

ALLIANCE IN LEAD AS EDUCATIONAL CENTER

Ranks First Among Towns of Western Nebraska, and Continued Present Prestige Assured
GROWTH OF ST. AGNES ACADEMY

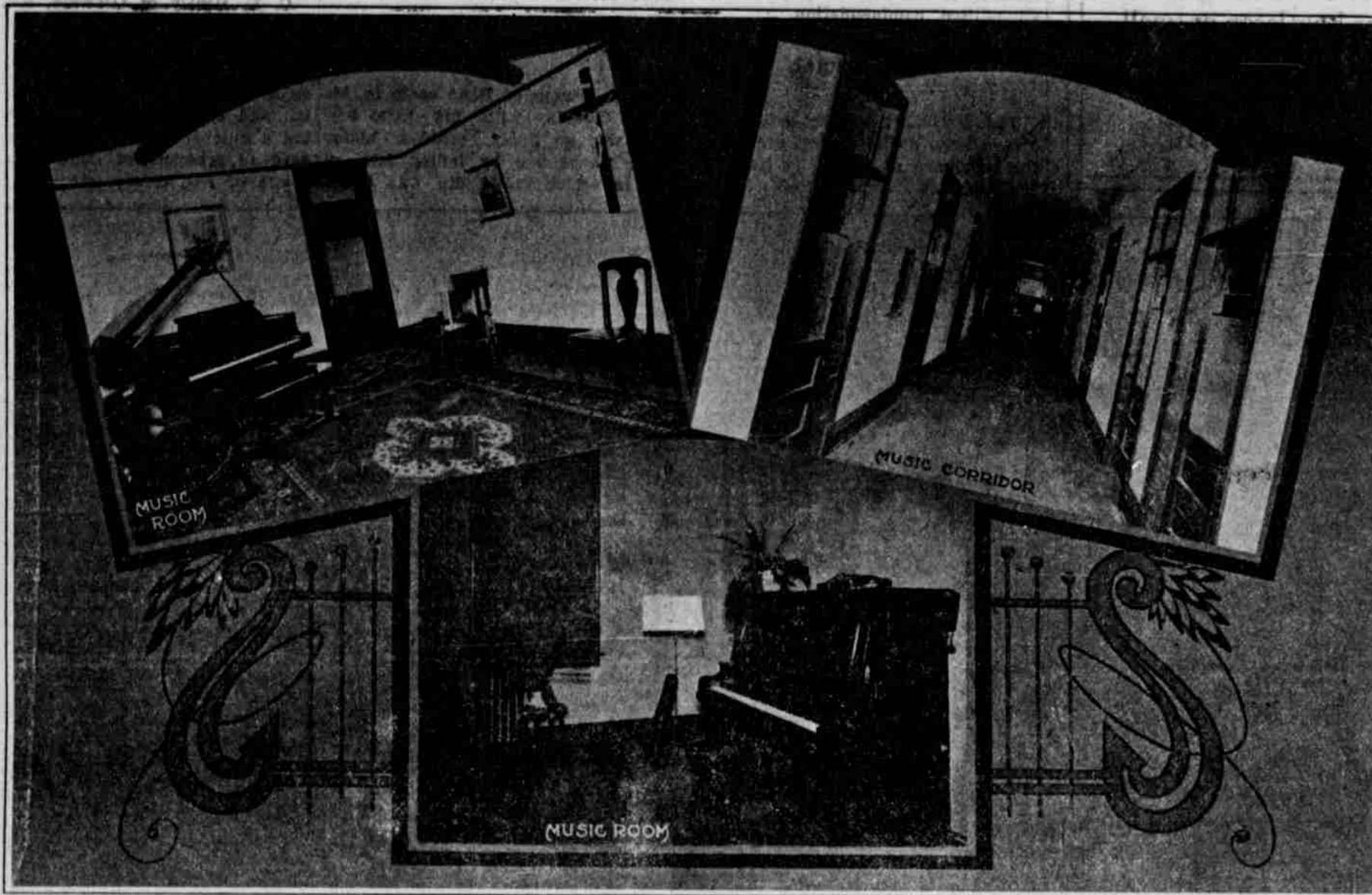
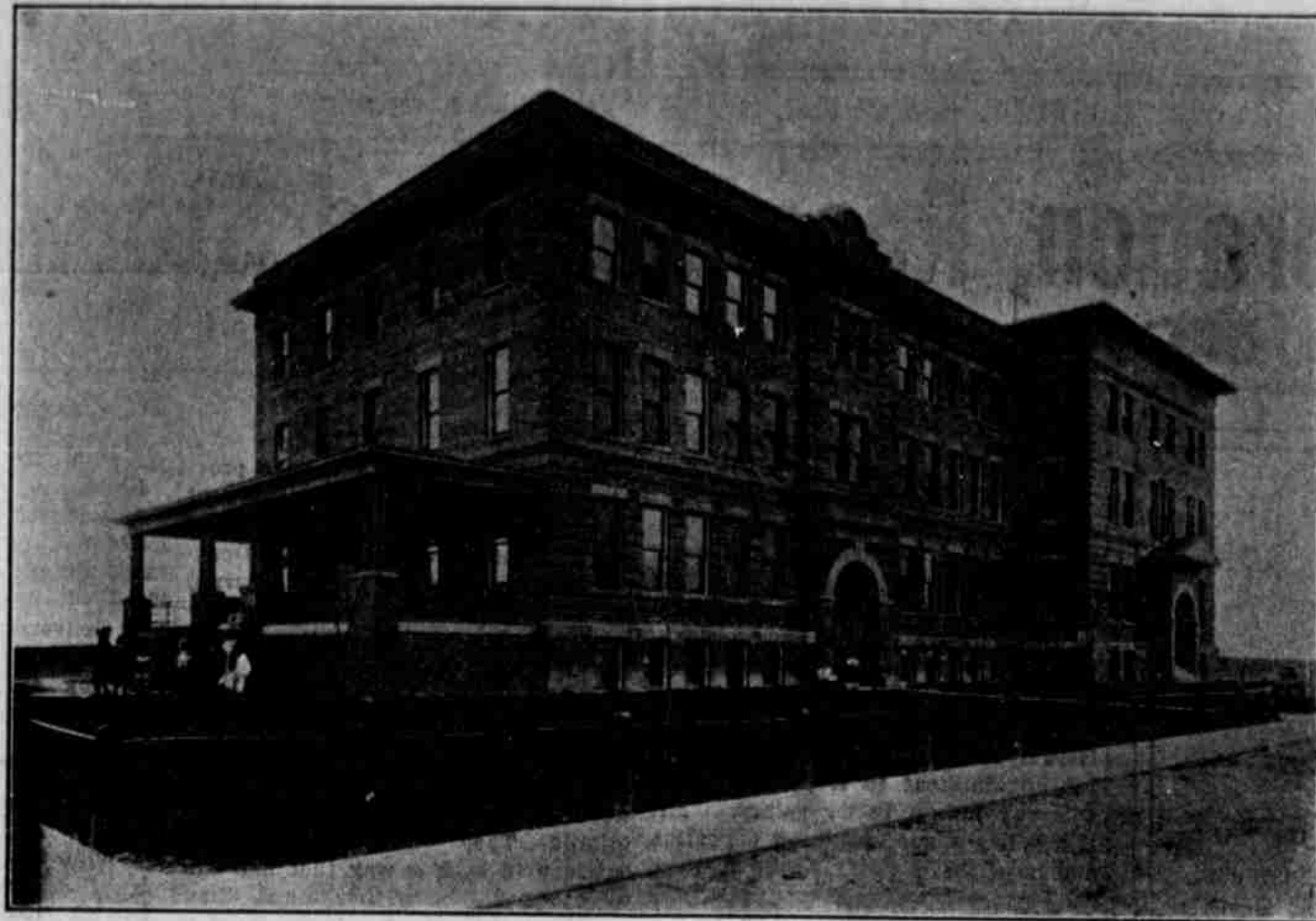
Not only is Alliance the commercial center of northwest Nebraska, but it has come to be, and is destined to continue, the educational center of this part of the state. For a number of years past Alliance city schools have ranked among the best public schools of the state, the Alliance High school being justly considered one of our leading High schools of Nebraska.

Of the eight State Junior Normal schools of Nebraska, the Alliance State Junior Normal has taken the lead. Although not surrounded by a country as densely populated as some of the other State Junior Normals, for a while it had the largest attendance of any of them. Although part of the patronizing territory has been cut off by the State Normal at Chadron, the attendance at Alliance Junior Normal is large, much larger in fact than the attendance at some of the other State Junior Normals, and also the State Normal at Chadron.

In addition to the public and state schools of Alliance, this city has another educational institution, which although it has been established but a few years, already ranks among the leading educational institutions of its grade in the state. We refer to St. Agnes Academy, which was erected in 1908, and in 1911 an addition much larger than the first building was erected. It is furnished with every modern improvement conducive to health and comfort.

The healthfulness of Alliance is far-famed; and as it is situated on the main line of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad from Lincoln to Billings, and is the terminus of the Denver-Alliance and the Alliance-Guernsey branches, and is easy of access from north, south, east and west, it already has a large number of students from other places as well as from Alliance.

The course of instruction includes Elocution, Singing, Sewing, Fancy Work, Drawing, Penmanship, Physical Culture, and Politeness through the entire course. The departments are Primary, Preparatory, Academic, Commercial, Music, and Art. The expenses are quite reasonable considering the excellent accommodations and the thorough instruction given to students. Full information as to terms, etc., may be had by calling at



the Academy, or writing to the Mother Superior.

We are pleased to give in this issue of The Herald a number of half tone cuts, one showing the exterior of the building from the southeast, this cut being larger than the one recently published in The Herald, and several interior views.

\$100 FOR SCHOOL CHILDREN

Great Preparations Being Made for School Children's Parade

The school children who expect to take part in the Calhounian Parade are requested to meet at 9:30 a. m. at the corner of First street and Box Butte Ave., the High school and the Academy to form west of Box Butte and the Central and Emerson schools to form east of Box Butte Ave. The children are requested to take an active interest from now until the 4th, and try to get every one to take part in this parade and help the amusement committee to make this the greatest feature of the day.

Prof. Williams of the High school, Father McNamara, and Miss Susie Frazier of the Central school will act as judges. The parade will start promptly at 10 a. m. The line of march will be as follows: north on Box Butte Ave. to 4th street, west on 4th street to Cheyenne Ave., north on Cheyenne Ave. to 10th St., east on 10th street to Box Butte Ave., south on Box Butte Ave. to 4th street. One Hundred Dollars will be given away to the children of Alliance. Be sure to get in the parade.

A. P. LEE, Chairman.

PASTOR-EVANGELIST RESIDES IN ALLIANCE

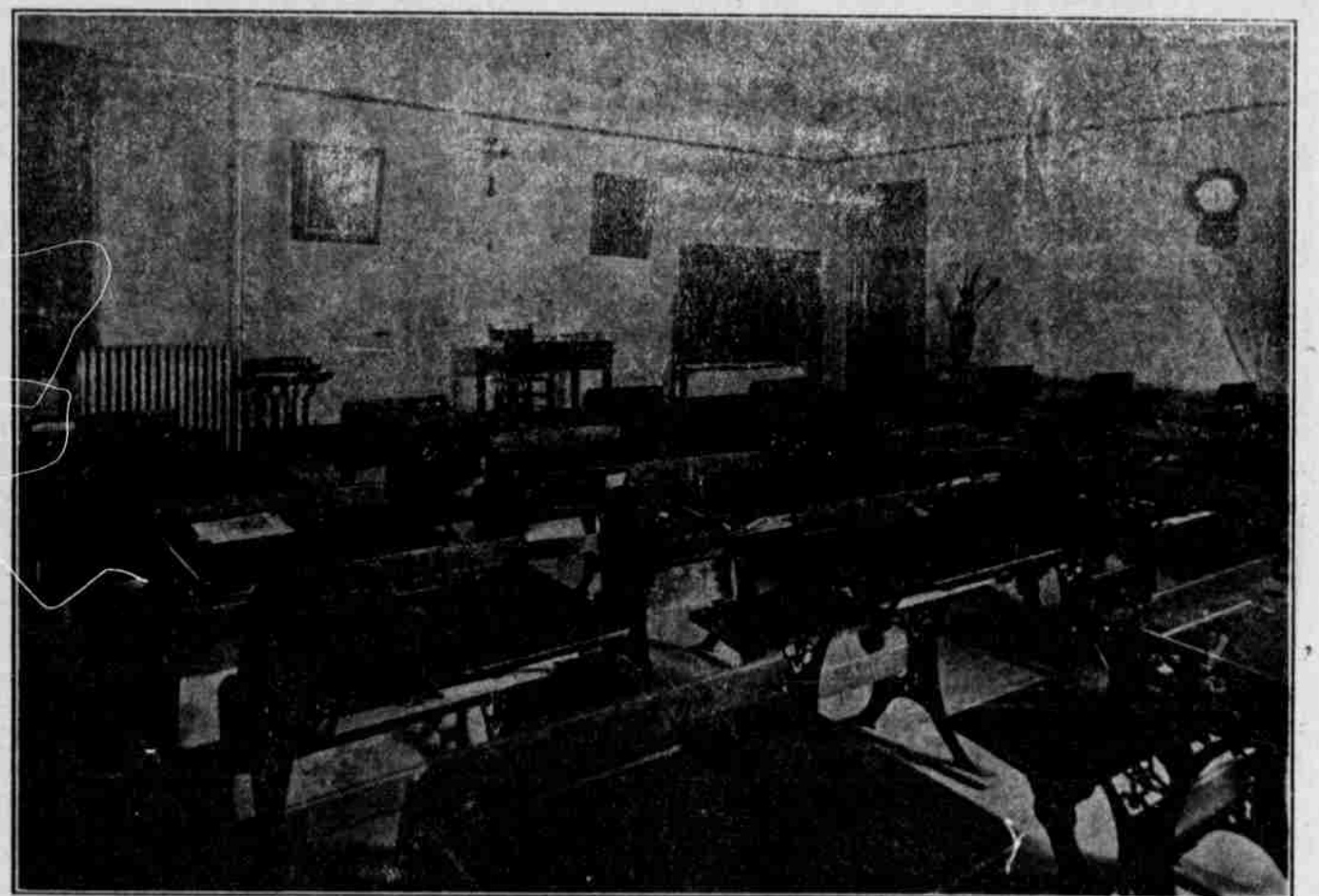
Rev. D. W. Montgomery, who was appointed pastor-evangelist of Box Butte presbytery of the Presbyterian church, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. G. B. McLaughlin, removed with his family to Alliance from Loup City some time since, and resides at 936 Box Butte avenue, in the new house erected by W. H. Thomas before his removal from this city. His telephone number is 147, but his name is not in the telephone directory yet.

BROKEN ARM IMPROVING

The Herald is pleased to learn that Erma Main's arm which was broken last week is already improving, although it is yet carried in a sling. Erma and his father, Ranch Main, had charge of the Boyer dairy a few years ago and have many acquaintances in this city.



West Dormitory



Portion of Class Room

FRUIT AS MEDICINE

Interesting Information from Physical Culture for July

Apples, pears and quinces are all members of a botanical family that includes the roses and is scientifically known as pyrus malus. Incidentally, the apple has a wider range of growth than any other fruit, and the United States is the largest grower of any country in the world. Ripe apples eaten raw and thoroughly masticated, are excellent for digestive troubles.

The pear shares the medicinal qualities just recited, and in addition, is somewhat more easily digested by weak stomachs than is the apple. The quince is only used in the

form of preserves, as arule. It is said that owing to its excessive astringency when raw, it is employed by the peasantry of Europe to stop hemorrhages by placing slices of it on wounds.

The curative powers of the grape are established facts, as the history of the "cures" in which the vine plays the chief part, testifies.

Rhubarb, owing to the large proportion of oxalic acid it contains, is a capital anti-scurvitic. In the case of minor forms of scurvy, it acts as a curative. The young plant, when stewed and eaten at breakfast, is of great assistance to the constipated. Its laxative qualities in general are well known.

Bananas should be used with caution by the constipated.

The fig possesses laxative powers of a high order. This is also true of dates and tamarinds.

Peaches, apricots and nectarines have marked laxative effects.

The plum, greengage, damson, and so forth, all have medicinal qualities.

Blackberries, raspberries, huckleberries and most other berries act as blood purifiers and laxatives.

WHY IS A NEWSPAPER LIKE A WOMAN?

A newspaper offered a prize for the best answer to the conundrum, "Why is a newspaper like a woman?" The prize was won by a lady in Oklahoma, on the following: "Because every man should have one of his own and not run after his neighbor's."

4th of July Sales at Stuckey's

White Dresses, \$4.50, 5.00 and 7.50

Boys' and Girls Rompers, 40c

One-piece Dresses, lawns and Zephyr ginghams, \$2.50, 4.75 and 6.00

Ladies' White Underskirts, 65c, \$1, 1.75 and 2.00

MILLINERY

All trimmed and untrimmed hats at half-price