

ANGORA

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Wozny and children and Miss Francis Micek were shopping in Scottsbluff Monday. C. M. Dove and Frank Skrivan... Mrs. F. W. Wood expects to go to Scottsbluff this week, where she will take osteopathic treatments.

HEMINGFORD

The junior class will present, "Deacon Dubois," at the opera house on Friday, April 21. This play will be quite different in character to any yet given. On account of the snow and stormy weather on Monday the Congregation...

AND THE POT CALLED THE KETTLE BLACK

By HANNY



SMILES, the Symbol of Good Health

Health is the prime factor in happiness. For without it all of life's blessings pale to insignificance.

All of the ills to which the human flesh is heir is directly traceable to the brain (or spine, which is really an elongation of the brain).

Now if the spine is only a slight degree out of alignment or obstructed in any way, illness of some kind is bound to result. It is a Chiropractor's function to see that such conditions are relieved.

Dr. J. C. Robinson in charge of

Drs. Jeffrey & Smith CHIROPRACTORS Over Harper's Store.

Albert Williams was a passenger on No. 43 Tuesday for Alliance. The W. E. Lotspeich family were marooned in Bingham during the blizzard.

BINGHAM

An Easter program is being prepared by young people of the church. Everybody is urged to come to this service. Several young hopefuls took the eighth grade examinations last Thursday and Friday under the supervision of Professor Dudley.

The two basketball games between Ashby and Bingham on the Ashby grounds last Friday afternoon were won by the Ashby school.

Extensive road improvement south of town is now under way. R. E. Kincaid and C. V. Townson are on the job with eight horses and wheel scrapers. They expect to do road work all summer.

Stanley Williams left Friday for Laramie, Wyo., where he will visit for a few days with the L. N. Potter family. He will spend a few days in Denver on his return trip.

Sheriff Bruce was in town Monday and Tuesday of this week. The only excitement was what he created himself when he dropped a cartridge into the furnace of the Kincaid store.

The Ballard family have been heard from. Friends will be glad to know that they arrived safely at their new home, which is three miles from Wilmington, Vt., and seventeen miles from Brattleboro, Mass.

"What to Eat in Cold Weather."—Lit. Dige headline. How to eat in any kind of weather is a question assuming larger importance.—Weston Leader.

"Germany faces ruin." But we must remember that Germany has two faces.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Agate Fossil Beds May Become Mecca of Tourist Hordes

(C. Durant Jones, in Lincoln Star) Away up near the beginning of the Niobrara river in Sioux county, is a little town called "Agate." On a ranch near that place lives Captain John Cook, and his son, Harold. But this is not a story of ranching, which though an interesting topic, does not indicate the purpose of this sketch.

It is a brief tale of a fossil bed, one of the two greatest in the United States, the other being located in California. If the average Nebraskan had spent a season in California, and had visited the fossil beds there, he would have a pretty tale to tell of his sight-seeing, probably unaware that he might have seen something just as wonderful in his home state. In fact, many thousands have seen the Agate fossil beds, and many others will pay a visit to this curiosity when they learn more about it and when the roads in that part of the state are put in such shape as to invite tourist travel.

The possibilities of pulling tourist travel to Box Butte and Sioux counties are just now beginning to be realized by the boosters in that part of the state, one of whom is Harold Cook himself. He recently visited Alliance and told the business men there the possibilities of tourist travel, and enlarged upon the value of the fossil beds as a drawing card in that direction. The Black Hills drew twenty-six thousand tourists last year, and it is believed that if the natural attraction in western Nebraska can be emphasized, both by development and advertising, it may become the mecca of great hordes of sightseers. About thirty-five hundred tourists visited the fossil beds last year, and with the expenditure of practically no effort, and it is believed that if effort were to be made in that direction, it would mean much to western Nebraska.

It may be a surprise to most people to know that thousands of skeletons of pre-historic animals have been taken from these beds and shipped to all parts of the world. These have been of inestimable value to scientists everywhere, in helping them to determine the origin of the various species. The library in the University of Nebraska contains a number of lantern slides, showing these skeletons, and the "restorations," exhibiting what the appearance of those animals must have been in the pre-historic days. The Cooks have a small workshop,

in which they have a number of exhibits stored, but which is totally inadequate for exhibition purposes. Not only are they cramped for space, but the relics are in constant danger of destruction as there is no protection against fire. The loss to the scientific world would be incalculable from such a disaster, and so the father and son are planning the erection of a museum, constructed of fireproof material, but which will be amply commodious to properly house the exhibits.

It is proposed to make the museum a replica of the old Fort Laramie, as is appeared in 1836. It is to be a hollow square, the two ends to be equipped for the display of the specimens that have been taken out of the bed. It is hoped that some of the universities or scientists or both may be interested to the point where they will assist in procuring funds with which to finance the enterprise. Captain Cook has already created considerable interest among friends in the east, in the project, and it looks feasible. It is hoped to raise a fund sufficiently large so that the interest will be adequate for the completion of the museum and for the work of further excavation.

Under the state law, the park commission might accomplish something toward this end if there were any funds for that purpose. But there seems to be none, so if these wonderful fossil beds are to be developed, and "played up" so as to attract tourist travel, some independent agency must be employed.

Considerable interest has been aroused at Alliance, for the business men of that town realize that if the fossil beds can be featured as a strong attraction, a cut-off from the Lincoln highway to the Black Hills can be constructed through that section, so as to include Agate and the fossil beds in the routing. This will mean some more agitation for good roads and the expenditure of considerable money for road building, for just now, in order to reach the Cook ranch, it is necessary to traverse some of the worst roads in the country.

However, the Agate fossil beds are but one of the many natural attractions to be found in Nebraska, and there would be a pronounced increase in state interest and state pride if each citizen would take as a slogan, on his sight-seeing trips, "See Nebraska First."

Mrs. Asquith says that American women are inferior to American men. Don't kid us, Margot.—Kansas City Star.

If the soldier gets the bonus, we don't know how long he'll have it, but let us hope it will be as long as it will take him to get it.—American Lumberman.

Advertisement for The American Fixture Company. Includes an illustration of a building and text: 'When You Plan Improvements in Your Store, Offices or Bank. Be Sure to Get Designs and Estimates from This Strictly Western House with Years of Experience in the Manufacture and Installation of Fixtures, Wall Cases, Show Cases, Interior Work, etc. All Made to Your Order at the Lowest Prices Consistent with Excellent Materials and Workmanship. We Have no Branches or Agents. We Deal Direct with you.'

Advertisement for Model Market. Text: 'You'd Be Enthusiastic As We Are. WE DELIVER 4 TIMES A DAY. If you were as familiar with the Quality Meats that we sell—at a moderate price. Not a few people have been curious about our quality, and NOW THEY ARE SATISFIED CUSTOMERS. Try our Quality Meats for your Easter Dinner. Plenty of dressed chicken, beef, pork and veal, eggs, butter, bread and whipping cream. This Market Is No Farther Than Your Phone. For Quality, Price and "Service With a Smile." If in Doubt, Call Phone 30—Jones Will Do the Rest. MODEL MARKET. E. K. JONES, Proprietor. Next to Fourth Street Market.'

Advertisement for a boxing bout. Text: '2nd Boxing Bout at the Roof Garden, Friday, April 21st. Papke and Flynn were supposed to fight in Denver April 12th for The American Legion, but postponed the Denver Bout to come to Alliance. RINGSIDE SEATS WILL BE CHAIRS—ALL BOUTS TO A DECISION. Alliance Post, The American Legion'

Advertisement for a boxing event. Text: 'Main Event---10 Rounds JOE "WOP" FLYNN vs. BILLY PAPKE SEMI-WINDUP "KID" FLORENE of Alliance vs. BATTLING JAEGER of Omaha PRELIMINARY LLOYD DOTSON of Alliance vs. COWBOY WYLAND of Yale Admission—\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00—No War Tax'