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FREIGHT CAR THIEVES ARRESTED

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MUCH JOY WATER—POLICE COURT BUSY

Reign of Quiet Broken and Drunks Are Jugged in Numbers Past Week—Much Doing

Affairs in police court had been more or less quiet for a week or so until Saturday and the first of this week when business picked up, there being a superabundance of drunks in evidence.

Louie Gunzalon, a Mexican, was hauled up Saturday and fined \$1 and costs, a total of \$6, which he paid. The charge was intoxication. Tony Ramis, now resting peacefully in the county jail for breaking into freight cars, was also dragged in Saturday.

A man giving the name of James Goodman was arrested Tuesday for being drunk. He was stung for \$25 and costs and as a result will work for the city fifteen days.

Robert Morrison found guilty of being drunk in the absence of any cash will work on the streets five days. Albert Thompson, colored, was fined and the sentence suspended during good behavior.

William Murtah and Steve Alek were fined \$1 and costs or a total of \$6 each for being drunk. They paid their fines. C. L. Walls had been reading about submarines and things and thought—after imbibing freely—he could plow through anything.

Dr. Curtis and Walls staged a scrap in the mud until Night Officer Hanley came to Curtis' assistance, when the two of them dragged Walls to the lock-up. He paid \$6 to the city. M. F. Leggett was found guilty of being stewed and was taxed the usual amount. L. F. McCarty was fined \$10 and costs for being drunk. He paid a total of \$15.

H. A. Deitch, special traveling representative for the Crow Motor Car Company of Elkhart, Ind., manufacturers of the Crow-Elkhart autos, is in the city spending some time with the Rumer Motor Company, distributors for this territory.

COAL SHORTAGE SERIOUS The coal shortage in Alliance and at other Nebraska points is getting serious. The coal dealers lay the blame on the railroads of the state which have placed an embargo on closed freight cars for Nebraska.

Should a serious cold spell strike the town the supply of coal now on hand would not last long and there might be suffering before more coal could be secured.

THREE PROGRAMS BY THE STUDENTS

Central School Children to Give Programs and Sell Things at School Building Friday Evening

The Central school will give its annual program at the school building Friday night of this week. The program, or rather three programs, will start at 7 o'clock, but the programs are to be repeated so that all will have an opportunity to take in all of them.

The Grammar grade will give a play entitled, "Aestheticism Versus Common Sense." The story deals with Grace, a girl who has gone away to school where her aesthetic tastes have been greatly developed.

The play will be followed by a pantomime which is said to be a scream from start to finish. The program to be given by the Intermediate grades will consist of a dramatization of Hiawatha's childhood, in two parts.

Following is the program to be given by the Primary department: Grown-up Land—An action song. Recitation. Little Boy Blue—song. What We Did Thanksgiving—exercise.

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TWO WOMEN CLAIM THEY RAISED THE SAME CALF

Sheriff Cox and County Attorney Basey Investigate Complaint of Loss of Cattle

Of late there have been a considerable number of complaints from farmers living northwest of this city who say they have had cattle stolen. The latest complaint was received by Sheriff Cal Cox the last of the week.

John Nikout claims that a red calf which was hand raised on his ranch and which had his ear mark on it was in the herd belonging to Charles Gregg. In an effort to find out who really owned the calf Sheriff Cox and County Attorney Basey went out to investigate for themselves.

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HUNDRED ATTENDED FARMERS MEETING

Most Successful Meeting of the Year Held at Farm of Art Groves on Tuesday of This Week

The meeting of the Box Butte county farmers' club, held at the farm of A. H. Groves, seven miles northwest of Alliance, Tuesday was the most successful of its kind during the year.

On Monday afternoon a slaughtering demonstration had been held at the farm under the direction of K. F. Warner, of the Animal Husbandry Extension Department and specialist on meats.

The basket luncheon at noon proved to be a banquet of such proportions that even such staid and old-time campaigners as Earl D. Mallory, president of the Alliance Commercial Club; H. M. Bushnell, Jr., secretary of the Commercial Club; E. G. Lains, Alliance merchant, and Lloyd Thomas of The Herald force, proved themselves unequal to the task and after enjoying the best meal they had eaten for months they expressed themselves as being in favor of a meeting (with the banquet, of course) every week.

Following the dinner Miss Mary Rokhar, extension specialist in Home Economics of the Nebraska University, gave a talk of special interest to the ladies on "Fireless Cookers" and "Pressure Cookers".

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MANY SAW LAYING OF THE CORNERSTONE

Local Masons Were in Charge of Services at Site of New Federal Building Friday

The corner stone to the new federal building was laid here Friday afternoon according to the Masonic ritual. When completed this building will house the post office and the land office.

Alliance Lodge No. 183, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons were in charge of the services. Andrew H. Viele, grand master of the order, whose home is at Norfolk, Rev. C. M. Shepherd of Lincoln, grand chaplain, and J. M. Freidenberg of Omaha, grand marshal, conducted the services.

The entertainment committee were hosts to the members of the state grand lodge who were here at a banquet given at the Alliance hotel Friday evening.

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