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or twenty dollars was given, which proves that the audience enjoyed her speech.

We were favored at this time with an instrumental duet by Misses Flora Spencer and Marjory Grebe.

Mr. Black, of the Presbyterian church, gave an address on "Our Work in the Present War." He said he was a new-comer in our midst and so didn't know what our union was doing, but in reviewing what the women had been doing, he was astonished at the magnitude of the task, and the women could and would do it if they take a thing in hand they see to it that it is done right. The soldier boys come from clean homes and it is only right that they have a chance to keep clean and straight while they are fighting for the liberty of the world.

Our state representative, Lloyd C. Thomas, then gave a very fine address on "Why Women Should Vote," and he gave some very convincing facts. He gave his talk in a straightforward way and we all felt that we had the right man in the right place.

Mrs. F. M. Phelps tied white ribbons on two babies, the youngest being presented with a pin given by the national president of the W. C. T. U.

The convention closed with a short memorial service for those who have fought the good fight and have been called to their reward.

Miss Ruth Layton sang "The End of a Perfect Day," after which all adjourned to the church parlors for ice cream and cake before going home, everybody feeling encouraged to go on to greater efforts in the good cause of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

The Box Butte County W. C. T. U. in annual session at the First Baptist church of Alliance, Nebr., herein desire to express their appreciation to the men of the county and of the state of Nebraska for their loyal service and for the votes they cast for the last state election, which went for no more saloons and drunkenness in our fair state.

"Lest we forget"—Be it resolved, that we make known to the public, our appreciation and that we herein pay the highest tribute to our husbands, our sons, our fathers and brothers, for the real interest shown in the homes, the wife, the mother and the sons and daughters, and the moral uplift of the entire state and nation.

Resolved, That we pledge our loyal support in loving sympathy and sacrificial service, to maintain the honor of these men who have placed the prohibitory statute on our state records.

Honor to whom honor is due, and may the blessing of God rest upon the noble men of our state, and by His blessing may our state and nation be forever kept from the rum traffic.

**Drawing the Lines.**

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**112 MEMBERS IN THE HOME GUARDS**

Company Drilled on Streets Friday Night—Armory Being Placed in Shape for Use

The Box Butte Home Guards now number 112 members and new members are daily joining—it is expected that the membership will soon reach the limit—150 members. On the call of Captain R. C. Strong a meeting was held at the city hall Friday evening, August 31. The members turned out well—it will be necessary to put a few in the guard house for non-attendance, however, if they are not present at roll call at the next meeting, which is to be held at the armory in the rear of the city hall, Friday evening September 14.

Carpenters are at work this week installing the new floor in the fire department plunge building which has been donated to the company for use as an armory. This work will be finished by the last of the week and the building will then be ready for squad drills, storage of equipment in the lockers, etc.

The members of the company were drilled in squads Friday evening on the streets. The rookies started off excellently and were soon able to keep step fairly well, outside of Private John Wiker. John claimed that the rest of the company didn't keep step with him very well and that occasionally they were all out of step except him. Corporal Harry Coursey, who is short in stature found it necessary to protest once in a while against the long steps taken by Sergeants Tash and Hein and Privates Sallows and Nelson, all of whom are up rather high in the world. Private Rodgers thought the officers should be made to go through some of the evolutions themselves, especially when Sergeant Jack Hawes tried to demonstrate to the rookies that when he said "left foot" he meant "right foot." Danny Lyons, one of the company cooks, better known as "Dinty Moore," was in such a hurry to get to drill that he forgot his hat and coat. He was well provided for with a horse blanket which some unsuspecting villager had unwisely placed over his Ford car.

**Home Guard Officers**

Officers of the Box Butte Home Guards are as follows:  
Captain, Roy C. Strong.  
First Lieutenant, W. J. Mahaffy.  
Second Lieutenant, Leonard Pilkington.  
First Sergeant, D. E. W. Jones.  
Quartermaster's Sergeant, John Rhein.  
Color Sergeant, Ira E. Tash.  
Duty Sergeants, W. J. Hamilton, J. H. Hawes, Wm. Maunier, Wm. Buchman, John Line, Geo. J. Hand.  
Company clerk, Lloyd C. Thomas.

Company bugler, Elbert G. Laing.  
Company artisan, C. A. Dow.  
Cooks, C. A. Laing, Danny Lyons, T. J. Beal.

Corporals, O. C. Moore, S. W. Thompson, R. T. Morgan, R. M. Baker, P. D. Gleason, W. A. Wadum, C. W. Jeffers, C. M. Looney, J. O. Walker, R. E. Driscoll, George A. Heilman, H. P. Coursey.

**Roster of Company Members**

The list of company members at this date is as follows:  
Arrison, Harry L.  
Amsberry, C. E.  
Baker, Geo. F.  
Beal, T. J.  
Beeson, S. A.  
Becker, E.  
Beckwell, P. O.  
Bell, G. R.  
Bicknell, J. W.  
Bishop, E. L.  
Buchman, F. W.  
Bullock, H. M.  
Burrow, L. T.  
Burns, H. M.  
Baker, R. M.  
Brost, A. W.  
Boardon, B. W.  
Calder, C. E.  
Cox, C. M.  
Coursey, H. P.  
Covert, J. M.  
Dow, Clara A.  
Driscoll, R. E.  
Dunca, A. A.  
Dutton, C. F.  
Darling, Geo. D.  
Edwards, J. W.  
Ehinger, Chris O.  
Emde, H. G.  
Francis, H. L.  
Frost, Ray C.  
Fuller, Chas. H.  
Gladson, Ray C.  
Gleason, P. D.  
Gould, Ralph N.  
Graham, Robt.  
Guthrie, John W.  
Grove, A. H.  
Hand, Geo. J.  
Harper, W. R.  
Hamilton, W. J.  
Hawes, J. H.  
Heilman, Geo. A.  
Hull, H. W.  
Hall, Ward W.  
Isaacson, A. G.  
Jaqua, P. J.  
Jeffers, J. Z.  
Jeffers, C. W.  
Johnson, Lloyd E.  
Jones, D. E. W.  
Kuhn, Olof D.  
Laing, Elbert G.  
Laing, C. A.  
Lawrence, J. R.  
Looney, C. M.

**REV. J. B. BROWN TO UNIVERSITY PLACE**

The Presbyterian church of University Place has chosen Rev. James B. Brown, pastor of the church at Gordon, Nebr., to succeed A. I. Keener. He will arrive in University Place with his wife and two small children in time to preach his first sermon September 9. Mr. Brown was graduated from Hastings college

and from Princeton university. From 1901 to 1903 he taught in the Syrian protestant college at Beirut, Syria. In 1906 and 1907 he was pastor at Scottsbluff, Nebr. From 1907 to 1910 he was Presbyterian missionary at Tripoli, Syria, returning to this country on account of the health of Mrs. Brown. He was pastor of the church at Alliance from 1910 to 1913, and of the church at Gordon from 1913 to 1917.—Lincoln State Journal.

**REPORT OF THE W. C. T. U. CONVENTION**

Annual Session, Held at the Baptist Church Thursday Afternoon, Passed Resolutions

The annual convention of the Box Butte County W. C. T. U. was held at the First Baptist church in Alliance Thursday, August 30. The following report of the convention is contributed by an officer of the W. C. T. U.:

The Box Butte county convention, held in the First Baptist church of Alliance, in an all-day session, Thursday, August 30. Morning session opened by devotional, presided over by Mrs. Carns.

Roll call of members.  
Address of welcome by County President Mrs. Keegan.  
Reports from various unions.  
Election of county officers.

Noontide prayer closed this session. A splendid cafeteria lunch was served and enjoyed by the visitors and members.

Afternoon session opened by a devotional led by Mrs. Epler. Resolution read and approved. Rev. A. A. Layton gave an excellent address on "Law Enforcement," and he commended our judge on the splendid way he is doing his duty so loyally, and all agreed with him in saying that Judge Tash is one of the finest judges in western Nebraska.

Miss Alta Young rendered a vocal solo in her usual style, which was enjoyed by all present.

Dr. Carns then addressed the convention on "Is the Work of the W. C. T. U. Done." In his very forceful way he gave all to understand that it was by no means done. He said the women had done a wonderful work, but they must keep on sticking at it and victory would be theirs.

Rev. S. J. Epler gave a very fine address on "The Church and Prohibition," and certainly convinced one that the two were inseparable.

Mrs. A. A. Layton in her usual brilliant way, gave a talk on "Our Finances." As a rule folks like to slip those talks by, but Mrs. Layton makes everything she talks about interesting, so everybody was sorry when she was through. She took up a collection at this time, and the sum

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