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THE PEOPLE'S STORE

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Sixteen years of continuous business in Alliance! That's a record we can justly be proud of without being boastful. And during those years it has been our constant aim to always give the best goods, with satisfactory service and right prices. How near we have come to our goal we can judge by the ever increasing list of customers who surely were satisfied with our service, our goods and our prices, else we would not now be enjoying their valued patronage. And many of our present customers started trading with us when we first entered business here. Not only are we pleased with these silent testimonials, but we have them behind us in asking for your business.

You'll Always Find us Well Supplied With all that's Good in Pure Groceries and Fresh and Cured Meats. An Especially Fine and Varied Line for Market Week.

Fresh Fruits

Concord Grapes
Malage Grapes
Emperor Grapes
Tokay Grapes
Peaches
Pears
Apples
Bananas
Oranges
Grapefruit

FRESH MEATS

Round Steak
Sirloin
T Bone
Porterhouse
Short Cuts
Pork Steak
Pork Chops
Sausage, Link and Bulk
Hamburger
Boiled Ham
Minced Ham
Bologna

Blood Sausage
Liverwurst
Summer Sausage
Liver
Fresh Side Pork
Dried Beef
Lunch Loaf
Rib Roast
Ham
Bacon
Smoked Fish
Veal
Mutton

Fresh bottled goods,
all brands; preserves
and flavorings.

Stock Salt, rock or
crushed, in any
quantities.

Fresh Oysters Every Day. Fresh Fish Every Thursday and Friday—Catfish, Salmon and Halibut.

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RODGERS' GROCERY

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\$250,000 HERE

Slightly More Than That Amount Distributed in and Around Alliance for War Horses

More than \$250,000 has been distributed in this territory for war horses, according to figures recently compiled for Mitchell, Hilliker & Simpson, the buyers. About 3,000 horses have been taken from this inspection point during all the inspections.

The contract with the French government was filed here last Thursday, at the last inspection, and another contract was immediately signed. This means that the Mitchell, Hilliker & Simpson firm will soon go into winter quarters and prepare to carry on their buying all winter if the war lasts that long, and there are no present indications of a let-up in orders.

A quarter of a million dollars is a huge sum of money to be distributed in the space of a few months in one community for one class of articles, and this is a close second to Box Butte county half-million dollar crop this year.

This week Mitchell, Hilliker & Simpson, and Major Hue and Captain LeClare are at Chadron holding an inspection, and from there they will go to Rapid City. It has not yet been determined just when they will return to Alliance for another inspection, but it will probably be soon. This firm has not yet definitely decided upon their point to establish winter quarters.

Little Boy Badly Hurt

Rex Wilcox, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wilcox, was badly injured Tuesday evening when he was hit on the face by a large rock thrown at him by a playmate. Two of his front teeth were broken off in the gums, and several other teeth were loosened. The fact that the boy has grown his last set of teeth makes the accident even worse, as it will be several years before the breaks can be fixed permanently by putting in new teeth.

Sale of Home Cooked Foods

At 1 o'clock next Saturday afternoon there will be on sale in the window of the City Meat Market a variety of home cooked foods, including baked chicken, baked beef and pork, pies, doughnuts and everything that is good to eat. Why cook your Sunday dinner when you can get deliciously cooked meats and pastry at reasonable prices? 46-11-6448

Will Not Revoke License

Chief Antles of the police department says that the dispatch from Alliance was in error in stating that the police intended revoking the license of a local pawn broker, if he did not return the watch said to have been pawned by Charles Brenkley, who is now in the penitentiary. Brenkley robbed a house in Alliance

and claims to have pawned a watch, one of the stolen articles, while passing through Lincoln. He was arrested in East St. Louis by Sheriff Cox of Alliance and pleaded guilty to the burglary and was sentenced to a term in the penitentiary. When brought to Lincoln he pointed out the pawnshop at which he claims he pawned the stolen watch. The broker has no record of the transaction and stoutly denies that Brenkley was ever in his shop. "We will not revoke the broker's license on the mere statement of Brenkley," said Chief Antles. "We have done all there is for us to do regarding the matter. If they still believe the broker has the watch they should get a search warrant or replevin the watch."—State Journal.

TODAY EDISON DAY

Today is Edison Day at Big Darling Store—Large Crowds Fill Auditorium Tonight for Concert

There have been many visitors today at the Edison Shop, of which George Darling is proprietor, and the large store is packed to overflowing tonight for the concert which is being



ing rendered by the Edison Diamond Disc, Miss Eunice Burnett, soprano, and Mr. Ralph Unacke, violin.

There will be a dance at the Darling store Saturday night for the young people. Music will be furnished by the Edison Diamond Disc phonograph.

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

has not affected our job printing prices. We're still doing commercial work of all kinds at prices satisfactory to you.

LEWIS FREED TO-DAY

Grand Island Traveling Man Who Killed Another in Self-Defense, Freed at Hearing Today

Telegraphic advices to Alliance this afternoon state that "Peachey" Lewis, the well known traveling man who shot and killed N. N. Nelson, wire chief of the city electric light plant at Grand Island last Saturday night, was freed from custody on the charge of murder this afternoon at the preliminary hearing.

Lewis is well known over the state and was the recipient of hundreds of letters from friends. The coroner's jury on Monday returned a finding that Nelson had been killed by Lewis in self defense. Nelson, a man of family, came to Mrs. Lewis' rooms while Lewis was there. Nelson put his hands on Mrs. Lewis' shoulders when Lewis remonstrated and told him that it had to stop. Nelson came at Lewis in a crouching position, with his hands on his hips. Lewis told him to stop or he would shoot. Nelson came on and Lewis fired the shot that ended the life of Nelson two hours later.

GIRL BADLY BURNED

Daughter of Charley Nation Burned about Arms, Breast and Face When Dress Caught Fire

Neva, the eight-year-old daughter of Charley Nation, living at 302 East Third street, was badly burned on the arms, breast and face at 7 o'clock this evening, when her dress caught fire from a Jack-o'-Lantern with which she had been playing. She had been playing with other children and immediately ran for the house.

Evan Lewis, who happened to be passing, heroically caught the little girl and tore the burning clothing from her body while her older sister, Ethel, threw a bucket of water on her, extinguishing the flames, but not until after the skin had been badly burned. Mr. Lewis' hands were burned in putting out the fire. Dr. Copsey was called and dressed the burns. The little girl was resting easily an hour later.

Plans Going Forward

Guy Lockwood, one of the incorporators of the new company which will erect the new Burlington hotel, announces that the plans for the hotel can be seen at the Burlington and will be shown to those who are interested. Alliance citizens of money are becoming financially interested, and prospects for early completion of the project are excellent.

New Phone Number

The Crystal Cleaners, L. L. Kish, proprietor, announce a change in phone number. Last week it was announced in The Herald that the day phone number would be 133. This has been changed to 192. Phones

numbers are now as follows: From 7 a. m. to 7 p. m., 192. After 7 p. m., Red 429.

APPLES

A carload of barreled Jonathan apples—all in barrels—good for winter use, as they are not bruised by handling. These will be on the city sidewalk during MARKET WEEK. They are choice apples.

BOYD MCKENNEY, Owner.

HOMESTEAD ENTRIES

Quite a Number of Filings During the Past Two Weeks—Most of Them Are Small Tracts

Giles L. Imus, Bayard, 100 acres in 22-22-52.

Harry A. Wilson, Bayard, 80 acres in 32-22-51.

Isaac E. Melvin, Northport, 160 acres in 22-20-49.

Herb V. Anderson, Wilsonville, 80 acres in 11-24-58.

Hattie C. McFeron, Alliance, 80 acres in 3-23-49.

Jesse Norse, Mitchell, 157.39 acres in sections 25-30 and 31, township 24, ranges 55-56.

John H. Darnell, Alliance, 211.55 acres in sections 4 and 35, townships 24 and 25, range 52.

Inez A. Bendix, Valley Falls, 320 acres in 10-23-41.

Bernard Weakley, Ellsworth, 200 acres in sections 22 and 27, township 26, range 43.

Daws H. Platt, Pawlett, 240.54 acres in 45-21-44.

Wm. Boswell Johnson, Glen, Nebr., 40 acres in 20-31-54.

Victor E. Covatt, Alliance, 71.26 acres in 29-22-47.

Joseph Vaiter, Antioch, 200 acres in sections 34-35, township 25, range 45.

Rudolph Eliasch Perchaluk, Minatare, 140 acres in 49-22-53.

C. Peter Achez, Northport, 40 acres in 25-21-51.

Eliza Rodgers, Andrews, 640 acres in 14-28-51.

Everett Cecil, Morrill, 160 acres in 13-21-58.

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Geo. Nichols, Bingham, 160 acres in sections 17 and 20, township 21, range 42.

Lawrence G. Lamberson, Monrovia, Kans., 148.82 acres in sections 19, 30 and 24, township 28, ranges 42-43.

Tenny E. Woods, Alliance, 320 acres in 10-27-45.

George K. Dunbar, Grand Junction, 160 acres in sections 28-33, township 24, range 55.

Albert H. Johns, Minatare, 140 acres in 49-22-53.

Wm. G. Crismond, 140 acres in 49-22-53.

Sophonra J. Bryant, Harrisburg, 80 acres in 25-20-57.

W. Earl Von Forrell, Scottsbluff, 480 acres in sections 28-29, township 24, range 54.

Louis H. Palmer, Antioch, 240 ac-

res in sections 9, 10 and 15, township 24, range 45.

Noah Tuttle, Minatare, 120 acres in 35-23-53.

Joseph H. Kille, 90 acres in 28-22-52.

Mrs. M. L. Phares, of Bridgeport, was here the first of this week visiting with her sister, Mrs. R. T. Watson. From here Mrs. Phares went to Ellsworth for a visit with another sister.

Mrs. James Keeler was injured this morning while chopping kindling. A mis-stroke with the hatchet cut off the end of her thumb. It is hoped that nothing serious will result from the accident.

Vern Leonard, who was here from Lincoln visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leonard, went to Denver Tuesday night accompanied by his sister Ruth for a few days' visit at the metropolis.

John Meyer departed Thursday for Lincoln for a short visit, after which he will go to Washington for the purpose of taking up a homestead.

Mrs. Betty Sharp, police matron, was confined to her rooms in the city mission last week with a severe case of la grippe. She is now able to be around and is tending to her duties in the depot with her usual regularity and proficiency.

Joe Smith and family returned Saturday from Omaha where they had been for the past week visiting with relatives and friends and looking after business matters. Joe said he didn't get to hear Billy Sunday preach, but that he did get to see one of his crowds as it was dispersing, the sight being viewed from a street car.

Better yourself for a higher position and increased salary by a course in training with the International Correspondence Schools. Ambitious young people should investigate. Write or see Campbell Primrose, district manager, Alliance Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ellis and daughter came in Monday from Hannibal, Mo., for a visit with his brother, Harvey J. Ellis, and family. They will remain here until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rossiter, of Rushville, who had been visiting with relatives and friends at Lakeside for a few days, came to Alliance Wednesday. They were met here by their son-in-law, L. C. Musser, of the Tully-Musser Cattle company, with his automobile and returned to Rushville that evening. Sheriff Bruce, of

Rushville, accompanied Mr. Musser on the trip to look after some business matters and visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Arnold returned Wednesday from Omaha where they had been for the past two weeks visiting with relatives and friends.

Chas. Ferguson, accompanied by his son, John Ferguson, and wife, came in Wednesday from their Kin-kaid near Mullen to spend the winter in Alliance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Morford departed Wednesday for Seattle and other points for an extended visit with relatives and friends and to look after business matters. They have a ranch near Seattle.

Geo. A. Paxton, of the Paxton-Gallagher company, of Omaha, was here Wednesday looking after business matters for his company.

LOCAL NEWS



Our Space Worth While!

By MOSS.

Newspaper advertising is a tangible commodity.

Take this paper, for instance. We sell our space to the merchants. They use it to attract the attention of our readers in order to induce them to buy. The readers in turn compare the ads. and go where they can get the best for the lowest price.

If this valuable commodity were done away with the merchant and the reader would have a hard time getting together. We'd be way back in the days of stage-coaches and muzzel loading guns.