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## A NOVEL GAME OF BASE BALL

South Side Meets Waterloo by a Score of 8 to 10, and Everyone Blamed for Defeat.

From Friday's Daily.  
Again have the fates decided against the south side of the city on the base ball diamond, as the result of yesterday's contest will show. The game was played on a muddy, slow field, and many of the south siders are claiming this as a reason for their defeat, while others claim that the hitting of Judge Beeson was the cause of their Waterloo on the field. The score at the close stood 10 to 8 in favor of the north side, but they were compelled to fight hard to secure the victory.

In the opening inning "Old Hickory" appeared on the mound for the south siders and his destruction of the boys from the north side was something fierce, man after man being swept down before his terrible spit ball, but in the third he caught a ball with his bare hand and retired from the game, being replaced by Jess Wurga, a former league star, but after several innings it was evident that his star had set. The northsiders used Mayfield for pitcher and "Red" Lair for catch and were fortunate in striking out their opponents, as whenever an opportunity was presented the fielders sidestepped any balls coming their way.

Judge Beeson was the main star for the northsiders, making safe hits every time at bat and his work with the stick contributed largely to the success of his team. Louie Egenberger displayed a great batting eye, securing two safe hits in the first three times at bat, but was always left on bases. Guy Reese did the catching for the southsiders whenever he could connect with the ball. The line-up was as follows:

North Side—Lair, catch; Mayfield, pitch; Nemetz, first; Marshall, R., second; Marshall, F. third; Rosencrans, short; Beeson, right; Keyle, left.

South Side—Reese, catch; Hinrichsen, Wurga, pitch; Ault, first; Smith, second; McMaken, third; Hasson, short; Sandin, right; Hatt, left; Egenberger, catch.

## BRIDGE CLUB ENTERTAINED AT THE BAYLOR HOME

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening the Bridge club was entertained in a most charming manner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Baylor and an evening of much enjoyment was spent by the company of bridge enthusiasts. The house was decorated in a very handsome manner with roses and white syringas, making a very beautiful appearance and adding much to the enjoyment of the evening. There were three tables filled by the club members and much pleasure was derived from the friendly rivalry in the game. At an appropriate hour the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Eva Reese, served a most tempting and delicious luncheon and one that was much appreciated by the guests, who departed for their homes at a late hour, feeling deeply indebted to their entertainers for the splendid time afforded.

Case on All Day.  
From Friday's Daily.  
The time of the district court was occupied yesterday in hearing the case of the First National Bank vs. Jefferson Cross. The case is where the bank is seeking to hold some land purchased by Cross from the J. D. Buck estate for a note made by Theodore Buck. The case was hotly fought and a large number of witnesses were examined by both sides and the arguments submitted to the court by the attorneys on the different sides. The land in dispute is located near Union. The case was continued over till Saturday.

## That New Jail?

From Friday's Daily.  
While in Plattsmouth Tuesday morning we observed a large tent at the north side of the court house to be used for union meetings of the churches. Some of those court house sinners facetiously informed us that it was the new county jail for which we fought, bled and died a few times two months ago. The tent is really for religious services, consequently would no doubt seem like a prison to some of those wicked fellows who work six days only and use the next day for fishing and base ball. The ministers selected an ideal location—scoot the sinners right out of the court house into the tabernacle. (Nothing personal in this remark.)—Union Ledger.

## WHAT ABOUT CELEBRATION ON JULY 4?

Only Little Over Three Weeks Till the Great Natal Day and Nothing Done.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The proposition of holding a Fourth of July celebration here, which was agitated by the Commercial club at their meeting some time ago, appears to have failed of developing and the great natal day in Plattsmouth will in all probability be devoid of any celebration. The neighboring cities of Glenwood and Weeping Water will celebrate the day in first-class shape, and it is to be regretted that greater interest has not been taken in the matter here, as this is a point to which everyone in this section of the county would prefer to come if given some inducement to do so. It is understood that the band here expects to go to Weeping Water to furnish the music on that day, and quite likely a large number of our citizens will take advantage of that fact to celebrate there.

A great many have hung back on the Fourth of July celebration, as well as the band concerts because they could not see an immediate return of their donation in profits taken in, but they should remember that if a celebration or concert brings the people to town it is up to the merchant to offer the inducements to the farmers to come into their stores to purchase goods. On the band concert question many are dissatisfied because the concerts are not to be held down on Main street among the cobblestones and dirt, instead of in the high school yard or the park, as they should be. The many inconveniences that have turned up in previous concerts on the streets should demonstrate to everyone the utter uselessness of trying to hold the concerts on the streets and follow the plan outlined of holding them on High school hill.

## ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF HER DAUGHTER, MRS. CHARLES S. STONE

At her beautiful home in the Second ward Mrs. Mary Allison entertained yesterday afternoon at a Kensington in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Stone, of Yampa, Colorado, who is her guest for a short time. The ladies spent the afternoon in plying the busy needle and a general social good time until late in the afternoon, when a very tempting two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, which greatly augmented the pleasure of the company, as the hospitality of this worthy lady is well known and the guests felt that it was certainly a rare treat to be present on this pleasureable occasion.

Have you tried the Forest Rose flour? If not, why not? It is the best flour on the market and is sold by all dealers.

## MEETING AT THE TENT LAST NIGHT

From Friday's Daily.  
At the tent last evening a goodly crowd greeted the management who are conducting the revival campaign. The evening, as far as the weather was concerned, was not all that might have been desired, but better weather is hoped for and expected. The music was excellent and the singing, while in books which the public are not accustomed to use, was well supported by the congregation and the chorus, which was in the process of organization, did splendid work. Prof. Gilmore, who has charge of the chorus work, is a man who is abundantly capable of doing the work assigned him. We may look for the best of work in that line. Walter Klinger, the soloist, convinced those who listened to him, of his ability along that line, and as to the music in all its branches we may look for good entertainment as well as the inspiration for the work of the meetings that shall come from the work.

Rev. C. C. Smith, the evangelist, in his speaking, is very pleasant and earnest and can be heard throughout the entire tent. His enunciation is of the best and his manner of handling a subject is one which appeals to the people. For a number of years during the earlier portion of his life he was a railroad man and his sympathies are with the man who works, and it will be a pleasure for all to hear him.

Everybody is welcome to these meetings and it is desired that all will take advantage of the occasion, as they will be abundantly repaid in many ways for their attendance. The meetings will convene at 8 o'clock, but will not continue late, closing so that everyone can get home at a reasonable hour.

## MRS. J. V. EGENBERGER IS SURPRISED ON HER BIRTHDAY

From Friday's Daily.  
Last evening a large party of the friends and relatives of Mrs. J. V. Egenberger gathered at the home of Mrs. F. G. Egenberger, and under the leadership of Mrs. Egenberger and Mrs. George Dodge, proceeded to the home of Mrs. J. V. Egenberger, where they surprised her and announced their intention of assisting her in celebrating her birthday anniversary. This worthy lady was completely taken by surprise, but after a few minutes recovered and made the jolly crowd feel completely at home and a most enjoyable time was had by the company. During the evening musical selections were given by the different members of the crowd, which added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion, and at an appropriate hour the guests uncovered a vast array of tempting eatables that they had brought with them and proceeded to put on a most delicious luncheon that would please any epicurian, and the occasion will be one long to be remembered by all the guests, as well as the recipient of the surprise. Mrs. Egenberger received several handsome and costly remembrances of the event, including a very elaborate cut glass dish, the gift of the invading party. There were some forty-eight in the crowd that descended on their friend, and in departing they wished her many more happy returns of the day.

To Undergo Operation.  
This morning Mrs. F. W. Nolting was taken to Omaha, where she will enter one of the hospitals there to undergo medical treatment. Mrs. Nolting has been in very poor health for some time and her doctors decided that it would be best to have an operation performed to give her needed relief. Mr. Nolting accompanied his wife to the hospital.

L. G. Todd, jr., of Nehawka came in last evening from Sioux City, Iowa, where he had been visiting friends for a short time.

## NERVOUS COLLAPSE OF RECTOR ALLAN WILSON

From Friday's Daily.  
The parishioners and friends of Rev. Allan G. Wilson of St. Luke's church in this city were greatly shocked last evening to learn of his complete nervous collapse at his home here. The reverend gentleman has been for the past few weeks greatly interested in the formation of a troop of the Boy Scouts and has labored very hard in getting it up, and this labor, in addition to his duties in his church work, has caused his mind to become somewhat affected. He was on the street yesterday about 1:30 and it was noticed he seemed very much excited, nervous and irritable, but nothing was thought of the matter until, on his return home, he became irrational and it became necessary to summon medical aid to look after him. The Rev. John Williams of Omaha, representing the Bishop of Nebraska, arrived last evening on No. 2 and took charge of the care of the unfortunate man, and a trained nurse will be brought here, probably today, to care for him until he has recovered sufficiently to be removed to a place where he can spend a few months in complete rest and where he will not be disturbed. It is to be hoped that Rev. Wilson will be speedily restored to health, as he is of a very bright mind, but devotion to his religious work has proved too great a strain for his nervous temperament.

## THE PASSING OF A PIONEER LADY

Mrs. D. S. Draper Dies at the Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. James Jenkins.

From Saturday's Daily.  
Another of the pioneer ladies who have contributed to the making of this county, passed away last evening near Mynard in the person of Mrs. D. S. Draper. Mrs. Draper had been making her home with her daughter, Mrs. James Jenkins, some four miles south of Mynard, for some time, and had not been in the best of health.

She was a native of Oneida county, New York, where she was married in 1845 to D. S. Draper, and they came to this county in the year 1871, settling on a farm in Plattsmouth precinct. Her husband was very prominent in this county in politics, being a strong democrat, and was several times elected to different offices, filling at one time the position of state representative. He removed to Kansas City later, where he died about a year ago.

This worthy lady, loved and esteemed by all who knew her, leaves a family of three sons and four daughters to mourn her loss. The funeral will probably be held tomorrow from the late home.

## A Birthday Party.

About twelve little girls gathered at the pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. Judge Beeson Wednesday afternoon to assist their daughter, Virginia, in celebrating her tenth birthday anniversary in the proper manner. All sorts of games and frolic were indulged in by the guests, which furnished plenty of amusement and made the hours just simply fly. A pleasing feature of the afternoon was a delightful birthday luncheon, accompanied by the birthday cake with the ten candles. Miss Virginia was made the recipient of many handsome gifts, which will be constant reminders of the happy event.

Remember the Regalia Habana Gigar. Always the best. Robert Richter, manufacturer.

FOREST ROSE—The best flour on the market. Give it a trial.

## Entertained by Mrs. Swanson.

From Friday's Daily.  
The ladies of the Swedish Mission church were entertained in a most delightful manner by Mrs. John Swanson at her cozy home on South Tenth street yesterday afternoon. There was a large number of ladies in attendance, who spent a most enjoyable afternoon in conversation and other amusements, interspersed with sewing. The hostess served some excellent refreshments at an appropriate hour, which materially assisted in making the occasion a pleasant one. At a late hour the guests departed for their homes, declaring Mrs. Swanson to be a most hospitable entertainer.

## MEETING LAST EVENING AT LIBRARY

Miss Charlotte Templeton of the Library Commission Makes Some Good Suggestions.

From Saturday's Daily.  
The meeting at the public library last evening to meet Miss Charlotte Templeton of the state library commission was attended by the mayor and several of the councilmen, as well as members of the board of education and library board.

Miss Templeton gave a short talk on the methods employed in the different towns of the state in the handling of the public libraries and its work was very interesting and she covered the ground thoroughly. One feature of her remarks that impressed everyone with its soundness was that of turning the library fund over to the library board to be handled by the board the same as the school board has charge of the money appropriated for the schools, and taking it out of the hands of the city council and giving a much more satisfactory arrangement to both the council and the library. This plan has been adopted in most of the cities of the state and has always proven very satisfactory to everyone. She also presented figures showing the different ratio of levies made in different towns to maintain the libraries, and after the levy had been made it is transferred to the library board for use in keeping up these splendid institutions.

The remarks of Miss Templeton were right to the point and it is to be hoped that the city will take advantage of her splendid advice to make the change in the method of handling the library business, as it will materially aid in increasing the efficiency of the service of this, one of our most valued public institutions.

## MR. AND MRS. EMIL A. LORENZ ARRIVE HOME

From Saturday's Daily.  
Yesterday Emil A. Lorenz and his charming bride arrived from Wahoo and will make their home in this city in the future. For the present they will reside at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Kennedy on Oak street and will later go to housekeeping for themselves. Mr. Lorenz has resided here for a number of years, being engaged in the grocery and meat market with his brother, L. W. Lorenz, and has been very successful and we take great pleasure in extending a heart welcome to him and his charming bride and the best wishes for their future happiness.

## Files Suit for Maintenance.

From Friday's Daily.  
A suit for alimony was filed in district court this morning entitled Amelia Sherwood vs. Robert W. Sherwood, sr. The plaintiff enumerates, among other things, that the defendant has property consisting of a store building valued at \$5,000, a residence worth \$2,500 and other property, and asks that she be given a judgment for \$3,000 and the payment of \$10 a month.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH TENT MEETING

Services Removed to Methodist Church Last Evening—Fairly Good Attendance.

From Saturday's Daily.  
On account of the rain of the afternoon and the lowering clouds the big tent meeting last night was changed to the Methodist church and the attendance was quite large, considering the bad weather, and those who attended were greatly pleased with the able sermon preached by Evangelist Smith, who took for his subject "The Value of a Soul," and held the attention of his hearers throughout his address by his forceful and earnest remarks on the priceless boon of a pure, unblemished soul and the value to the community of a Christian living, both in social and business life. The musical features of the meeting were very fine and included an arrangement of "Oh, Love That Will Not Let Me Go," sung by the evangelistic party, and also several numbers by the choir, as well as duets by Messrs. Smith and Gilmore, and a solo by Mr. Klinger.

The meetings are beginning to attract a great deal of attention, and as they progress the interest will increase, as Mr. Smith is a very able speaker and presents his arguments in an able, straight-forward manner that cannot fail to impress everyone with his sincerity of purpose in carrying forward the work of spreading the Christian teaching. He does not possess the failing of most evangelistic workers, that of the spectacular, nor does he launch into a condemnation of the city as the worst on earth, but he presents able, clear-cut statements of the advantages of leading good, clean lives and his work here will be far more effective than that of any who has been engaged in this line of work here in the past.

## SPECIAL TRAIN FOR WOODMEN CIRCLE TO JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA

From Saturday's Daily.  
The special train carrying the officers and delegates of the Woodmen of the World and the Woodman Circle, left Omaha last evening over the Milwaukee for Chicago, where they will continue their way to Jacksonville, Florida, to attend the meeting of the sovereign camps of the two orders. The Emma B. Manchester drill team of Omaha accompanied the Woodman Circle delegation, who occupied two cars on the train, and acted as escort for the officers and the delegate from this staff, Mrs. M. E. Manspeaker of this city. The delegation was escorted to the Union station in Omaha by an enthusiastic crowd of friends to speed them on their way southward.

## Accident Near Cedar Creek.

From Saturday's Daily.  
H. Larson, laborer at the National stone quarries, was struck by a Burlington freight train about a half mile west of Cedar Creek Thursday afternoon between 5 and 6 o'clock. He was found lying by the side of the track with a bad cut over the right eye five inches in length, a wound on the back of the head and his right shoulder broken. Dr. Fordyce, the county physician, was notified and after remaining with him all night had him taken to an Omaha hospital Friday morning. His chances for recovery are thought to be slim.—Louisville Courier.

George M. Hild of the vicinity of Mynard was attending to some business matters in this city this morning and took time to call at this office and renew his subscription to the Daily Journal.