

SATURDAY NIGHT

Five Top-notch Acts Scheduled for Saturday Night at the Imperial

"Romance and Arabella," starring Constance Talmage, will be the attraction at the Imperial Saturday night. The vaudeville acts scheduled were forced to cancel their engagement due to the train drop. The film program is an exceptional one, however, and Imperial patrons will have an opportunity to spend a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

"Romance and Arabella" is the story of a very young widow who is determined that her second husband, if there is to be a second, must supply her with thrills and romance. Bill, a rather prosaic chap, has made up his mind to win her, and that sort of fellows generally get what they go after. He introduces a succession of lovers for her, including a faddist, a very young boy, a westerner and a eugenist, and the story is really a succession of love stories. Of course, you can guess who it is that finally treks to the altar with her, but the way he does it makes a dogged good story.

Another one of those good films is on the bill for Sunday night, when Shirley Mason plays the lead in "The Final Close-Up." Just to arouse your interest, we'll quote from a synopsis written in the best O. Henry style: "She wanted a rest, the department store was a hard place, so Nora Nolan pretended to faint. She got her rest and a vacation—and a sweetheart to boot." We'll bet there isn't a woman who reads that much that won't be on hand if there's any way to get there—and men are more curious than women, whether they will admit it or not.

BOY SCOUTS PLAN PROGRAM

Although the weather was cold most of the Boy Scouts attended the meeting held Thursday evening. But we are getting used to the cold now.

The principal part of the meeting was the distribution of parts. We are going to hold a performance sometime in January and most of us were there to see what part would be assigned us.

The performance will depict a day at camp. The program will be based on the things that every Boy Scout is supposed to learn, first aid, cooking and other activities and stunts that we pull off will be shown.

If you want to know what the Boy Scout organization is, be there. The people of Alliance will be invited and no admission will be charged. Further information will be published later.

RECORD OF WAR WORK

It is the purpose of the Nebraska federation of women's clubs to compile a record of the war work achieved by club members and members' families during the world war. These records will be filed with the Nebraska Historical society for permanent preservation as a part of the history of this state.

A rich man is never able to spend his money in a way that suits the people in his own neighborhood.—Buckshot.

PAULINE LACKEY DEAD

A sad death occurred yesterday when Pauline Velma Lackey, aged six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Lackey, of Duncan's addition, passed away. The child went to school in the morning apparently well, but shortly after 9 o'clock was seized with convulsions. Dr. Blak was called and the child taken home, where she died at 11 o'clock.

A post mortem examination has failed to disclose the exact cause of her death, except that it was not of a contagious nature as was at first suspected.

The funeral will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. from the Darling undertaking parlors. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of the entire community in their loss.

CITY COUNCIL SUGGESTS NO RESTRICTIONS

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ness consists in getting out orders for dinner, but if that was the desire of those present, he would acquiesce cheerfully, and do his best to educate his patrons to place their orders a sufficient time in advance. W. R. Harper was strongly in favor of the morning closing, saying that he would prefer to close all forenoon if necessary, rather than take out a part of the afternoon.

J. W. Guthrie spoke as a disinterested party, not being in the store business, and pointed out that it might be difficult to say just which stores should receive heat and which should not. He said that the upper stories of nine out of ten store buildings in the city are occupied by families and that they needed heat twenty-four hours out of the day. He declared that a good saving could be effected by cutting down light consumption in general, and cited the suggestion of another business man that, if need be, much fuel could be saved by families doubling up.

There being conflicting stories as to whether there was actual need of immediate action being taken, Superintendent Griggs was called on the phone. Mr. Griggs stated that present advice were to effect that the outlook was more favorable than it had been for some time, and that in his opinion no drastic restrictions were necessary. Whereupon the council voted to place the entire matter in the hands of Mayor Rodgers, with instructions to act immediately whenever the situation warranted.

The ladies of the Methodist church were well pleased at the outcome of the bazar December 6, and wish to thank the many who contributed. The proceeds, \$395, will be applied to the building of the new church next spring.



F. E. HOLSTEN The Hallmark Jewels Store

COLDER WEATHER HEADED OUR WAY

Burlington reports are to the effect that another cold wave is heading toward Alliance. Temperatures at Sheridan and nearby towns were 20 degrees below zero Friday noon, with the mercury dropping rapidly. Train service all over the division was delayed. No. 41 was stuck in the snow near Hecker for a time Friday, but at 2:30 p. m. was reported out and on its way to Alliance, where it was due to arrive seven hours late.

With the temperature here 16 degrees below zero Thursday night, it seems a trifle strange that another cold wave should be predicted, and there is some question whether the mercury can tumble much lower. It all remains to be seen. Don't say The Herald didn't warn you.

Give the average man too much money and he promptly proceeds to make a fool of himself. Probably this is the reason for most of the labor troubles.—Buckshot.

Stewart Harrington's girl sent him a dozen kisses in a letter the other day, but the local postal authorities refused to deliver them. He has written to Burlington about it.—Buckshot.

Dining car waiters are always immaculate when on duty. But if you happen to see them when off duty they are apt to spoil your appetite for the next meal.—Buckshot.

—For Sale—Nine room house. Best part of town. Modern. Priced right and good terms. See Nebraska Land Company.

—Robert C. Patterson of Denver, representing the Mountain States Telephone company, was in Alliance a few hours Thursday on his way to points in northeastern Wyoming, and while here took advantage of the opportunity for a visit at the office of the local exchange of the Nebraska Telephone company.

—The opportunity is now offered you to get her a Coat at actual cost. Highland-Holloway Co.

—Complaint came to headquarters late Thursday evening from 315 East Fourth street, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Bullock. The Bullocks had retired and heard someone moving in the rooms downstairs. They called the alarm from an upstairs window, and the family next door put in a call for the police. Night Watchmen Taylor and Cox responded promptly to the call, but were unable to discover any trace of the prowler either inside or outside the house, although the residents were certain that they had not heard him leave.

—Boys' suit and extra trousers to match for sale at a bargain. Will fit a boy 12 to 14 years old. 164 Cleaners and Tailors, 213 Box Butte Ave.

—Post M. T. P. A. will meet in the Community club rooms at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, December 13.

—Beautiful assortment of glassware in light cuttings at prices that are attractive. Highland-Holloway Co.

—Checks were mailed to the members of the various 1919 Christmas clubs of the First State bank on Wednesday of this week. The 1920 clubs will be started on the 20th of this month, and those who wish to be prepared to meet the Christmas drain next year may commence any time thereafter. The Christmas club idea is a neat way to get a little money saved up for the Christmas stocking, which comes to your aid just when you need it most. Incidentally, it's a profitable investment. Just take a glimpse at the First State's advertisement in this issue of The Herald, and make arrangements to be on easy street at this time next year.

—Dinner and glassware is to be closed out at prices that will make them go. We want the space for other lines. Highland-Holloway Co.

—The K. & S. messenger service is the name of a new organization that began operations in the city a week ago. A messenger service is a convenience that is at the disposal of every resident of the city, and will save a number of steps and take care of a number of things that waste time. If you will look over their advertisement in this issue of The Herald, you will discover that by calling Phone 111, you have at your disposal someone to deliver packages for you, run errands, take messages, clean the snow off your walks, and a lot of other things. You'll find them open night and day, and it will pay you to make a note of the number and use it often.

—Leo Spurling, who this week purchases the Alliance Hide & Fur company, at 311 Laramie, comes to the city from York, Neb., where he has been engaged in a similar line of work and where he conducts what will be known as a branch of his Alliance establishment. It is his intention to enlarge the business as fast as possible, and to eventually make it the largest of its kind in the west. He is now equipped to tan hides and furs, and those who have hides from which they wish to make coats or robes need no longer send this kind of work out of the city. Note Mr. Spurling's advertisement in this issue of The Herald and bear him in mind when you have need of his services or wish to market some of the things he buys.

LOWERED RATE ON SAND AND GRAVEL

(Continued from Page 1.) explained that in numerous instances it was desirable to have a complete receipt, and he could see no reason why the express company should not do as well by its patrons as the railroads when handling freight.

L. H. Highland remarked that the federal law required the use of a uniform bill of lading and a uniform receipt from transportation companies, and said that the express company never had issued an adequate receipt unless the customer went to a great deal more trouble to get it than it was worth.

The club decided to invite the local auditor to meet with it at the next regular meeting, at which time arrangements will be made to take the matter up with the proper authorities. The directors informally agreed that if it proved necessary, the support of other clubs in the state would be enlisted, and an attempt made to make the demand strong enough to receive attention.

Mr. Simpson explained the new packing rules for express shipments which went into effect Wednesday morning. Paper wrapped parcels weighing in excess of twenty-five pounds will not now be accepted for shipment. Where second-hand cartons are used, it will be necessary to glue the flaps down. Such cartons will not be accepted for shipment if broken at the corners or otherwise in bad shape. A limit of 75 pounds has been placed on the shipment of castings in sacks, and where pipe is presented, it must be double tagged—one of the tags to be concealed in a protective wrapper.

MAY POSTPONE THE THOROUGHBRED SALE

Unless Roads and Weather Greatly Improve, Date Will Be Tuesday, December 23

Indications this morning were that it would be necessary to postpone the public sale of the Alliance Breeders' association, which had been scheduled for the Happy Hollow stock farm on next Tuesday, December 16. Colonel Bliss states that the roads are worse than the weather and that unless there is an exceedingly great improvement the sale date will be set ahead just one week, making it come on Tuesday, December 23.

If the face of a small boy has a set look, it's a sign that mischief is about to be hatched.—Exchange.

SETTLEMENT OF COAL STRIKE IS REACHED

(Continued from Page 1.) one-half. Railroad stations, hotels, hospitals, telephone and telegraph and newspaper offices are not restricted in so far as necessary lighting is concerned. General and office lights must be cut off not later than 4 p. m. in office buildings, except necessary federal, state and municipal offices and except where office operation of vital industries is involved.

4.—Manufacturing plants or factories (not including dairies, refrigerating plants, bakeries, plants for manufacturing of necessary food products and necessary medical products, water works sewerage plants, printing plants for printing of newspapers only, battery charging outfits in connection with plants producing light or power for telephone, telegraph or public utilities) must not use light in excess of three days a week on basis of present working hours. Dairies, refrigerating plants, bakeries, plants for manufacturing necessary food products and necessary medical products, water works, sewerage plants, printing plants for printing newspapers only, battery charging outfits in connection with plants producing light or power for telephone, telegraph or public utilities may use light their regular number of hours and days a week.

Heat from bituminous coal and coke: 1.—Only enough heat may be used in offices, stores, warehouses and manufacturing plants to keep the average temperature at 68 degrees Fahrenheit and then only during the hours for which light is permitted during other hours only enough heat is to be used to prevent freezing of water pipes, or sprinkler systems. 2.—In manufacturing plants, or plants coming under power curtailment rules, heat (to 68 degrees) will be allowed only during that time prescribed for use of power.

Power produced from bituminous coal and coke: 1.—Manufacturing plants, or factories (not including dairies, refrigerating plants, bakeries, plants for the manufacture of necessary food products, waterworks, sewerage plants, printing plants, for the printing of newspapers only, battery charging outfits, in connection with plants producing light, or power for telephone, telegraph or public utilities companies, must not use light or power from bituminous coal or coke furnished by, or through the United States fuel administration for operation in excess of three days a week on the basis of present working hours. Dairies, refrigerating plants, bakeries, plants for manufacturing

food products and necessary medical products, waterworks, sewerage plants, printing plants for the printing newspapers only, battery charging outfits in connection with plants producing light, or power for telephone, telegraph or public utility companies may use power from bituminous coal and coke their regular number of hours and days per week. G. L. GRIGGS, Superintendent.

\$331,612,542,560 IS ESTIMATED WAR LOSS FOR ENTIRE WORLD

Dead of All Causes During the War Will Total \$12,990,571

The first comprehensive report on the "Direct and Indirect Costs of the War" has just been made by the Carnegie endowment for international peace and published in a volume under that title.

The direct cost for countries actually involved in the war are put at \$186,000,000,000 and the indirect cost at \$151,612,542,560. The latter total includes losses to neutrals, which are put at \$1,750,000,000. It also includes loss of production, put at \$45,000,000,000, and war relief estimated at \$1,000,000,000.

The capitalized value of soldier human life, also given among the indirect costs, is placed at \$33,531,376,280. The property losses are divided as follows: On land, \$29,060,000,000; to shipping and cargo, \$6,800,000,000.

The report, which was gathered by Ernest L. Bogart, professor of economics in the University of Illinois, in estimating the "capitalized value of human life," fixes the worth of the individual at figures ranging from \$2,020 in Bulgaria, Turkey, Greece, Japan, Roumania, Serbia and several other countries, up to \$4,720 for the United States, where the economic worth of the individual to the nation is placed at the highest.

An additional \$33,551,000,000 is allowed for civilian losses. Although many of the latter were of children and old persons, the estimate given for the civilian loss is believed to be conservative.

The number of known dead is placed at 9,998,771, and the missing presumed to be dead at \$2,991,800. To the losses from death and wounds there is added "those resulting from disease, pestilence, privation, hardship, physical exhaustion and similar causes."

A medical paper says a man is slightly taller in the morning than he is in the evening. I don't know about that but I do know that I am always short in these high cost of everything days.—Buckshot.

The Horace Bogue Store

Smart Blouses at \$5.95



Dainty Blouses of Silk Georgette and Crepe de Chine. There's 100 of these all alike in point of quality and style but varied as to designs and trimming used, in white and flesh colors trimmed with silk embroidery in self and contrasting colors, in some cases elaborated with beading and net, in all sizes.

Christmas Handkerchiefs

Our stock of Christmas Handkerchiefs is larger than ever. Handkerchiefs from the very plainest to the extreme novelties. Pure Irish Linen, Swiss Embroidered, Shamrock Lawn and Cotton. 5c to \$1.50



New merchandise arriving in the past week for our Christmas Gift section.

- French Kid Gloves
- Italian Silk Hose
- Beaded Hang Bags
- Genuine Suede Gloves
- Wool Hose in White and Heather Colors
- Velvet Hand Bags

Christmas shopping has begun here in real earnest for many people

From Now Till Xmas Every Day is



We have a full line of the best cigars that men smoke. We will be able to satisfy the discriminating buyer of fine tobaccos. Good cigars are difficult to obtain, so be sure to come early enough.

An Especially Nice Assortment of Pipes

has been purchased for your Christmas selection. There is anything you want in the different styles.

Candies

Take a box of fancy Chocolates home to your Wife, Mother, Sweetheart or Daughter. It will please them without fail. We have just the box you will want.

Current Newspapers, Magazines other Publications On Sale

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