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THE ATHLETIC BALL TEAM TO PLAY AT NE- HAWKA NEXT SUNDAY

The Athletic base ball team of this city have secured a game with the Nehawka base ball team and will journey down to that pleasant little city on next Sunday to take on the Nehawkites and attempt to carry away the bacon. The Athletics are showing better form than any time this season and should give a good account of themselves in going after the Cass county leaguers. The boys are full of enthusiasm and expect to be accompanied to Nehawka by a large number of their friends and admirers. The showing made by the team here Sunday against McPain encourages them to believe that they will be able to line up the representatives of the southern Cass county town.

ENTERTAINS IN HONOR OF MISS EMILY M'GREGOR OF SARGEANT, NEBRASKA

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Egenberger was the scene of a most delightful gathering last evening when Miss Helen Egenberger entertained a number of friends in honor of Miss Emily McGregor of Sargent, Nebraska.

The evening was most pleasantly spent in the playing of games of different kinds which furnished

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H. H. CARROLL OF ELM- WOOD FILES COMPLAINT AGAINST LEO PLOY

much amusement for several hours. Several very delightful musical numbers were given by different talented members of the party that added greatly to the enjoyment of the occasion and the musicians were heartily encouraged to which they gracefully responded. At a suitable hour a most tempting and delicious three-course luncheon was served by Mrs. Egenberger that aided in making the event a most delightful one in every way. Following the enjoyment of the delicious "feast" the company spent the time in social conversation and music until a late hour, when they departed for their homes feeling that the occasion had certainly been one of the greatest pleasure.

Black Kats Here Sunday.

As the opponents of the Red Sox next Sunday, Manager Johnson has secured the Black Kats of Omaha, one of the strongest aggregations of the metropolis who will also remain here for the game Labor Day. The Kats were here earlier in the season and defeated the Sox 3 to 2, but the boys feel that they can get away with them this time and will make a desperate attempt to down the representatives of Charlie Black. These games will prove a good drawing card for the two days and should be greeted by a good crowd as on their previous appearance they played excellent ball.

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C. H. TAYLOR HAS TEN- DERED HIS RESIGNATION AS COUNTY ATTORNEY

This afternoon County Attorney C. H. Taylor tendered his resignation as county attorney to the board of commissioners as well as his withdrawal as the nominee of the republican party for re-election to that office at the coming election. Mr. Taylor has had this plan in view for some time and was only persuaded after much urging to file for the primaries but has since considered the matter thoroughly and has decided to take the step of resigning in order that he may take up his private practice which has become so extensive that he does not feel that he can do justice to him-

self in retaining the office. He will however continue to reside in this city and conduct his law practice. The administration of the county attorney's office under Mr. Taylor has been most satisfactory to everyone and that his service to the people was all that could be asked was shown by the fact that he was re-elected to the office three years ago without opposition. He is an able attorney and it is with regret that the taxpayers and residents of the county will learn of his determination to sever his connection with the office which he has filled with such ability. The resignation will take effect at the time of the meeting of the board on September 18th. Mr. Taylor feels very grateful toward the citizens of Cass county regardless of politics who have supported him in his administration of the office, but feels that he owes it to himself to take up his private work.

Sells a Valuable Farm.

The one hundred and twenty acres of land south of this city which was owned by Charles Long for the past year or two has been sold by the owner to Mr. G. C. Parmelee of this city, the consideration being \$150 per acre. This is the farm known as the F. M. Young, Jr., farm and is situated near Murray. It is a nice place and Mr. Long disposes of it only because he is compelled to remove to California on account of his health.

Osteopathy.

Dr. G. R. Davis, Osteopathic Doctor, will locate in Plattsburgh on and after Monday, August 31. Office and residence, North Fourth street in Babington property. Watch for announcement of office hours.

Watch our windows for the standing of the piano contestants. H. M. Soennichsen.

UNDER A FLAG OF TRUCE.

A Reunion and a Compact Between the Blue and the Gray.

My father was a private in the Twenty-sixth Michigan and often told the following story, although I was never wise enough to note a note of the date or the name of the engagement. There can be no doubt, however, of the substantial accuracy of the tale.

There had been fighting, but a flag of truce had passed from the Confederates to the Union lines, and firing was suspended. The lines were close together and both behind cover. As the white flag passed out of sight toward headquarters the lines simply drew together, meeting in the vacant space between. Officers on both sides tried to prevent it, but their efforts were fruitless. Little groups formed here and there and began to talk. The grays had tobacco, and the blues had coffee and a little sugar, and trade was lively for a time. Then they fell to discussing other things, and to understand their conversation it ought to be explained that the practice of firing on a picket line was regarded by these soldiers hardened though they were by the awful sights of a dozen bloody fields, as little better than murder. Said a gray:

"Why do you fellows fire on picket?"

Blue—"Why do you fire on picket?"

Gray—"Well, we don't, only when that old Colonel B. from North Carolina is officer of the day; then we have to. He makes us do it. But I tell you, Yank, we'll shoot high! Yes, Yank, we'll shoot high!"

The flag of truce came back; the negotiations had failed. The lines reformed, and firing began again. Once more poor humanity referred to the rifle and bayonet the questions it could settle in no other way. But who can doubt that in the hearts of all who witnessed the dramatic scene there was less bitterness than before the truce? There was no vulgar, sordid quarrel; no bitter, personal vendetta. Each side was pledged to the support of antagonistic principles, to maintain which they had staked their lives, but they had no quarrel with their opponents as men.—Youth's Companion.

Miss Hope Mutz, who has been the guest of Miss Mattie Larson in this city for the past few days, returned to her home at Lincoln yesterday afternoon.

IN PLATTSMOUTH FORTY YEARS AGO

Items of Interest to Our Readers
Gleaned from the Newspaper
Files of Many Years Ago.

& Q. R. R. Now is a good time to excuse.

Bill Jones, Bob Doom and Mickelwait all in one buggy, going to the diminutive confab—Oh, what a load of sin and pork and owl-like wisdom for one poor little team to draw.

John Fitzgerald has returned, and we hear, is to stay with us this winter. We are glad to see him home at any time.

Col. Wilson, of architect fame, and he is now supervising the U. S. Postoffice at Lincoln, paid us a visit. The Colonel is not troubled with bashfulness generally, but we pretty near dashed his native modesty on one occasion while here, and all about an apple, too.

At last Joe is off. Joe Hobbs, we mean. He has gone off to Ann Arbor to graduate as a Michiganander.

Noyes, the irrepressible, is in town.

We had a very pleasant letter from our old friend, Dick Cushing, this morning, dated Huntsville, Tenn. He hopes the boys will all pull through this fall.

Delegates elected to republican convention at Weeping Water, September 23, 1874, as follows:

PLATTSMOUTH:

First Ward—J. W. Marshall, W. L. Hobbs, F. Skinner, Julius Pepperberg.

Second Ward—L. D. Bennett, D. McKinnon, M. McElwain.

Third Ward—H. E. Palmer, J. W. Beardsley, M. B. Murphy.

Fourth Ward—Peter Johnson, Wm. Darrah, M. B. Cutler.

COUNTY DELEGATES:

Rock Bluffs—One set delegates to both conventions, J. Mc. F. Haggard, W. H. Hesser, Jos. Shera, H. Allen.

Plattsburgh Precinct—N. Jeans, H. Eikenberry, Thos. Willes.

Aveo—J. W. Jennings, J. Lynn, Geo. Switzer.

Mt. Pleasant—J. W. Kirkpatrick, E. Behner, S. B. Hobson, A. M. Sullivan.

Weeping Water—Samuel Reiter, H. W. Farley, J. M. Cox, F. M. Walcott, C. M. Sheldon, T. Clark, J. L. Graham.

Louisville—J. F. Polk, J. T. A. Hoover, Samuel Twiss.

Elmwood—J. H. McKinnon, J. S. Mills, Geo. Hayward.

Greenwood—R. Knowles, Lyman H. James, Isaac W. Tolland, Green M. Murray.

Salt Creek—N. Shaffer, E. Doom, G. W. Mayfield.

The rest not heard from, as yet.—(Editor.)

A big excursion train, 19 cars and 1800 people passed through yesterday, west, from the C. B.

Early in May of 1874, Lieut. Greely, of the Signal Office at Washington, passed down the Missouri river searching for facts and authorities for fixing upon a danger line which, if reached, or exceeded by the rising waters, damaged or imperiled property in the vicinity.

For Plattsburgh he fixed upon 47 feet 7 inches, as indicated by the river gauge at the foot of Main street, as endangering farms on the Iowa side of the river. We have as yet had no test of the correctness of this line as the highest point reached by the river since, were on April 28th, 1875, 43 feet 3 inches; on June 28th, 1875, 43 feet 4 inches; each lacking better than 3 feet of reaching said line.

But another interest unconsidered by us while Lieut. Greely was here, has suffered considerable damage with the water from 11 to 13 feet. This is the R. R. embankments; as at the east end of the Omaha bridges, the S. W. R. R. between Omaha and Belview, and the transfer landings of the B. & M. R. R. at Plattsburgh.

In view of the wide-spread devastation and destruction, from floods now prevailing; I have been directed by the chief signal officer of the U. S. army to publish the points (as above) at which danger may be apprehended and thus guarded against. With the river now down to six feet and falling there is, of course no present danger.

A. L. Child,

S. O. River Observer.

Building Being Fixed Up Fine.

The appearance of the brick building of J. C. Petersen on lower Main street is being improved considerably by the use of paint and it now looks as fine and fresh as a new building. Dark red is used on the brick and being trimmed with a facing of white which makes a striking appearance. The work is being done by Frank Gobelman and his force of workmen and it adds very much to the appearance of that part of town. Mr. Petersen has determined to put his building in good shape for the winter by having it fixed up in proper shape. This is one of the best buildings on Main street and its improvement will be the source of great pleasure to all the residents and business men in the business part of the city.

K. S. Dance.

There will be a social dance given at the K. S. hall on Saturday evening, Sept. 5. Old country musicians will furnish the music. A good time is in store for you.

Dance Saturday Evening.

The dancing public of the city is cordially invited to be present at Coates Hall on Saturday evening to attend the dance to be given by the Cosmopolitan club. Good music and a good time assured to all.

Seats selling now at Weyrich & Hadraha for the musical comedy "The Cow and the Moon."

To The Public.

Greenwald Studio Open Again.



No. 9—Big Beauty Chorus with "The Cow and The Moon"—At the Parmelee Saturday, September 5.