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Celebrate the Fourth.

Wednesday was most decidedly the small boy's and small girl's Fourth of July in North Platte and they enjoyed it to the utmost until the thunder storm came up in the afternoon and rather dampened their ardor. The morning was devoted to seeing how much powder it was possible to burn in a short time and how much racket could be made. Occasionally a Sabbath-like stillness would descend and their elders would begin to wonder if the youngsters had been taken suddenly ill but a redoubled noise in a few moments soon proved that they were still very much alive.

In the afternoon the races which had been arranged by several of the merchants came off on Dewey street. They attracted a large crowd of children and a fair sprinkling of grown people. A goodly number of contestants were entered in every race and considerable enthusiasm developed. Capt. Hamilton acted as a starter. Unfortunately when the program of races was only about half over a thunder shower came up and then the principal race was to see which could get under cover first. As the showers kept coming up every few minutes the program was not resumed.

When the shades of evening began to fall the aforesaid small boy and small girl retired to their homes feeling that the day had been a very glorious one although McKee's terrors had been licked.

Break Even.

The two games of ball played at Kearney this week between teams of that and this city resulted in a break even. Tuesday's game, which was one of the best ever played in Kearney, resulted in a score of 3 to 1 in favor of North Platte. The following day the score stood 11 to 8 in favor of Kearney. The latter game was won in the fifth inning when through costly errors the Kearneyites scored six runs. The game was played in a blinding dust storm that made it exceedingly disagreeable for both players and spectators. Lawler of Omaha was imported to pitch for Kearney, and they also played Hofmeister of Grand Island.

The North Platte team is stronger than Kearney and can defeat the latter in eight games out of ten, at least we would wager a little on that proposition. Had the North Plattes played their customary game Wednesday, the score would have been different.

While catching in Wednesday's game at Kearney, Joe Schwaiger was struck on the left hand with a bat, breaking the ligaments in his index finger. He bravely caught the game until the ninth inning when he retired.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Forty visitors appreciated the open rooms for rest and reading on the Fourth and some expressed their pleasure to the secretary.

Financial statement for June:
Balance from May \$ 6 18
Received..... 340 11

Total receipts.....\$346 29
Expended..... 339 35
Balance on hand..... 6 94
Unpaid bills.....\$33 36

If members will renew and others desiring the prosperity of the association become members this debt of \$33.35 will vanish and the association will be in fine condition by August 1st.

A. M. Mason will speak to men at 3 o'clock p. m. Sunday, July 8th. Topic, "For what was man created." All men welcome.

J. SHEPPARD, Sec'y.

A resident of Brady writes us that the celebration held there on the Fourth was attended by a crowd numbering nearly one thousand. The Cozad band furnished music for the occasion, there were horse races, a ball game, and a number of other athletic events. It was withal the biggest day Brady ever had, and the committee felt proud of its efforts.

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Business Change.

Tuesday afternoon Milton Doolittle bought C. M. Newton's stock of goods and at once took possession. Negotiations for the purchase of the stock had been pending for several weeks, but was not finally consummated until Tuesday.

Mr. Doolittle will continue to carry the same lines of goods and will probably add others. He is an up-to-date business man, and will no doubt maintain the large volume of business which has been transacted at the store.

Mr. Newton's plans for the future are indefinite, but he will not remove from the city for some time, and may continue to be a permanent citizen.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS.

July 2, 1900.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, present, Woodhurst and McNeil commissioners and county clerk.

J. R. Chapin is hereby appointed road overseer of Dist. No. 55, and his official bond approved.

Bill of Gus Linden overseer Dist. No. 7 for the year 1899 for \$14.00 allowed on said road district fund and certificate issued therefore.

Bill of James R. Ray poor master for cash items allowed on the general fund for \$6.92.

July 3, 1900.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; present commissioners Woodhurst and McNeil and county clerk.

Petition of W. W. Birge and other citizens and tax payers of North Platte asking the board of county commissioners to expend such a part of the road fund of the county as will be necessary to make the road from North Platte to Gandy in condition, received and under consideration.

Bills allowed as follows: The Telegraph printing and publishing on general fund \$207.85, Bertha Thoelecke salary as county superintendent of schools to July 1st, 1900, \$1200.00. John F. Hinman building bridge over south channel of South Platte river as per contract allowed on bridge fund for \$277.66.

Proposition of John Alexander to grade the Gandy road for seven cents per yard and sanding the Long road at thirty cents per yard is hereby accepted.

The board then adjourned until July 5th.

BETWEEN THE RIVERS.

W. A. Paxton came up from Omaha Tuesday evening.

Oats and spring wheat will be in harvest the coming week.

The 4th of July was a very quiet day up this way as most of the citizens remained at home.

J. H. Ahlborn was a spectator at the fusion national convention at Kansas City on July 4th.

F. C. Calloway will put the new foundation under McMickelsen's store building at Hershey.

Will Dowhower has lately quit the Hershey section and is at this time working in Dick Shinkle's hay gang.

Mrs. H. C. Stone's sister, who had been visiting her for a week or more, returned to her home in Paxton on Tuesday.

V. M. Loker who is at work on the section just east of the North Platte bridge, spent the 4th of July with his family at Hershey.

Earl Brownfield, who had been herding sheep in the vicinity of Wallace since early in the season, returned to his home in Hershey.

The many friends of C. F. Scharmann, our worthy county treasurer, are pleased to learn that he has recently joined the benedictine ranks.

Bert Halliger has sufficiently recovered from his recent illness at the Paxton ranch so that he departed for his home in Missouri Monday.

E. C. Thompson who had to quit the Nichols section on account of rheumatism, has with his family returned to their former home in Missouri.

Chas. Gummere was exhibiting several stalks of field corn at Hershey last Monday that were about eight feet in height and all tassel and silked out in fine style.

D. M. Leyppoldt has returned

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Snow Flake Patent Flour per sack.....	.90
100 lbs Bran.....	.60
Corn Starch, per pkg.....	.05
Argo Gloss Starch, per pkg.....	.05
Kingsfords Silver Gloss Starch.....	.08
Kingsfords Corn Starch.....	.08
1/2 pint Dr. Prices Extract Vanilla.....	.15
Walter Bakers Cocoa, 1/2 lb. tin.....	.25
Walter Bakers Chocolate 18c 2 cakes.....	.35
Eagle Brand Condensed Milk 18c 2 cans.....	.35
Evaporated Cream 13c 2 cans for.....	.25
Army Axle Grease 2 boxes.....	.15
Monarch Axle Grease, 2 boxes.....	.15
Frazier's Axle Grease, 2 boxes.....	.15
Sewing Machine Oil, per bottle.....	.05
Grand Pa's Wonder Soap, per bar.....	.05
Yeast Foam, 2 pkgs.....	.05
On Time Yeast, 2 pkgs.....	.05
Sage, per pkg.....	.04
Hops, per pkg.....	.04
Table Salt, 2 sacks.....	.05
4-lb. package Gold Dust.....	.18
Search Light Matches, per box.....	.04
Bird Seed, 1-lb. pkg.....	.07
Vinegar, per gallon.....	.20
Whittemore's Gilt Edge Shoe Polish.....	.20
Whittemore's Baby Elite Shoe Polish.....	.10
Cream of Wheat, per pkg.....	.15
Pillsbury's Vitos 13c, 2pkgs.....	.25
Shredded Whole Wheat Biscuit 13c, 2 pkgs.....	.25
Battle Ax Tobacco, per plug.....	.35
Horse Shoe Tobacco, per plug.....	.45
Star Tobacco, per lb.....	.45
J. T. Tobacco, per plug.....	.20
Dukes Mixture Tobacco, per lb.....	.25
Arbuckle's Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 35	
Lion Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 26	
German Coffee.....13c, 2 pkgs 25	
Bee Coffee..... per pkg 14	
Bogota Coffee.....18c, 2 pkgs 35	

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Wilcox Department Store.

from an extended visit with relatives and friends near Omaha and at Belvidere, but will return the coming week so Daisy asserts.

W. J. Shinkle and crew are cutting and baling hay on the old canal company's land south and east of Nichols for Seeberger & Co., who purchased it on the ground. It will be shipped from Nichols.

H. E. Linstrom, who has charge of the Nichols separator station, went to Julesburg on business Wednesday and another fellow from that town has charge of the station until his return.

Mr. Laynard, the sugar beet irrigator of Utah, was looking after the crop in the valley recently. He informed the writer that there was a small black fly that was working havoc on the crop here and that in many places they had about destroyed it.

Charles Ware, the fusion nominee for constable in Nichols precinct, informed the writer that he was not a candidate and was not at the primary. J. G. Feeken, nominated for justice of the peace on the same ticket, says the same thing.

A. A. Leister and family and G. M. Cary and family, with no small amount of provisions and a tent, departed for the Birdwood country on Tuesday, where they remained and enjoyed themselves out of the village of Hershey until the evening of July 4th, when they returned home.

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