

# CLEAN UP; PAINT UP

April 26 to May 1 Has Been Designated "Clean-up and Paint-up Week" in Alliance

## FOR A CLEANER ALLIANCE

A meeting of the civic committee of the Commercial Club met last Friday night, and at this meeting it was definitely decided to hold a "clean-up and paint-up week" in Alliance. Accordingly a definite program has been arranged, and the date set is the week of April 26 to May 1.

Monday will be "front yard day"; Tuesday, "fire prevention day"; Wednesday, "Paint-up day"; Thursday, "repair day"; Friday, "back yard day"; and Saturday, "vacant lot day". Thus it will be seen that every department has been given one day on the program.

The necessity for a general clean-up has been seen for some time, and action was taken by the civic committee just as soon as it was seen that weather conditions would be favorable. The Alliance Woman's Club, the city council, fire department and board of education have pledged their co-operation with the Commercial Club, and with these organizations behind the project, and with the co-operation of every citizen, the effect will be everything that is desired.

Alliance has a reputation of being one of the best little cities in the state, and to preserve this reputation we must continue our efforts in the cleaning up line. While the town is generally clean, there is nevertheless a great amount of rubbish and unsightliness over town which should be eliminated, and every citizen should be on hand bright and early the morning of the 26th prepared to do his part in carrying out the proposed program. It is probable that there is not a yard in town which does not need cleaning, possibly not very much of it, but be it large or small, it should be done at once. A pile of tin cans offers the best of breeding places for flies and other insects, and if these were removed on cleanup day, there would be a material decrease in the amount of flies this summer. It is not generally known, but a female fly killed at the beginning of her existence means nearly a million flies killed later on in the summer. With this knowledge, it seems that every citizen would do his best to remove trash from his yard and fill in the low places.

A trip over town will convince anyone of the necessity of a paint-up day. Not only does this condition exist in the residence district, but in the business district as well. It is safe to state that there are a hundred residences that not only need, but require, a coat of paint. The cost of paint is almost nothing compared with the improvement in the appearance of a building, and it also increases the value of the place a considerable amount if the owner desires to sell it. If Alliance is to be the "city beautiful" it is necessary that a liberal amount of paint be used. Many of the business buildings have a "rusty" appearance in front, and these give a stranger a rather unfavorable impression of the business district. Only the other day a business man remarked that he would like to see every business building in town repainted this spring.

It is urged that during the clean-up week, in both the business and residence districts, all waste paper and other loose trash be piled up and burned, preferably in concrete or brick burners, which can be installed at a nominal cost, and which will last a lifetime. This will remove all fire hazards. It is also asked that people will not confine their cleaning to the yards, but that they will remove rubbish from their basements and outhouses.

Thursday has been designated as "repair day", and on that date people are asked to remove old buildings, sidewalks, repair fences and outbuildings, and haul away the trash. Friday is "back yard day", and that is when the alleys and yards will be cleaned, rubbish and garbage removed. Saturday is "vacant lot day", when the vacant lots over town will receive treatment.

The Commercial Club and all other organizations are lending every effort toward accomplishing the best results during clean-up week, and it is hoped that no citizen will neglect his duty, and will do his share of the work, for the desired result cannot and will not be accomplished unless all work together for a cleaner Alliance.

## ANOTHER PAVING PLAN

Would Make Fifteen Foot Package in Center of Street—Plan Used in Other Cities

A plan which seems to be meeting with the approval of many in regard to paving, is to leave a package fifteen feet wide in the center of the streets. As the streets are 72 feet wide, this plan, if carried out, would leave 28 1/2 feet on each side.

There are several reasons for the consideration of this plan. One is the cutting in the cost of paving, another is the fine effect which would be produced, and another is that automobiles and other vehicles would be compelled to make their turns at the end of the streets, thus eliminating the probability of accidents when they make a turn half way between streets.

The difference in cost between the package plan and paving the full 72 feet amounts to \$50 a lot, or \$1200 a block, which, it must be admitted, would be great saving when several

blocks were treated. This plan is now in operation in Kansas City, St. Paul and other Minnesota cities, and is said to be much more inexpensive. At Lincoln recently a side street was cut down from 100 feet to 35 feet, and information was received here just as well as the old one. If they can get along with 35 feet on one of their principal streets, it would seem that Alliance could do very well with 57 feet.

The effect produced by this method is said to be very pleasing. The package is in an oval shape, planted to blue grass and shade trees, each block containing an oval, so to speak. The package would be kept in excellent condition at all times, and would extend from the depot up Box Butte avenue, which would produce an unusual sight, and other cities in this part of the state would probably pattern after the plan. It is not an experiment at all, as it has been tried successfully by other cities in other states, and they recommend it as a city beautifier and also because of the material reduction it makes in price.

Vehicles would be compelled to use the correct side of the street, and there would be no turning around in the middle of a block, thus eliminating many of the accidents which now happen, or might happen to pedestrians and other vehicles when traffic is heavy.

Secretary Fisher has secured considerable information regarding this method of paving, and the committee in charge is investigating the matter further, as the plan appeals to them as a saving to the taxpayers, and one that would serve Alliance even when it is several times its present size.

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## WOMAN DOPE FIEND HELD

Came Here from Sheridan—Claims She Has Relatives in Newport, Kentucky

To be found in the depot talking loudly and making herself generally disgusting to those in the waiting room, and then to be taken to the city jail and locked in the woman's ward, was the experience of a woman who gave no name, but who was afterward identified as Trixie Sing, last Friday morning. On her person was found a complete "dope" outfit. The woman came here from Sheridan, Wyoming, the authorities at that place buying her a ticket this far toward her destination, which she claimed to be Newport, Kentucky, where she also claimed she had relatives. At the station she told of her experiences in a wild west show, and that the show had gone broke somewhere in the northwest, and that she was forced to make an appeal for help.

After she was locked in the city holdover, she began a series of moanings over her fate, and most of the time stood at one of the back windows, beating upon the bars and shouting to passersby to help her. One man was rather startled and surprised when she called to him to bring her some tobacco; that she wanted a cigarette. Her finger tips bore out the testimony that she was also a cigarette fiend. The authorities finally summed up her condition, finding that in addition to being a dope and cigarette fiend, she used whiskey and was slightly insane. They agreed that there was nothing wrong with her besides these minor tendencies.

"Trixie" remained in the jail until

## Business Man Praises Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy

Successful Merchant After Investigation Found a Remedy That Restored His Health.

"This is Thanksgiving day in the state of Pennsylvania, and I want to devote a part of it in writing a letter to you. On the 26th day of November, 1919, I was stricken with heart trouble. My family physician called it a Pectoris. I was confined to my bed for one to five attacks in 24 hours, in the latter part of December, 1919. I wrote to the Miles Medical Co., for information concerning my case, and in reply I received a very kind and instructive letter, which I handed to my family doctor, and he told me to use your Remedies in connection with the medicine he gave me, so I did. I used five bottles of Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy and seven bottles of Dr. Miles' Nervine. I was confined to the house for about four months. The action of my heart is now, and has been normal for the last six months. I can truly recommend Dr. Miles' Nervine and Heart Remedy to do what they are intended for, if used according to directions. I thank you kindly for your advice in answer to my monthly reports. I am now sixty-seven years of age, have been in the mercantile business for thirty-five years and lived retired for the last thirteen years." A. B. HOLLINGER, Lincoln, Penna.

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Saturday night, when it was deemed advisable to follow the example of the Sheridan authorities and let her resume her journey, a ticket being bought for her to Lincoln.

## DO YOUR SWATTING EARLY

Uncle Walt Mason Gives Good Early Spring Advice in Rhyme

Swatting flies next September, when the frost is about to catch them and it is too late for them to do much more breeding this year, won't do much good. According to scientists, the progeny of one early

## CONSUMPTION TAKES 350 PEOPLE DAILY

Over 350 people succumb to consumption every day in the United States. Science proves that the germs only thrive when the system is weakened from colds or sickness, overwork, confining duties or when general weakness exists.

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"The early fly's the one to swat. It comes before the weather's hot, and sits around and files its legs, and lays at least ten million eggs, and every egg will bring a fly to drive us crazy by and by. Oh, every fly that

escapes the swatters will have five million sons and daughters, and countless first and second cousins, and aunts and uncles, scores of dozens, and fifty-seven billion nieces; so knock the blamed thing all to pieces. And every niece and every aunt—unless we swat them so they can't—will lay enough dodgasted eggs to fill up ten five-gallon kegs, and all these eggs, ere summer hies, will bring forth ewnty trillion flies. And

thus it goes, an endless chain, so all our swatting is in vain, unless we do that swatting soon, in Maytime and in early June. So men and brothers, let us rise, gird up our loins and swat the flies. And sisters, leave your cozy bowers, where you have wasted golden hours; with ardor in your souls and eyes, roll up your sleeves and swat the flies."

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