

SOCIETY

A lunch was served to the members of the guild last Wednesday afternoon at the parish house. A large number of the members were present and all had an enjoyable time.

Mrs. C. E. Wills entertained a number of friends Wednesday evening, April 28, in honor of Misses Hledik, McHugh and Soper. An elaborate 6 o'clock dinner was served at which covers were laid for ten.

Miss Nina Simmons entertained a company of friends Thursday evening, April 29, at the homes of Mrs. Lloyd C. Thomas and Mrs. Ben J. Sallows. Cards and music furnished the entertainment.

The teachers of the Alliance schools held their regular monthly social meeting at the Central school

Thursday evening, with Misses Soper, Russel, North and Wilcox as hostesses. Twenty-seven were present and a delightful time was reported.

RED CROSS SALE

Saturday afternoon, May 1, 1920, at the court house assembly room, first floor, beginning at 2 p. m., the following articles are offered for sale:

- 79 pairs white hand made wool socks, \$2.50 pair.
- 17 bath robes, \$2.00.
- 6 yards canton flannel, 50c yard.
- 3 pair outing pajamas, \$2. pair.
- 5 canton flannel under vests.
- 5 bed shirts, 75c each.
- 1 bolt gauze, 100 yards, \$10.
- 99 hanks gray yarn, \$1.25 hank.
- 79 rolls cotton, 75c roll.
- 3 pair curtains, Swiss, 50c pair.

Asparagus Roots for sale, \$1.00 per dozen. Alliance Floral Co. 44

A finished gentleman isn't necessarily a slick article.

BRIDGEPORT MURDERER TAKEN BACK FOR TRIAL

Roy Braunia, the self-confessed slayer of John Watts, Bridgeport farmer, was taken back to Bridgeport for the third or fourth time yesterday, and this time it is probable that he will not be returned. There has been some difficulty, the officers say, in getting hold of jury and public feeling was running so high that it was believed that the safer course would be to bring the man to Alliance. The last two or three times they have brought him here he has been accompanied by a deputy sheriff, the rideport authorities evidently fearing that the local police were unable to handle the undersized, half-starved youth. Braunia is looking considerably better than on his first arrival in the city, when he told Sheriff Miller that he had not been fed for forty-eight hours.

SAFETY COMMITTEE HOLDS A MEETING

The regular monthly safety meeting of the Alliance division was held Tuesday night. Every division on the road has these meetings in order to improve working conditions. Their aim is to stop carelessness and report all things that do not make for the safety of the employees.

The members who were appointed to serve this year and were at the Tuesday meeting were: G. L. Griggs, superintendent; J. B. Irwin, master mechanic; E. W. Bell, master carpenter; A. V. Arnold, chief clerk; C. E. Williams, general yard master; F. M. Hoenshell, roadmaster; F. Carlson, roadmaster from Broken Bow; Dr. A. L. Woolis, medical examiner; J. R. Beach, chief clerk to agent; C. B. Gibson, engineer; J. W. Coleman, conductor, and Paul A. Wellingham, brakeman. These men represent all the railroad organizations.

There were a number of visitors at the meeting who were members of the committee last year. They were J. Emerson, roadmaster; J. J. Waddell, roadmaster; George Redfern, roadmaster foreman, and J. Bogan.

ACADEMY STUDENTS PRESENT PROGRAM

The students of St. Agnes academy presented an interesting program at the Imperial theater to a full house Wednesday evening. The entertainment was in two parts, the first consisting of various drills and songs, and the latter of a short colonial drama in four scenes, entitled, "Lost and Found." The entire program was pleasing and each number was liberally applauded.

People who love humanity and have faith in its progress toward higher and better things, hoped that the horrors of war would eliminate a lot of foolishness and greed from the hearts of men. But the outcome to date is disappointing. Instead of the dawn of a new era of brotherhood among men and nations we behold a scramble among nations for territory, and among the war profiteers, a riot of profligate spending.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Episcopal church of Alliance which has been a mission church or in other words partially dependent on a larger church is to become an independent parish. The members of the church met last night and the following officers were elected: Fred Holsten, senior ward; F. W. Harris, junior ward; and the vestry, A. V. Gavin, Howard Reddish, F. A. Hargraves, L. A. Snyder, Mrs. R. O. Reddish and Mrs. R. A. Smith. From this body, A. V. Gavin was appointed secretary.

The vestry held their first meeting last night and some of the business of the church was discussed.

METHODIST CHURCH

The Alliance district conference held in Hemingford Tuesday and Wednesday was perhaps the most successful and helpful one ever held in the district. The addresses and discussions were practical and full of inspiration. The district superintendent reported over six hundred additions to the churches since last September. The conference closed with an evangelistic service Wednesday night in which the call was responded to by about forty young people. Many people will remember the occasion as the most wonderful of the kind they have ever seen.

Services as follows for next Sunday: 11 a. m., holy communion; 3 p. m., there is to be a good fellowship service for men only. This has been suggested by some of our laymen. The purpose is for an hour of good fellowship, and the organization of the men for the different kinds of service of the church. All

the men of the church are urged to be present. Regular service at 8 o'clock in the evening. Please note the change in the hour for evening worship.

American army officers say the purchasing power of a United States gold dollar is only 76 cents in China. It operates only about 45 cents strong in the United States. But we can't all go to China to spend our money.

An Oxford professor claims to have knowledge that Eve did not eat the apple, thereby winning for himself, immediately, an immense audience with a most timely discussion of the origin of cider.

There are some in t'is country who must consider themselves in luck that their names are not on the allied list of those wanted.

Attorney C. L. Whitney of Aurora was a business caller in Alliance Thursday.

—Girls wanted at Alliance Steam Laundry.

A draft dodger has gone insane. Probably on the advice of his attorney.

Miss Grace Thiel of Omaha was visiting Alliance friends Thursday.

—Baby chick food—just the thing for them. Melick & Stephenson. 41

Debtors forget that creditors never forget.

All the nonproducers that we know of are urging more production.

"PECK'S BAD BOY" THE ATTRACTION MONDAY

The old comedy classic, the delight of the kids and the favorite of most of the grown-ups, will be next Monday's attraction at the Imperial theater. It will be a one-day engagement only, and special low prices will be in effect.

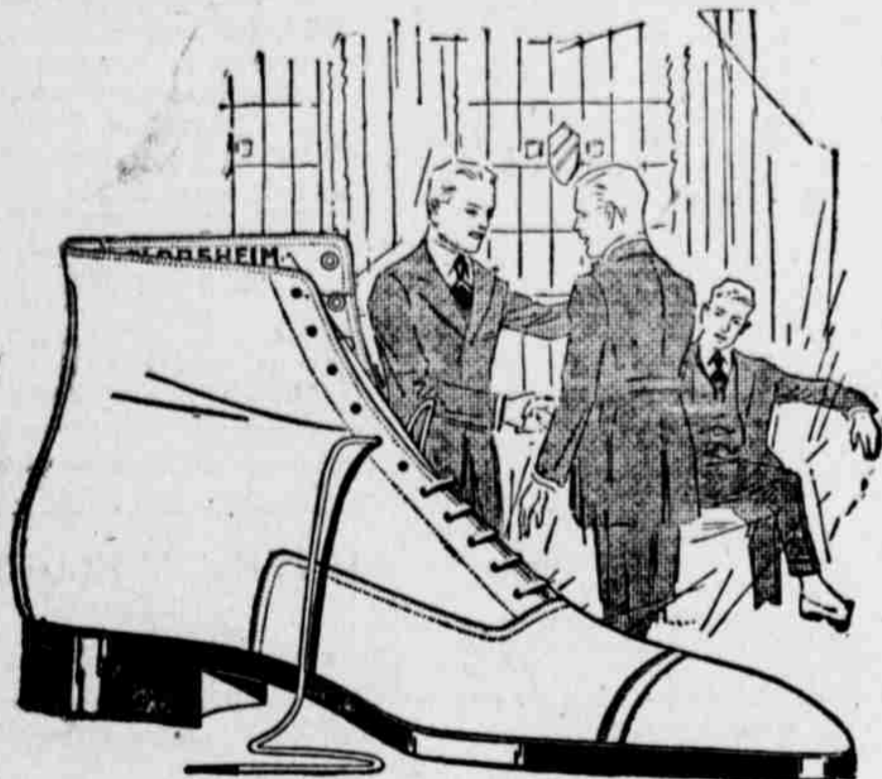
"Peck's Bad Boy" is the one play that is left us that has nothing in it but fun. There are no clinging love scenes, no faithless wives, no brutal husbands, no tragic situations that go to make up the lure of the movies. Instead there are the funny pranks of the Peck boy, the Dutch grocer and the gang. It'll be a play that every kid in town will want to see and that the older people will hate to miss.

"Peck's Bad Boy" has improved with age. An added attraction is a gorgeous chorus with musical voices and dancing ability. There are a number of other attractions. It will be some show, and our advice is to make your reservations early.

The ladies of the Macabee lodge will hold a food and apron sale from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. Saturday at Morgan's grocery.

Miss Irene Rice returned home from Omaha today. Miss Rice expects to remain in Alliance for the summer.

Calvin D. Walker, manager for the A. H. Jones company, is quarantined at his home with an attack of small-pox.



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