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RACES POSTPONED ACCOUNT OF RAINS

ALLIANCE DERBY FOR PURSE OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLAR WILL BE BIG EVENT OF TOMORROW'S PROGRAM—MORE HORSES COMING.

RACE MEET EXTENDED OVER SATURDAY

Band Concerts, Indian Pow-Wows, Bowery Dances, Doll Racks and Numerous Other Amusement Schemes Contribute to Pleasure of Large Crowds Attending Reunion.

Old Jupiter Pluvius interfered with the carrying out of the program for the race meet as scheduled last night when he turned loose from the high heavens enough moisture to soak Box Butte and adjoining counties thoroughly and render impossible the speeding of the speedsters at the fair grounds. When it became apparent this morning that the races must be postponed the committee in charge of affairs convened and after charge of affairs convened and after considerable discussion unanimously decided to push the entire program a full day later in the week—the Thursday program for Friday and the Friday program for Saturday. This action was taken after the horsemen proclaimed their belief that the track could not be used and after it was evident that the country folks would be unable to attend because of the roads. Tomorrow (Friday) afternoon however, the program will be taken up where it was left off last night and rendered as planned. It is brim full of interesting stunts and the races thus far have been exceptionally good. Those of the crowd attending Wednesday afternoon who had particular interest in the speed program expressed themselves as greatly surprised at the number and class of the horses entered and entirely satisfied that the other races would prove as thrilling and spectacular.

pushed a day later, but that it will be carried out just as scheduled. The events which were to have taken place today (Thursday) will be staged tomorrow and those planned for Friday will make up the program for Saturday. There will be something doing every minute—something that will interest both young and old—and you will be the loser should you fail to attend.

ALLIANCE BALL TEAM IS AGAIN VICTORIOUS

Fort Robinson Nine Unable to Hold Fire Department Club Last Sunday.

The Alliance Fire Department's base ball club was again victorious last Sunday when it easily defeated the nine from Fort Robinson which substituted when the Crawford team was unable to come to this city for the game scheduled. The lads in Khaki fought hard throughout the entire session to keep the score down and to check the advance of the local pill tossers, but without avail. In the first inning Alliance scored three times and from that time on it was evident that the soldiers were no match for them.

The elocal team was never in better form and the work of every member of the club was excellent. "Stub" Fenning who is the twirler for the boys was too much for the visitors and in order that they might have a better chance he was pulled in the sixth inning and Ray Butler, the promising young southpaw given a turn, but still the soldiers were unable to connect. The final score was 15 to 0.

COUNCIL CANVASSED BOND ELECTION VOTE

The city council met in special session on Monday evening for the purpose of making the official count of the ballots cast at the special election last Wednesday. The count, while it made no particular changes from the votes as published last week revealed the fact that the bond issue for the extension of the water mains had the least opposition and in each of the other matter thirty votes were cast against the bonds. The vote was as follows: Sewer bonds, \$55,000—199 for and 69 against; Paving of intersections bonds, \$20,000—195 for and 65 against; Water extension bonds, \$10,000—217 for and 48 against. The matter of the incorporating into the city of several adjoining tracts was discussed but no official action taken.

MARKET FOR BONDS IS ALREADY AVAILABLE

City Council Has Received Very Good Offer for Securities to be Issued.

At the meeting of the city council last Monday evening the committee on finance reported having received an offer from a responsible bond house that appears to be very fair and one that would render available at once the moneys needed to start the paving work. The house offers to take the entire issue at a discount of 1% at an interest rate of five per cent and to pay all the costs of handling the same. It also agrees to issue certificates of deposit dating from July 1st, the date of the bonds, and to allow 4 1/4% interest on that part of the money not used by the city. In other words it promises to furnish the necessary finances as needed and to pay the interest rate on such as in on deposit and for the period of time allowed to remain there before being used. This, it was the consensus of opinion is a very good offer, because of the fact that there seems to be a dearth of contractors and it is likely that a portion of the money derived from the sale of the bonds will remain idle for a period of time.

The bonds as suggested by the representative of the house were to be—storm sewer, 20-year bonds with an option after ten years; water, 40-year bonds, optional after ten years and the paving bonds a serial issue payable \$1,000 yearly. There was some discussion as to the legality of such issues as it was finally decided that should the offer be accepted the bond houses would be required to meet the requirements of the laws.

