

## Box Butte County Farm Management Association

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### Meeting of Directors

The regular monthly meeting of the directors for the Box Butte Farm Management Association will be held in the court house at 1:30 p. m. Friday March 26. Mr. Anderson, state leader of demonstration work, and Mr. Skinner, leader of the boys' and girls' clubs in Nebraska, will address the meeting. All officers and directors are urged to be present, as some important business must be taken up at this meeting.

### To Sweet Clover Growers

The extension department of the Nebraska State Agricultural College wishes to secure the names of the sweet clover growers in this county. All who have grown sweet clover in the past or who are growing it at present will do the department a favor if they send their names and what experience they have had with the same to the farm demonstrator.

### Native vs. Imported Seed Corn

Experiments in different counties of this state conducted by farmers and the state agricultural college through the supervision of the county agricultural agents have proven the advantage of native over imported seed corn. This is true only if the native seed is of good quality and has as good breeding as the imported corn. In this part of the state we are sorry to say that corn showing breeding brought about by the proper selection is rather rare. In some cases we will find a type of corn developed by proper selection, which does show that the corn has breeding.

This article was written chiefly in the interest of those who wish to plant corn this spring and have not yet gotten the seed. Inquiries have been made regarding what kind of corn to plant here. This is something that remains to be determined definitely. The guide to this question however is the length of the growing season and the normal rainfall. From this is inferred a type of corn that will mature in from 90 to

100 days and one that has a medium sized stalk.

The main reason that the use of imported seed corn has been condemned in this country is that the right kind of corn was not planted in the first place. The reason great disappointment befell the early settlers of this country was that the same kind of seed was planted here that was grown further east in country of longer growing seasons and more abundant rainfall. Following this there came a small type of corn that grew and matured quite successfully. This type of corn is the same as is found in this country at present, but in some cases badly degenerated.

To those who have seed to plant, select only the best and then to insure a stand, test the seed to see whether it will grow. To those who want seed, secure the same from a neighbor who has good seed, and test it also. To those who still want seed or are unable to find any of the proper quality in your own country, send north after seed. Most northern seed men of reliable reputation usually both test and grade their seed.

As to the varieties to plant, that does not make so much difference as the length of time to mature and the kind of stalk. Any of the small dent varieties such as Northwestern Dent, Minn. No. 13, Minn. No. 23, and the flints will mature in this country. Minn. No. 13 has been grown with good results in Dawes county for the past few years. It is a deep grained and early maturing type of yellow dent, maturing in about 90 days. Another strong character of this type of corn is its relative lack of suckers, which always tend to sap the vitality of the main stalk.

Realizing the value of acclimated corn, providing the quality and breeding are present, this article is as a matter of a suggestion to those who have made inquiries and to others who wish it. The farm demonstrator will be glad to cooperate with any one wishing to make fair trial of native vs. imported seed corn.

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## An Agricultural Education

The first thing a young man who intends to go into business should do is to take a course in a business college. Here he can become familiar with the first principles of business, without which he will fail. The first thing a man who expects to farm should do is to take a course in an agricultural college, if he can, but if he has not the time or the money to spend in a two-year course, he can get the same instruction at home by taking a course in the **Campbell Correspondence School of Soil Culture**. Everything is furnished—books and all—at a very slight cost, and the best thing about it, he does not have to leave the farm or his work.

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## ANGORA ITEMS

Angora, Nebr., March 23—L. L. Chambers is building a feed store at the rear of his store building. The building will be 16x24. A. D. Hull and Paul Henderson are doing the work.

Arthur Robinson and wife of Alliance visited in Angora between trains March 18, guests of Geo. Robinson and family.

Robt. O. Reddish made final proof on his homestead Wednesday March 17. L. L. Chambers and Fred Case were his witnesses.

Floyd Oneal was up from Bayard between trains Saturday, March 20. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Coty took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. E. Walsworth.

Earl Crouch departed Sunday morning for his home at Wapita, Wyo.

C. N. Blackstone and B. E. Bowers are loading their cars for Sandstone, Minn. The boys intend to try farming in that vicinity. We hate to lose them from our community but wish them success in their new location.

Wm. F. Pierson, the "up-to-date movies" man, showed to a fair audience Monday night. Mr. Pierson always has first class pictures.

Wm. Orr has moved into the Abbie Stoner property.

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### STUDENTS' RECITAL MONDAY

Recital of Students of the School of Music, at Haddorf Music House, Was Well Attended

The Haddorf Music House was crowded to the doors and standing room was scarce Monday evening at the recital given there by the students of the Alliance School of Music. The faculty of the school and Mrs. Wiker regret that it was impossible to seat all who were present. They wish to thank the audience for its interest and enthusiasm. The pres-

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The program was as follows:  
(a) Stevens . . . "Amid the Roses"  
(b) Worrel . . . "Song of the Chimes"  
(c) Robya . . . "You"

Miss Isabelle Gabus  
Morkowski . . . Spanish Dance No. 2  
Miss Temmy Woods  
Weiss . . . Three German Folk Songs  
Elizabeth Wilson

Reading . . . "The Vagabonds"  
Lois Boyer

(a) Wallace . . . "Happy Moments"  
(b) . . . "Four Leaf Clover"  
Mrs. W. D. Fisher  
Von Weim . . . A Little Cradle Song  
Irma Ellis

Conchols . . .  
"The Toreadore's Love Song"  
Vernon Hamilton

Jacoby . . . March  
William Lunn

(a) Stults . . . Dutch Lullaby  
(b) Claribel . . . "Come Back to Erin"  
Catherine Murray

Mark Twain . . .  
Uncle Dan's Apparition in Prayer  
Tressa Vandervoort

Charminade . . .  
(a) "The Rose to the Rain"  
(b) "Countess, You Dance Sprightly"  
Miss Georgia Canfield

Block . . . Lullaby  
George Vandervoort  
Spross . . . Valse Caprice  
Maude and Grace Spacht

### URGENT NOTICE

Mothers should see to it that the whole family take at least 3 or 4 doses of a thorough, purifying, system cleaning medicine this spring. Now is the time. The family will be healthier, happier and get along better if the blood is given a thorough purifying, the stomach and bowels cleaned out, and the germs of winter, accumulated in the system, driven away. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the very best and surest Spring Remedy to take. Get it and see the difference in the whole family. Their color will be better, they'll feel fine and be well and happy. 35 cts. The best the world over.

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### Getting Ready to Farm

Oliver Marks of Omaha, brother of C. E. Marks, has been in Alliance about two weeks waiting for the snow to go off before beginning spring work on the Marks farms north and northwest, including the Barkhurst farm recently purchased. Mr. Marks is a harness maker by trade but believes he can make a success farming in northwest Nebraska and will try it on a pretty large scale this year. There is about 399 acres of land under cultivation on the farms which he will have charge of. Sixty acres is in winter wheat which should make a fine crop this year. About thirty acres will be planted to potatoes, and the balance to corn, oats and other crops.

### Diminutive Baby Doing Well

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Tyler returned to their home near Ellsworth last Thursday, leaving their little baby in care of Mrs. Zehring, who has been nursing it the last six weeks. The little one weighed only two and one-half pounds at birth. It is now two months old and weighs six pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler will return to Alliance this week and will probably make this city their home during the spring and summer.