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NEBRASKA CITY TAKES BOTH GAMES

Red Sox Unable to Cope With the Strong Nebraska City Mink Leaguers.

From Monday's Daily.
The Nebraska City Mink league base ball team defeated the Plattsmouth Red Sox by the score of 6 to 3 through errors and bone-head base running.

The features of the game was the batting of Brewer, Hicklin, Droege, Fitzgerald and Mason; the fielding of Brewer, Johnson, Peterson and Bardwell.

2 base hits—Brewer, Hicklin, (2), Peterson and Fitzgerald. 3 base hits—Mann and Droege. Stolen base—Herold. Sacrifice hits—Droege, A. Moore, Mason, Johnson and F. Moore. Batteries, Nebraska City—Cass and Whitcomb. Plattsmouth—Bardwell and Herold.

Summary.

Bardwell pitched a fine game and with good support would have won his game.

Three fast double plays were made in this game: F. Moore to Metz, Brewer to Wells, Peterson to A. Moore. No Mink leaguer stole a base on Herold.

Brewer got three hits out of three times at bat. The score by innings:

R.H.E.
N. C. . . . 1 0 0 1 2 0 0 2 0—6 9 4
Platts. . . . 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0 0—3 7 7

1st base on balls—off Cass (1), off Bardwell (2). Struck out—by Cass (5), by Bardwell (2). Double plays—F. Moore to Metz, Brewer to Wells, Peterson to A. Moore. Wild pitches—Cass (1). 1st base on errors—Nebraska City (5), Plattsmouth (4). Left on base—Nebraska City (4), Plattsmouth (5). Umpire—Schneider. Time of game—2 hours. Attendance—250. Scorer—Gross.

The Story of the Game.

In the first inning for Nebraska City Brewer doubled to right for two bases, Icklen doubled in the same place for two bases, scoring Brewer—one run.

In the third inning the Plattsmouth Red Sox forged ahead, Mann flew out to Johnson, Bardwell bunted and was safe, Droege sacrificed, Wells to F. Moore, Beal walked, Bardwell went to third on a wild pitch and scored, when Wells muffed Cass' throw, the ball getting away from him; Fitzgerald doubled to right, scoring Beal, Peterson. Wells went out to F. Moore—two runs.

In the fourth inning Nebraska City tied the score. Johnson hit to center for one base, Fletcher singled to right, Johnson scored on Mann's bad throw to head him off at third—one run.

In the fifth inning Nebraska City got two runs, that sewed up the game. Hits by Wells and Brewer, coupled by three bad errors, netted them those two runs.

In the seventh inning, the Plattsmouth Red Sox got another run. Herold singled to center for a base, stole second, Mason struck out, Mann tripped to right field for three bases, scoring Herold. Bardwell ended the inning by hitting into a double play, retiring Mann and himself Brewer to Wells.

In the eighth inning for the Nebraska City leaguers, Brewer singled to right for a base, Icklen doubled to center field, scoring Brewer, Johnson out to Fitzgerald to Peterson, advancing Icklen. Fletcher hit through the pitcher, which A. Moore muffed, Icklen scoring on the play.

In the Plattsmouth half of the eighth inning Droege started a rally, when he tripped to left, but died on third, as nobody could bring him home. The Plattsmouth team seemed to lose heart and saw the game was lost.

Note.

A pretty double play was pulled off by the Plattsmouth team in the first inning. Wells, the first man up, reached first on error by A. Moore, but F. Moore, the next batter up, hit to Peterson who touched first, and threw to A. Moore, who covered second base, retiring both runners.

Second Game.

The Nebraska City Mink league team defeated the Plattsmouth Red Sox team through errors in an exciting game Sunday afternoon.

The features of the game was the batting of Hicklin, Hirsch, Peterson and Herold, the fielding of Cass, Beal, A. Moore, Mason and Mann.

One fast double play was made in this game, Fitzgerald to Droege.

Mason, Fitzgerald and Cass made sensational catches which cut off runs. Hirsch struck out 10 to Eisenhart 3.

No Mink leaguer stole a base.

Story of the Game.

The Plattsmouth Red Sox began scoring in the fifth inning, Peterson beating out a bunt and was safe, A. Moore bunted the third strike, fouling and was called out. Herold singled to center for a base and stole second, the catcher threw wild to second to catch Herold stealing, the ball going out to centerfield, both Peterson and Herold scored. Mason reached first when he was hit by a pitched ball. He got back to 1st when F. Moore dropped the ball to catch him stealing, thrown by Brewer, but was out later on stealing, F. Moore to Brewer, Mann out Hirsch to F. Moore.

The Nebraska City team made 3 runs in the sixth inning, Wells out, A. Moore to Peterson. F. Moore singled to right, Hicklin doubled to center, scoring F. Moore and Brewer, Johnson sacrificed Fitzgerald to Peterson.

NEBRASKA CITY.

Wells, 3b. 5 0 1 0 0 0
F. Moore, 1b. 3 1 1 9 1 0
Brewer, 2b. 4 1 1 1 2 1
Hicklin, c.f. 3 1 1 1 0 1
Johnson, 1.f. 0 0 0 0 0 0
Cass, r.f. 3 0 1 3 0 0
Metz, s.s. 4 1 1 0 2 0
Whitcomb, c. 4 0 1 1 0 1
Hirsch, p. 4 0 1 1 3 0

Total. 33 4 7 26 8 3

PLATTSMOUTH.

Beal, c.f. 3 1 0 2 0 0
Droege, 3b. 4 0 0 1 1 0
Fitzgerald, 2b. 3 0 0 1 3 2
Peterson, 1b. 4 1 1 16 0 1
A. Moore, s.s. 3 0 0 0 5 1
Herold, c. 4 2 4 2 0 0
Mason, 1.f. 2 0 0 1 0 0
Mann, r.f. 3 0 0 2 0 0
Eisenhart, p. 3 0 0 0 4 0

Total. 29 3 3 27 15 4

*A. Moore out bunted third strike.

Score by Innings.

Neb. City. 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 1—4
Platts. 0 0 0 0 2 1 0 0—3

Summary.

2 base hit—Hicklin and Hirsch. Stolen bases—Beal, A. Moore and Herold (2). Sacrifice hits—F. Moore, Johnson, Cass and Mason. Base on balls—off Hirsch (3), off Eisenhart (0). Struck out by Hirsch (10), by Eisenhart (3). Double play—Fitzgerald to Droege. Hit by pitched ball—by Hirsch, (Mason) by Eisenhart, (Hicklin). 1st base on errors—Nebraska City (3), Plattsmouth (1). Left on base—Nebraska City (6), Plattsmouth (4) Umpire—Rhynacile. Time of game—2 hours. Scorer—Gross. Attendance—850.

Cass hit to left, scoring Hicklin, Metz out Eisenhart to Peterson.

The Plattsmouth team got another run in the sixth inning. Beal walked and stole second and scored when Hicklin dropped Peterson's hit in centerfield.

The Nebraska City team won the game in the 9th inning. Metz singled to second but Herold threw to Fitzgerald to head him off stealing and Fitz failed to stop it and it went out to centerfield, Metz scoring the winning run as Plattsmouth failed to score after that.

A Candidate for Commissioner.

From Monday's Daily.

It is reported that Hermann Dettman of Elmwood will be an independent candidate for commissioner in the Third district. He announced three months before the Republican convention which met at Union, and was the only candidate for the Republican nomination up to that time when he was completely thrown overboard for a man who had never thought of being a candidate. Mr. Dettman thinks he was not treated fairly by the ring at Union and many of his Republican friends who think likewise have induced him to come out as an independent candidate. The Journal can say this much for Mr. Dettman that he is a good man and well fitted for county commissioner, and if elected will do the fair thing by everyone.

J. M. Young and wife departed this morning for Wayne, Neb., where they will visit relatives for a few days. They will go to Carrol, Neb., before returning and visit Mr. Young's mother. Grandma Young was eighty-five years old last Washington's birthday and is remarkably spry for a woman of her years. Mr. and Mrs. Young will be absent from the city about a week.

SUDDEN DEATH OF AN OLD RESIDENT

Julius Doehring Found Dead at His Home in This City on Sunday Morning

From Monday's Daily.

The neighbors and relatives of Mr. Julius Doehring were shocked yesterday morning to find his dead body lying on the floor of his home, cold and rigid in death. Mrs. Hollis, a neighbor, made the discovery about 7:30 a. m. yesterday morning when she went to Mr. Doehring's residence on an errand. Mrs. Doehring had been absent from home for a few days, having been called to her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Lillie's home near Murray to attend their little child which was not expected to live.

No one was with Mr. Doehring and he was in his usual health when Mrs. Doehring went to the country last Wednesday. The deceased was last seen alive about 9 o'clock Saturday evening when he talked with Mrs. Hollis near the Doehring home. It is not known at what time Mr. Doehring passed away. His bed apparently had not been disturbed. He lay on the kitchen floor and apparently had been sitting on a chair when death came, as he was lying on the kitchen floor, the chair tipped over, and one foot rested on the chair. The lamp sat on the table near, the oil exhausted. It is thought he died Saturday night shortly after talking with Mr. Hollis.

A doctor was summoned and his opinion was that Mr. Doehring died from a paralytic stroke. The deceased suffered a similar stroke four years ago, and a second one last November, but apparently recovered the use of all his faculties, but was weakened from the former attacks, and had not been able to work for a year or more.

Julius Doehring was born in Koenig, Reich Saxon, on the Spree, Germany. Mr. Doehring was married in the land of his birth on the 12th day of April, 1872, to Miss Christina Schwar. To this union four children were born, the children being: August of Omaha, Mrs. R. C. Jahrig of Cheyenne, Wyo., and Mrs. F. J. Lillie of near Murray. One son, Ernest, died in infancy. He leaves one brother and three sisters in Germany. Mr. Doehring and his estimable wife came to America and to Plattsmouth about twenty-seven years ago and have since that time resided in this city. During most of the years Mr. Doehring had been in the employ of the Burlington. Mr. Doehring was an exemplary citizen, a kind husband and father, and had the respect and esteem of all who knew him.

SPECIAL TERM OF DISTRICT COURT FOR CRIMINAL CASES

From Monday's Daily.

Judge Travis entered an order this morning calling a special term of the district court to convene this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of considering matters in criminal cases and other matters and causes not triable by jury. The purpose of the session being to arraign and read the information to Isadore Sitzman and Louis Keizer, charging them with the willful and premeditated murder of Mike Geno at Cedar Creek, on September 1st. Ben Baker of Omaha came down to appear for the accused men. Judge Baker is a skillful criminal lawyer and will probably defend the accused men at the coming October term of court. Sheriff Quinton brought Sitzman, handcuffed, from Omaha, and brought both men before the court to hear the reading of the information, which the law requires to be done in open court in the presence of the accused. It is likely now that the men will stand trial, and probably contend that their confession was extorted from them by promises of leniency on the part of the officials whose duty it will be to convict them of the crime to which they have confessed.

Returns From Session.

Rev. Gade returned from Tecumseh this afternoon where he went last Monday to attend a session of the Nebraska City Presbytery. The session is held about four times each year, this one being appointed for Tecumseh. Rev. Gade represented the First Presbyterian church of this city in the consideration of business before the Presbytery.

Attends Baker's Convention.

Charles Herger, the popular baker, departed Saturday evening on No. 2 for Baltimore and the east to attend the Master Baker's of United States and Canada convention. This convention is one of the most important ever held by the bakers of this country, and the city of Baltimore has given the bakers the freedom of the city. And the visitors are invited to visit the naval academy at Annapolis and take in the sights about the fort. Mr. Herger will go to New York city after the convention closes and visit his son for a few days, then to Chicago and Milwaukee where he will visit his daughter and son. This is the first vacation Mr. Herger has taken for several years and he anticipates an enjoyable trip.

DEPARTMENTAL WORK IN THE CITY'S GRADE SCHOOLS

From Monday's Daily.

An innovation in the grade work in the city schools was made this morning by the introduction of departmental work in the grades. By this method instead of having charge of a room, teaches one subject in several rooms. By this method a teacher has to make only one preparation and can devote more time to the preparation of her subject. Superintendent Gamble has contemplated introducing this work in the schools for some time and has made a careful study of the method and its results in many of the eastern cities. The board of education is heartily in favor of it and it is believed it will result in much good to students. The work was started in all sixth, seventh and eighth grades in the central building today. Following are the teachers who have been assigned to the work and their subjects: grammar, Anna Heisel; reading, Mae S. Morgan; history, Blanche Bell; geography, Clee Applegate. Each of the above named teachers has made careful preparation in her department. Each will teach her subject exclusively in the three grades. 160 pupils will take up this work today. Later, it will probably be introduced into other buildings and possibly other grades, but not this year. But two schools in the state offer departmental work in the grades, namely: Omaha and Lincoln. Omaha has offered the work for several years while Lincoln introduced it into the seventh and eighth grades last year. Miss Windham, recently elected supervisor of drawing, begins her work today. Everything gives promise of a most successful school year in all departments. The grade enrollment is about the same as last year while the high school shows an increase.

ANOTHER PLATTSMOUTH GIRL IS CAPTURED BY CUPID

From Tuesday's Daily.

A very pretty wedding occurred this afternoon at the residence of William D. Jones when their granddaughter, Miss Emma Stanfield, was joined in the holy bonds of wedlock with Mr. Floyd Charles Ralston, formerly of Weeping Water but late of Peru, Nebraska.

The ceremony was performed by Canon Burgess of St. Luke's church and was very impressive. Rev. Burgess using the ring form of ceremony. The happy event was witnessed by the relatives and a few friends of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Ralston departed this afternoon for Kansas City, their future home. Miss Jones was one of the most popular young ladies in this city and has a host of friends here who will wish her well. Mr. Ralston is a bright young business man, and holds a clerical position with the Burlington at Kansas City.

A Day in the Country.

B. G. Wurl and family and J. W. Bookmeyer and family spent the Sunday with George Born and family west of town. In the evening they returned home feeling that they had spent the day pleasantly and that they had been well fed. The day was very pleasant, the roads being in fine condition, the outing was truly enjoyed. Mr. Born is one of the hustling and substantial farmers of Cass county, has a fine home and many broad acres. He is surrounded by all the comforts usually enjoyed by our best farmers. Mr. and Mrs. Born are very hospitably inclined and they delight in entertaining their friends.

THE FUNERAL OF PETER MUMM

The Remains Will Be Laid in the Silent Tomb Tomorrow Afternoon

From Monday's Daily.

Peter Mumm was born in Schlesweg, Germany, June 16, 1844, where he resided with his parents until he reached his majority, when he came to America in 1865. For five years he did not settle in any particular city, but spent some time in many of the western cities, going as far west as the Black Hills. In 1870 he came to Plattsmouth where in the fall on October 14th, he was married to Miss Margaret Ploehn.

To this union nine children were born, five of whom with his devoted wife survive the deceased. The children and their places of residence are as follows: George H., of Spokane, Washington; August of Missoula, Montana; Fred H., of North Platte, Nebraska; and Misses Pearl M. and Rose L., of Plattsmouth. The children have all been notified of their father's death, Fred H., arriving yesterday and his wife this morning. August is expected to arrive this evening and George H. tomorrow morning.

The deceased also leaves surviving one brother and two sisters, his brother being John Mumm of Fort Steel, Wyoming, and his sisters, Mrs. Geo. Goos and Mrs. Hans Kemp, residing near this city.

Mr. Mumm was a member of St. Paul's congregation and was a man highly respected in the community in which he lived, honest and upright in all his dealings, one of whom his neighbors always spoke well. In his home life he was kind and affectionate and he will be greatly missed in his circle of acquaintances.

The funeral service will be at the St. Paul's Evangelical church tomorrow, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. Steger, pastor of the church.

MRS. STEPHEN BARKER QUITE SERIOUSLY INJURED

From Tuesday's Daily.

Mrs. Steve Barker met with a serious accident this morning about 10 o'clock as she was driving home from town with a single horse and buggy. The accident happened near George Meisinger's who lives two miles west and a half mile north of Mynard, and about two miles from Mrs. Barker's home. S. L. Thomas, C. C. Thomas and Jack Patterson had gone to Mr. Meisinger's for E. Manspecker's auto and had started with the machine behind the car in which they had gone out. They were about two blocks behind Mrs. Barker when the accident occurred. They saw the horse trotting, and noticed the buggy leave the beaten track and turn over, pitching Mrs. Barker out on her head. They went to her assistance and found her unconscious. They put her in their car and hurried to her home, called Dr. Brendel from Murray and notified Mr. Barker who was in the field and awaiting the coming of the physician.

Mrs. Barker was partly revived and had lucid intervals when Messrs. Thomas and Patterson left. They 'phoned out about 2:30 this afternoon and learned that the injured lady was resting quite well but she does not know how the accident happened, except the patent fastener on one shaft came loose, leaving but one side attached, this drew the buggy to one side, throwing it over and throwing her out. The horse broke loose from the buggy and ran home with the shafts, not injuring the buggy.

A Fine Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge W. H. Newell returned yesterday morning from a week's visit at various eastern points. Mrs. Newell accompanied Mr. Newell as far as Chicago where she remained for the week visiting James Newell and wife who are located there now. Mr. Newell after a brief visit at Chicago went to Columbus, O., where he attended a reunion of the 91st Regiment of Ohio volunteer infantry of which he was a member during the war. Mr. Newell reports a delightful trip and a most enjoyable visit among his old comrades.

Smoke "Acorns" the cigar with a reputation. Made by Ptak & Bajack

MISS ISABEL TODD CELEBRATES FIFTEENTH BIRTHDAY

The pleasant country home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Todd was the scene of a delightful birthday party Saturday evening when their daughter, Miss Isabel, entertained a large number of her friends in a very charming manner. The occasion was in honor of the young lady's fifteenth birthday anniversary. Various games were played which furnished plenty of amusement and occasioned considerable merriment. Cox's orchestra of Omaha was present and during the evening contributed several musical selections which was most highly appreciated by those fortunate enough to be present. Mr. Jamison of Omaha also rendered a number of vocal selections in a very pleasing manner and which the company enjoyed very much. At the proper time refreshments, consisting of cake and punch were served which further augmented the pleasures of the evening. Miss Isabel received many beautiful gifts which will assist her in remembering this birthday anniversary.

Those in attendance were: Miss Minnie Richards, Miss Neal, Messrs. Jean Jones, Robert Smiley, Mr. Martin, Richard Clark, Jamison, all of Omaha, Misses Edna and Cora Meisinger, Bernice Richards, May Glenn, Myrtle Thomas, Bertha Smith, Silvia Stander, Eleanor Todd, Fanny Will, Sophronia Pelton, Anna Steppat, Anna Deutch, Miss Vetter of Illinois, Messrs. Clarence Meisinger, Mr. Kaffenberger and sisters, John Stander, Hugh Stander, Albert Wiles, Glenn Wiles, Myron Wiles, John Schultz, Eddie Steppat, Emil and Will Meisinger.

THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN BELL AND INDEPENDENTS

The scene of the struggle between the Bell and Independent telephone systems, a fight that has been brewing ever since the independents began operation in the state, was transferred from Omaha to the supreme court today. The independents, through a suit brought by the attorney general, wish to oust the Bell company from the state, to enjoy it from making connections with other independent companies that it now operates with and to force it to sever its connections taken over at Plattsmouth, Nebraska City and Papillion. The Bell company filed answers in supreme court Saturday charging that the independents constitute the trust in this state, that the independents have organized to kill competition and that the ouster suit against the Bell people is brought not by the state in the interest of the people, but in the interest of the opposing corporation.

The purchase of a controlling interest in the independent companies at Papillion, Plattsmouth and Nebraska City is admitted, but it is asserted that the solos were made in good faith and that they are not in violation of the Junkin anti-trust law.

Bellevue College Opening.

Bellevue college begins its 27th year this week with fine prospects. A largely increased attendance is assured. The faculty in the main remains as last year. Dr. C. K. Hoyt, Dean Robert S. Calder and Prof. Oscar Schmiedel, highly valued members of the faculty, have declined positions in other institutions to remain here. Dr. George Hamilton, son of the well known American painter of that name and a graduate of Oxford university, has accepted the chair of latin. Prof. William Nichol, an alumnus of the college, and a graduate of Princeton seminary, with graduate work in Edinburgh university, comes from Hastings college to take the chair of education in his Alma Mater. Bert McCoy, captain of the Drake university football team of 1908 and member of the All Iowa team for that year, is on the ground as director of athletics. The trustees have approved the new department of domestic economy to the headship of which Miss Helen Pierce of the university of Wisconsin has been called.

C. A. McReynolds and Otis McNurllin of Murray were looking after business matters in this city today and were pleasant callers at this office. Mr. McReynolds left the price of another year's subscription for which please accept our heartiest thanks.