

Another Anniversary

To-day, June 5th, is the 7th. anniversary of the great June flood and cyclone that wrought such destruction in and around Loup City and swept so much property away at Dannebrog and other places.

The Falls City merchants, according to the Journal, published at that place, are grieving sorely because the big overflow along the Nemaha bottom is preventing people from coming to town to trade and say that high turnpike roads should be thrown up so that the people could wade through.

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Decoration Day At Loup City.

The ladies of the Grand Army of this place have the pleasure of feeling and knowing that their efforts in arranging and carrying out a program for Decoration day, has, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, been attended with success.

Here a beautiful and impressive program was carried out. The exercises were opened by an appropriate selection by the choir which was made up from the best musical talent in the city.

The first speaker introduced was the Hon. Robert F. Starr, of the Aurora bar, of Hamilton county. Mr. Starr made a most impressive address and his eulogy of the old veterans was a fitting tribute of respect to their memory.

Senator Wall was the speaker of the day, and he made a most fitting and eloquent address. He pictured the battle field, its great results and ultimate triumph for the boys in blue and the preservation of the Union. His speech will long be remembered as one of the ablest ever made here in our history of the observance of Decoration day.

The stage was beautifully decorated with flowers, flags and bunting, and in the back ground hung the portrait of the late beloved president, Wm. McKinley.

Owing to the extremely muddy roads and drizzling rain the continuance of service, which were arranged for at the cemetery, were postponed, but quite a crowd accompanied the committee in the afternoon to the burying grounds.

In the evening the opera house was well filled with people who very much enjoyed the musical concert given by the G. A. R. circle.

Flood Notes.

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In the Des Moines valley from Spirit Lake to the Missouri river the entire bottoms were covered with water and the damage to the corn crop is inestimable. In Fort Dodge, Bokne, Madrid Des Moines, Ottumwa and other points fully 500 homes have been inundated by the waters. In Des Moines alone the damage is estimated at \$500,000.

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Great floods and destructive cyclones have swept over Missouri, Oklahoma and Kansas and the damage to property is unestimable. Telegraph and telephone lines were laid low, railroad tracks were in a great many places washed out, large bridges swept away and farm and city residences wrecked by the fury of the wind and water.

As a fisherman, ex-President Cleveland is proving quite a success. He quietly sits and occasionally throws out a new and inoffensive bait and every little democratic and populist paper from the Commoner down continues to nibble. —Custer County Republican.

CLASS OF 1903.

Hundreds of People Gather to Attend the Seventh Commencement Exercises of the Loup City High School.

GRADUATE WITH HONORS.

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, the bad condition of the roads and streets; the opera house, with a capacity of more than 500 was packed as full as it could hold to witness the commencement exercises of the graduating class of 1903 of the Loup City High School, and which came off as arranged last Tuesday evening, June 2nd.

The work of decorating the stage, which was indeed very artistically done, may be credited largely to the junior class or 9th. grade students. It would be hard for any committee on decoration to have done a prettier job. To this class to, may be attributed the praise of assisting, in many ways to make the evening pleasant for everyone.

The first number on the program was a march played by Miss Ernestine Odendahl and to the beautiful strains of music the eleven graduating members, headed by Prof. Mead, marched single file up the center aisle and took their respective positions in a semi-circle on the stage. They presented a pretty appearance and from the first won the hearts and admiration of that vast audience.

The members of the class are Edith Ray Henry, Ella Taylor, Grace Agnes Taylor, Edna Lottie Lee, Rosa Ella Rowe, Minnie Clara Bechtold, Elizabeth Zimmerman, Lucy Alberta Grow, Beatrice Hilda Nightingale, Marvin Lee, and Edith May Angier.

After the class had taken their position on the stage Prof. Mead stepped forward and announced the object of the gathering and then called upon Rev. Madely for the invocation. Mr. Madely made a splendid prayer. He ask Almighty God to bestow his blessings upon the class and those who assembled to hear them in their final effort as students of the Loup City school.

The first number given was the Salutatory by Edith Ray Henry. Her selection was entitled "Where Brooks and Rivers Meet." Miss Henry is to be congratulated for having give the audience a rare treat in the selection of a very appropriate subject and the way in which she handled it. Her's was but the beginning of what was to follow, but she started them out with confidence and took her seat amid great applause.

Miss Ella Taylor was next to come forth. She produced a beautiful piano solo, "Shells of the Ocean." The playing was simply perfection and showed that she had given careful study and received the best of training. The applause which she received must have been gratifying, both to her and all of her admiring friends.

Grace Taylor, whose recitation was entitled "The Classmates," was the third graduate on the program, and to say the least she did equally as well as those who proceeded her and recieved a hearty applause.

Miss Elizabeth Zimmerman in presenting the "Class History" won the admiration of all present. Her reference to each member was full of happy sentiment and mirth and at every turn brought laughter and she took her seat amid a round of applause.

No less cheering was done by the assemblage when Miss Edna Lee presented the "Class Prophecy" and her brother Marvin gave the Valedictory.

Both made eloquent and praiseworthy reference to the school, the teachers and patrons, Marvin was not unmindful of the kindness of his junior classmates and gave them such advise as to win their hearts and affections. Miss Edna won the scholarship for having the highest grade in her class.

Miss Rosa Rowe gave the oration "Duty before Glory." Her voice was clear and her manner suggestive and impressive. As an elocutionist she was a decided success.

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ROAD NOTICE. To all whom it may concern: The commissioner appointed to vacate a road commencing at the south east corner of the north east quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Township Fifteen (15), Range Fourteen (14), in Sherman county, Nebraska, and running thence in a north westerly direction through the north half of section 27, 15, 14, and terminating at the north line of the north west quarter of said section 27, 15, 14, has reported in favor of the vacation thereof and all objections thereto or claims for damages must be filed in the office of the County Clerk, on or before noon of the 24th day of June, 1903, or such road will be vacated without reference thereto. Dated this 24th day of April, 1903. GEO. H. GIBSON, County Clerk.

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was entitled "The Last Banquet." By some it is thought that gesture is out of place in a school girl, others have the reverse opinion, if this be so Miss Minnie led the class so far as that point is concerned. She did not gesture, but stood quiet and in a clear voice, recited her piece without a break. Her's however was a very hard selection but never-the less she did well.

Miss Lucy Grow had for her recitation the selection "Higher" and Edith Angier a beautiful class poem entitled "It is all over now." They were both good and pleased the audience very much. Miss Grow has a fine voice and made an excellent appearance. The selection was just suited to her, and she made the most of her subject. Miss Angier's production was very interesting and her efforts was favorably commented upon by all.

"Grand Valse de Concert" was the piano solo rendered by Miss Beatrice Nightingale and although we have it last here, it was not last or least on the program. It was a difficult selection to play but she mastered it in a most charming manner and when she had done the house went wild with delight.

Each in their turn were presented with handsome bouquets of flowers and many useful and costly presents. Senator Wall, according to previous arrangements, was then called upon to present the diplomas and his remarks were pleasing to both the class and to the audience. Mr. Wall made quite an extended address and no doubt the class will be greatly benefited and much encouraged by the kindly advice he gave them.

Rev. Madely then pronounced the benediction.

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