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Who's Who Among Nebraska Stockmen The Herald's "Getting in Touch" Movement

Intelligent Effort

When people, hearing of the fortunes that have been made by western Nebraska stockmen, think that money grows on the grass in this country and all that is necessary to secure great wealth is to go out and pick it up, they have a wrong idea. It is true that the grass grows here

county placed his home in it. This homestead of 160 acres and a tree claim of the same amount of land were the beginning of his present immense ranch. He is now one of the largest individual land owners in the state, if not the largest. His holdings are mostly in Garden county but extend across the line in-

Avery, the well known ranchman of Orlando, in Garden county.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldred have one child, Victor, a bright boy of five years, whose early love for ranch life is indicated by the evident pleasure with which he rides his Shetland pony, as seen in one of the pictures on this page.

The Herald regrets being unable to give photo cuts of Mr. and Mrs. Eldred in this issue of the paper, but we are glad to present several ranch scenes. For the use of one these, the large cut showing feed yards, we are indebted to the courtesy of that excellent paper the Twentieth Century Farmer.

Keep Your Eye on Alliance

The Lincoln Star says editorially: "Keep your eye on Alliance. When a town which had under the 1910 census 3,105 population gets a hustle on and adds 295 members to its Commercial Club and raises \$4,371.00 in three days it is susceptible of conviction for scorching." This growth of the Alliance Club is due to the hastening qualifications of W. D. Fisher. —Havelock Post.

Pure Food Show

Women of Nebraska are displaying much interest in the pure food display at the next state fair. Under the direction of Deputy Food Commissioner Harmon, all the details of the manufacture, handling and production of foods will be exemplified. Special attention will be given to demonstrating the foods manufactured in Nebraska and enlightening the



VICTOR ELDRED AND HIS PONY

that can be turned into fortunes, but it takes intelligent effort to turn it into money.

We hear a great deal about scientific farming in recent years. The highbrows have been cutting quite a wide swath in agriculture, but it takes as intelligent effort, and as close application to business to make a success in raising live stock as it does to successfully grow grain and other crops. In fact, it takes more individual thinking. A man may plant and cultivate his corn and spuds properly, and harvest his crops at the right time and in the best manner, by watching his neighbor or taking instructions from others; but when it comes to running a stock ranch right, it is necessary for him to act upon his own initiative. He cannot learn it all from books or by what others tell him. He must have a reliable judgment of his own and act upon it.

Right here is the secret of the success that has been achieved by many ranchmen within the last twenty-five or thirty years. They have turned their opportunities to good account and have made opportunities for success where others would have abandoned the field in discouragement.

Made a Million Raising Cattle

Everett M. Eldred is spoken of as a millionaire ranchman. The Herald does not know whether he has reached the million mark yet or not, but certain it is that he has accumulated an independent fortune, and he has made it by the kind of effort indicated above.

In the spring of 1888, he came from Wilber, Nebraska, and settled on a homestead claim, in Sec. 9, Tp. 21 N., R. 45 W., where he still resides. At the time he entered his claim it was in Cheyenne county, by county division and the organization of a new county it was for a while in Deuel county; another county division and the organization of Garden

to Morrill county.

Unlike some who began cattle raising in the early days, Mr. Eldred did not come to this country empty-handed, altho he has made the bulk of his fortune here. He brought 150 cows from Saline county, which gave him his start. He was a heavy loser in the March, 1913, blizzard but



ELDRED RANCH HOUSE AND BARN
Distant View of Commodious, Modern Buildings



HAY CAMP ON ELDRED RANCH
Three Outfits Like This During Haying Season

has 4,000 head now of good stock and in fine condition.

For ten years after coming to northwestern Nebraska, Everett Eldred led the life of a bachelor, but it cannot be said of him that he was an "old batch" at that time, as he was then a young man. In 1898, he was married to Miss Ellen Avery, one of the beautiful daughters of Sylvanus

public as to their value. The building formerly used for the agricultural exhibit will be devoted to this purpose. The club women of the state are working in harmony with the deputy food commissioner.—Bulletin of the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture.

Lest you forget, The Alliance Herald, \$1.50 per year.

NEBRASKA'S HORSE MARKETS

This State Good Ground for Breeding High Grade Horses with Markets Nearby

Under the heading, "Three Horse Markets," the Bulletin of the Nebraska State Board of Agriculture of June 16th makes favorable mention of the three markets in this state at Grand Island, Lincoln and Omaha. It is a pleasure for The Herald to note the commendations given them, especially in view of the recognition two of these markets, Grand Island and Lincoln, have given this paper by occupying space in its advertising columns.

Here is the article from the Bulletin:

Nebraska is making phenomenal progress as a horse market state. St. Louis is regarded as the largest market in the world while Chicago claims second place. Then comes Grand Island, South Omaha and Kansas City, all making claims for the third place. Lincoln also has a flourishing market which is rapidly expanding in importances with spirited sales every week at Grand Island, South Omaha and Lincoln, the market possibilities of Nebraska cannot be emphasized too strongly to horsemen.

In breeding animals, the Percherons seem to be the strong favorites, as 53 per cent of all the pure bred stallions Percherons, with all the other breeds trailing below 12 per cent. Why not make it unanimous and have Nebraska recognized as the Percheron breeding ground of the world? Our natural advantages equal those of any country on earth for this industry.

Chadron Here Friday

A good bunch of Chadron boosters will come to Alliance Friday. The Chadron Journal said on June 12th: "Yes, Chadron will attend the Stockmen's Convention at Alliance next Friday."

The committee in charge has decided to ask every automobile owner in Chadron and vicinity to turn out for this Alliance trip. Fill your car with boosters and visit your neighboring city.

All cars are to leave Chadron at 6:00 o'clock Friday morning and are due to arrive in Alliance 9 o'clock. The start will be made from the Citizens State Bank. Let every car carry a Chadron pennant.

Those who plan to go on this trip should notify W. A. Carman, C. F. Coffee Jr. or Geo. C. Snow.

Classmate of Alliance Man

Albert R. Ellingwood, a former classmate of Phil Nohe, Jr., of Alliance, in the public schools of Colorado Springs, Colorado, has been appointed assistant professor of optical science at Colorado college, in that city. He is a graduate of Colorado college, 1910, and of Oxford university, where he was one of the Rhodes scholars. During the last year he has done graduate work in political science in the University of Pennsylvania. Mr. Nohe was greatly pleased to learn of the appointment of his former classmate.

NICE FRONT ROOM for rent, at 813 Cheyenne. Either normal girl or school teacher preferred. Phone 299.

BELLWOOD ADVISES CONNECTIONS

City Physician Presents Important Letter to City Council at Special Meeting Monday

Dr. H. H. Bellwood, city physician, presented to the city council at the special meeting Monday evening, a letter of importance regarding the disposal of sewage in Alliance by those who are not connected with the city sewer system. The letter follows:

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen of the Council:

change when digested by the fly. A fly during the day will eat three times its own weight, and it deposits a speck every four minutes. If this speck happened to be a diphtheria germ when eaten by the fly it will be just as poisonous, and just as dangerous when deposited on baby's face. The fly breeds in filth, upon filth feeds, and carries filth wherever it goes.

Not alone in the open garbage can do flies breed, and from it convey disease. They swarm about open sewers, drains and privies, which receive countless disease germs which have passed through the bodies of sick people nor do all the diseased germs carried pass through the body of the fly, for it picks up, and carries on its head and legs, the germs of



Acting in the capacity of City Physician and Health Officer for the City of Alliance, I want to bring before the Council for its consideration a matter which in my opinion is of grave importance, concerning the general health of the city.

In the matter of commercial enterprise, I believe Alliance is far in advance of the average town in Nebraska; we are boosters for Alliance; have our academy, our schools, and our substantial improvements in the way of buildings; we have neighborly outings, and the good fellowship exists between us and our neighboring towns, we are supposed to, and I believe have, one of the best sewerage systems in the state, yet less than 50 per cent of the property owners are connected with it, but instead have in all most every instance the most unsanitary cess pools, and privies that could be built.

Dr. Town, health physician for the city of Omaha, and recognized as authority along the line of sanitation, read a paper before the recent state medical association in which he was able to show that all epidemics of typhoid fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria, etc., were traceable to faulty sanitation. He particularly urged that all cities or towns where sewerage is established should force all property owners to connect with the same else build sanitary privies, the last of which I am sorry is not covered by our ordinance. People on first thought are apt to complain that these connections are expensive. Say to them, so is typhoid fever, diphtheria, etc. Not only expensive but you are taking chances on losing your loved ones. If this matter is brought fully before the people of Alliance, and in the right manner, I feel sure that all will agree to its truthfulness, and be willing to assist in its enforcement.

Dr. Town's paper is to be published in The Medical Review, but has not yet appeared.

I will ask the council to bear with me while I quote from an article by another prominent worker, Dr. F. O. VanGalder on cleaning up garbage or rather the danger in neglecting the same.

"An open garbage can in the alley; a sleeping babe in the home on the boulevard; a door left ajar; a fly buzzing in from the garbage can or privie is deposited on the face of the sleeping babe, and sickness, and death follows.

Query: How in the world did baby contract the disease when it had not been out of the house nor seen a sick person in weeks?

The answer: The fly did it. A diseased germ taken into the body of a fly is deposited without chemical

typhoid fever, cholera infantum, tuberculosis, diphtheria and many other infectious or contagious diseases.

Question: What is the practical solution; a campaign to clean up and to eradicate. To enforce the ordinance compelling property owners to connect with the sewerage.

H. H. BELLWOOD,
City Physician.

NAMES OMITTED FROM AD

Popular Live Stock Commission Company's Representatives

In the advertisement of Tagg Brothers and Smith Bros. Commission Co. in this issue of The Herald the names of the men who will represent them at the stockmen's convention this year should have been inserted. They are A. W. Tagg and E. J. Wright.

About two weeks ago Mr. W. B. Tagg wrote us that he could not attend the convention this year, owing to previous engagement, but requested that the names of their representatives be inserted in the ad. The matter was inadvertently overlooked.

UFFORD-MOON WEDDING

Two Popular Young People Married at Bridgeport Last Week

At the office of the county judge of Morrill county, in the court house at Bridgeport, on Wednesday, June 10, 1914, Judge J. H. Steuterville performed the ceremony that united in marriage Mr. Chester C. Ufford and Miss Eva H. Moon.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ufford of Moffitt, Nebr. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Moon who formerly resided in Alliance, moving from this city to their Morrill county homestead.

Both of these young people are highly respected, and have many friends in Alliance, as well as in the county in which they reside, who will join The Herald in wishing them a long and happy married life. They will make their home on his homestead near Moffitt.

Meeting in Alliance

H. Force, now at Edgemont, S. D., writes The Herald and asks that we announce a meeting to be held in Alliance, beginning July 3rd, to last three days or longer, for the "advancement of scriptural holiness, for all denominations." Mr. Force says that all are invited to attend the meetings.

No man is so poor that he can't afford to smile occasionally.



SCENE ON RANCH OF EVERETT M. ELDRED, SHOWING FEED YARDS