

CHURCHES

SCIENTIST CHURCH

First church of Christ, 301 1/2 Box Butte ave, Sunday service 11 a. m. Subject "Man". Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening service 7:30. Afternoon reading room 3:10 1/2. Box Butte open every Wednesday from 2 to 4.

BAPTIST CHURCH

These notes are written while at meetings in Angola. The meetings are starting out nicely, the crowds are fine and interest good. This week the prayer meeting was in the hands of brother Corp, and a good time was enjoyed. This next Sunday, previous to the evening sermon, sister Tibbitts will discuss the topic, "Safeguards for Young Girls." She will no doubt have some interesting things to say, as she thinks that men do not give a girl a square deal either before or after she falls. Come and hear her.

Let's have a full turnout at Bible school this week. The men's Bible class study further the subject "Sanctification." We welcome all ages, as we have classes to accommodate every class and condition from the babe to the old. Brother John Groce will hereafter teach the young men's Bible class as these have been without a teacher for several weeks now. Subjects for the sermon next Sunday as follows: "A Misleading Advertisement, Widely Read" and "The Parable of the Talents." Welcome to the church with a friendly grip.

B. J. MINORT, Pastor

CHURCH OF CHRIST

"Fidelity's Reward" is the subject for the sermon which the minister will preach to the young people next Lord's day morning. This will be stimulating to the development of the christian experience. We will expect a great number of young people present at this service.

At the evening hour we will join with others at the M. E. church and hear Dr. Theodore Hanson deliver his message on "The Public Welfare." This will be a great opportunity for all to hear this man who has had many years of experience in this work.

So many demands have been made upon our young people to repeat the play, "The Early Bird," that they have decided to give it either the 14 or 16 of March. The exact date will be announced later.

March 12 will be "Married Folk Day" and this will be one of the greatest services in the pre-Easter campaign. These are times for us to remember that the success of this work depends upon your efforts at personal evangelism. How many are you going to win to Christ? Every individual in every department at work will answer this question with results.

Come to the church with a message and a welcome.

STEPHEN J. EPLER, Minister

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Services Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in English. A series of biographical Lenten addresses will be preached in the Lutheran church. The sermon topic for Sunday afternoon is: "Judas the Apostle Turned Traitor." Come and hear the old, old gospel truth propounded from the Lutheran pulpit.

F. DROEGEMULLER, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH

Usual Sunday morning services will be held at which the pastor will preach. In the evening, there will be a union welfare meeting at our church at which Dr. Theodore Henderson of Denver will speak. Many people will remember Dr. Henderson, who was here about a year ago and was the speaker at a three days' welfare campaign held at the Presbyterian church. He will speak only the one night this time, and all people who desire to hear him must come next Sunday night.

The probable date of entering the new church is Sunday, March 19. The program and final plans will be announced later.

At the official board meeting last Wednesday night, plans were outlined for the social activities to be carried on in the community hall of the new church. An advisory committee consisting of C. A. Dow, Mrs. Inice Dunning, and W. R. Pate were elected with whom the pastor is to confer with regard to social activities and use of the rooms. It was decided that when the rooms were not in use by organizations of the church they were to be at the disposal of the public for various meetings and social events, upon payment of a nominal fee to cover cost of upkeep. It is understood, however, that the advisory committee with the pastor reserve the right to pass on all applications for the use of rooms, also that the kitchen with its equipment is not to be used by other than church organizations. Those wishing to use the community hall or gymnasium, should notify the pastor, as he is authorized to make all the bookings.

The cost of running the new church, with the enlarged social program, will be near 50 per cent higher than in the old church, where about the only ministration was from the pulpit, and while it was decided that no charge should be made to members of church or Sunday school for gymnasium privileges at the present time, in view of the increased cost of operation, everyone will be asked to become regular contributors to the church and so help, according to their ability, to keep the church going. Also, many of our people, in view of the larger opportunity for service, will be willing to increase their pledges toward the running expenses of the church.

MEARL C. SMITH, Pastor.

Wanted to Buy—Your fat hogs or ship them or commission. O'Bannon & Neuswanger. 17-1f

RAILROAD NOTES

Operator R. L. Shields of Ardmore, wife and children were called to southern Missouri recently, due to the sickness of a relative there. Mr. Shields was relieved by T. H. Naylor of Ansey.

A. H. Newman of Belmont was assigned first trick at Broken Bow, which was open for bid on account of the resignation of B. F. Williams. Mr. Newman's former position, at Belmont is now open for bid to Alliance division agents and operators. The second trick at Broken Bow has also not been assigned.

Fireman Van Holtz is on the market for a substantial watch and key chain. He says if it "ain't my keys, it's something else." After leaving a set of keys near a local station switch stand, the last one was to leave his watch in "soak" at Seneca, only the "soak" was a wash room in the round house. Both articles were recovered.

Conductor F. J. O'Connor left last Saturday night for Oklahoma, where he was called owing to the death of his sister who formerly resided in Montana. The body was being taken to Oklahoma for burial on the same train that Mr. O'Connor left on.

U. S. internal revenue forms No. 1099 have been mailed to all Burlington employees, that they may state the amount of income derived from their occupations during the year of 1921 for income tax payments. Owing to lack of back pay checks and a slight reduction in wage scales, the statements for the most part will be lower than for the previous year.

The Alliance-Seneca work train is now unloading ties and cinders between Whitman and Hecla, and expects to have this work completed by the end of the week. Conductor Ward and Engineer C. J. Young are in charge of the train.

A new schedule for telegraphers of the Burlington, as well as other railroads, was signed up by representatives from both sides in Chicago the first of this month. No one from here has as yet seen a copy of the new schedule and surmises and rumors are going broadcast about some of the new clauses. As far as can be learned no reduction in pay will take place on this date, although a clause will be removed whereby a telegrapher out of work may "bump" the youngest operator, regardless of having over a year's seniority, as has been previously the case, although this will only benefit operators displaced on and after March 1.

SOME DEFINITIONS NOT IN WEBSTER'S

(By A. J. Hayseed)

An Egotist—Is one who tackles things where others would hesitate, and without taking a proper inventory of his ability. The city boy who, on his first visit to the city, kicked a mule's hind legs with a stick to make him jump was a club member in good standing.

An Atheist—A narrow minded man with visions unusual. The tribe was numerous in the early part of this century, and made quite an effort to put the church in the discard without offering anything to replace it socially. They shot many poisoned arrows at the ministry while the battle was on, but lost. Are now almost an extinct race.

An Idealist—Is someone who believes it is possible to make this old world into a second balcony to heaven during his lifetime. One Otto Mutz of this state is the most recent addition with a book entitled, "A Christian Democracy." He thinks it possible to do away with all but the good in politics, and elect and keep men in office whose whole thought will be for the public they serve and never for self. Otto's county should give him a few terms in office as county commissioner or county assessor. The compensation in either is so small that he would need a sideline to be able to wear society clothes, but it would be a great chance for him to get acquainted with the public.

A Pessimist—Generally of the male species and not always long-haired. According to his theories, everything has gone to pot or is on the simmer. There are very many pessimists, and they may be divided into two classes. One tours the country on through trains in garb that would take a prize at a hard times dance. The other holds forth on his native curbstone and sometimes wears diamonds. Their tales of woe may be anywhere between how the razor pulled at the last shave to what an awful job the government did in engineering our part of the late war.

An Optimist—Is the pride of the nation and to be found in quantities in both sexes. They see some good in almost everything; meet difficulties with a smile and a tightening up of the tension of will power, and the battle is on again. They are the ball bearings that make the wheels go round on posterity's wagon. Many town people think farmers as a class a pessimistic, but this is a mistake. Among them are found the greatest optimists ever put on exhibition; otherwise they could not survive the ravages of grasshoppers, chinch bugs, drouths and hail storms. The talks they make on the street corners occasionally in the winter time, although they sometimes sound like it, are not real pessimism. They have been lonely on those snow-banked farms and just want to make a noise that can be heard outside the family circle.

A holdup man is one who prefers to pay for his money with years of hard labor after he gets it.

Federation of Labor Officials Condemn the Volstead Act

Repeal of the Volstead prohibition enforcement act and substitution of a measure permitting sale of light wines and beer is urged by the executive council of the American Federation of Labor in a statement which calls upon citizens to join with the labor organizations in a campaign with those objects in view.

The statement denounces the Volstead act as "a docile and moral failure" and "a dangerous breeder of discontent and contempt for the law."

The council, which concluded a week's session Saturday night, previously announced its intention to participate in the congressional elections through a nonpartisan campaign committee which will endorse and oppose candidates of major political parties, or enter independents if that course is considered most effective. "Before this decision was reached," the council's announcement said, "there was caused to be made an exhaustive investigation of the Volstead act. It was shown by this investigation that there had been:

"A general disregard of the law among all classes of people, including those who made the law."
"Creation of thousands of moonshiners among both country and city dwellers."
"Creation of an army of bootleggers."

"An amazing increase in the traffic in poisonous and deadly concoctions and drugs."
"An increased rate of insanity, blindness and crime among users of these concoctions and drugs."
"Increases in unemployment."
"Increases in taxes to city, state and national governments amounting to approximately \$1,000,000,000 per year."

The federation did not protest against the constitutional amendment embodying the prohibition policy, the statement emphasized, but considered the Volstead act "an improper interpretation of the amendment," and stood instead for "reasonable interpretation in order that the law may be enforceable and enforced."

Luckily, most people with hardening of the arteries ride in automobiles. Otherwise the announcement that garlic will cure that disease would make the streets unbearable.

The only daylight saving that is worth a trip is that which an industrious man salts down with true service. Daylight is not saved by monkeying with the hands of a clock.

The soviet government has issued trillions of rubles, making it possible for a man with a hen that lays an egg a week to be a multi-millionaire.

In the old days the youth was told to hitch his wagon to a star. Today it is a question of stopping him from hitching his roadster to a comet.

If Mr. Edison has all the anxieties about the future of the world that are attributed to him, the fact that he does not undertake to sleep much is not at all surprising.

The old-fashioned greeting, "Hello, where are you going?" is almost obsolete. It is quite generally taken for granted these days that it is to the movies.

IT WILL SAVE YOU MONEY

Our contract with the Royal Oil Co., of Pittsburg, Pa., calls for 15 carloads of lubricating oil for the year 1922. Our quantity buying saves you money. Quantity distribution saves you money. Compare prices. See us before buying oil for spring. "A SERVICE STATION FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE" HARPER-NEIMAN OIL CO. 4th and Laramie Phone 81

Your health and wealth can be helped by planting and growing your own vegetable garden—for you get sunshine, fresh air and just enough bodily exercise. Besides it's fascinating to watch things grow—and look what you can save. Send for our 1922 Year Book—it tells you all about growing and will not cost you a penny.

THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN SEED CO. DENVER, COLORADO.

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction, at the farm known as the old Eckman place, two miles north and one-half mile east of Alliance, on

Wednesday, March 8

Beginning after Free Lunch at Noon

the following described property, to-wit:

5--HEAD OF WORK HORSES--5

1 team of grey geldings, 4 and 9 years old, weight about 2600. 1 black mare, 9 years old, with foal, weight 1050.
1 black gelding, 8 years old, weight about 1600. 1 black mare, 6 years old, weight about 1050.

19--HEAD OF HOGS--19

12 HEAD OF YOUNG HOGS, weight about 125 apiece—5 LITTLE PIGS AND TWO BIG SOWS.

9---HEAD OF CATTLE---9

All good milk cows, some to be fresh soon

FARM MACHINERY

EVERYTHING IN GOOD WORKING CONDITION

1 Van Brunt grain drill, 8-foot
1 International riding cultivator
1 walking cultivator
1 McCormick binder, 8-foot
1 16-inch Moline riding plow
1 5-section wood harrow
2 farm wagons
1 hay rack
1 potato planter
1 8-foot Moline disc
1 Hover potato digger
1 Deering mowing machine, 6-foot
3 sets work harness
1 fanning mill

ABOUT 175 BUSHEL OF OATS

ABOUT 100 BUSHEL OF SPELTS

ABOUT 140 BUSHEL OF SPRING WHEAT, MACARONI.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

1 cook stove; 1 heater; 2 bedsteads; 1 cupboard; 1 kitchen cabinet, without top. Other articles to numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of \$25 or under, cash; over that amount a credit of eight months time will be given on bankable paper, bearing 10 per cent interest. Parties desiring credit will arrange for same before sale. No property to be removed until settled for.

FRED VOGEL, Owner

Col. HARRY P. COURSEY, Auctioneer, Alliance.

FRANK ABEGG, Clerk, First Nat'l Bank, Alliance.