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LOST OR ESTRAYED—A Missouri Fox Hound, black body, tan face and legs, long ears, very thin, and a mournful, soulful look in its eyes. Answers to most any name, but preferably "Bill", "Champ Clark", or "Judge R." When last seen, was tied loose with a collar and chain. This animal has a peculiar liking for anyone from the neighborhood of St. Joseph, Mo. A reward of \$5.00 for the return of said dog to Eugene Burton, County Attorney, Alliance, Nebraska.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

The regular state teachers' examination will be held at Alliance May 17th and 18th, at which time the first examination for city state certificates will be held.

DELLA REED, Co. Supt.

In buying a piano the rule holds good that "the best is the cheap-

est." A poor piano is dear at any price. Mrs. Ida M. Ross has the agency for this part of Nebraska for the best pianos made. 22-2-1249

SUNDAY SCHOOL AT UNITY

A Sunday school was organized last Sunday at Unity church, west of Alliance, with Mrs. Skinner as superintendent. Two o'clock in the afternoon is the hour set for convening. A cordial invitation is extended to all who can do so to attend. An effort will be made to secure preaching service following Sunday school, announcement of which will be made through The Herald when arrangements for the same have been completed.

COUNTY EIGHTH GRADE

The county eighth grade graduation exercises will be held jointly with the Alliance city eighth grade, Friday, May 2, at 2:30 p. m., at the Phelan opera house. The exercises will be held in the afternoon instead of evening for the convenience of persons from a distance who may wish to attend.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

There will be Civil Service examinations at Alliance, May 22 and June 5, to fill a number of positions. A printed announcement, giving particulars, may be seen in the lobby of the post office.

Eugene Burton returned Sunday morning from a ten days' trip to Missouri, stopping at Lincoln on his return. Being an ardent admirer of Hon. Champ Clark, he purchased a houn' dawg while in St. Joe and brought it home with him as a token of his admiration for and loyalty to the Missouri statesman. But alas, the best laid plans sometimes end in disappointments. And, as well be seen by Mr. Burton's advertisement in another column, the houn' dawg disappeared soon after his arrival in Alliance. Whether he took the back track for his native state or headed direct for Washington, D. C., we do not know but will soon be able to ascertain, as the little want ads in The Herald never fail to produce results, and Mr. Burton's ad no doubt will locate the houn' dawg for him.

PUBLIC SCHOOL EVENTS

Series of Events, Including High School Commencement Address by Gov. Aldrich

CLOSE OF GOOD SCHOOL YEAR

School will close May 24th, and these are busy days for both pupils and teachers. The first event to mark the approach of the close of school was the Junior-Senior banquet given in the High school gymnasium Saturday night of last week. Other events are as follows: Senior class play at Phelan opera house, May 17th; Baccalaureate sermon at the opera house, May 19th; Alumni banquet at High school gymnasium, Wednesday, May 22nd; High school graduation exercises at Phelan opera house, Thursday evening, May 23d, at 8:15 o'clock; and county and city Eighth grade graduation exercises at the Phelan opera house, Friday, May 24th, at 2:30 p.m. The Eighth grade exercises will be held in the afternoon to accommodate the people from the country, thus enabling them to return home the day the exercises are held.

Senior Class Play

The senior class play will be given at the opera house, Friday evening, May 17th, beginning at 8:30 o'clock. The class will present "Hicks at College", a play written for the senior class of the University of Michigan and played with success not only there but in many High schools throught the country. The play was successfully presented by the High schools of Fairbury and Omaha of our own state. Admission 50 cents and 35 cents.

Union Baccalaureate Service

A union baccalaureate service will be held at the Phelan opera house, Sunday evening, May 19th, at 8 o'clock. This service, as are all the church services of the public schools, will be a union service, the pastors or members of the various churches participating.

The following is the program for the service:

- Vocal Duet Misses Acheson and Duncan
- Prayer Rev. O. S. Baker
- Scripture Lesson Rev. Geo. Ware
- Music Ladies' Quartette
- Sermon Rev. A. L. Godfrey
- Vocal Duet Miss Kridelbaugh and Mr. Welch
- Benediction

High School Commencement Exercises

The commencement address will be given by Gov. C. H. Aldrich. Alliance people should embrace this opportunity to hear Nebraska's governor. There will be no charge for admission. Admission, however, will be by ticket and those desiring tickets may secure same without charge at Holsten's Thursday. The following is the program:

- Piano Solo Mrs. C. E. Bennett
- Invocation Rev. G. A. Witte
- Music High School Orchestra
- Address Hon. C. H. Aldrich
- Vocal Solo Miss Emma Nerud
- Presentation of Diplomas D. W. Hughes, Secy. Board of Education
- Piano Solo Miss Beulah Smith
- Benediction Rev. A. L. Godfrey

Eighth Grade Exercises

The Eighth grade exercises, county and city combined, will be held at the opera house, Friday, May 24, at 2:30 p.m. Dr. I. N. Roach of Lincoln, member of the state board of education and one of the most eloquent speakers in the state, will deliver the address. There will be no charge for admission, but as in the case of the High school commencement exercises, admission will be by ticket. Those who wish to attend will secure their tickets at Holsten's, Friday. The following is the program:

- Music High School Orchestra
- Invocation Rev. Jas. Brown
- Chorus, "The Evening Wind"
- Address, "Education for Profit" Dr. I. N. Roach
- Chorus, "Away to the Fields"
- Benediction

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Agnes Kidest left on 44 today for Omaha, where she will visit a few days.

Attorney Eugene Burton had business at the court house in Bridgeport Monday.

The Girls' Four Square Club will meet on Friday evening at the home of the Misses Nation.

Attorney Wm. Mitchell made a trip to the North Platte valley the first of the week on legal business.

Mrs. B. H. Fernald arrived last Friday from McAlester, Okla., for a visit with Alliance friends.

Mrs. Dickson, sister of Leroy Safford of this city, came up from Minatare yesterday to spend a few days in Alliance.

After a temporary absence from the advertising columns of The Herald, The Famous comes back with a half-page announcement of a fine array of clothing bargains.

Misses Elsie and Bess Bloomfield whose home is in Albia, Iowa, and who have been wintering in El Paso, Texas, arrived in Alliance Tuesday morning for an indefinite stay.

Nothing is too good for Norton's, either in the way of goods for their customers or advertising space to tell the public about them, hence the fine big ad on the first page of this issue of The Herald.

A gala day for sure. Aeroplane flights, five big bands, two mile parade, cowboys, cowgirls, Indians and a riot of all bright colored trappings on the day we have Kit Carson's Buffalo Ranch with us. 23-1-1266

On Wednesday of last week W. M. Johnston of Eskridge, Kansas, arrived in Alliance for a visit with his brother, J. N. Johnston, whom he had not met before for eighteen years. Of course the two brothers were glad to meet again, and had a good visit.

Jos. Kline of Streator, Ill., arrived in Alliance Wednesday of last week, since which time he has been looking after his real estate interests in Box Butte county. He is one of The Herald's many out-of-Nebraska subscribers, and favored this office with a call soon after his arrival in Alliance last week.

Send your worn-out carpets to the Lincoln Rug Factory, Lincoln, Nebr. They will make them into rugs for the regular price and pay the freight both ways. This offer is made rather than putting a so-better in the territory. Write for price-list and shipping tags. 23-4-1562

Rev. Clark, father of Mrs. Robt. Graham, stopped in Alliance on his way from his home in Illinois to Seattle, where he went to attend the general assembly of the United Presbyterian church. Mr. Clark has been preaching for about fifty years and occupied the pulpit of the church on last Sunday morning in Alliance.

Pastmaster I. E. Tash made a trip to Crawford Tuesday to see if arrangements could be made to secure the Fort Robinson band and troops for the stockmen's convention next month. He was royally entertained by Col. C. H. Murray who expressed himself as being favorable to coming to Alliance with the troops at that time but cannot well do so on account of its being during the time of the annual target practice, which is a very important affair in military circles.

The Horace Bogue store adopted a unique method of advertising this week. The tags with the strange hieroglyphics, caused some consternation among a number of persons who thought it was the work of a Black Hand gang. One family sought refuge in the city hall over night, so we are told. A number of small boys who had been accustomed to spending too much time on the streets at night, stayed close home one evening at least. But, come to find out, there is nothing about the plan to cause fright, as will be seen by the magnificent Bogue ad in this issue of the Herald.

NORTON'S
(THE STORE WITH A CONSCIENCE)

The Best Clothes in Alliance for the Price You Pay

We are not going to tell you that these Men's New Suits for Spring are something that they aren't.

—We haven't found it necessary to resort to exaggeration, flim-flam or buncombe to sell suits for Men. —And if these things were necessary we wouldn't sell men's suits—

It's a Pleasure to do Business on the Square

We're going to tell you what these Men's New Suits are, and that is—good styles of good materials, and good values at the price you pay—whether it be \$15, \$20, \$25, \$28, or \$30.

Norton's is advertising clothing—not imagination

If you want good dollar for dollar values in Clothing—visit Norton's today.

Don't pay your clothing money for imagination

Be proud of your feet by wearing Florsheim Shoes, \$5.00
Cluett and Arrow Shirts Gordon Hats

NORTON'S
(Know Us for Best Values)

Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Seventeenth Annual Meeting of the Nebraska Stock Growers Association will be held at Alliance, Nebraska, on the 20th and 21st of June, A. D. 1912, for the election of officers for the ensuing year and for the transaction of any other business which may come before the meeting.

R. M. HAMPTON, President.
CHAS. C. JAMESON, Secretary.