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## TO BE A CITY BEAUTIFUL

### Plans Under Way to Develop the Alliance City Park and Make it a Thing of Beauty

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever." So will it be with the Alliance city park when plans which have been accepted by the park board have been carried out. This board was appointed by the mayor, under an ordinance providing for it. The members of it are E. H. Boyd, chairman; F. W. Harris and Monte Hargraves, with W. D. Fisher, secretary of the Alliance Commercial Club, ex-officio secretary. The plans for park improvement were submitted by Philip Edinborough, landscape architect, who for the past eight years has been employed by the city of Lincoln, and has laid out a number of beautiful parks for other Nebraska cities.

The park consists of two blocks, each 300 by 450 feet, lying between Ninth and Tenth streets and Nebraska and Yellowstone avenues. It is proposed to have Sweetwater avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets, vacated. This will place the park into one body of land, 450 by 660 feet, containing about six acres. There will be no driveways for vehicles in the park, but it will be laid out with walks, tennis courts, playground and a lake near the center. It is the intention to put a cement abutment in the draw on the lower side of the ground, in forming the artificial lake and prepare the ground for tree planting this fall.

J. P. Barger, the nurseryman, has been engaged to blast the ground for a row of trees around the park. The holes have been bored and the blasting will be done soon after the arrival of the dynamite, which is expected within a few days. Mr. Barger will give a free demonstration of dynamiting to all who may wish to see it. There are 140 holes to be blasted. About one-third of them will be charged at one time. It will no doubt be an interesting sight, when the fuses are ignited one after another. In addition to dynamiting the ground, a system of sub-irrigation will be installed which will further insure a fine growth of the trees.

## SEMI-ANNUAL CONFERENCE

### Ministers German Lutheran Church Will Meet in Alliance, November 10th and 11th

The semi-annual district conference of the German Lutheran church for northwestern Nebraska and Wyoming will convene in Alliance on Tuesday and Wednesday, November 10 and 11, 1914. About fifteen ministers are expected to be in attendance.

There will be a sitting of the conference each forenoon and afternoon of the two days, an ad service in German with communion on Tuesday evening, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. The forenoon meetings will be devoted to Scriptural papers and the afternoons to discussion of mission subjects. The meetings will be conducted in German, and all who understand that language are invited to attend.

Rev. O. E. Potratz of Big Springs, Neb., is president of the conference and Rev. M. Leimer of Keeline, Wyo., secretary.

### Nebraska and Belgium

Nebraska has 77,074 square miles of land exclusive of lakes and streams, according to reports summarized by the state board of agriculture. There are approximately 49,203,000 acres of land in the state. However, these figures convey little if any conception of the size of Nebraska.

Belgium has an area of 11373 square miles. The population, according to the last census, is 7,317,341. Twelve Nebraska counties exceed the area of Belgium by 130 square miles and have a population of 179,047. These counties, according to some agricultural experts, are richer in resources than most of Belgium and, under the intensive methods applied there, would be capable of supporting as many people as does Belgium. The counties with their area in square miles and population according to the last census follow:

County	Area in Square miles	Population
Guster	2592	25668
Lincoln	2592	15681
Dawson	1028	15961
Buffalo	864	20907
Sherman	576	8278
Valley	576	9480
Greeley	576	8047
Howard	576	10783
Wall	552	20361
Hamilton	560	13459
Folk	435	10521
York	576	18721
Totals	11503	179047

Even those who dislike Col. Roosevelt's politics must admit that the Colonel is a grand little tonic and appetizer.

## A BANQUET FOR THE BOYS



The Boys' Banquet, Friday Evening, November 13th, 7:00 o'clock, Second Floor, Newberry Block

At the meeting of the directors of the Alliance Commercial Club held Monday evening at the Alliance Cafe it was decided to have a boys' banquet on Friday evening, November 13, at 7 o'clock in the evening. Arrangements are being made to secure special music and some good snappy talks will be on the program. Several speakers from outside points have promised to come and on this occasion we will all be boys again.

### Rules Governing the Dinner

No man will be admitted unless he is accompanied by a boy and no boy will be admitted unless he is accompanied by a man. You must be a member of the Commercial Club in good standing. If you are not a member and wish to join, you can do so, providing you pay your dues not later than November 10.

There is no age limit except that the boy must be old enough to understand the purpose of the meeting. RESERVATION.—The seating capacity is limited to two hundred, so those who buy their tickets early will be taken care of. No more tickets will be sold than there is room for, so don't leave it until the last minute.

The Commercial Club wants you and your boy to be present. Tickets can be obtained at the Commercial Club office or reservations will be made by phoning 74. There will be plenty of good things to eat, and music with "pop" in it. Boys, come prepared to make lots of noise. If you have no boy of your own, borrow one and make him happy.

## JOHN H. MOREHEAD RE-ELECTED GOVERNOR

John H. Morehead, according to the returns received up to date from the state, has been re-elected governor by a total of from 10,000 to 12,000 votes over Howell, the republican candidate. The present returns indicate the election of the following state officers and congressmen in the state:

**State Officers**  
Governor ..... John H. Morehead  
Lieut. Governor ... W. V. Hoagland  
Sec. of State ..... Addison Wait  
Auditor ..... Walter L. Minor  
Treasurer ..... Franklin C. Hamer  
Superintendent ..... A. O. Thomas  
Attorney General ... Chas. W. Sears  
Land Comm. .... Fred Beckmann  
Railway Comm. .... Thos. L. Hall  
Unl. Regents—Edward P. Brown,  
Peter Jansen or J. E. Miller.

**Congressmen**  
First District ..... C. F. Reavis  
Second District ... Chas. O. Lobeck  
Third District ... Dan V. Stephens  
Fourth District ... Chas. H. Sloan  
Fifth District ... Silas R. Barton  
Sixth District ... Moses P. Kinkaid

**Box Butte County Returns**  
The complete returns for Box Butte county, excepting the votes to arrive by mail, which will amount to probably 25, are shown on this page in tabulated form. The official count, to be made Friday, will include the returns by mail, which are not expected to change these returns materially.

The following Box Butte county officers are elected:  
Clerk, M. S. Hargraves.  
Treasurer, Edgar M. Martin.  
Sheriff, C. M. Cox.  
Superintendent, Opal Russell.  
Attorney, Lee Bazyce.  
Surveyor, R. E. Knight.  
Coroner, Charles E. Slagle.  
Commissioner, second district, C. L. Hashman.  
Commissioner, third district, Geo. W. Duncan.  
Thomas D. Roberts was elected police magistrate in Alliance.

**Mallery Elected State Senator**  
The election of Earl D. Mallery of Alliance for state senator, 28th district, seems assured. The returns from all counties except Rock give



Senator-Elect Earl D. Mallery

Mr. Mallery a majority over Mr. Adams of 350 votes. It is believed that Rock county will give him an additional majority.

**Broome Elected Representative**  
The official count of Sheridan county gives F. M. Broome of Alliance a total of 727 votes and Ray Lyons of Gordon a total of 772 votes. This, considering the majority of 195



Representative-Elect F. M. Broome

votes in Box Butte county for Mr. Broome, gives him a total of 150 votes over Mr. Lyons, not considering the mail ballots in Box Butte county.

**Woman Suffrage Doubtful**  
Although woman suffrage carried in Box Butte county by a good margin, it is doubtful from the present returns whether it has carried in the state. The vote will be very close.

## COUNCIL MET TUESDAY NIGHT

### Lights Will Be Turned Off Unless Bills Are Paid—Dumping of Ashes to be Stopped

The city council met Tuesday night for regular session. It was decided to turn off the lights and water of those who do not pay up their bills. \$1,000 was transferred to the city park fund for use in improving the park. \$1,300 was transferred from the light fund to the general fund and \$300 from the water fund to the general fund. This was in the nature of a return of money to the general fund.

Those who dump ashes in the streets are to be dealt with summarily. There is a heavy fine for this offense. The question of purchasing cotton hose for the new fire truck was taken up, as the rubber hose is not suitable for this purpose and would soon be destroyed.

## Unofficial Returns, Box Butte County

	Allyance, 1st Ward	Allyance, 2nd Ward	Box Butte	Boyd	Lake	Liberty	Lawson	Nonpart	Running Water	Sage Creek	Wright	Total	Plurality or Majority
For Employers' Liability Bill, etc.	177	131	27	35	71	42	19	9	17	7	9	18	562
Against Employers' Liability Bill	145	83	13	21	52	99	22	19	31	6	2	31	535
For Memorial Armory	88	79	12	13	30	28	19	3	10	4	5	8	284
Against Memorial Armory	23	124	27	55	81	40	21	27	44	6	7	42	509
For Equal Suffrage	332	134	27	35	81	40	21	27	44	6	7	42	630
Against Equal Suffrage	124	100	31	31	44	27	32	18	32	5	10	35	470
For Amendment Relating to Taxation	185	123	15	15	64	63	5	4	18	9	11	9	596
Against Amendment Relating to Taxation	132	73	20	20	81	63	8	4	23	12	13	20	539
For Amendment Relat. to Jury	190	105	19	19	56	25	25	18	34	8	6	45	446
Against Amend. Relat. to Jury	124	92	31	31	42	20	20	15	27	7	8	35	357
For Amendment Relat. to Offices	215	130	17	17	75	57	9	8	23	8	11	20	572
Against Amend. Relat. to Offices	77	63	20	20	42	31	12	26	7	5	35	357	
For University Removal	289	130	17	17	75	57	9	8	23	8	11	20	572
Against University Removal	77	63	20	20	42	31	12	26	7	5	35	357	
John H. Morehead, dem. & p. i.	245	168	28	51	76	58	32	21	36	8	12	40	775
H. E. Sackett, prog.	7	2	1	1	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	28
R. B. Howell, rep.	142	86	17	24	58	42	31	10	22	7	10	20	469
For Lieut. Governor:													
James Pearson, dem. & p. i.	190	132	29	43	67	51	20	17	26	8	8	26	617
Walter V. Hoagland, rep.	160	94	18	31	56	44	23	13	28	7	12	29	575
For Secretary of State:													
P. M. Whitehead, dem. & p. i.	200	139	24	42	60	51	17	19	26	8	10	29	625
Addison Wait, rep.	163	85	19	32	67	42	21	14	28	7	11	26	516
For Auditor of Public Accounts:													
Wm. H. Smith, dem. & p. i.	158	124	25	44	64	46	21	14	23	8	8	23	548
W. L. Minor, rep.	190	103	18	31	67	46	21	14	30	7	13	30	570
For State Treasurer:													
George E. Hall, dem. & p. i.	189	137	28	46	65	48	19	17	26	9	8	27	619
Franklin C. Hamer, rep.	167	86	17	33	61	40	20	15	30	6	13	21	517
For Supt. of Public Instruction:													
P. M. Whitehead, dem. & p. i.	220	137	27	40	64	51	17	16	27	8	8	23	635
A. O. Thomas, rep.	123	84	17	29	61	42	20	16	27	13	12	21	474
For Attorney General:													
Wm. H. Reed, dem. & p. i.	180	132	24	40	62	50	18	16	27	9	9	24	635
Charles W. Sears, rep.	169	99	19	30	61	42	25	13	27	6	12	29	523
For Com. Public Lands & Bldgs.:													
William E. Eastham, dem. & p. i.	179	137	23	44	62	50	18	16	27	9	8	24	599
Fred Beckmann, rep.	170	89	21	31	64	44	24	13	28	5	12	30	530
For Railway Commissioners:													
Will M. Maupin, dem. & p. i.	189	122	26	44	65	47	17	16	26	9	8	22	591
Thomas L. Hall, rep.	166	100	20	31	62	47	26	16	29	7	13	30	535
For Regents of Univ. of Nebr.:													
John E. Butler, dem.	175	121	25	35	55	43	18	16	22	8	7	20	492
G. W. Noble, dem. & p. i.	121	86	13	20	39	37	23	7	16	10	9	33	369
Edward P. Brown, rep.	153	95	17	27	44	35	16	10	20	4	10	33	356
Peter Jansen, rep.	129	63	17	27	44	35	16	10	20	4	10	33	356
For Congressman—Sixth Dist.:													
Frank J. Taylor, dem. & p. i.	193	122	19	38	56	49	14	13	25	9	7	22	572
Moses P. Kinkaid, rep. & prog.	191	128	31	43	86	67	31	17	37	7	17	38	683
For State Senator—28th Dist.:													
George A. Adams, dem.	123	114	14	29	62	25	15	14	21	8	3	20	458
Earl D. Mallery, rep.	174	103	34	64	78	56	28	16	36	7	20	27	616
For State Represent., 73d Dist.:													
F. M. Broome, dem. & p. i.	255	171	21	46	68	60	21	23	32	7	13	39	746
Ray O. Lyon, rep.	151	101	26	37	76	60	23	10	38	5	10	24	551
For County Clerk:													
M. S. Hargraves, rep.	315	228	42	75	116	91	34	52	12	22	56	1044	
For County Treasurer:													
E. M. Martin, dem.	178	136	27	71	80	71	32	28	26	10	11	56	737
F. W. Irish, rep. & prog.	228	142	12	16	66	44	12	10	15	6	13	9	573
For Sheriff:													
C. M. Cox, dem. & prog.	232	167	29	48	105	66	32	23	34	13	9	39	789
Dick Watts, rep.	176	112	21	38	43	49	12	14	26	4	13	29	548
For Co. Supt. of Pub. Instruc.:													
Opal Russell, dem.	198	147	29	55	89	79	20	21	30	11	11	46	728
Mame J. White, rep. & prog.	208	119	19	39	67	59	24	14	30	6	13	18	576
For County Attorney:													
Eugene B. Adams, dem.	180	122	22	42	67	47	31	18	19	8	8	30	499
Lee Bazyce, rep. & prog., p. i.	233	158	27	45	90	68	14	20	42	6	9	37	749
For County Surveyor:													
J. P. Hazard, dem.-p.i.-soc.-prog.	160	89	17	31	64	67	20	19	20	10	3	19	419
R. E. Kinkaid, rep.	302	183	22	51	80	72	21	17	35	6	21	40	853
For Coroner:													
Chas. E. Slagle, rep.-dem.-prog.	334	230	47	76	134	97	14	33	53	16	21	59	1114
For County Com.—Second Dist.:													
J. P. S. Lee, dem.	51	59	14	48	124	27	17	25	45	11	4	20	482
C. L. Hashman, rep.	308	203	34	36	32	37	28	9	12	6	19	45	809
For County Com.—Third Dist.:													
Wm. Russ, Sr., dem.	37	37	21	34	64	42	18	11	19	9	6	31	409
G. W. Duncan, rep.-prog.-p. i.	235	154	17	46	92	65	26	21	34	7	8	29	734
Sang Reck	68	37	6	11	11	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	147
For County Judge:													