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THANKSGIVING SERVICES

Large and Interested Crowd Attended Special Union Services at the Presbyterian Church Today

REV. CARNS PREACHED SERMON

Union Thanksgiving services were held at the Presbyterian church this morning at 10 o'clock. Special music was rendered by a quartette, consisting of C. H. Fuller, Jay Vance, Miss Mae Graham and Miss Nell Ahoson. There was a large attendance.

Thanksgiving Sermon

Rev. J. B. Carns of the Methodist church preached the sermon. Lessons, Deut. 8:6-20 and Romans 13: Psalms, 147:20. "He hath not dealt so with any nation, praise ye the God."

Scarcity of space prevents us giving the complete sermon, which would be well worth reading. In speaking of the growth of our nation and telling of its history down the years, Rev. Carns said:

In later years the patriot's eye discerned, upon the mountains' tops the rosy footsteps of the dawn of the glorious day of universal freedom in our land. We have indeed been required to redeem our liberties by great national sacrifices, greater by far than were the sacrifices which made us a nation. Our national power is felt throughout the earth. China and Japan requested our nation to furnish a plan of peace settlement at the end of Chinese-Japanese war, which was done by our secretary of state, John Hay. China awarded the U. S. 23 million dollars in gold for the Boxer outrages, our government returned 14 million, which they call "American indemnity fund," to be used in education. They are sending hundreds of young men to our universities each year, and last year the number included ten choice young ladies. So that this part of the distant earth with the 400 million Chinese and millions of Japanese and Koreans look to us for civilization. Fifty years ago a New York merchant built Roberts College in Constantinople, this school started with four pupils, but now has students from nineteen nations and teaching as many languages, property worth millions dollars and annual student fees \$75,000.

Our mechanical genius stands peerless in competition. I saw the Ford mechanics at the Panama exposition make and sell a car in less than thirty minutes. The laboring man is a power and his labor honorable.

Our literature is abreast of the world. Our poets, painters, historians and divines, challenge universal admiration. Our population has increased from 3 to 100 million since 1776. Here conscience is free. Various denominations keep solemn assemblies. Sabbaths are marked by worshipping multitudes. Millions of our children are educated in our matchless schools and instructed in

our Sunday schools. Bible societies place a Bible in every family. Benevolent orders in every community.

Even now the war thought crowds us. Empires and kingdoms represented by millions of men are still rushing on to the fields of battle. Agriculture, commerce, morals and religion are bleeding. Future generations are left in the hands of the weak, decrepit and inferior. The march of their civilization is impeded. Had ten days' notice been given by Austria instead of 24 hours, the difficulty could have been adjusted. The originators of the war will be cursed in every bereaved home. There will come a time when gun makers will cease to undertake to direct civilization. In answer to the prayers of God's children He will overrule the events of the war. When the war with Spain closed, Cuba was free and the Philippines had a chance for Christian civilization. When the war for the Union closed, the "states' rights" had disappeared and the shackles of four million slaves were broken. God makes the wrath of man to praise him. The teaching of war lords and war promoters will finally fade into savage heresies. One has well said, "The money we put in missionary work gives larger protection than the money we put into battle-ships." This hatred European conflict is making a contribution to the world movement among women. Not until the end of our Civil war did American women come into their own in education and in social recognition. After the Russo-Japanese war their women advanced, never again to retreat to their inner apartments. After the Balkan war, Moslem universities opened their doors to Turkish girls. In Canton, China's most aggressive city voted to admit five women as members of the city council. As in China and Japan, women are being released from the suffocating inner rooms. So in India they are coming into outside life. Pilate's wife was the ONE human being that pleaded for Jesus in his tragedy. Christianity means liberty to ALL. With the ballot women can go into the courts without being lumbered up with the decisions and precedents of the barbarous ages. GIVE THEM THE RIGHT TO VOTE.

Lord Kitchener ordered "that no cases of wine or alcohol should be shipped to the front". Germany, "The sale of alcoholic liquors is forbidden." France, "The manufacture of absinthe has been suspended." Russia, "All drink shops through the Empire have been closed." The world is going dry and that will take in Alliance, and we will have a saloonless nation in 1920. Thank God for a home in Nebraska. Forty-eight years ago she was a territory; at that time the school maps showed four-fifths of Nebraska as the Great American Desert. Great stretches of country was then seen without trees or dwelling. Now this same supposed desert is dotted with good homes, embellished by trees and groves. Just think—Omaha, Lincoln, and Alliance, and other cities that have grown out of this soil. Our egg crop last year was worth more than the gold output of Alaska. Place our eggs of one year end for end and they would make a necktie one and one-half times around the globe. We have the fourth largest state university in the Union. Smallest

est per cent of illiteracy of all the states. Thank God for great revivals and the old time religion which has stood the test of the ages and has proven its fitness for all emergencies.

The agencies of death have been around us all year. It is no small thing that we live. Myriads of our race have passed away. Youth and strength have withered at the touch of death. The strong man bowed himself to rise no more. How selfish have been our aims! How worldly our objects! How little we have thought of God! Yet, He has spared us. Many a family circle has been broken—the son of promise and hope—the daughter of loveliness and affection—the little cherub like a blooming flower, sent to earth to remind us of heaven's purity—Alas! they are not.

Are our sons and daughters with us? Is our family all here? Surely then we are thankful. Into how many homes pinching poverty makes its abode. Daily toil could not provide for daily wants. Mark its nakedness and desolation. How is it they differ from you? Are you thankful? God has filled our land with plenty. 'Tis most fitting that we should come before Him with THANKSGIVING. THANK GOD for peace and no war. No cause for jeopardizing our liberties. The possibilities of our republic are very great. Let us pray that our nation may grow more illustrious in all the true elements of national greatness.

MORE MEN THAN WOMEN

HAVE APPENDICITIS

Surgeons state men are slightly more subject to appendicitis than women. Alliance people should know that a few doses of simple buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-i-ka, often relieve or prevent appendicitis. This mixture removes such surprising foul matter that ONE SPOONFUL relieves almost ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas. THE INSTANT, easy action of Adler-i-ka is surprising. H. THIELE, druggist.

KANSAS CITY MARKET LETTER

An Unprecedented Demand for Stockers and Feeders at the Mouth of the Kaw Market

WITH FAIRLY LIBERAL SUPPLY

Kansas City Stock Yards, Nov. 22—The stocker and feeder trade outdid itself last week, when 37,000 stock cattle went to country points, three times as many as during the corresponding week a year ago.

Sales embraced a full variety, and prices averaged 10 to 15 cents above the previous week. Choice Panhandle and Colorado yearlings sold freely at \$7 to \$7.75, and choice Panhandle 1000 to 1100 lb. feeders sold at \$7 to \$7.30, some fancy bred Panhandle feeders \$7.65. Steers for immediate short feeding went to Illinois up to \$8.50. These were heavy weights, having had some grain.

A fair number of cattle were bought for points in the corn belt where summer feeding is the rule, while heavy shipments of cows and light weight stockers were made to points in Kansas and Oklahoma where wheat, pasture and forage feed will enable farmers to carry them through the winter at small expense.

Colorado and New Mexico range-men also bid for the thin cattle, and a world of stockers were shipped out during the week at \$5.75 to \$6.50. There was a fairly heavy hold over Saturday, 11,000 head, but it was smaller than the hold over at the end of the previous week.

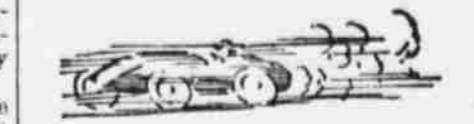
Receipts today are 33,000 head, several thousand more than the highest guesses last week. The supply has the usual large percentage of stockers and feeders, and as the Thanksgiving holiday cuts into the week, it is going to be some question how to get rid of the accumulation.

The receipts come from every quarter, as heretofore, and there is a full variety offered. Fancy Panhandle yearlings sold at \$7.40 to \$7.75, best bred Colorado yearlings and two \$7 to \$7.50, two or three strings of choice Panhandle three-year old feeders at \$7 to \$7.25, a large number of middle class stockers and feeders at \$6 to \$6.75, and some useful stock cattle, including good sized pens of Colorados, at \$5.65 to \$5.90. Fancy stock heifers weighing under 500 lbs. brought \$8 today, but the limit on good stock heifers is around \$6.50, stock cows around \$5.25.

Feeding lambs are lower than heretofore, some 58 lb. Mexicans today at \$8.10, others downwards to \$7.50, breeding ewes 50 cents lower, \$5 to \$6.75, feeding ewes around \$4.25.

Immune stock hogs are plentiful, at \$7.50 to \$8.

J. A. RICKART, Market Correspondent.



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MILL MEN RETURN

Promoters of Flouring Mill for Alliance Return to Confer on Final Arrangements

P. K. Dill, state representative of the Midget Flour Mill company, of Owensboro, Ky., who has headquarters at Lincoln, has returned to Alliance to make final arrangements, if possible, for the location of a flour mill here. The plan at present is for Mr. Dill and associates to install the mill without cost to local business men, asking only the co-operation of the merchants. So far this plan has met with approval, but Alliance men feel indisposed toward paying any amount of bonus for the location of the project.

Mr. Dill plans to install a complete new outfit, with an average output of from twenty-five to thirty barrels daily. Some men from the southern part of the state had planned on the installation of a mill here, but their plans seem to have gone wrong owing to a dispute among the promoters.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 7

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OUR PUBLIC FORUM



F. A. Vanderlip
On The Business of Banking

The farmers of this nation to come into their own must study business. We must, as a class, understand the fundamental principles that underlie every industry, its functions to society and its relation to agriculture, for there can be no intelligent co-operation without understanding. Mr. F. A. Vanderlip, president of the National City Bank of New York, when asked "What is a Bank?" said in part:

"The first and most familiar function of a bank is that of gathering up the idle money of a community, small sums and large, and thus forming a pool or reservoir upon which responsible persons may draw as they have temporary use for money. It is evident that this makes large sums in the aggregate available for the employment of labor and the development of the community. But much more is accomplished than the use of the money actually deposited in the banks, for by the use of drafts, checks and bank notes the efficiency of money is multiplied several times over. A very large business, for example one of the great beef packers, may use very little actual money; on one side of its bank account will be entered the checks and drafts it is daily receiving from everywhere in payment for meats, while on the other side will be entered the checks it draws in payment for cattle, etc., its only use of money being for small payments, to labor and otherwise.

"If there were but one bank in a community and everybody paid all bills by drawing checks on that bank, and everyone receiving a check immediately deposited it in the bank, the amount of money in the bank evidently would not change at all and the entire business of the community would be settled on the books of the bank. And the situation is but slightly changed when there are several banks, for they daily exchange among themselves all the checks they receive on each other, which practically offset themselves, although the small balances are paid in cash. This is called 'clearing,' and in every large city there is a 'Clearing House' where representatives of the banks meet daily to settle their accounts with each other.

"A bank is constantly receiving from its customers, particularly those that are shipping products to other localities, drafts and checks drawn on banks in other cities, which it usually sends for deposit to a few correspondent banks in the central cities with which it maintains permanent accounts. In this way these scattered credits are consolidated and the bank draws upon these accounts in supplying customers with the means of making payments away from home. As each local community sells and buys about the same amount abroad in the course of a year, these payments largely offset each other. It is evident that the banks are very intimately related to the trade and industry of a country. The banker is a dealer in credit much more than a dealer in money, and of course his own credit must be above question. He exchanges his credit for the credits acquired by his customers, and lends credit for their accommodation, but he must conduct the business with such judgment that he can always meet his own obligations with cash on demand. This is the essential thing about bank credit, that it shall always be the same as cash."

8 Head of Horses

- 1 Gray Mare, 10 years old.
- 1 Gray Mare, 9 years old.
- 1 Bay Mare, 9 years old.
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- 1 Gray Horse, 9 years old.
- 1 Black Colt, yearling.
- 2 Sucking Colts.

30 Head of Cattle

- 1 Milk Cow with Calf.
- 4 Milk Cows.
- 6 Heifers.
- 5 Steers—yearlings.
- 2 Heifer Calves.
- 5 Steer Calves.
- 1 Cow with two Calves.
- 2 Cows.

Machinery as Follows:-

- 1 Buggy.
- 1 Walking Lister.
- 1 McCormick Hay Rake.
- 2 Sets of Work Harness.
- 2 Farm Wagons.
- 1 Plow.
- 1 One-horse Corn Planter.
- 1 Six-foot Deering Mower.
- 1 Stacker.
- 1 Set of Buggy Harness.

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