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Circus Money.

Of course everybody wants to go to the circus. The question will arise, "Can I spare the money? I have got to have a wrapper and the children have got to have new dresses or aprons, and if I go to the circus I'll have to take my husband along so that he can keep the boys straight, and that means at least one dollar. That is, if the boys get in free, which of course they will do if they are boys." Here's how I can help you to your **Circus Money**. All day Saturday I will sell 10c pencils for 8c and 7c pencils for 5c. This means that on a wrapper for yourself and a dress apron for the girls you will save enough to go to the circus. That's all.
HORACE BOGUE.

DR. KREAMER, DENTIST

In Alliance 16-30 of every month. Office over The Famous Phone 397.

Business Local Column.

Advertisements in this column will be charged at the rate of 10 cents per line first insertion and 5 cents per line each subsequent insertion.

Advertisers should remember that THE HERALD'S circulation is much larger than any other Alliance paper and has the largest circulation in the city and county.

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OF HAY STACKED WITH THE HAY-MAKER'S FRIEND STACKER.

Don't buy a stacker until you see this stacker, at Acheson & Jodgers'.

This is the easiest lifting stacker on the market.

It is the shortest pull of any stacker.

We will be glad to put it in the field with any stacker.

29-4W A. F. SNYDER & SON, Inventors.

Notice.

Owing to the fact that the services of a United States Land Commissioner have been greatly in demand since the passage of the new homestead bill, I have decided to again attend to all kinds of business before the United States land office. Having had several years' experience in the work, all matters will receive proper and prompt attention. Homestead filings, final proofs, contests, etc., can be made before me at any place in the land districts in which the lands desired are located. I will also visit points between Broken Bow and Crawford upon request. Any violation of the land laws or irregularities of governmental acts will receive the proper attention when reported to me.
T. J. O'KEEFE,
United States Commissioner for the District of Nebraska.

Second Call.

As I desire to buy another roll of Summer California Oak Harness leather which proves most satisfactory, those indebted to me are requested to call and settle.
GEO. A. HILTS.

Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house.

Old papers for sale at this office.

Dr. Koons, dentist, Office upstairs Norton block.

See Humphrey for picture framing, upholstery and furniture repairing.

For Sale—Carriage and phaeton, for cash or on time. J. C. WILSON & Bro.

Harold B. Miller, M. D., physician and surgeon, office and residence 324 south Seventeenth street, Lincoln, Neb.

Taken Up.

Stray steer, at my ranch near Lawa, about two years, Hereford stock, branded VT (connected) on left side. Owner can have steer by paying all expenses. Sec. 31-28-51. LOUIS HOUWIGHOUSEN.

Free Trip to St. Louis World's Fair.

Trade at Norton's and get a free ride and 1 day's admittance to the Big fair.

We give a ticket with each \$1.00 cash or paid on acct.

We guarantee to sell goods as cheap and in most things cheaper than any other firm in the county.

Notice.

Persons desiring to enter homesteads or make final proof in other land districts can do so without going to land office. Address or call on T. J. O'Keefe, U. S. Commissioner for the district of Nebraska, Alliance.

Forest Lumber Co. make a specialty of manufacturing dipping vats.

Strayed.

Strayed from Alliance one cow branded IX on right hip, Keystone brand on side, white face. Please leave information with M. A. Standen, Alliance. 29-1f

Picture framing, upholstery and furniture repairing—C. HUMPHRY. 7-10-1f

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

General and Personal News of Alliance and Vicinity.

W. M. Fasket was down from "Spudville" Tuesday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Reed is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Higgins of Lakeside were in the city Tuesday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rehder last Sunday.

Grandma Elmore has been under the doctor's care the past week.

Karl Postrom and August Drevs were down from Hemingford Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Edmer were Alliance visitors yesterday, returning on 41.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Banks of Box Butte were Alliance visitors Wednesday.

Henry Armstrong was down from Sheridan this week returning yesterday.

A marriage license was granted Wednesday to Geo. W. Kalper and Eva Kimball.

Miss Mary Wavada returned to Hemingford Monday after a few days visit at the home of Will Reed.

T. M. Lawler went to Grand Island Sunday morning to see his wife who was taken there to a hospital.

Mrs. S. Albro will leave Sunday night for a visit with relatives and friends in Omaha and Council Bluffs.

Passenger No. 42 came in yesterday with two locomotives, the long train of cars being too much for the regular engine.

Miss B. Mangan left Monday morning for St. Louis and St. Joe. She will purchase a stock of fall millinery while away.

Rev. Father Harry, accompanied by Rev. Father Lecker of Crawford, went to Hot Springs last Monday for a few days' outing.

Mrs. A. L. Shipley and two little daughters returned Sunday from the Platte river country where they had been visiting relatives and friends.

Robert Graham has been busy this week out on his ranch delivering a consignment of cows and calves he sold recently to the Spade Cattle company.

Col. Wisner of the Bayard Transcript was in the city Wednesday. The colonel wants a printer and has a steady job for some one willing to work.

Mrs. W. S. Ridgell went to Crawford last Monday to visit her husband who is engaged on a painting contract for the government at Ft. Robinson.

The Misses Mary, Mid and Alicia Regan returned yesterday from the World's fair and also from a pleasant visit with relatives at Omaha and Council Bluffs.

Mrs. Will Acheson and daughters went to Fort Morgan, Colo., this morning to visit the family of G. W. Duncan and attend the Duncan-Cogswell nuptials.

J. B. Miller has been appointed general agent of the Old Line Bankers Life Insurance company of Lincoln, Nebraska, a fit recognition of past service for the company.

Miss Erna of Red Cloud arrived in the city Tuesday and will visit at the Hagerty home for a few days. Miss Erna will visit Colorado Springs before returning to Red Cloud.

Henry Brus, John Mrazek, Louis Barta and W. A. Randall were some of the stockmen from the west part of the county who transacted business at the county seat this week.

Horace Bogue will leave the first of the week for the east to purchase a stock of fall and winter goods. Mr. Bogue will visit New York and other sea board cities while on his trip.

There is a scarcity of help for the hay fields and the enormous crop in this section is keeping the ranchmen busy from early morning till dark. "Hay Men Wanted," is a familiar sign about town.

R. F. Bellamy, specialty man for Donald & Porter, Grand Island, arrived in the city Sunday from the south and left with J. B. Gray the same day for a trip to Sheridan, Buffalo and other points.

The little daughter of Fireman Rehder got hold of an antiseptic tablet Sunday and it came near ending the little one's life. Prompt attention overcame the poisonous dose and she is out of danger.

In the first day's drawing for lands at the Rosebud agency yesterday, of the 100 lucky numbers, 20 were residents of Nebraska. The first number drawn was held by William MacComack of Lancaster, Pa.

Rev. C. H. Burleigh came down from Hemingford Monday afternoon to meet his brother-in-law with whom he had had business. Mr. Burleigh also had other matters to look after. He brought down the telephone receiver of G. L. Taylor, living northwest of Hemingford to have it doctored up if such a thing was possible.

The instrument was burned out during an electrical storm and rendered useless. Mr. Burleigh also took an electrician with him from here to fix the switch board at the Hemingford exchange, which has been out of order recently.

Ed Wildy returned from New Athens, Illinois, on 42 last Sunday after an absence of several months in that locality. Ed is pleased to get back to western Nebraska, away from the humid heat and mud of the middle west.

J. B. Burke, publisher of the Harrison Press-Journal, is in the city today. Mr. Burke says that James Connolly was taken to the penitentiary by the sheriff of Sioux county last night to serve a term of eight years for manslaughter.

A. D. New returned today from Ellsworth where he has been for several days making improvements on his homestead which he recently filed on. Mr. New has disposed of his express business here and will move to Ellsworth soon.

Miss Inice McCorkle is home from a pleasant visit at Sheridan, where she has been for several weeks. Miss McCorkle will leave Sunday for Ft. Morgan to be present at the forthcoming nuptial of Miss Lulu Duncan and Mr. Percy Cogswell.

T. J. O'Keefe, U. S. Commissioner, will go to Bridgeport next Tuesday to execute homestead papers for a number of persons who desire to enter land in the Sidney district. Those who have business to transact are requested to come in the forenoon.

Among those here to attend the Worley-Thompson trial, which was to have taken place last Tuesday, were Attorney and Mrs. Fanning of Crawford, Mrs. Fanning is a daughter of Mrs. Worley's. Owing to the postponement of the trial for thirty days they returned to their homes.

A children's service will be held at the First Presbyterian church next Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Exercises by the Sunday school with a short sermon to the children by the pastor. An offering will be taken for Sunday school missions, Sunday school at 10 a. m. No evening services.

New potatoes are finding their way to the market. The crop is already assured and indications point to a productive yield. The grocers are paying from 60 to 75 in trade. New corn is also beginning to tempt the cityites and Sunday's dinner will find the toothsome vegetable on many tables.

The family of L. S. Mastrude, who moved to the state of Washington some time last spring, expect to return to Box Butte in the near future and again make this county his home. Since going to the coast state their health has not been good and hence their return to the invigorating atmosphere of western Nebraska.

In the list of committeemen elected at a meeting of the Parker and Davis club of Box Butte county recently organized, the name of P. H. Zobel of Box Butte precinct was omitted. This was entirely unintentional. A democratic club in this county without Mr. Zobel's name would be like the play of Hamlet with Hamlet left out.

Sheriff Reed left for Perry, Iowa, Tuesday evening with a car of horses which he will dispose of. He will also visit with relatives at Boone and other places. Clayton Reed will return to this city with his father in a few days. He has been attending Boyle's college in Omaha the past six months and went to Iowa recently for a visit.

Congressman Kinkaid passed through Alliance Wednesday on his way south, taking the Guernsey branch the same day. The good looking representative of the sixth district is taking care of his political fences in this neighborhood and is losing no opportunity to cast "de-lightfully" caustic smiles on every voter he meets.

The meat question is not only confined to the big cities and packing centers, but the situation has to be met in the smaller towns as well. In Alliance the agitation is being taken up by the hotels and restaurant keepers who are also affected by the soaring of prices as a result of the industrial trouble. This is an instance where an ill wind is doing no body good.

While out on a drive one day last week, Robert Graham and James Devlin had a lively encounter with a badger. Devlin chased the plucky little animal for a mile or less, and it was not until Robert came to his assistance that the victim was dispatched with the butt of a buggy whip. Devlin's description of the adventure is interesting and exciting, but he gives Graham all the credit for bravery in the fierce encounter.

Three strangers whose behavior was not up to the standard required by the city ordinance for the Sabbath found themselves in the county quab that day. Monday Marshal Boon took them before Judge Berry who after hearing the evidence considered a fine of \$15 each sufficient to cover the cost of the preceding day's indulgence. The prisoners were about town Saturday disposing of the time-honored

solid gold ring and a few other trinkets. Of course the amount of the fines exceeded the deposits in the treasury of the trio and as a result they are compelled to satisfy justice by "grafting" on the streets for several days.

Charles Elliott, who has been in the employ of the Burlington at this place as a machinist for several years, secured a like position in the shops at Chadron and has been employed there for about a month. Mrs. Elliott and the children departed for that place Tuesday. We regret exceedingly the change which takes this family from our midst.

A very religious man ran a store. He always told his clerks to do nothing that was not warranted by the Bible. One day he learned that a clerk had charged a customer \$3.00 for a \$1.50 article and took him to task. "Can you think of a Bible quotation," he asked, "that will warrant such conduct?" The clerk said he could and quoted this, "Behold he was a stranger and I took him in."

Mrs. Dan O'Keefe arrived in the city from Hemingford Sunday afternoon to visit with her mother, Mrs. Grandma Elmore who has not been in the best of health of late. These hot summer days weigh heavily on one the age of Grandma, but there is one favorable feature about it, they are of short duration and we will soon be enjoying the cool atmosphere of the fall season in which western Nebraska beats other parts of the world.

The son of Dairyman Ed Young, who lost his eye recently and of which mention was made the day it happened in this paper, underwent an operation last Saturday for the removal of the injured optic by Oculist Cook of Lincoln. The sliver of steel that destroyed the boy's sight was found in the eye ball. The other eye began to show signs of defect and the oculist was summoned at once to overcome the danger of greater complications.

Mrs. Abel Hill has decided upon one of the finest pastimes for the summer months, when humanity is anxious to seek cool places and enjoy the pleasures of the open air. The lady left last Sunday for Sheridan, where she was to meet a company of relatives and friends bound for the Big Horn basin, on a fishing trip. It is said that section of the country abounds in excellent trout fishing and no doubt Mrs. Hill, in company with those who make up the party, will have a grand time.

The Lakeside ball team has announced its intention of meeting the Alliance club next Sunday on the grounds in this city, and they will be here rain or shine. Our neighbors have been playing some great ball this summer and scores of 3 and 4 and 4 and 5 are a common thing with them. Well, it's a good thing the Lakeside boys are accustomed to such high-grade work for it will stand them in hand when they meet the local team next Sunday.

Tomorrow will be circus day for Alliance and no doubt there will be a gathering of humanity from near and far and perhaps it will not come amiss for the newspapers of the town to warn those who will mingle with the crowds to keep their hands on their pocketbooks and also to be sure they know where their watches are. This is no reflection on Gollmar Bros' show, but we all know of the element that constantly follows such aggregations to ply their nefarious games. Look out for them; and another thing, don't let you can tell under which shell the little rubber ball is hidden. In the spur of the moment you may feel confident you can pick it out, but take a fool's advice, don't try it.

Geo. Darling makes a special announcement in this issue of THE HERALD of the addition to his excellent furniture stock of other household goods such as ranges, cook stoves, heating stoves, tinware, enameled ware, lamps, dishes, glassware, woodenware, and all other necessary goods to furnish a house completely. This new stock will be here in a few days and will be the best that can be secured and at prices that will make competitors hustle to pan old stocks off. Intending purchasers will do well to bear this in mind and wait for Mr. Darling's large stock to arrive, which will be with in short time. Just read his announcement on the last page and you will learn what he has to say.

For Sale—Folding beds, good values, nothing wrong, we need the room and money.—Geo. Darling. 32-4f.

The Sterling Democrat comments as follows on the recent game of ball played at that place between the home team and Alliance Juveniles. Of course the editor of that paper favors his home team but nevertheless he is generous enough to give a little praise to the visitors: "The 'kid' nine of Alliance, Nebraska, came to Sterling Tuesday and tackled the Sterling kid nine. The visitors were for the most part several years older than our lads and yet they went down to defeat to the tune of 5 to 4, ten innings being played. The features of the game were the pitching of Floyd Ernst, the work of Louis Campan at short, he accepting the nine chances with an error, and the base running and work

of Sterling's first baseman, Charlie Pettit. The Alliance team made some sensational plays in the seventh inning, the second baseman and catcher each winning showers of applause from the small audience of fans."

Old Settler's Serious Illness.

H. N. Clifford, the well known baker of this city, is laying at death's door with an attack of blood poisoning. He had been troubled with a corn and while treating it the blood disorder appeared. A physician was called and it was thought advisable to send the sick man to the hospital at Grand Island last night, but he discouraged this proposition in the hope of his recovery at home. Mr. Clifford has been a resident of Box Butte county and Alliance for many years and is a quiet, pleasant man whom all regard. His wife died here several years since, and he has one son living in this county who is at his bedside. A married daughter, residing in Marshall county, Iowa, has been notified of her father's condition but a reply received to the telegram states that she too is ill and unable to make the trip.

Suspension of Sentence.

Word has been received that a suspension of sentence, pending the appeal of the case to the supreme court, has been granted by Judge Sedgwick to James Connolly of Sioux county. Connolly was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary for manslaughter, having killed Henry Miller last March in a dispute over a steer. The condemned man's attorneys declare that the sentence is excessive and the evidence given does not justify it.

Subject to Entry.

The local land office was in receipt of the following letter from the general land office at Washington this week, which authorizes the opening of additional tracts in this district to homestead. The lands in question have hitherto been withheld, but now that the matter has been settled the same are subject to entry and are specified as follows.

WASHINGTON, D. C. JULY 21, 1904.

Subject: Partial revocation of suspension of entries in Tps. 21, 22, 23 and 24 of N. R. 47 W., Nebraska.

Sirs: Referring to telegram "E" dated July 6, 1903, directing you to allow no entries in Tps. 21, 22, and 23 N. R. 47 W., 6th P. M. pending settlement of questions regarding school sections, I have to state that the question of relieving said townships from suspension having been presented to this office, I have upon consideration concluded that these sections in said township which will not be affected by a proposed re-survey of the school sections may be relieved from suspension.

The suspension of sections 10 and 39 and the sections immediately adjacent thereto will be continued, but the order of July 6, 1903, is hereby revoked as to sections 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 in Tps. 21 and 22 N., R. 47 W., and sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 13, 14, 18, 19, 23, 24, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34 in T. 23 N., R. 47 W., leaving still suspended in Tps. 21, and 22 N., R. 47 W., sections 1, 2, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 35, and 36 and in T. 23 N., R. 47 W., sections 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 35 and 36.

You will make proper annotations upon the records of your office, referring to this letter by initial and date as your authority.

Northeast Alliance.

Winnie Spruch is on the sick list.

Class Murphy is entertaining a nephew that he has not seen for some time.

Mrs. Moses Wright and children have gone to Broken Bow to join her husband.

Bertie Gregg is staying with her sister Mrs. Brinkman and attending the Normal.

Mrs. L. B. Ufford and daughter have gone to Iowa to visit Mrs. Ufford's mother and sisters.

The Roach family are making preparations to go out on the Hampton ranch. They may be gone a year or probably longer.

M. E. Church Notes.

The services will be held at the church in the morning as usual being conducted by Rev. Dr. A. P. George. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Song service at 7 p. m. "Next Sunday's Lesson" by Capt. W. R. Akers at 7:30 p. m. Address by Rev. A. P. George D. D. at 8 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Prayer meeting will be held in the basement of the church Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. C. E. Willis next Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Sunday school teachers' meeting will be held at the home of Miss Della Reed next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

"Irish Mail"! Do you know what it is? Your boy does and he wants one.—Geo. Darling. 32-1e

Russian Minister Assassinated.

M. von Plehve the Russian minister of the interior was assassinated yesterday. A bomb was thrown under his carriage completely shattering it and mangling the minister terribly. The assassin has been arrested.

The Great Strike Continues.

All hopes of an amicable settlement of the packing house strike has disappeared and since last week's issue of THE HERALD it has only grown worse. The strike has spread throughout nearly every department of the packing plants and thousands of other laborers have joined the original number who quit work over a week ago. It seems to be a battle to a finish and what the outcome will be is indeed problematical. So far there has been little rioting or trouble. In one melee in Chicago a strike breaker was killed and several others injured. The men are out in all the packing centers, and with the exception of small forces who are doing a little work, the packing houses are comparatively idle.

Contest Notices.

All persons contesting lands have the right to publish notices in any newspaper they desire provided such paper is published in the county in which the land is located.

Big Show Coming.

Gollmar Bros' Big Railroad Show is in the city today, and the city has presented an unusually lively appearance. Large crowds gathered along the streets to witness the big street parade at 10 o'clock this forenoon, and none were disappointed. The performance this afternoon was first class, and was greeted by a crowd which taxed the seating capacity to the ring side. Every part of the program was excellent, and many new and wonderful feats were introduced which won applause from all the audience. The big menagerie was just as advertised by the Gollmar Bros., and the numerous specimens of wild animals attracted much attention, including the blood ending hippopotamus. Tonight they give another performance, and without doubt will again fill their big tent. It's a big show and a good show and well deserves the liberal patronage accorded it.—Vindicator, Kinselaider, Wis. Will exhibit at Alliance, Saturday, July 30.

Strayed.

From my place, sixteen miles north of Alliance, about the middle of April, one yearling steer branded C. W. either on left hip, shoulder or side.

CLAYTON WORLEY, Alliance, Neb.

Here is a fine Home Do You Want it?

The beautiful residence built by J. P. Lynch and now occupied by him; located three blocks west of the court house in Alliance, is for sale or trade for cattle or horses. This property is modern; has electric lights, telephone, plate glass windows, house neatly and finely finished throughout, good barn and coal house; city water, two full lots. Those interested will please correspond with J. H. EMBERTS, July 29-31-aw. Lincoln, Neb.

Strayed or Stolen.

From my premises 12 miles north and 1 mile west of Alliance Friday, June 24, five head of two-year-old colts, described as follows: 1 sorrel gelding white face and white hind feet; black gelding; bay gelding, wire cut on breast; black mare, hind feet white; bay mare with small star in forehead. Liberal reward for information leading to recovery of same.

THOS. COLLINS, Alliance, Neb.

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