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 received at this office

Master John Elmore of Alliance
 is in town today.

Miss Kate Murphy spent yester-
 day in the city.

Miss Mabel Curtis is the poss-
 essor of a new bicycle.

Sup't. A. E. Neeland went to
 Alliance Friday evening.

Capt. L. R. Corbin is spend-
 ing the week in Hemingford.

May and Winnie Eneyart were
 quite ill the fore part of the
 week.

Rev. Wunderlich and wife
 were Alliance visitors last Thurs-
 day.

Miss Hamilton is enjoying a
 visit from her mother, of Stacey,
 Mont.

Mrs. M. H. Goodenough enter-
 tained the ladies aid society yester-
 day.

C. E. Haase has returned to
 Hemingford and has charge of the
 creamery.

Miss Pearl Liggett commenced
 a term of school in the Alexander
 district Monday.

Miss Mary Gill of Alliance
 was the guest of Miss Georgia
 Miller Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Richardson of Mars-
 land was trading with our mer-
 chants Wednesday.

Postmaster Johnson and C. J.
 Wildy returned from Hot Springs
 Sunday evening.

Mr. Rokey of Russel, Iowa,
 is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl
 Roberts this week.

Mrs. G. W. Sparks started
 last week for an extended visit
 in Iowa and Illinois.

Mrs. H. Thompson and chil-
 dren of Alliance visited with Mr.
 and Mrs. A. M. Miller this week.

Mrs. C. A. Burlew and children
 were the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
 E. E. Ford, near Lawn Saturday.

George Pinkerton went to
 Alliance Tuesday where he has
 accepted a position on the B. & M.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J.
 Adam Preis, a girl, Monday Aug.
 18. Parties concerned doing
 well.

"Mother" Shindler returned
 from Grand Island Sunday
 morning much improved in
 health.

W. R. Siders of Alliance spent
 Wednesday in Hemingford—tak-
 ing teacher's examination, we
 presume.

Johnny Shaffer spent Sunday
 in Hemingford. He was on his
 way from Oreville, S. D., to Cas-
 per, Wyo.

Charlie Triplett sojourned in
 town a while Tuesday evening.
 He is now stationed temporarily
 at Hot Springs.

Mrs. Joseph Moller went to
 Hot Springs last week, where
 she will test the famous resort
 for health.

Thos. Lee of Box Butte receiv-
 ed the contract for building the
 county bridge at Green's cross-
 ing on the Niobrara.

Frank Cheney returned to
 Hemingford Thursday. He has
 been visiting at his old home in
 Harrison county, Mo.

Mrs. L. B. Fenner and Miss
 Alma came in from Dunlap yester-
 day and spent the day visit-
 ing their many friends.

Mrs. Blanchard and children,
 and Miss Lida Bowers spent
 Saturday and Sunday at Lawn,
 the guests of Mrs. Broshar.

Rev. Garness left Monday
 night for Red Wing, Minn., to
 attend Lutheran conference. He
 expects to be gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Fenner
 came up from Kearney Sunday
 morning and are visiting Mr.
 Fenner's parents near Dunlap.

Emmet Johnson came in from
 the ranch Tuesday to get Frank
 Shimek to repair his pump. He
 reports his stock doing well.

The "Kings Daughters" of
 Marsland serve ice cream every
 Saturday afternoon and evening
 in the town hall. Proceeds to be
 used in improving the Marsland
 cemetery grounds. Farmers
 coming to town please contribute
 a dime to a worthy cause.

The Board of county commis-
 sioners has advertised for bids
 for the construction of a jail.
 During the last few years the
 prisoners have been taken to
 Grand Island for safe keeping
 which has cost the county more
 than enough to build two good
 jails. The taxpayers of this
 county are pleased that the com-
 missioners have at last taken the
 matter up.

Political.

At the populist county conven-
 tion held yesterday W M Iodence
 was re-nominated for county at-
 torney by acclamation. Dele-
 gates were selected to attend the
 the senatorial and representative
 conventions. Our reporter failed
 to learn who the delegates were.

The democratic county conven-
 tion was held at Alliance Thurs-
 day. The following were select-
 ed as delegates to attend the sen-
 atorial and representative con-
 ventions: W. J. Bean, T. J.
 O'Keefe, F. H. Smith, F J Bet-
 zold and W T Johnson. A later
 convention will be held to nomi-
 nate a candidate for county at-
 torney and transact other bus-
 inesses.

The republicans of Dorsey pre-
 cinct held their caucus Tuesday
 and made the following nomina-
 tions: For justice of the peace,
 Thomas Killeen; constable, Har-
 ry Pierce; road overseer district
 No 5, J. Adam Preis, and J W
 Pinkerton for district No 2.

At their caucus Wednesday,
 the populists nominated John
 Kuhn for assessor, Sam Hollin-
 rake for road overseer dist No 2
 and E Basse for dist No 5. No
 nominations were made for Jus-
 tice of the Peace or constable.

The democrats nominated W H
 Ward for Justice, John Eisler for
 constable, John Kuhn for assessor,
 Robert Basse for road overseer
 dist 5, and Sam Hollinrake
 for dist 2.

The Box Butte county Sunday
 school convention met at Collins
 chapel August 10, 1898. All
 parties on "The Program" were
 present except two. Opening
 devotional was led by Alonzo
 Sherwood and opening address
 was made by the president, Rev.
 Aitteberry.

Subjects discussed were "Shall
 we use independent S. S. litera-
 ture at the expense of our own
 publishing societies".

"How to teach a S. S. lesson."
 "Hints to superintendents."

Discussion of the subjects
 after being opened by an appoint-
 ed leaders were participated in
 by several of those present.

There were about forty-five
 persons present, a basket dinner
 was served and all appeared to
 enjoy the occasion. The Bap-
 tist church of Alliance was
 chosen as the place to hold the
 next convention. It was voted to
 hold a district convention at
 Canton sometime this fall.

Committee appointed to fix
 time. Rev. Kern led the closing
 devotional. It is recom-
 mended that each S. S. in the
 county send at least one dele-
 gate to the next county conven-
 tion as county officers will be
 elected at that time.

A. S. Eneyart, Secretary.

Mass will be celebrated in
 Hemingford on the 26th day of
 Aug. 1898, at 10 a. m. All should
 attend.

MICHAEL P. WALDRON,
 Pastor.

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

The stockholders of the Hem-
 ingford Creamery Company
 are requested to meet at
 the court house on Saturday,
 August 27th for the purpose of
 adopting by laws and the trans-
 action of such other business as
 may properly come before the
 meeting and every stockholder
 is urged to be present.

ALONZO SHERWOOD, President.
 CLARK OLDS, Secretary.

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 Signature
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 of that month. Tickets will be
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 linda, Neb., about July 4th, 1898,
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 ing, white face and feet. Kindly
 inform C. J. Wildy.

Lost—on July fourth, a gold
 watch. The case is some worn
 and has the letters M. B. en-
 graven on out side. The funder
 will be suitably rewarded by
 leaving it at my home or at the
 post office.

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 Taken up on May 12, 1898, at
 my place on Section 21, Tp 27,
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 brown color, with both hind feet
 white, star in forehead, no brands.
 C. KLEMKE.

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 years old. He is a thoroughbred
 and a fine animal; has never run
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 March 24, 1898.

Samuel Pitcher M.D.
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