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SEED POTATOES

From us. One car of Northern Minnesota, Early Ohio pure seed potatoes are now here.

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For they are going fast

ALLIANCE
Grocery Co.

Take Warning.

It coming to our knowledge that parties being infected with scarlet fever, have, in order to avoid quarantine, concealed the fact, thereby scattering the disease and endangering life, we deem it necessary to give this notice and say from this time on the law will be enforced to the letter. The fine in such cases is from \$100 to \$200. Anyone found covering up a contagious disease without reporting same to health officer or family physician will be subject to a fine. A special policeman will look after this matter in the future.

H. H. BELLWOOD,
Health Officer.

By order of
LOUIS BURCHENSTEIN, Mayor.

Retail Clerks Organize.

The clerks of this city met Tuesday evening and organized a union which will be known as the Retail Clerks International Protective Association. This organization is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. Percy Cogswell of The Famous is organizer for this part of the county.

Will Remain in This Country.

George Richardson, a ranch owner of the sand hills southeast of Alliance, has returned from the east where he has been assisting his family to start on their long journey to England. Mrs. Richardson and daughters Kitty and Hope and grandson Noel sailed Friday, April 24, on the White Star Line steamer Cedric from New York to Liverpool. The Cedric, by the way, is the largest steamship afloat having 38,200 tons displacement. Mrs. Richardson and the girls will remain in England for an extended visit and will take possession of property bequeathed them there. Mr. Richardson remains here and wishes it understood that he has faith in western Nebraska and that his interests are here. On the expiration of his lease to Sisco & Wells he expects to restock the Sandholm ranch and resume control of it under more advantageous conditions than heretofore. At present Mr. Richardson is occupied with business at Cedar Rapids, Boone county, this state.

Lace Curtains

At bargain prices for two days,

Saturday

AND

Monday

Fine lace curtains of this season's patterns will be sold at only a little above whole-sale prices, viz:

\$1.00 curtains, 79c
\$1.50 curtains, \$1.19
\$2.00 curtains, \$1.58
\$5.00 curtains, \$3.92

BOGUE'S



Dr. Horn Returns.

Rev. Dr. Horn returned to Alliance Thursday from his tour around the world. He was accompanied home by Mrs. Horn and son who met him at Columbus, Ohio, where they have been visiting for several weeks. Dr. Horn is the picture of health and tells us that he has missed only one meal during his absence from Alliance and that was during a storm at sea. He left here October 16th last and has traveled thirty thousand miles. He met with no accidents but has had many thrilling experiences.

Dr. Horn is welcome homed by his large congregation and a host of friends. A reception will be given him this evening at the M. E. church, Mr. Muirhead making the welcome address.

Whitfield Family Poisoned.

W. M. Whitfield, his wife, five children and Mrs. Ginn of Edgemont, who is visiting them, were poisoned Sunday evening by eating canned beans. They were all ill during the night except the oldest daughter and the baby, who had eaten none of the poisoned food. As the hours advanced all grew worse and sometime Monday forenoon Mrs. Ginn went into convulsions. Physicians were hastily summoned and for a time it was feared she would not survive but by the close of the day all were out of danger and are now completely recovered.

Elect City Teachers.

The school board held a session Monday night and re-elected the following teachers: Misses Susie Frazier, Inice McCorkle, Lulu Duncan, Katherine Duffield, Bess and Fay VanBoskirk, and Messrs Carson and Hayes. Five more are to be elected. Another meeting will be held tonight.

Salary Should be Increased.

Postmaster Tash has submitted to the Department an exhibit of the volume of business transacted in the office for the month of April. It shows the approximate population supplied by the office to be 8,000 and that he is handling the business of a second-class office with third-class facilities and compensation. Nearly eight hundred mail sacks were received and distributed, made up and dispatched during the past month. Mr. Tash and his assistants are obliged to work from twelve to fourteen hours per day and the present compensation is certainly inadequate.

The Maypole Party.

Much praise has been bestowed upon the Maypole party given by the younger pupils of Miss Minnie Morris' dancing classes at the opera house last Friday evening, many declaring it the best entertainment of the season. It certainly reflects much credit upon Miss Morris' ability as an instructor and upon her pupils ability to interpret the Terpsichorean art. It had a very good attendance. Moore's orchestra furnished music for all the dances by the class, Miss Morris playing for the others. We give the program:

Song—"I Got Mine, Boys."
Minnet—Virginia Broome.
Wirtz—Helen Broome, Leota Mollring, Gwendolin Johnson, Alice Morris.
Two-step—Class.
Varsovaitana Glide—Nellie Elmore, Virginia Broome.
Spanish Dance—Francis Lockwood, Gwendolin Johnson.
Tambourine Dance—Virginia Broome, Ruth Morris.
Song and Dance—"Won't You Play House With Me?"—Lama Johnson.
Waltz—Class.
Fisher Maiden—Josie Hampton.
Butterfly Dance—Alice Morris.
Manitou—Class.
Cream City Minnet—Kate Feather, Larma Johnson.
Umbrella Dance—Helen Broome.
Mirror Dance—Leota Mollring, Alice Morris.
Maypole Dance—Class.

Each number is deserving of special mention but space forbids. The umbrella, mirror and double skirt dances were especially beautiful. The mirror dance is Miss Morris' own production and is quite ingenious. A frame was draped at top and sides, the two girls were much alike in appearance and were dressed so that one dancing back of the frame facing the audience and the other dancing in front with her back to the audience gave the impression that the one in front was dancing before a mirror, their movements being in perfect unison. The song, "Won't You Play House With Me?" was heartily enjoyed and the young singer understands well the art of "singing to" her audience. One little tot, LaVaughn Moulton, who is scarce three years old, waltzes and two-steps in a manner that grown folks might congratulate themselves upon. After the conclusion of the program many of those present spent two or three hours in dancing.

Eight Pages Home Print.

This week's paper contains eight pages all home print without plates or patent medicine ads. The pages are also cut so that every advertiser is strictly on the "inside" of the best advertising medium in the city and county.

ENTHUSIASTIC CONVENTION

Expected to be Held in the City Next Week by Stockmen.

BIG SOUTH OMAHA DELEGATION COMING

Pertinent Addresses, Theatricals, a Ball and Races Will Make Occasion of Profit and Pleasure.

The arrangements are all completed for the entertainment of the visiting stockmen next week.

The South Omaha delegation will come in a special car. There will be twenty-five or thirty in the party and they will arrive on Tuesday morning and stay until Wednesday.

Advices received from outside points indicate a large attendance and it is requested that all who can furnish rooms for the visitors notify H. J. Steen at the hotel Charlers or Mrs. Johnson at the Hila Grande, at once, as it will be difficult for them to handle the crowds unless everyone helps and does his share.

One of the features of the meeting will be a band concert on main street each evening at 7 o'clock by Moore's cornet band.

The comedy at the opera house on Monday night, "The Old Dominion," played by the Sheridan dramatic club, comes highly recommended and will draw a large crowd.

The regular business meeting will be on Tuesday afternoon at the opera house and in the evening there will be papers read by R. M. Hampton, W. G. Simonson, Robert Graham and others, after which will follow a general discussion of questions of interest to all stockmen. All stockmen, whether members of the association or not, are invited to take part in this meeting.

Wednesday morning at the opera house Dr. Thomas, the state veterinarian, will read a paper on the hoof and mouth disease among cattle, and answer questions pertaining to cattle and horse diseases. Professors from the state experimental colleges will also make short talks.

Wednesday afternoon the fun will be at the race track commencing at 2 o'clock. The entries to all races will be free, and all cowboys are invited to take part. The judges will be picked after the crowd gets to the track and the races will be in charge of the following committee: Fred Mollring, E. A. Hall, W. O. Barnes, J. S. McKiney, Sheriff Reed, Chas. Brennan, F. W. Lester, and A. Blackburn.

In the evening the visitors will be entertained at the opera house, with a dance. At 8:30 sharp the children's class from Miss Morris' dancing school will open the ball with a short program, consisting of fancy dances and specialties, after which the regular dance will begin.

Considering the fact that it would be impossible to entertain all the town people and visitors at the same time in the hall, the committee have decided to have admission to the ball by invitation. Each business man in town interested in the entertainment will be furnished tickets of admission for himself and also three invited guests and it is requested that our out of town guests be the first to be invited. Invitations must be presented at the door with the owner's name written on.

The following committee will have charge of the ball: W. B. Tagg, chairman, E. C. McClure, Geo. Burke, C. E. Marks, W. D. Rumer, Geo. Darling, F. M. Rumer, Stanley Ray, F. M. Broome, J. R. Johnson, Glen Hampton.

Members of the reception committee will meet all trains, to welcome our guests and show them around the town and make them feel at home. The reception committee is as follows: Mayor Beuchenstein, Jake Kridelhaugh, Capt. Akers, R. M. Hampton, C. A. Newberry, W. W. Norton, H. J. Steen, Karl Swanholm, G. L. Turner, Geo. Clark, F. E. Holstein, H. Bogue, Ed Mollring, B. F. Lockwood, Marcus Frankie, Fred Raymond, T. J. O'Keefe, H. J. Ellis, Wm James, J. E. Joder, Thomas Olsen, D. W. Butler, J. Zbinden, A. D. Rogers, L. F. Smith.

The secretary will distribute the buttons Monday morning to the business men and will have the badges for the committeemen at his office in the bank building.

The committee has decided on blue and white for the colors for the stockmen's meeting and it is suggested that all decorations be of these colors.

Births.

Wednesday, May 6, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith of South Alliance.

Friday, May 8, a girl to Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Mastrude of Duncan's addition.

Mat Brennan Improving.

A letter from Mat Brennan who is at Phoenix, Arizona, states that his health is steadily improving. He has gained ten pounds in weight and has quit taking medicine as it no longer agrees with him.

New Council Meets.

The first meeting of the officials whom the people have chosen to look after the city's interests for the next year was held in the council chamber Tuesday night. The old board convened first to dispose of some unfinished business. The new board composed of Mayor Beuchenstein and Councilmen Mollring, Smith and Snow took hold of the reins and with little ceremony proceeded to business.

Their first official act was to approve the bonds of F. M. Knight, city treasurer; L. A. Berry, police judge and J.P. Hazard, city engineer.

The next matter taken up was that of appointments and the following were made: R. C. Noleman, city attorney; M. A. Shay, marshal and street commissioner; Albert Wiker, night policeman; A. F. Mollring, water commissioner.

The Mayor named the following committees:

- Finance—Mollring and Snow.
- Fire and water—Smith and Bowman.
- Ordinances—Snow and Mollring.
- Streets and alleys—Mollring and Smith.
- License—Smith and Mollring.
- Health—Bowman and Snow.
- Printing and claims—Snow and Mollring.
- C. A. Snow was elected president of the council.

The petitions for saloon license of H. S. Tyler, Coffay & Dowd, F. J. Betzold, Barry Bros., William King, W. N. Corneal & Co. and H. C. Armstrong and druggist's permit of J. S. McKiney and F. E. Holsten were granted.

M. F. Nolan asked the city to provide for drainage from his premises. Same was referred to the committee on streets and alleys. Two petitions for sidewalk and petition for numbering the houses were referred to the same committee.

THE ALLIANCE HERALD was designated as the official city paper.

Snow and Mollring were appointed to audit the books of the city treasurer.

It appearing from the report of C. C. Smith et al, that the grand stand is the property of the city, the marshal was directed to look after it.

Mrs. Oliver Hawkins.

Mrs. Hawkins, wife of Engineer Oliver Hawkins, died at her home in this city Wednesday afternoon, May 6, 1903, of paralysis. She had been very ill for the last five weeks. Mrs. Hawkins was born at Clinton, Ill., Feb. 21, 1869, and when a child moved with her parents to Creston, Iowa, where she resided till coming to Alliance ten years ago. The funeral took place this forenoon from the Catholic church, Rev. Father McNamara of Chadron conducting the services in the absence of Father Galvin.

Mesdames Geo. and Lizzie Adams of St. Joe, and B. and Henry Reynolds of Sheridan, Wyoming, sisters and brothers of Mrs. Hawkins, came to attend the funeral. The bereaved husband and relatives have the sympathy of everyone in their affliction.

Mrs. Brennanstall.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brennanstall died at the home of her daughter Mrs. C. C. Smith in this city Wednesday night. The deceased was sixty-nine years of age and her health had been failing for several months. Funeral services were held at the residence last night by Rev. Dr. Horn and the remains taken to Creston, Iowa, for interment, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

Junior Normal Instructors.

The instructors selected for the Junior normal to be held in Alliance commencing June 8, are: W. H. Bartz, Alliance; S. H. Martin, Rushville; A. A. Reed, Superior; P. E. McCoy, Norfolk. Miss Schlee of Hastings will have charge of the Model department.

Hood-Murray.

William A. Hood of Canton and Mrs. Eva Murray of Omaha were united in marriage Tuesday by county Judge Spacht. Mr. Hood is an old settler and a substantial stockman of Liberty precinct. Mrs. Hood is well known in Omaha, having been connected with a large dressmaking establishment there for a number of years. THE HERALD wishes Mr. and Mrs. Hood many years of happiness and prosperity.

Valuable Colt.

D. A. Foley is congratulating himself on the right of ownership to a young colt which is probably the best bred animal in the country. The dam is Lulu Labasco, 3:18 1/2 by Conqueror, 2:12 1/2. It is certainly a valuable colt. Will Tuttle has already made application for the job of training it.

The Official Paper.

At the meeting of the new city officials Tuesday night THE HERALD was designated as the official publication of the city for the ensuing year. We thank the new board for such recognition and promise that all proceedings of the city council will be promptly and accurately published as are the proceedings of the county, of which THE HERALD is also the official organ.

It's Like Reading a Good Book to See The New Dominion.

Mr. Edgar A. Martin, the young actor who will present the part of the German gentleman "Baron Von Hohenstauffen," who endeavors to win "Flora May Randolph," the pretty Virginia girl, is the theme of the story, comes to us it is said, fully equipped for this great character part and he will be assisted by the best local talent our little city has to offer.

It is said Mr. Martin has the ability to so thoroughly train and rehearse amateurs that their work under his direction always attains satisfactory results. The chosen cast are: Mrs. Wm. Frackelton, Mrs. J. H. Bradford, Mrs. F. C. Williams, Mrs. H. S. Martin, Mr. Ayen, T. A. Morris, Mr. Long, E. A. and H. S. Martin.

A play that is a connection of love, laughter and pathos has always been a popular play, a sweet, simple, little story, during the telling of which laughter and tears follow each other as cloud's shadows chase across the Big Horn mountains when bathed in glorious sunshine.

Commendable Changes.

The action of the city council in separating the office of water and street commissioner and appointing a night policeman is of apparent benefit to the city. The duties of the water commissioner are sufficient to occupy the entire attention of one man. The salary is \$65 per month. The marshal will also be obliged to act as street commissioner. His salary is fixed at \$75 per month and all fines collected shall be turned into the city treasury. It has frequently been said that whenever you want the marshal he cannot be found. When there is only one marshal you cannot expect him to be on duty twenty-four hours in a day, hence the need of a night policeman. His salary will be fifty-five per month. This service will cost the city but little more than heretofore and the advantages to be derived therefrom are many. The appointment of R. C. Noleman as city attorney, M. A. Shay, marshal and street commissioner, Albert Wiker, night policeman and A. F. Mollring as water commissioner, shows good judgment on the part of the mayor. All the appointees are competent men and THE HERALD believes they will give a good administration.

W. M. Fosket, Hemingford's popular auctioneer, was in the city Wednesday night.

Another consignment of war widows arrived in the city yesterday to file on homesteads.

H. A. Allison, a well known stockman from the hills, east of Alliance, was in the city Monday.

The Ladies Union of the First Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. E. S. Jackson Wednesday, May 13.

Father Galvin went to North Platte Monday to accompany Bishop Scannell on his visit to various parishes in that section of the state. He is expected home Sunday.

Chairman W. B. Tagg is doing lots of hustling for the success of the stockmen meeting next week and if every visitor does not leave with kindly feelings for Alliance it will be no fault of Mr. Tagg.

Dr. Horn has distributed a few souvenirs among his friends and he has the thanks of the editor for a coin which he secured from excavations within a few yards of the great pyramid of Egypt. The coin is said to be 1700 years old. He also gave us a shell which he picked up from the Sea of Galilee.

Sunday at the Baptist church, G. C. Jeffers pastor: Subject of morning discourse "Jesus' Appearance to Mary." Evening sermon, "Serving God with What We Have." Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Juniors meet at 3. C. E. meeting at 7:15. Sam Snyser, jr., leader. Midweek prayer service Thursday evening. A welcome to all services.

James Bellwood has purchased the United Presbyterian parsonage, paying \$1,275 therefor, and will be given possession of it June 10. The residence has been for sale for sometime, as the people of that church desire to build a parsonage on the vacant lots just west of the church and expect soon to begin the erection of a two story frame 26x28 feet with a 12x12 foot one story addition, which will cost in the neighborhood of \$1,500. Mr. Bellwood will use the property for his own residence.

Latest Improved Fountain.

L. A. Suprise has installed in his place of business an up-to-date automatic carbonate soda fountain, the virtues of which he takes pride in showing to his patrons. It has many advantages over the old makes.

Third Quarterly Meeting.

The third quarterly meeting for Lake-side charge will be held at the Luella church on May 16-17, 1903. A two days meeting will precede this, commencing Thursday evening. A cordial invitation is given to the public to attend. Neighboring pastors are expected to be present.

CHAS. H. BURLEIGH, Pastor.

SPRING

Is here and it usually brings good results to all

GOOD RESULTS

Will also follow if purchase your Easter fruits and vegetables for Sunday of

Lee Acheson

Phone No. 4.

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.

Dr. Allen, dentist, opera house.
Thornton pays six cents for hides.
See F. E. Reddish for loans on real estate.
For storm windows and doors see Forest Lumber Co.
Take hides where you will get the most for them—at Thornton's.
WANTED—A girl for general house work. Inquire at THE HERALD office.
For screen doors and windows call on Geo. G. Gadsby.
Buy your groceries at Whitfield's and get tickets on piano.
Forest Lumber Co. make a specialty of manufacturing dipping vats.
All kinds of screen doors and windows made to order by Geo. G. Gadsby.
A large bottle of sewing machine oil and a pocketbook for 15c at Geo. Darling's.
Do not forget that Saturday is the day Dr. Barnes is to examine your eyes. Office at Eagle pharmacy.
Spring rye for sale at forty cents per bushel. Three miles north and one and a half miles east of Law. —HENRY SHIMMER.
Dr. Barnes, the eye specialist, will visit this place Saturday, May 9. Examination free. Office at Eagle pharmacy.
WANTED—Cattle to herd for the summer. Plenty of good range and water. Four miles southwest of Law. —JOS. KAPER. 4-3-4W
Five hundred bushels of seed corn for sale. Samples seen and orders taken at Alliance Grocery. —C. W. LAMMON, 1 mile south and 5 miles west of Alliance.

This Space

Belongs to A. Blackburn who is too busy wrapping up goods to write an ad. now but later he will give you a pointer.