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Box Butte County Vote---Official Count

The canvassing board, consisting of D. W. Hughes, Lloyd C. Thomas and County Clerk W. C. Mounts, finished the official count of the Box Butte county vote at four o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon. The total vote was light, being only 1,149. Following is the vote for state, congressional, legislative and county candidates, and on the proposed constitutional amendment:

For amendment, 444; against, 305.
Preference for United States senator: Borkett, 491; Hitchcock, 564; Birmingham, 7; Lippincott, 30.
Governor: Aldrich, 598; Dahlman, 487; Wright, 98.
Lieutenant governor: Hopewell, 543; Clark, 499; Lichty, 17; Slutter, 33.
Secretary of State: Wait, 539; Pool, 495; Wittstruck, 14; Cushing, 36.
Auditor of Public Accounts: Barton, 569; Hewitt, 472; Lambert, 37.
State Treasurer: George, 540; Hall, 495; Fitch, 17; Burns, 35.
Supt. of Public Instruction: Crabtree, 597; Jackson, 450; Jeffries, 37.
Attorney General: Martin, 542; Whitney, 493; Terry, 22; Burleigh, 36.
Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings: Cowles, 532; Eastham, 497; Olmstead, 35.
State Railway Commissioner: Clarke, 534; Hayden, 499; Moss, 33.
Railway Commissioner to Fill Vacancy: Peter Mortensen, 350.
Congressman, Sixth District: Kincaid, 574; Taylor, 483; Ross, 9; Chase, 29.
State Senator, 14th district: Reynolds, 551; Haley, 499.
Representative 53rd district: Kent, 615; Reische, 451.
County Attorney: Burton, 782.
County Commissioner: Reck, 573; Pahlow, 512.

The following road overseers were elected: Boyd precinct, Ferdinand Sidler; Box Butte, Ole Davig; Dorsey, Harry Pierce; Lawn, Joe Bartos; Liberty, Jos Winton; Nonpareil, Jesper Jespersen; Running Water, J. O. Peters; Snake Creek, Fred J. Burns; Wright, Dist. No. 9, F. McCoy; Dist. No. 11, Carl Hashman.

The proposition to bond the city of Alliance for \$5,000 for a city park system carried by a big majority.

In order to have the complete state returns this issue of The Herald is being held until Friday morning.

Herald Furnishes Reports

The Alliance Herald kept its reputation as the leading newspaper of western Nebraska by furnishing reports of the election returns Tuesday night. Because of the crowded condition of The Herald office the bulletin board was placed in the commodious pool hall across the street owned by R. A. Charlton.

Through the courtesy of Manager Tom Beeson of the Alliance Telephone Exchange, a special phone set was placed in The Herald office. Arrangements had already been made for phone reports from every precinct in Box Butte county and connections were arranged with all of the towns in western Nebraska. By midnight complete reports had been received from every precinct in the county except Snake Creek, and this was brought in by the carrier, the distance of nineteen miles being covered by two o'clock.

The Herald force were all busier than bees and reports were received from Bridgeport and other North Platte Valley towns, Crawford, Chadron, Harrison, etc. A large crowd waited until the complete returns were received, the last of the force leaving at five o'clock Wednesday morning. Much favorable comment was expressed by all who benefited by the services of this paper.

School Notes

Mr. Carlson's civics class used the class period Tuesday morning to test their ability to vote. Sample ballots had been secured and these had been secured and these were distributed to the members and they expressed their choice for the various offices. The particular object was to test the ability of the class to vote as required by law and it is to their credit that only one ballot was incorrectly marked. Incidentally the test aroused considerable interest in the election.

At the meeting of the Board of Education Monday evening it was decided to permit such teachers as might desire to do so to attend the Nebraska State Teachers Association without loss of time. The meeting will be held at Lincoln Nov. 23, 24, and 25.

Miss Susie Frazier, Principal of the Central school, went to Bridgeport last Saturday to attend the meeting of the Morrill County Teachers Association. County Supt. Edith Watford, of Morrill county requested Miss Frazier to attend for the purpose of giving assistance to her teachers in primary work.

The banners for the second month, which are awarded to the rooms having

the best records in attendance and punctuality, were won by Miss Feidler's, Miss Phalen's and Miss Peterson's pupils. This makes the second month that the banner has been awarded to Miss Feidler's pupils.

The meeting of the Latin club, which was to have been held last week, was postponed until this week on account of the accident which befell their president, Mabel Worley. The club will meet with Hazel Bowman Saturday night of this week.

We have received word from Chadron that they are ready to play us basket ball, the first game to be played either at Chadron or Alliance as suits our convenience. A series of games will probably be arranged soon.

The Agriculture class visited the creamery Thursday morning for the purpose of hearing an illustrated lecture on the subject of cream and butter making. Mr. Beck explained the various processes to the class in a very lucid manner. The subjects of sampling, pasteurizing, ripening, and testing cream, as churning and working the salt and moisture into the butter were explained in detail and demonstrated to the class. We are grateful to the management of the creamery and to Mr. Beck for a very profitable lesson in agriculture.

The report of the Supt. to the Board of Education for the second month of school shows the following:

Total number of pupils enrolled this month	760
Number boys enrolled	377
Number girls enrolled	382
Total number enrolled to date	801
Average attend. for month—Boys	349
—Girls	361
—Total	710
Per cent daily attend. for month	98.86
No. cases tardiness	28
Per cent of punctuality	99.86
Neither absent nor tardy for mo.	458
Number cases of truancy	6
Number present every day	573
Visits from Supt.	77
Visits from others	89
Visits to patrons	12

The following items were handed us for publication last week:

Mabel Worley met with quite a serious accident last week. As she was entering one of the rooms she slipped and fell forward, striking and breaking the glass in the door and cutting her shoulder seriously enough on the broken glass to necessitate several stitches being taken. We hope she will soon be able to be in school again.

The class in Argumentation has begun work for the preliminary debates which will occur about the first of the year. The question to be debated this year is "Resolved, That the Policy of Maintaining the U. S. Navy at its Present Strength is Preferable to the Policy of Substantially Increasing It." Last year fifty-eight of the strong schools of Nebraska were members of the Nebraska High School Debating League and the number will probably be increased this year. It is, therefore, no small honor to be able to win the state championship.

In Memoriam

Mrs. Nellie Trenkle, dearly beloved wife of Sam Trenkle, and third daughter of Mrs. Nellie Heath, passed away on the night of October 25th, 1910, at Mercy hospital after an illness of but a few weeks, aged 24 years, 4 months and 18 days.

She had grown from early childhood to a most beautiful womanhood here in our midst. Nellie was a most conscientious, consistent Christian girl with a smile and word of good cheer for everybody. Death was due to typhoid fever which she contracted after nursing her husband through the same.

About six weeks before her death she calmly gave her heart's idol, little Allen, into the tender Shepherd's care, but the strain of it all was too much for the brave young soul and, notwithstanding the tender care of her heart-broken mother and other dearest to her, her pure soul took its flight heavenward, leaving her husband and little babe, her mother, her four sisters and her brother to go on through life without her.

The funeral services were held in the home. A short but most beautiful discourse was delivered by Rev. Dr. J. L. B. Jones, pastor of Alliance M. E. church, who conducted the service, assisted by J. W. Thomas. Notwithstanding the cold, raw day the funeral was attended by an immense concourse of people, for truly, none knew her but to love her. The body was laid to rest in Greenwood cemetery beside the newly made grave of her little one.

Dear Nellie, wife, daughter, sister, mother,
You have gone to realms unknown,
Where all the good and pure ones
Shall behold God on His throne.
You have gone to greet your loved ones,
Who have passed from earth before
And are beckoning us to follow
And tread with you the golden shore.

Card of Thanks

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in the sickness and death of her who was our beloved wife, daughter and sister,
Mr. Samuel Trenkle,
Mrs. Nellie Heath,
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Curry,
Mr. Chas. Heath,
Mrs. Daisy Miller,
Misses Anna and Essie Heath.

Electric Light Board Report

Morse, Sterne and Humphrey Value Plant at \$78,000

The anxious awaited report of the board of three gentlemen selected to place a valuation on the plant and business of the Alliance Electric Company, made their report on Monday evening.

George H. Morse was elected by the city; William C. Sterne was selected by the company, and Clifford W. Humphrey as the third. The detailed report explains the method by which they arrived at the value of \$78,000 for the plant, and states that the physical property was considered with regard to its present value; books of the company were examined and earnings and expenditures carefully considered; questions of going value and value of unexpired franchise and contract were also considered. Future growth of business, etc., were all considered.

George H. Morse did not agree with the other two members of the committee, which fixed the price to be paid for the physical property at \$42,400 and for franchise, etc., \$35,600, making a total price to be paid by the city of \$78,000, or \$23,000 more than the amount which the company asked from the city.

In an interview with the Herald reporter Prof. Morse stated that he did not agree with the way in which the other two members of the board arrived at their conclusion, but did not care to go into particulars at this time. Prof. Morse stated that he believed that the other two gentlemen were perfectly sincere in their estimate and that they were two of the ablest men he had ever had an opportunity to work with.

Mr. Humphrey stated to the Herald representative that he makes a business of this kind of work and that he investigates and values plants of this character on the average of one in every two weeks; that he believed the plant a good investment at the valuation placed upon it. When asked why he and Mr. Sterne had placed a valuation of \$78,000 on the plant when the company had only asked \$55,000, he stated that he had not been informed that the company had asked the last named figure, but that if such had been the case, the city would have had a very good bargain.

Mr. Sterne had left the city, and could not be seen.
The city council met last evening, but the meeting being a special session for other business, no action was taken on the electric light proposition. It is known, however, that a majority of the council favor not buying the plant, but putting in a duplicate plant.

Married

Miss Inice Neeley, formerly of Alliance, and a niece of I. U. Hagar of Alliance, and Mr. James Elmore, a well known Alliance boy, were married Wednesday in Billings. Miss Neeley has been in Calispel, Mont., for some time but met Mr. Elmore at Billings, he leaving Alliance the first of the week. Their many friends will be glad to know that the happy couple will be here the last of the week. The Herald joins in wishing them a long and happy married life.

Case Attracted Attention

The case of J. L. O'Donnell, who was arrested last Wednesday afternoon and charged with fighting, attracted a large crowd in police court Saturday morning.

O'Donnell and a colored man were arrested and charged with fighting. The colored man pleaded guilty and was fined five dollars and costs, but O'Donnell pleaded not guilty and was placed under bonds of \$25.

At the trial O'Donnell, by his attorney, Wm. Mitchell, proved by a half a dozen witnesses that three colored men had attacked him and that he had not fought until after they had attacked him.

Police Judge Gregory Zurn decided that three to one were too many and that a man had perfect right to defend himself, so O'Donnell was declared not guilty.

Seed Laboratory is Now Open

The Herald has received a letter from Dr. E. Mead Wilcox, collaborator in charge of the seed laboratory of the Nebraska Agricultural Experimental Station, stating that the laboratory is now open and is prepared to test samples of seed for purity and germination.

This work is done free of charge and if the farmers of Nebraska would have their seed tested before planting much better results could be secured.

Irrigation Association Will Meet

The first meeting of the Nebraska State Irrigation association will be held in Bridgeport, Nov. 15 and 16. Delegates to this congress are to be chosen by the state, county and city officials, the governor naming fifty delegates and mayors and county commissioners being allowed to name fifteen delegates each. An attempt will be made to organize an association strong enough to enforce the demands of western Nebraska for legislation and to aid materially in the propagation of those ideas in which this country is particularly interested. The temporary officers are: T. C. Egleston, president; and D. D. Price, secretary. Communications regarding the congress should be sent to the latter at the state engineer's office, Lincoln.

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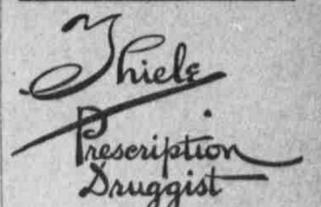
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