fine Missouri farm he hopes to regain his health and strength. They will be accompanied as far as Omaha by Brakeman Ray Meeker. That young Smith may improve rapidly and be able to report for duty by the fall stock rush is the wish of his many railroad friends here.

CORRESPONDENCE

CANTON

W. C. Phillips was trading in Hemingford Monday.

Mrs. Brown had a cow killed by lightning Sunday night.

Mrs. W. A. Hood who has been sick is not improving very fast.

John Tschacker and Chas. Moravek traded horses Monday.

Joseph Zvec of Hemingford Sunday with Louis Barta and family.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Caba were trading in Hemingford one day last week.

We had a fine rain Monday night which will greatly help out the crops.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoagland were trading in Hemingford one day last week.

Louis Barta is laying a foundation for a new Barn which he will erect soon.

Mr. Herbert Brown and Miss Lulu Walling were married in Denver last Wednesday.

The dance at Joseph Kapen's last Saturday night was well attended and all report a good time.

O. J. Scribner and Misses Agnes and Ella Moravek outed with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Langford Sunday.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bass were nearly had a runaway. Their horses became unmanageable, getting him in a wire fence which bruised him up some; but he is on the mend again.

HEMINGFORD

K. L. Pierce has gone to Lincoln to attend to some business matters.

Dr. T. W. Little who has been quite sick for the past few days is able to be around again.

Mrs. Bell Brown and daughter, Mrs. A. E. Clark, were passengers to Alliance Wednesday morning, the former going down to look after business matters.

Surveyors are here making a geographical map of the Niobrara River.

A. J. Petrie left on 44 Tuesday for Flathead, Montana where he expects to look up a location.

We hear that Walter Langford and Frank Vaughn got hailed out Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lichte returned from Portland, Oregon on 44 Tuesday.

Graham Blythe has just returned from Colorado and has invested in a quarter section of Colorado land.

We understand the surveyors have been over on the river surveying for a new railroad.

Mrs. Sam Blythe has gone to Colorado for a two weeks' visit with her sister.

Miss Dollie Pierce entertained quite a number of her friends last Friday evening in honor of Miss Kela Zediker of York,

Neb., who is here visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. L. Fenner. Light refreshments were served and all enjoyed a good time.

Rev. Omar Cox, former pastor of the Congregational church, has been hired for the coming year and is expected to preach at this place Sunday.

Robert Garret of Alliance is here moving the Forest lumber sheds from the old stand to the new yards north of the Russell Hotel.

Mrs. O. Kidwell is reported to be on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Kolla Johnson returned from Alliance today where she has been transacting business.

Miss Glen Mounds from Alliance is here for a few days' visit with her friends, Miss Gertrude Olds and Ruth and Blanche Wittsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woods left for Scotts Bluff Monday where they intend to make their future home. He will run a moving picture show at that place.

While Omar Scribner was drilling a well for Will Curry his drill became fastened to a rock and he has about given up hope of getting it out.

The Little drug store has moved from its former place to one door south of Cory's. They have a nice large room and everything looks favorable for them to have a good trade.

Saturday evening as Tom Green was returning home from town his team became frightened and broke loose from the buggy running into the back end of Chris Hanson's buggy, breaking both hind wheels and doing other damage. They had quite a lively time for a few minutes but no one was seriously hurt.

FAIRVIEW

There was no Sunday School Sunday on account of the funeral of Mrs. McLain.

Mr. Parker returned Monday from the eastern part of the state bringing with him a car load of cattle.

Fred Hadley and mother, Dan and Will Lawrence and mother ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lawrence Sunday.

Chas. Zeon, who has been working for J. R. Lawrence, the last two months left for Alliance Monday, where he intends to become a benedict.

Miss Elena Jay left Saturday for eastern Nebraska and Iowa where she will spend some time visiting relatives.

John Hadley returned home Tuesday from Rushville where he has been working the past year. He intends to celebrate the Fourth in Alliance.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the church Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, preaching at 11. Everybody come.

The C. W. Way Co., Architects, Hastings, Nebraska, will furnish you with plans and specifications for any class of building you wish to erect. Ask them for information. 1917

BELMONT

The ranchmen in this vicinity are receiving new farming implements on nearly every freight train.

Miss Blessing closed her school this week with a picnic. The children received nice presents.

Jim Phelps spent several days at Chadron returning home Monday.

Geo. Gregory of Marsland has just refused fourteen dollars per acre for his ranch near Marsland.

Mrs. A. Trussell of Marsland visited Crawford and the post at Fort Robinson.

Vet Schofield from Hot Springs, S. D., took in the dance at Belmont and reported a good time.

Sunday the ball game was fine. The men played against the boys. The men came out so far ahead that the boys felt lost. Next Sunday they play with Rocky Butte nine.

Mrs. Frank Dehlan and Miss Dellie Abbit came down from Crawford Sunday and attended church and visited other places of amusement.

Lawrence Trussell from Marsland and Vet Schofield took supper with our agent Lee Gregory Saturday evening and then took in the dance.

Miss Bertha Phelps has spent the last week visiting the home ranch. She is a pleasant young lady and it seems good to see her home again.

The dance at the ball Saturday evening was a grand success. Several came from the east, a large crowd from the west and some from Crawford and Marsland. They reported a jolly good time.

Mr. West went to Crawford one day this week in his auto. Mr. and Mrs. West are very kind they took a load of girls with them to see the sights and enjoy the ride.

Dave Porter just returned from a trip to Texas where he bought 50 acres of land. He thinks it is the finest country he has ever in except Dawes county, Nebraska.

G. W. Bath from Olathe tried to buy the Geo. Gregory ranch. George says that Nebraska is good enough for him and he has no land for sale.

Fritz Hoffman of Marsland is about to close a bargain, selling his ranch for \$25 per acre.

Tom McHenry visited Texas with the Dr. Willis party from Marsland. He also invested in Texas soil.

Mrs. Gregg bought two more tracts of the Texas land. She is delighted with the country.

Mrs. Jim Talman attended the land sale at Alliance and bought 320 acres more of Nebraska land. They now own all the land from Pleasant Draw to Marsland.

HASHMAN

Fay Hemby spent Sunday at Mrs. Nichols'.

John Kendall called at Mr. Nichols' Tuesday night.

Mrs. Fred Nichols spent Sunday at Mrs. Skinnors'.

Mr. and Mrs. Leishman and their niece,

Etzel Hemby, were out riding in their new auto last Sunday and called at Mr. and Mrs. Skinnors'.

Floyd Tryns is helping Cal Hashman paint his new house.

Fred Crawford was seen driving a herd of cattle to town last Monday.

Earl Tallads and Royce Nichols called at Mr. Skinner's Monday afternoon.

Miss Helen Dunlap spent Sunday afternoon at Mrs. Nichols' and called at Mrs. Turner's in the evening.

Hashman-Trine

One of the most magnificent weddings of the season was performed by Rev. J. M. Huston Wednesday. The contracting parties were Miss Amy Hashman, the popular daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cal Hashman, living west of Alliance, and Floyd Trine, a well known and highly esteemed young man of Madison, Nebraska.

The wedding was solemnized at high noon in the new modern residence of the bride's parents. The ceremony was followed by a wedding dinner served in courses. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The couple will make their home at Madison. The Herald joins in wishing them a long and happy married life.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

HOLY ROSARY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Order of Services:
Sunday Masses, 7:00, 9:00, and 10:30 a. m., except on the third Sunday of every month when the order is 9:00 and 10:30 a. m. Evening service every Sunday evening at 7:30.—Rev. W. L. McNamara, Pastor

ST. MATTHEW'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Services for Sunday 26th:
Holy communion 8 a. m.
Morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.
The Alliance Lodge A. F. and A. M. will attend the service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon "The Great Light."
There will be no night service until the 1st Sunday in September.

W. C. T. U. NOTES.

At a meeting of the new W. C. T. U. organization at Fairview, Nebraska, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Herbert Nason, Pres.; Mrs. T. J. Lawrence, Vice Pres.; Mrs. Fred Nason, Sec.; Mrs. Chas. Bowers, Treas.

Mrs. J. J. Vance, State Supt. of the Loyal Temperance Legion, together with her daughter, Lura, are attending the Convention at Fremont. They expect to be home Saturday.

A meeting of the Alliance Loyal Temperance Legion will be held at the home of Mrs. J. J. Vance, State Supt., next Monday evening, June 27. This is the organization meeting and all who are interested are invited to be present.

A Word from the Producers of that Prize Piano
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WE SHALL BE WELL REPRESENTED IN JULY

We have arranged to send one of our General District Managers to Alliance, to remain during the entire month of July, he to make his headquarters at our Alliance establishment.

Our District Manager, together with Mrs. J. T. Wiker in charge of our Alliance store, will attend to the exceedingly large number of people who have become interested in the superb pianos handled by the Bennett Co. since these instruments have been brought to their notice so prominently by The Herald Voting Contest.



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RICHMOND "EXHIBIT" PIANOS for ALLIANCE

We have reserved for our Alliance house, fifteen pianos that were on exhibition at the National Piano Dealer's Association Convention which was held in Richmond, Va., during May.

The Omaha musical populace went into ecstasies over these "Exhibition" instruments and purchased all of them eagerly, excepting only the fifteen that have been set aside for Alliance.

Even though these are SPECIALLY designed and built pianos they were bought by us at a discount and will be sold at a discount in Alliance in July.

Arrange for an exciting finish to THE HERALD'S VOTING CONTEST. See the most popular lady awarded a piano that will be viewed and heard with pride for YEARS. Then, if you are interested in a piano as good, get in touch with the largest, most genuinely important western piano concern.

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