

SPORTING NEWS



Alliance Wins Out With Majority of 89 Points in an Entirely One Sided Game with Crawford

ALLIANCE 96; CRAWFORD 7

By J. CARL THOMAS

Before the basket ball game between the Alliance and the Crawford boys last Saturday night, Alliance enthusiasts expected to see the local team win, but were greatly surprised when the Alliance boys piled up a score of 96 points, which was the highest score ever made on the High School floor. Every game that has been played between Alliance and Crawford has resulted in Alliance winning victories with about ten points to their credit to every single point made by their opponents. Crawford was reported as having a stronger team than usual this year, but if such was the case, failed to exhibit that said strength. Although a one-sided game, it was interesting and exciting from start to finish.

The A. H. S. boys started the game in their usual fast style, sweeping the Crawford quintet off their feet, and scored eighteen points before their opponents had once dropped the ball through the basket. At this time one of the Crawford guards managed to come in contact with the ball and threw the first goal for the visitors.

A foul was called on Keegan but Balengee of the Crawford aggressed

gan, guard, 1, Darnell, 3, Spaecht 8, and Beach 9. The score at the end of this half was 54 to 5.

During the ten minute intermission between the halves the spectators witnessed a game by the two children of E. G. Laing, who will be on some future team of the High school and help Alliance to hold her claim to the championship of this end of the state.

The second half began with remarkably fast playing, Darnell scoring immediately after the whistle of Referee Nolan. This speedy work of the Alliance boys continued and



An extremely difficult pass being performed by two Crawford boys

within ten seconds three baskets were scored. After about ten minutes had elapsed in this half two of the Alliance substitutes were given places, Young taking Beach's place, and Davenport taking the place of Graham. Crawford also changed two men in their lineup at this time. For a time there was a slack in the basket shooting of the local team. But the score continued to increase until 96 points were credited to Alliance. Remington, one of the men substituted, scored Crawford's only basket in this half, making a total of 7 points for the Crawford boys. The Alliance team made great efforts to push the score above the 100 mark, but the intense excitement caused wild shots for the basket and the score remained unchanged.

A small group of sympathetic Alliance girls attempted to encourage the players from Crawford by cheering for them.

Following is the summary of the game:

Baskets: Darnell 8, Graham 3, Spaecht 16, Beach 12, Keegan 4, Young 3, Davenport 1, Gammon 1, Remington 1. Fouls: Darnell 2, Balengee 3. Awarded point, Alliance 1. Referee: 1st half Hays, 2nd half Nolan.

ALLIANCE	CRAWFORD
Beach	Johnson
Young	
Spaecht	Balengee
	Remington
Darnell	Souther
Keegan	Gammon
Graham	Diehl
Davenport	Macomber

MARTIN FOUND GUILTY

The jury in the case of Milo Martin on trial at Gering for assault on the person of Edna Kilgore brought in a verdict of guilty after hearing a mass of testimony somewhat conflicting. Attorney Mitchell of Alliance, who defended Martin, was able to make a fierce and rather plausible defence but was not able to break all the links in the chain of evidence forged by the prosecution, and after being out nearly all of Wednesday night the jury reported a verdict of guilty. Sentence was deferred.—Minutary Free Press.

GETTING OUT NEW DIRECTORY

The job printing department of The Herald plant spent a good portion of this week getting out the new telephone directories. Because of the many changes in this new directory, caused by the installation of the new exchange, it was necessary to entirely re-set all the names and other matter used therein. The job was put through on record time. The Nebraska Telephone Company is placing a new directory with every phone in order to avoid confusion when the change to the new system is made.

NOTICE TO ALL USERS OF CITY ELECTRIC LIGHTS

On and after this date, all electric light and power bills will be payable at the office of the City Light and Water Department at the City Hall, Alliance, Nebraska, and there will be no more collections either at business houses or residences. Statements will continue to be delivered or mailed to users of electric lights about the middle of each month, as at present. Discounts will be allowed on month's bills if paid on or before the twenty-second of the month. Alliance, Neb., February 7, 1913. W. O. BARNES, Mayor.

I. O. O. F. ENCAMPMENT CONTEST

The members of the I. O. O. F. Encampment are divided into two teams for a contest for new members. The contest started last Friday evening and will last for sixty days. At the end of that time the losing side will give a banquet for

the lodge. H. H. Brandt and Lloyd C. Thomas are leaders of their respective sides and the contest promises to be exciting as well as productive of an increased membership for the lodge.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

Report of police magistrate for January, 1913:

Fines \$50.00
Marshal fees 21.00

Total 71.00

Report of city treasurer for January, 1913:

Receipts
Balance Jan. 3, 1913 417.12
Miscellaneous 40.95
Marshal fees 60.90
Interest 4.27
Water 978.91
Lights 5509.39
Total 7010.64

Disbursements
Water 978.91
Lighting 5509.39
Balance Febr. 4th 523.24
Total 7010.64

Registered warrants not paid for lack of funds 7768.72
Receipts from city scales for January 7.95
Surety bonds of William C. Mounts and L. E. Pilkington, treasurer and secretary of Fire Department, for \$500.00 each, were approved and filed for record.

The following claims were received and ordered paid:

W. O. Barnes, salary mayor	16.67
J. D. Emerick, salary clerk	25.00
Percy Cogswell, sal. treasurer	25.00
J. H. Carlson, salary street commissioner	75.00
C. A. Laing, salary day marshal	125.00
E. M. Nussbaum, salary street sprinkler	95.00
Gregory Zurn, salary janitor	25.00
C. W. Jeffers, salary night marshal	80.00
C. W. Jeffers, scavenger work Alliance Semi-Weekly Times, publishing and printing	7.25
E. S. Owens, stove for pest-house	10.10
J. R. Snyder, hauling hose carts	2.50
J. B. Denton, dishes for pest house	4.00
City Light Dept., street lamps	2.05
Stephen Jackson, killing and burying dogs	14.59
City Light Dept., street and City Hall lighting	10.00
Gray & Guthrie, bond premiums	287.88
Geo. G. Gadsby, supplies for pest house	7.00
M. S. Hargraves, fee bill	40.35
A. Renswold, repairs fire whistle	13.50
R. E. Knight, staking grades and blue prints	5.50
E. H. Boyd, salary city attor.	14.80
Geo. Popp, labor	20.83
R. Hohenfeld, labor	2.25
Chas. Younkins, labor	1.00
E. S. Owens, hauling hose carts	2.25
John Wallace, do.	1.00
Henry Hilzer, do.	2.00
Dye & Owen, drayage	1.00
N. T. Shawver, reeling fire hose	1.00
August Hornburg, do.	1.00
H. P. Large, do.	1.00
O. A. Granum, labor	4.50
H. P. Large, reeling fire hose	1.00
Alward & Threlkeld, disinfecting	13.00
Water Department, month ending Jan. 15, 1913	

Summary of Cash Book DR.

Overdrawn 1-15-13	\$1301.13
Water	213.73
Merchandise	35.50
Total	\$1550.36

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Overdrawn 12-15-12	\$1047.51
Mat. and sup.	1.20
Cost of pumping	250.00
Maint. of pump equip.	74.90
Maint. of distribution	.75
Pump equipment	90.90
Salaries	80.00
Office sup. and exp.	6.00
Total	\$1550.36

Income Account

Total operating revenues	249.23
Total operating expense	412.85
Equipment	163.62
Overdrawn	90.00
Overdrawn 12-15-12	253.82
Overdrawn Jan. 15, 1913	1047.51
Light Department, month ending Jan. 15, 1913	1301.13

Summary of Cash Book DR.

Cash on hand Dec. 15-12	\$2517.75
Light	2009.23
Power	122.34
Service deposits	75.90
Merchandise	221.03
Lighting streets	534.02
Pumping	212.81
Misc. receipts	250.00
Total	\$6028.03

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Cash on hand Jan. 15-13	3095.52
Merchandise	291.29
Service deposits	30.00
Power plant labor	342.80
Coal	739.34
Lubricants	93.53
Power plant sup. and exp.	93.53
Maint. of pow. plant equip.	71.50
Maint. of dist.	5.50
Lamps	214.78
Customers premises exp.	47.80
Salaries	140.00
Office sup. and exp.	24.00
Maint. of meters	13.22
Distribution	364.85
Power plant equip.	260.75
Office equip.	51.90
Transformers	73.26
Meters and installations	2.87
Interest	142.50
Total	\$6928.03

Income Account

Total operating revenues	3445.28
Total operating expense	2159.78
Net Gain	1285.50
Equipment	752.73
Cash Gain	532.77
Service deposits recd.	\$75.00
Serv. deposits pd. out	30.00
Total	45.00
Cash on hand 12-15-12	2517.75
Cash on hand Jan. 15-13	\$3095.52

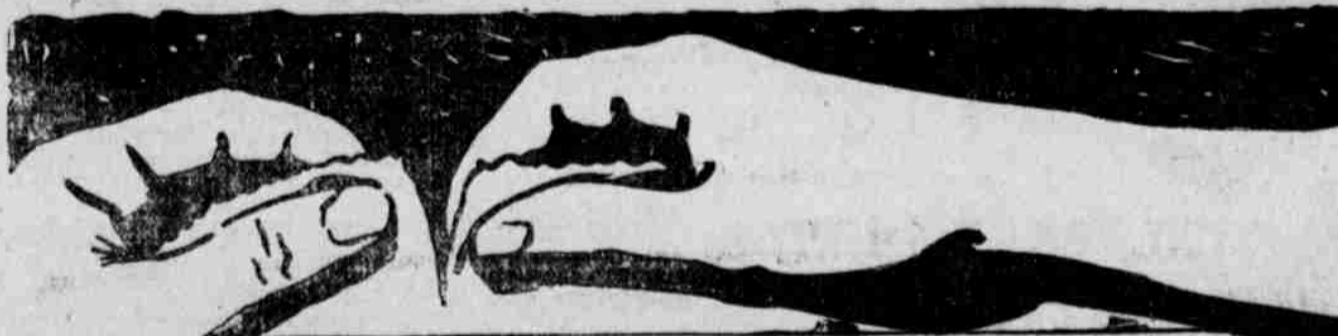
W. R. DRAKE'S CITY Meat Market

People of Alliance know the kind of Meats sold and service given by W. R. Drake when running a meat market before. With better facilities and better location, he can satisfy all old customers and any number of new customers that may favor him with their trade.

A Full Line Fresh and Cured Meats, Fish, Poultry, etc.

On the corner, Box Butte avenue and Fourth street

PHONE 40



SHIP SUNK, TRIPOLI REPORT.

Account Says Re Umberto Was Driven on Rocks—Tugboat Blown Up.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 2.—The Italian battleship *Re Umberto*, which had been conveying landing expeditions in Tripoli, has been driven on the rocks by a storm. She sank on the coast near Zueca.

The *Re Umberto* was built in 1911, and carried a complement of over 700 men. She was 400 feet long and 77 feet in beam, drawing 28 feet of water. Her armament included four 13.5-inch guns.

Zueca is on the northwest coast of Tripoli, near the Tunisian border. Shoal water and rocky patches extend along that coast for half a mile or more, making navigation hazardous.



CLEVER ELSIE

"Mamma, why did you say *mustn't*?"

"Because you *mustn't*."

"You mean because I *can't*. That's why I like these Sunshine Biscuits—they're the first soda crackers I've ever had that break so nice in the middle and *can't* muss up everything with crumbs."

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Please mail at once the free "Surprise Box" of assorted

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Will Form National Newspaper Organization

Washington State Press Association Back of Movement for National Organization of Country Newspaper Publishers

MOVEMENT MEETS APPROVAL

The Washington State Press Association, through its committee on national organization of country publishers, Arthur A. Hay, of the *Camas Post*, chairman, are leading in a movement for the national organization of publishers of country newspapers. Albert Johnson, publisher of *The Daily Washingtonian*, and Thomas Crawford, publisher of *The Centralia Daily Chronicle*, are the other members of the committee who are behind the work. This movement is meeting with approval of the country newspaper men of the nation and will undoubtedly soon result in an organization of this kind, which would be of great benefit to the business.

WYOMING MAN FUGITIVE

Charley Harris, who, with his brother Frank, was under \$3,000 bond for cattle stealing at Torrington, Wyoming, skipped out from Torrington last week and the last known of him was that he came to Alliance in an auto from Mitchell. Since then all trace of him has been lost. It is understood that a reward of not less than \$1,000 will be offered for the apprehension of Charley Harris. His brother was surrendered by the bondsman, Geo. A. Marsh, a brother-in-law of the

boys, to the authorities at Torrington.

WASHINGTON LETTER

Events of Interest from the Seat of Government

BY CLYDE H. TAVENNER
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Washington, Feb. 12.—Few persons realize the far reaching importance of the fact that the United States will soon have an income tax on its statutes.

First of all, it means that millionaires will, for the first time since this nation has stood, bear a fair proportion of the burden of taxation.

It is estimated that one hundred million dollars will be raised annually by taxing incomes. This will mean that that amount of taxation tax to be taken off of the things that the people must have in order to live and placed on wealth.

Under the system of protection as played in this country, nearly every penny of the money necessary to run the government, maintain the army and navy, construct public buildings, etc., is raised by taxing the things the people eat, wear and use. The only thing that protection does not tax is wealth. A man with a fortune of ten million dollars has not been required to pay a single penny of tax to the national government. This seems almost unbelievable, but it is true. The man working on the section for a dollar and fifty cents per day, with a family of five children, is at the present time actually contributing more to run the national government than the millionaire

bachelor, too proud to marry and raise a family.

The United States of America is practically the only one of the great nations where such a condition exists. Nearly every first class nation on earth levies either an income tax or an inheritance tax. We have neither.

Why have we never been able to place an income tax on the statute books, is the question that naturally arises. Here is the answer: High protectionists have prevented the passage of an income tax law, because they knew that the more money the government collected from taxing incomes, the less excuse there would be for a tariff tax. To take protection away from the tariff trusts is to interfere with their monopolies. And how could the tariff trusts gouge consumers without having monopolies of American markets?

The American people are paying annually about \$80,000,000 more for their cotton goods than they ought to pay, because of the iniquitous Payne-Aldrich tariff law. The 63rd congress is preparing to interfere with this robbery. There will be a big downward revision on all kinds of cotton goods.

The cotton schedule of the Payne-Aldrich law carries an average duty of about 53 per cent. This means that every article of cotton cloth and every piece of cotton yarn that comes through the custom house has 53 per cent added to its foreign price. And on cotton goods that do not come through the custom house, but is manufactured in this country, the 53 per cent is added just the same by the home manufacturer.

When the tariff on cotton goods is reduced one-third or one-half of the present rates, this article so much used by women and children may be had at prices more nearly representing the actual value of the goods.



Occasionally a Crawfordite would touch the ball

tion failed to get his eye on the basket. After Alliance had piled up several more points Darnell obtained a chance to shoot a free goal but missed. Immediately after this a double foul was called, which was missed by the Crawford man, but was made by Darnell. Alliance was also awarded a point when this foul was thrown, and the score at this point of the game stood 28 to 2.

After five additional baskets made by Alliance another foul was called on Keegan, and was this time made by Balengee. There were several exciting plays made during the game. The ball thrown from the field by Darnell at one time in the first half of the game perched itself upon the rim of the basket as if deliberating upon which team to favor finally rolled over the outer edge. Late in the first half two fouls were called on Keegan in quick succession, both of which were thrown by the Crawford man. Although not necessarily rough, Keegan has a way all his own of making players scatter like pins in a bowling alley. He was the only offender on the Alliance team in making fouls, but bravely took his medicine when Referee Hays called a foul on him, and in one instance was standing at the Crawford goal



Keegan sketched on his way to Alliance territory with the ball

waiting for a foul to be called even before the whistle was blown. And if an opposing player would linger in his path and the next moment find himself sprawling on the floor, Keegan was ever willing to stop and smile and express his sympathy for that player.

"Bud" Darnell played a star game and easily out-jumped his opponent in the center position. Beach and Spaecht, who held down the forward positions, gave an exhibition of team work that would make some of the former A. H. S. stars sit up. Graham, guard, is credited with two baskets in the first half, Kee-