

Random Shots

How glad we are that the paving has begun.

And how gladder we'll be when it is finished.

"Gladder" isn't down in the dictionary, but it's just what we mean.

Also there is cause to be thankful for the weather. (tf)

There's a joke in the above paragraph, but we haven't time to diagram it.

Ask any printer in town—he'll tell you.

It's a good piece of humor, too.

Most of these paragraphs are, we hope.

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We try to make 'em that way, anyhow.

But now and then we fall down.

And when we do we don't have to be told about it—we know it.

"Mornin', Judge!" we said yesterday morning.

Which doesn't necessarily mean that we were defendant in a police court case.

We were speaking, to Judge Roberts on the street.

And, so far as that is concerned we have spoken to him in police court.

But not as a defendant.

Soon will arrive the day when it will not be necessary to drive your Ford with spurs on Box Butte avenue.

Alliance's down town streets have not been just all that they should be.

But they soon will be.

And Alliance has so many other advantages over the ordinary burg of her size that one or two minor matters can be overlooked.

The insurance agents are among us as we go to press.

They are a bunch worth having among us, too.

There were one or two buildings in Alliance that we were preparing to apply the torch to on account of general unsightliness.

Now we're going to have to wait until the insurance brethren are out of the city.

Did you see the play of the northern lights Monday evening?

Or is that what the phenomenon was?

We've heard varied expressions of opinion about it.

At any rate, having imbibed nothing worse than one bottle of Bevo at the time we saw it, we knew it wasn't a case of having 'em again.

Even from Antioch there ariseth a wall.

And a knock.

All of which helps.

And provides some amusement.

But no surprise.

Nor concern.

ADDITIONAL RAILROAD NOTES

Bollermaker H. H. Blume and family spent Sunday in Denver.

Fireman Baker will take a trip to Crete and Lincoln soon.

Miss Ruth Sturgeon, former clerk in the master mechanic's office, but who is now attending school in Lincoln, came home this week to be with her sister, Lulu, who has been seriously ill. Miss Lulu is Mr. Tracy's clerk in the car department.

—Al Wilker, of Alliance, sells monuments for the Paine-Fishburn Granite Co. See him for best prices. 64

NEUSWANGER MAKES HIS POSITION CLEAR

George Neuswanger of the Farmers' Union association last week told us a number of interesting facts about new records for hog production in Box Butte county. In our published report we told of the profits to be made in hog raising, and mentioned the new packing company as a possible market, which would still further increase the profits in hog production. Mr. Neuswanger's endorsement of the proposition was an endorsement solely of the hog raising idea. He has reserved his decision on the other matter, and does not care to be quoted either as endorsing or condemning the packing plant.

ANGORA

Mrs. R. K. Maybell, Reporter

Three daughters of W. R. McCrasky, Florence, Helen and Doris, are reported ill with the flu.

Mrs. George Petri was in Angora last week, nursing her son, Wilmar, who was sick at the W. N. Thompson home.

Mrs. C. M. Dove and little daughters, Margaret and Dorothy, are on the sick list.

Mrs. James W. Perkins visited friends in Bridgeport Saturday.

R. K. Maybell and daughter, Virginia, are reported ill with the flu.

The masquerade dance at the Dove hall on St. Patrick's night was well attended and a good time is reported. Ike's jazz band of Bayard furnished the music.

Miss Frances Glan, who is attending high school in Alliance, spent the week end with Mrs. C. M. Dove and Mrs. James W. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Shoopman and J. W. Shoopman and son, Willie, spent Sunday in Bridgeport with the Bud Shoopman family.

Mrs. Elmer Morehead entertained a number of little folks Sunday afternoon in honor of her little daughter, Edna's eighth birthday. All kinds of games were played and at 4 o'clock Mrs. Morehead served a delicious luncheon consisting of two kinds of sandwiches, pickles, green tea, two kinds of cake and fruit salad. Little Miss Edna received a pretty gift from each guest. They left for their homes at a late hour tired and happy, wishing Edna many happy birthdays. Those present were Velma Shoopman, Lillian Powell, Lucile Venell, Belle Shoopman, Lila Powell, Gladys McCauley, Virginia Maybell and Edith Boodry.

Angora people should see B. M. Kelly, the genial cashier of the Angora State bank and leave subscriptions for The Alliance Herald. Mr. Kelly is in the automobile race to say and is having wonderful success in taking subscriptions. He promises to give all his subscribers a ride

when he brings the new car to town. Mrs. P. B. McCauley and son, Robert, were in Bridgeport Friday on business.

L. D. Cornine is away on business. He expects to be in Scottsbluff, Alliance and Broken Bow before returning to his home next Sunday.

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One can no more picture a home without silver than a home without people in it. So when occasion comes for giving a wedding present, one's first thought is of Silver and the next of Thiele's—for Silver and Thiele's are inseparable in thought.

So many articles of silver, which one mentally pictures gracing a home, are seen at Thiele's that choosing the bride's gift becomes a delightful experience.

Though high in taste and character, Thiele silverware is indeed moderate in price.

Chests of Flatware, \$20.00 to \$50.00

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Jewelry—Watches—Drugs
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has attracted the attention of the people of western Nebraska to the possibilities for paying investments in the Wyoming oil fields.

If you desire information regarding opportunities for profitable investment in Wyoming oil companies or lands we invite you to write or call. Our representative spends a large portion of his time in the oil fields. He will be pleased to give you any information you may desire if you will write us fully or call on us.

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WESTERN INVESTMENTS

Alliance, Box Butte County, Nebraska.

ONLY 11 MORE DAYS

And Down!

Down!!

Down!!!

GO THE VOTES IN THE HERALD'S \$3000 PRIZE CAMPAIGN

The "First Period" of the Alliance Herald's big prize and auto competition ends Saturday night, April 3rd. Eleven days more to WIN or LOSE--- that is practically what it means to every contestant in the race.



Every One Is Interested In The Standing of Contestants

MR. B. M. KELLY	Angora	966,500
MISS MARGARET BARRY	324 First	954,800
MISS SARABEL NEWMAN	222 Toluca	913,950
MR. RALPH COX	523 Cheyenne	907,400
MISS LYDA GASSELLING	Hemingford	610,650
MRS. J. WONG	315 Cheyenne	290,000
MISS GRACE JOHNSTON	1011 Box Butte	101,400
MISS RUTH THOMASON	904 Big Horn	90,900
MR. RAY SMITH	408 Niobrara	23,500
MR. NORBERT BROWN	322 W. Fourth	23,000
MISS GRACE MOORE	Ashby	5,100
MR. GEORGE DITSCH	Ranch	5,000

Your Subscription Now Counts Most

NOTE THE DIFFERENCE

Between "first period" and "second period" votes.

The price of the Herald up and including April 3 is \$2.50 a year—Thereafter \$3.00 a year

Here is the number of votes given for subscriptions up to and including Saturday, April 3:

	Price Allowed	Votes
1 year	\$ 2.50	1,500
2 years	5.00	8,000
3 years	7.50	12,500
4 years	10.00	17,000
5 years	12.50	25,000

And here is the number of votes given for subscriptions from April 4 to April 17 inclusive:

	Price Allowed	Votes
1 year	\$ 3.00	1,000
2 years	6.00	6,000
3 years	9.00	10,000
4 years	12.00	15,000
5 years	15.00	20,000

A Word to the Wise is Sufficient