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FOURTH OF JULY PROGRAM

- 9:00 A. M. Music by Band.
- 10 A. M. Grand Parade by Cow Boys and Six Hundred school children in a Calathumpian parade.
- Best Cow Boy's outfit, first prize \$15, second prize \$10, third prize \$5.
- Best Cow Girl's outfit, first prize \$15, second prize \$10, third prize \$5.
- 10:30 A. M. Boys Cow Pony race. Ponies to be 14 hands or under, riders to be under 16 years of age. Prizes, 1st \$15, 2nd \$10, 3d \$5.
- One quarter mile Girls' Cow Pony race. Ponies to be 14 hands or under, riders to be under 16 years of age. Prizes, 1st \$15, 2nd \$10, 3d \$5.
- Cow Boy race free for all. Prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3d \$10.
- Cow Girls race free for all. Prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3d \$10.
- Two mile relay race, change every half mile. Prizes, 1st \$50, 2nd \$25, 3d \$15.
- Automobile race, one-half mile. Prizes, 1st \$25, 2nd \$15, 3d \$10. Four cylinder machine and not to exceed 30 horse power.
- Prizes for Calathumpian Parade. 18 in all. 1st \$20, 2nd \$17, 3d \$12, 4th \$10, 5th \$8, 6th \$7, 7th \$6, 8th \$5, 9th \$4 and 10th \$3. Eight prizes of \$1 each.
- 11:30 A. M. grand balloon ascension by Prof. Carmichael, who will drop 3,000 feet.
- 1:00 P. M. at Fair Grounds. Harness races, Saddle races, Broncho Busting, Roping Contests, and Relay race of two and one-half miles.
- 4:00 P. M. Box Butte Ave. Men's foot race, free for all. Prizes, 1st \$10, 2d \$5.
- Boys' foot race, 12 years or under. Prizes, 1st \$5, 2nd \$3.
- Girls' foot race, 12 years or under. Prizes, do.
- Boys' foot race, 12 to 15 years. Prizes, 1st \$8, 2d \$4.
- Girls' foot race, 12 to 15 years. Prizes, 1st \$8, 2d \$4.
- Boys' potato race. Prizes, 1st \$5, 2d \$3.
- Boys' three leg race. Prizes, do.
- Prizes for Broncho Busting, 1st \$75, 2d \$50, 3d \$25.
- Horses and riders will be drawn each day.

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MEN'S MEETING

A cordial invitation is extended to all men to attend the interdenominational men's meeting to be held at the Methodist church, corner Fourth street and Niobrara avenue, at 3 p. m. next Sunday. Whether a church member or not, you will be welcomed.

J. W. Bicknell has word from his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bicknell, who returned to their old home at Pleasanton, Iowa, about two weeks ago on account of this attitude being too high for the senior Bicknell's health. They are delighted with the appearances of old home scenes, especially as the trees are loaded with bloom and there are splendid prospects of a bumper fruit crop this year. The Herald is pleased to learn that Mr. Bicknell's health is improving since going to the lower altitude.

Miss Marie Dismar is visiting friends in Scottsbluff.

DECORATION DAY

The Occasion of Beautiful and Patriotic Services in Honor of Nation's Dead.

Rev. Franklin McNeill, pastor of the Baptist church, offered the invocation. Father McNamara, pastor of Holy Rosary Catholic church, read the Scripture and made a short but appropriate address. The band played "The Red, White and Blue," following which E. G. Laing, commander of the Spanish War Veterans, appeared on the stage accompanied by Quartermaster J. J. Riordan bearing the colors of the post, and called for a salutation of the colors. Mrs. F. L. Parsons sang "Barbara Frietchie," assisted by a reading by Mrs. E. G. Laing, preceding the solo. A most beautiful tableau was presented by Miss Edna Donovan representing the Goddess of Liberty, Paul Campbell a soldier, Harold Burke a sailor, and Miss Helen Hewitt speaker, these four assisted by a number of boys and girls singing.

Hon. John B. Strasburger was introduced as the speaker of the day, and delivered an address that won for him numerous compliments. Mr. Strasburger is a fluent speaker, he has a fund of information that serves him well in the preparation of an address for an occasion of this kind, and he has the happy faculty of making his remarks timely without resorting to the hackneyed phrases. So favorable an impression did his speech make that he will no doubt have more invitations to speak before Alliance audiences.

At the close of the exercises at the opera house Marshal Calder formed the procession of teams and autos in line, which extended over a mile in length, and thus Greenwood cemetery was reached at 4:30 p. m. On the road to the cemetery the procession went out of its way to pay a tribute to Mr. James E. Benedict, a brave survivor of the 78th Indiana regiment, who is confined to his home by illness. The band played patriotic airs in front of his home, the firing squad presented arms and saluted, while his old comrades greeted him with smiles and cheers.

At the cemetery the graves of the thirty-two veterans resting there were strewn with flowers, the band playing "Nearer my God to Thee" and similar airs. Rev. W. F. McNeill spoke some kindly words, a chorus of pretty school girls dressed in white sang a selection dear to the hearts of the old soldiers, the firing squad delivered three volleys over the graves in the G. A. R. lot, Rev. Jas. B. Brown offered a final prayer, Bugler Bert Laing sounded "taps" on the battered bugle which he carried in far-off Luzon, and the most appropriate and elaborate observance of Memorial day ever held in Alliance was brought to a close.

The following is a roster of the civil war veterans attending Memorial Day services at Alliance.

- Amos Aspey Co. "B" 65th Ohio Infantry.
- David Bowen, Co. "A" 28th Iowa Infantry.
- Henry S. Coulson, Co. "K" 77th Illinois Infantry.
- Thos. J. Strupper, Co. "I" 72d Ohio Infantry.
- S. W. Gaunt, Co. "K" 23d Missouri Infantry.
- Alfred R. Wilson, Co. "H" 9th Iowa Cavalry.
- Albert Wiker, Co. "D" 11th Iowa Infantry.
- Edwin P. Sweeney, Co. "K" 4th U. S. Cavalry.
- Daniel O. Vaughn, Co. "E" 7th Michigan Cavalry.
- Lewis M. Kennedy, Co. "C" 1st Nebraska, State Cavalry—Indian war.
- Silas H. Wirts, Co. "C" 1st U. S. Sharpshooters.
- Robert Garrett, Co. "K" 24th Iowa Infantry.
- Aaron Pool, Co. "B" 86th Illinois Infantry.
- H. M. Downer, Co. "A" 3d Iowa Infantry.
- Elsa Vaughn, Co. "C" 8th Iowa Cavalry.

- A. B. Munroe, Co. "H" 68th Ohio.
- John Haggerty, Co. "D" 2nd Missouri Cavalry.
- Rosell Fenner, Co. "B" 55th Illinois Infantry.
- Andrew Freshla, 15th Ohio Battery.
- Smith P. Tuttle, Co. "F" 1st Nebraska Cavalry.
- James Dickey, Co. "H" 98th New York Infantry.
- James Cook, Co. "F" 25th Kentucky Infantry.
- Alex. Hill, Co. "C" 33rd Wisconsin Infantry.
- John E. White, Co. "B" 89th Illinois Infantry.
- Alexander Younkin, Co. "H" 124th Illinois Infantry.
- H. H. Grimes, Co. "K" 45th Illinois Infantry.

- List of Spanish War veterans present:
 - W. S. Wheaton, Co. D 32nd U. S. Infantry.
 - E. D. Henry, Co. H 16th U. S. Infantry.
 - C. H. Vinsel, Co. H 50th Iowa Infantry.
 - Carter E. Calder, Co. G 1st Wyoming Infantry.
 - W. J. Hamilton, Troop F 8th U. S. Cavalry.
 - Antonio Wagner, Co. E 32nd U. S. Infantry.
 - F. W. Buckman, Co. F 15th Minnesota Infantry.
 - Henry Wegworth, Co. C 3d U. S. Cavalry.
 - J. H. Jones, Co. A 22nd U. S. Infantry.
 - Darr L. Ellis, Co. B 1st Nebraska Infantry.
 - J. L. Winters, Co. A 5th U. S. Cavalry.
 - C. L. McDaniels, Co. C 1st Nebraska Infantry.
 - John J. Riordan, Co. C 1st Nebraska Infantry.
 - J. F. Hilton, Co. A 1st Nebraska Infantry.

CARD OF THANKS

George L. Geddes camp, of Spanish-American War Veterans, under whose direction Memorial Day exercises were held, takes this method of publicly expressing its thanks to all those who so generously assisted in the services:

- To Hon. John B. Strasburger for his splendid address.
- To Rev. Father McNamara, Rev. Franklin McNeill, Rev. Jas. B. Brown, and Rev. Father Minogue, for religious services.
- To the Alliance W. C. T. U. for carnations for the veterans.
- To the quartet, Misses Bernice Kridelbaugh and Dorothea Hoag, Lloyd and Cecil Smith, for their excellent vocal music.
- To Mrs. Forest L. Parsons and Mrs. E. G. Laing for their beautiful rendition of "Barbara Freitche."
- To Prof. Burns and pupils for tableau, "Columbia."
- To the Alliance band for its services so generously given.
- To the people of Alliance generally for their contributions and attendance.
- E. G. LAING, Commander.
- C. E. CALDER, Adjutant.

DEPARTS THIS LIFE AT AGE OF NINETY YEARS

Last Saturday M. Vaughn received a telegram from O'Neill, Nebr., conveying the sad intelligence of the death of his mother, who departed this life at the age of ninety years. She had been ill for four years, and her demise was not unexpected. A son and two daughters survive her, M. Vaughn of Alliance, Mrs. Hughes of O'Neill, and Mrs. Campbell of McCook. The first two were present at the funeral, which was held at the Catholic church in O'Neill; the latter could not be present.

And thus another leaves this world at a ripe old age for a better shore, one whose life was a blessing to those about her because of her upright life and kindly deeds. She will be greatly missed and not forgotten by the generation who knew her.

LIEUTENANT DANOS VISITS ALLIANCE

Lieut. Henry J. Danos, Co. C, 22d U. S. Infantry, husband of Frances Danos, the Red Cross nurse, arrived in Alliance Monday for a few days' stay. His regiment is stationed at Fort San Houston, San Antonio, Texas, and having a ten days' furlough he of course came to this city and will remain here till next week.

AGED MAN GOES THE WAY OF ALL THE EARTH

Highly Respected Pioneer Passes Away at Ripe Old Age—Many Friends Show Their Esteem by Attending the Funeral.



Mr. Frank Bauer, Sr.



Mrs. Frank Bauer, Sr.

Frank Bauer, Sr., was born in Wurtemberg, Germany, June 27, 1828; died May 25, 1911, thus being 82 years, 10 months and 28 days of age. Came to America in 1851, and settled in Housville, Kentucky. He was united in marriage to Miss Nancy Hill, Sept. 25, 1852, in Housville. To this union were born twelve children, six of whom survive him. They are Frank, Will and Charley Bauer of Alliance, Mrs. J. F. Trenkle and Mrs. F. E. Jease of Alliance, and Mrs. Nick Fernback of Morten, Illinois. All were present at the funeral except Mrs. Fernback. It was impossible for her to come. The deceased leaves besides his wife and children, thirty-four grandchildren and twenty-one great-grandchildren.

Mr. Bauer worked in the coal mines in Kentucky and Indiana from 1852 until 1862, when he was called to help his country, serving as a soldier until the close of the war, when he returned to his family in Indiana. He came to Alliance in 1888, and resided in this county until his demise.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Geo. G. Ware, rector of St. Matthew's Episcopal church, Sunday afternoon, from the late residence of the deceased, ten miles northeast of Alliance, interment in Greenwood cemetery. The minister preached an eloquent funeral sermon from the text, "But thanks be to God which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ." Besides expounding the text, the minister dwelt upon the virtue of the deceased, his industry, integrity and honorable life. The love and esteem in which he was held by neighbors and all acquaintances were indicated by the throng present at the funeral. The large house could not contain anywhere near all those who were present.

RIORDAN-HAGGERTY NUPTIALS

The marriage of Mr. John J. Riordan and Miss Marguerite Haggerty was solemnized yesterday morning at the chapel of St. Agnes convent. Rev. Father McNamara officiating. The happy occasion was characterized for its beautiful display of flowers, religious decorations and impressive service. A choir composed of young ladies and sisters of St. Agnes academy rendered the music for the high mass and no couple ever approached the altar under more impressive conditions. After the ceremony the bridal party, consisting of relatives and near friends of the contracting parties repaired to the home of Mrs. John Reardon, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast awaited them.

The bride was attended at the altar by her sister, Miss Nora, and Mr. Simon Haggerty acted as best man for the groom.

Many wedding gifts were received by the bride, who is one of Alliance's most beloved daughters. The newly married couple were kept busy all morning receiving a shower of congratulations on all sides. At noon they took the train for Denver and other Colorado points, where they expect to spend the first few days of their honeymoon, after which they will return to Alliance to make their home, where Mr. Riordan is engaged in business.

Both parties to this happy union are well known in this city, the

bride being a daughter of John Haggerty, an old resident of this city who is highly respected. Mr. Riordan is also well known in this section of the state and is held in high esteem by all.

Harry Lapand of Moffitt has been transacting business in Alliance this week.

YEOMEN MEETING

W. J. Tilley, state manager for the Brotherhood of American Yeomen Yeomen, will be present Friday evening, June 2, and assist in initiating a class of 35 members. This makes a total of 95 members to date.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The W. C. T. U. will meet Thursday, June 8th, at 3 p. m., with Mrs. Cornu, 716 Cheyenne avenue.

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