



A surprise party was given Miss Florence Phipps at her home Saturday evening when a large number of Baptist young people brought their refreshments along to remind her she would be eighteen years old on Monday. The party was held that evening in order not to interfere with the meetings going on at the church. After an evening spent in games and other social diversions refreshments were served and the guests left for their homes, leaving Florence wondering who told her age.

The Alliance woman's club will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the city library on Friday, November 11, with Mesdames Zella Johnson, Stephen J. Epler and Gatra Miller as hostesses. The subject for discussion will be "Nebraska Writers." Mrs. Bogan will speak on "Life Sketches of Willa Cather and Bess Streeter Aldrich." Mrs. Alberta Reynolds will review "The Squirrel Cage," by Dorothy Canfield, and Miss Amy Sturgeon will read a Neihardt poem.

Mrs. F. E. Holsten entertained a few friends to a dinner Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Axel Johnson, of Mason City, Ia. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Holsten, Judge and Mrs. I. E. Tash, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Holsten, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dickinson, Mrs. Alice Anderson and Mrs. Axel Johnson.

The charter for the woman's auxiliary to American Legion post No. 7 at Alliance is now at the Duncan grocery store, and the wives, sisters, mothers and daughters of the service men are urged to sign it there some time during this week. Otherwise they will not rank as charter members.

C. C. Duffield, traveling salesman who met death in an automobile accident near Strang a few days ago, was a representative of the Western Furniture company of Lincoln, and was well known in Alliance, where he has called on his trade for years.

The ladies' aid of the Christian church will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. C. H. Hurst, 920 Missouri. This will be work day as well as business meeting, and a large attendance is desired.

Carl J. Anderson and Miss Anna Keiser were married at the court house Saturday evening by Judge Tash. They were attended by the

bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Keiser.

J. C. Parker returned Sunday morning from a week's visit with his mother at Nebraska City. He also attended the American Legion convention held in Kansas City.

The district meeting of the Odd Fellows lodge will be held in Hemingford, November 16. This district comprises Alliance, Hemingford and Antioch.

Father Constant Klein, O. M. C., left Friday for Hot Springs, S. D., to take the place of Father Keil while the latter is in Alliance for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Kridelbaugh left Saturday for Seattle, Wash., Sacramento and Los Angeles, Calif. They expect to be gone about a month.

H. W. Foster, a real estate man of Seattle, Wash., and a friend of Horace Bogue, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zamzow for a few days.

The ladies' guild of the Episcopal church will meet at the Parish house Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Bert Duncan will be hostess.

The woman's home missionary society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Harry E. Wells at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Drake and daughter, Mardell, and Mrs. Henry Davis and Clay B. Ogle spent Sunday in the Pine Ridge.

Clay B. Ogle of North Platte, who has been visiting with his sister, Mrs. E. C. Drake, left Sunday night for his home.

The Westminster Guild will meet with Mrs. B. W. Keach, 624 Laramie avenue Thursday evening, this week.

Miss Marie Howe started Monday in the ladies' wear department of the W. R. Harper Department store.

C. B. McClure and family spent Sunday visiting friends in Chadron.

Frank Palmer expects to go to Denver Wednesday night on business.

Mrs. Sibina Miller is visiting at the home of her son, E. T. Miller. L. Moxon and family motored over to Chadron Sunday.

Rev. B. J. Minort Preaches a Special Odd Fellow Sermon

A capacity house attended the services at the Baptist church last Sunday evening to hear Rev. B. J. Minort's sermon on "Friendship." The Odd Fellows attended in a body, and the audience was made up 70 per cent of men. After a singing contest between the men and women, in which the men more than won out, the pastor said, in part:

"The story of Jonathan and David is pregnant with the principles that go to create and spread the spirit of friendship. True friendship calls for certain principles, and exists only in noble, generous, and virtuous souls. "A good man is the best friend, therefore soonest to be chosen, longest to be kept, unless he ceases to be that for which he was chosen," says a writer. Cicero said, 'Friendship is founded upon esteem' they are worthy of friendship in whom there exists a reason why they should be loved; a rare class, for in truth all that is excellent is rare.

"Friendship is the only thing in the world, concerning the usefulness of which all mankind agrees. True friendship consist of disinterested affection. Jonathan loved David, not because of what he might get in return, but because of what David was.

"Friendship unites in steadfast bond. It is not temporary, but permanent. Never was a greater lie stamped in hell, than that 'Familiarity breeds contempt.' This may be true among the ignoble, but not among noble souls. Instead, their mutual esteem and love increases as they become better acquainted.

"The friendship of Jonathan and David was confirmed by a solemn compact, which brings us to the religious element of true friendship. True friendship is manifested in generous gifts. Jonathan stripped himself of his princely robe, and put it on David. There is nothing too good for one whom we regard as friend. Jonathan sought, not his own, but the best interest of David. In his love for David he forgot self. This is all a type of the Greater Friend of Man who laid aside his royal robe and put on the weaker element of human nature to be born in a manger that He might make of us kings and princes of the Most High God."

The pastor pleaded with his audience to let the friend that sticketh closer than a brother be their friend. He would do for them infinitely more than Jonathan had done for David. He would lift them to their better selves.

Eat Chicken dinner Tuesday, Nov. 15, at the Episcopal Bazaar, Roof Garden, 5:00 to 8:30 p. m. Dancing at 9 o'clock. Good music. 99

Motors knock most when climbing hills. Men knock most when they are going downhill.

The freight rate on coal also serves as a fire prevention.

In The MOVIES

Enid Bennett in "Silk Hosiery" is the interesting title at tonight's production at the Imperial. Miss Bennett is seen as a model in a fashionable modiste's shop, and she reads fashionable books and regrets that no signs of romance are on her horizon. When she arrays herself in a customer's gown and begins to dream of love and wealth, some startling things happen. There is plenty of romance and thrills in the action, but the finale is in the nature of a surprise.

"The Great Adventure," which seems to consist largely of Lionel Barrymore and laughter, is the Wednesday feature. Here's some dope from the pen of an artful press agent: "Farll looked mournfully at his deceased valet. The doctor touched him on the arm. 'There lies Priam Farll the world's greatest artist. You were his valet, weren't you?' And before Farll could reply, the doctor handed him his own death certificate. He enjoyed his own obituary notices in the paper next day—and then made a horrible discovery. He had left a million dollars to a despised cousin and he himself had to live on \$5 a week."

Douglas MacLean is a race track gambler in his latest release, "The Home Stretch," which is the attraction for Thursday. Following the death of his father, Johnny Hardwick, who has spent his life on race tracks, finds himself heir to a single, but very speedy race-horse. Johnny carefully trains "Honeyblossom," the horse, for a final race, and stakes his entire fortune of several hundred dollars on the result. Gwen Duffy, the little daughter of a resort hotel owner, runs onto the track as the horses are about to finish and is rescued by Johnny. The rescue, however, causes "Honeyblossom" to fall, losing the race and Johnny's money.

Too Few Applicants For Civil Service Exams at Alliance

The Civil Service Commission invites special attention to the fact that in examinations held recently in Alliance, and other cities throughout the United States for assistant observer, weather bureau, and matron, Indian service, applicants were not secured in the number desired, and that these examinations will again be held on November 16 and December 7, respectively.

Persons interested in these other examinations should apply to the secretary of the U. S. Civil Service Board at the local post office for detailed information and application blanks.

Another dangerous summer craft is the hammock. Nearly as many young people become engaged in hammocks as in canoes.

A HIGH COMPLIMENT.

A high compliment for Rev. B. J. Minort and his column in The Herald, "The Parson's Corner," is contained in the following reference to this series of articles by an editorial writer in the Omaha World-Herald, who comments upon them in the following favorable terms: "The Rev. B. J. Minort of the First Baptist church of Alliance is author of 'The Parson's Corner,' which runs regularly in The Herald of that city. The writer does not waste his space in lengthy sermons or long expositions on Christianity in the abstract. He brings things home to the readers in real newspaper style and has interesting matter in his column which causes it to be widely read in north western Nebraska. Concrete Christianity of that kind does much good for the cause the parson represents, a good many people believe."

Race Meet Heads Threatened Unless War Tax Is Paid

The directors of the Alliance chamber of commerce face some unpleasant experiences in connection with the recent race meet, which left something of a deficit to be reckoned with. The federal revenue officers are on the trail of some \$260 war tax on the admissions, and threaten direful things if it is not paid. The Alliance men at one time thought this would not be collected, but the tax official changed his mind after the money in sight had been expended. Fines for delay have brought the total sum due up to nearly \$400.

Attendance at the Christian Revival Broke Records

The meetings which have been in progress at the Christian church for the last three weeks, closed on Sunday with record breaking audiences. The goal set for the Bible school attendance was 300 while the number who came in time for the record was 293. This was the largest number that had been present at any one Sunday school in Alliance and perhaps is the largest record attendance by any school in Box Butte county. At the morning hour of worship the house was well filled and at the evening hour every seat was taken.

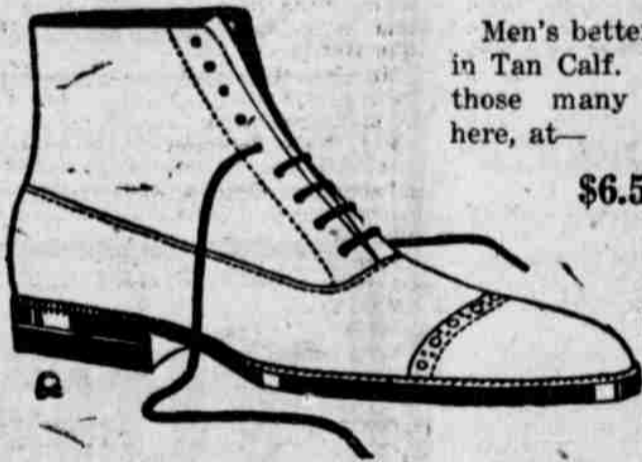
Evangelist Cooper preached some great sermons but none was greater than the sermon on the closing night. The subject was, "The Gospel Railway." For nearly one hour the evangelist held the attention of the vast audience while he impressed upon their minds the need of consecration which leads to perfection. He warned them of the mistake that many make by getting on the sleeping car which he called "indifference." Mr. Cooper will continue his work as evangelist in western Nebraska, with Alliance as his headquarters.

Stephen J. Epler, the local minister, who has given nearly five years to Alliance expresses himself as well pleased with the results of the meetings, both as to the additions to the congregations and the influence upon the membership.

DEATH OF INFANT.

Ollie Thomas Smith, two-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of West Lawn, died last Wednesday of heart disease. Funeral services were held Thursday.

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The house was filled to capacity last Sunday evening, the Odd Fellows coming in a body. The sermon was on Jonathan and David a very important topic to them. We appreciate their coming with us, and we hope to be true to the confidence they place upon us.

The singing was unusually fine and the men for once beat the women singing. The married folks also beat the unmarried in singing, showing that wedded life instead of taking the music out of a person increases it.

The meetings will be held every night for the coming two weeks and all are invited to bear the sermons and

come and sing with us. The pastor does the preaching, as he feels that he knows better what the city needs in that line than an outsider. We ask no one to tell our friends and acquaintances what is what, we take pleasure in doing that ourself.

The services will begin promptly at 7:30 and close as promptly at 8:30 giving high school pupils a chance to attend to their studies.

Any Zane Grey book for \$1.00, at Thiele's. 99

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. William E. Nichols, Hills Addition, November 7, a girl.

GIFTS THAT LAST

Forethought About Christmas

Christmas may seem a long way off, but really it is not. There is little enough time in which to secure those particular gifts which must be made to order, or sent for specially.

Each year we make for Christmas presents numerous articles of jewelry from designs submitted by patrons, or drawn especially for them. Orders for such work must be placed long in advance. We will be glad to consult with you concerning the making of jewelry to order.

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