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TWO PLATTS-MOUTH BOYS ARRIVE HOME

LAST EVENING SERGEANT ALFRED C. CAREY ARRIVED HOME, AND TODAY

HERB THACKER ALSO COMES

Message From New York Tells Of Arrival at That Port Of Sgt. Frank York.

From Wednesday's Daily. These three boys went from three different places, though all from this city. Sergeant Alfred C. Carey enlisted in April, 1917, among the first from this city, and with the watch at the big Burlington bridge over the Missouri was stationed here for a while and later taken to Omaha, where he was stationed for some time. He went to Camp Cody in September, 1917, and the following spring was sent east, and sailed from New York one year ago yesterday just the same date that he arrived home. He returned to the United States June 18th, and was discharged from service at Garden City, N. Y., a few days ago arriving home last evening over the Burlington. Cassius, as we all know him was looking fine, and was glad to greet his folks and friends and especially his mother who has been in ill health for some time.

This noon Herbert Thacker who in May last year went to Camp Dodge and was in less than two months in France, stepped from the train, looking the picture of health, although he has been in the hospital for some time recovering from illness which he has had while in France. He returns a great big fellow, as to what he was when he went away. He was in some of the hardest of the fighting having arrived at the fighting front in less than three months after departing from here. Herbert looks like a great big real soldier, which he is, and while willing to do his portion, is very well pleased to return home after the matter is all over. He will make his home here and will rest for a short time before taking up some occupation.

Arrived At New York Today. A message from Frank York to his parents O. L. York and wife of this city tells of his arrival at New York, where he is now and hopes in the near future to be discharged and be allowed to return home. Frank went from Chicago, and is a member of the engineer corps, being an operator and while there served as a station agent of the American operated French railway. His parents are overjoyed at the news of his arrival on this side of the water.

WILL VISIT AT OLD HOME IN THE EAST

Also Will Spend Some Time At Methodist Centenary, At Columbus, Ohio.

From Wednesday's Daily. This morning Charles S. Johnson the yardmaster of the Burlington, departed for the east on a vacation which will cover some ten days or two weeks. He first goes with his daughter Mrs. A. W. Propst of Union, to Rock Island, where he formerly lived, and there will visit with relatives for a short time and will go to Chicago, and from there to Columbus, Ohio, where he will attend the Methodist Centenary, to which Rev. A. V. Hunter departed on last evening's train. Mr. Johnson will remain at Columbus for about ten days, and on returning will again come via Chicago, stopping for a short time there on to Rock Island, and will make a more extended visit with friends and relatives, and while there will also visit with Dr. E. W. Cook, of that place, and will return with his daughter Mrs. Propst, who will remain at Rock Island while he is in the east.

Journal Want-Ads Pay!

NEHAWKAITES WELCOME THE SOLDIER BOYS

ON LAST FRIDAY, CLOSING DAY OF THEIR EXCELLENT CHAUTAUQUA.

THOUSAND PEOPLE TURN OUT

And Little City Was Alive with Enthusiasm—Banquet Served—A General Good Time.

From Monday's Daily. Patriotic Nehawka, the little city in the southern part of Cass county that has sent so many of her noble sons out to do battle for humanity, on last Friday, the closing day of her successful week of Chautauqua, made a special effort to the end of extending a jolly, royal welcome to the boys who were the defenders of their country.

Despite the large number of young men from the vicinity that went out to fight in the name of God and for freedom, none were killed, wounded or missing. This fact alone makes the townspeople doubly grateful and is a record seldom equaled where so many men have gone out.

The program of welcome was an elaborate one with music and entertainment of various kinds. The principal address of welcome was made by E. M. Pollard, in which he told how well pleased he, himself and all the citizens of the town and surrounding country were at the return of the boys who only a few short months ago went bravely forth to do or to die. His address was received with cheers.

Dr. Thomas, who but a short time ago returned from overseas made an address telling of how the boys had been cared for and speaking at some length on the great precaution the government takes to safeguard their health. Walter J. Wunderlich was next to speak, he also having just returned from the battle front and he spoke with experience as to the conditions there, the modern mode of warfare, and what is now being done in the active life of a soldier; how he is taught to utilize his spare time in healthful sports and recreation. Mrs. Al Norris, one of the mothers who has given two sons, welcomed home her own and other boys of the community with a feeling of real gratitude at their return safe and sound.

The wholesouled, patriotic people of this little city deserve the commendation of all for the excellent welcome home celebration they provided the boys on the closing day of their Chautauqua. Looks like this and the entertainment provided at Cedar Creek a couple of weeks ago would offer a suggestion to some of the larger towns in Cass county to do something in this respect.

SUFFERS STROKE OF PARALYSIS.

From Monday's Daily. Joseph Droege, who is receiving treatment for his health at the Nebraska state hospital at Lincoln, where he has been for some time, had the misfortune to suffer a slight stroke of paralysis a few days ago. While the stroke was not severe, it has incapacitated him from caring for himself. It is not that the stroke will be of serious nature, on account of its lightness.

RETURNS FROM THE WEST.

From Monday's Daily. This morning Mrs. C. C. Janda and little daughter returned from the west where she has been visiting for some time, a guest at the home of their brother, Thomas Janda, and other relatives. They had an excellent time while there and enjoyed the visit greatly. Mrs. Janda tells of being on the train that last night killed six people just west of Oxford. A car with eight people in were crossing the track in the morning when it was struck by a train and six were killed and the others injured.

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ARE GETTING READY TO BEGIN BUILDING

GRADING ON SITE FOR ALFALFA MILL PROGRESSING NICELY, FEW DAYS SHOULD FINISH.

TEST MACHINERY OPERATING

One Ten Ton Unit Now In Place, And Ready For Demonstration and Resting.

From Wednesday's Daily. The new building which is to be forty feet in width, and one hundred and seventy-five feet in length, will be two stories, with a driveway in the rear of the building for the carrying in of the product. The unit which is in place in the building across the way from where the new mill is to be located, shows the workings of the machinery and plans. There is but one ten ton unit now but in the plant which is to be constructed across the street there will be ten. The machine which is now constructed and installed is being tested, and is working to a perfection. We observed the workings and the products as they came from the mill. The product shows that all the products are made by cutting and the knives and discs, positively cut the stems but have separated prior the leaves, thus preventing the reduction of the leaves to dust, which would result in much loss, and is the practice pursued by many mills, thus making in their product much dust which is entirely eliminated by the process which is used in this mill. The large rotary fan which draws a draft of air through the cutter draws off the dust, thus taking away dust and other particles which would otherwise make the product inferior. The condensing machines, which reduce the product to a much smaller space, which enables the more economical shipment and use, has also an apparatus for the mixing by machinery of molasses, which insures a thorough and even distribution of this addition. Much different than where mixed by hand. The work at the machine shops preparing and testing the equipment for the new mill is progressing, and will be in readiness as soon as the building itself shall have been completed.

FOURTH OF JULY BALL GAMES.

From Wednesday's Daily. The games which are to be played here on the Fourth of July between the Holmes White Sox team and the Red Sox of this city, will be called respectively at 10:00 in the morning and again at 3:00 in the afternoon. A pretty good bunch is out that Carl Stimson will be the pitcher which the Plattsmouth team will have to play against.

Mr. Stimson is an excellent pitcher and also an excellent young man and the team here know about what they have to go up against. Who the Red Sox will have is not definitely known at this time.

The Sunday Game. The game for next Sunday has been arranged between the Red Sox, who will play six men against a picked nine from the teams of the Burlington shops league, and as there is a handicap, we may look for a pretty closely contested game.

JULY FOURTH FLAG DAY.

From Wednesday's Daily. There are ten especial flag days in the year, six of which have been celebrated this year and the seventh on July 4th is here day after tomorrow. Let every patriotic citizen get the folds of "Old Glory" floating from the portals of their home. This the birthday of this nation, should be remembered by all in this land. Whether that one has as yet become a citizen or not, have him observe the nation's birthday, and inculcate some patriotism and love of country by the time when he shall become a citizen. The real patriotic American, will need no admonition in this regard, for he will be alive to the occasion and its meaning.

LOCAL TEAM LOST A GOOD GAME OF BALL

ERRORS ACCOUNTABLE FOR MUCH OF THE LOSS—VISITORS PLAY GOOD BALL.

OUR BOYS WERE SHUT OUT

Joseph Adams New Pitcher, Makes Good.—We Have Ten Fly Ball Outs.

From Monday's Daily. The Nebraska Power Co., a clean bunch of good ball players, were with us yesterday, played good ball, acted like gentlemen, and won the game, notwithstanding our boys in general put up a good game. We made some costly errors, and allowed two runs to follow, which had not the errors occurred, would probably have placed the tally one for the visitors to our nothing. The new pitcher struck out the first man, while the second Kemmy went out on a fly, and McAndrews their third baseman was caught on first by Janda.

With us Beal was given a walk on balls, while Christy made a sacrifice hit, giving Beal second. Gradoville grounded and went out on first, while Beal made third. Herold to bat, went out on a fly with Beal at third, which was as near as the Red Sox made a run. In the eighth inning Beal was at third, making two times, then Gradoville and Adams were each at second, while Grassmann, Janda, Herold, Christy and Beal were at first. With the visitors, they did not get a look in until in the third inning, when Norgaard went out on a fly, Madden got a single and went to second on a strike of Wolf, to third on a single of Kemmy, and scored on a two base hit of McAndrews. On a two base hit of Mougensen, Madden tallied and also Kemmy, caused by an error by a bunch of our fielders with a fly, later on a two base hit by Christensen, McAndrews also was accorded a run, making in this inning three, and all that was made. The second and third bases were filed, but Swanson was fanned by Adams and the inning was over. Adams of the Red Sox struck out eight men, while Madden of the Power company struck out ten. Madden did not have a walk, while Madden had two, Beal and Herold. Six hits were made off their pitcher. Six hits were made by the members of the Plattsmouth team, they being, Beal, Adams, Grassmann, Christy, Gradoville and Janda.

Three two base hits were made off Adams of the Red Sox, all bunched, and by McAndrews, Mougensen and Christensen. They were in a way accountable for the three runs which the visitors received.

While the errors which crept in our part of the game was no doubt the real cause of the loss thereof, the game was a pretty good one, and some one had to lose, the man who was on the winning side smiled, while the one on the wrong side, was not so well pleased. The result by innings was:

Red Sox	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Power Co.	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0

NEBRASKA CITY TO CELEBRATE FRIDAY

From Monday's Daily. If Roads are Good Many from This Vicinity Will Doubtless be in Attendance.

Nebraska City is one of the nearby towns that will celebrate the 4th this year, with a welcome-home feature for the soldier boys as well as the usual Independence day celebration. If the roads continue good, a large delegation of Plattsmouth and vicinity people may be expected to hie themselves southward to our neighboring sister city early in the morning and not turn their radior-tors northward until late at night.

A line of stationery at the Journal office that can't be excelled and is hard to equal.

BURLINGTON SHOP LEAGUE IS ORGANIZED

ORGANIZED FIVE TEAMS IN THE BURLINGTON SHOPS, WILL PLAY TWICE A WEEK.

ALL GAMES ARE TO BE FREE

Shop Men Will Bear Expense, Will Receive What People Feel Like Giving.

From Monday's Daily. The other evening, the members of the Inter-Burlington shops league met and perfected their base ball organization, in which they have formed a league in the shops, consisting of five teams, and will probably organize another, which would provide for three games per week. They will make no charge for their games, but will not bar any one from contributing to the general expenses who may desire to do so.

Of the league R. E. Hayes, general foreman of the shops, was elected president of the league, while Marvin Allen was chosen as secretary. These men are well qualified to look after the business and will exercise good judgment in the perfecting of the organization and management of the league, which looks like it should be a success from the beginning. The team selected from the store house and which will bear that name, has been placed under the management of C. E. Weaver a competent ball manager as well as a workman for the company who is making good. The machinists are under the management of Alfred Edgerston, and with him they will all work to the best advantage, and will play good ball. The blacksmiths team will have its interests looked after by Edgar Steinhauer, and from the way they played ball the first game no one need worry as to how they will show up in the games which are to come. The coach shop will be managed by Bror Christensen and with the material and the work which he will give it, should make an excellent showing in the games which are to be played. The freight department will be looked after by Charles Ault, and those lads who no doubt make a good report of themselves when the time comes for making home runs and stopping their opponents short of victory.

A game has been arranged for this evening, between the store house team and the machinists, which will be at the park, and they are especially desirous that everybody attend and wish to remind all that it is absolutely free. The coach shops and the freight department will cross bats on Wednesday evening.

RETURNS FROM CHICAGO.

From Wednesday's Daily. Wm. Baird who has just been in Chicago, where he was looking after some business for the Burlington, of which he is superintendent here, returned home this morning going via Omaha, and says everything between here and that place is looking fine, but he thinks that in Illinois they have not had quite so much rain as here. He was particularly struck with the amount of booze business which was being done in that city, and that on every saloon window he noticed a sign reading cut prices on wet goods. At every station on the train on which he left Chicago last evening there would be delegations with crips and suit cases, as well as goods wrapped in packages and in their pockets, preparations against the drought which began at midnight last night.

GOOD LANDS.

I have some snaps in lands in Gage, Pawnee and Johnson counties, Nebraska with easy terms. It will pay you to see me for a home or investment. Mockenhaupt Land Company, Sterling, Nebraska. 26-4wksw

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WILL GO TO COLUMBUS TO CENTENARY

MEMBERS OF THE M. E. CHURCH APPRECIATE PASTOR—ARRANGE FOR HIM TO

ATTEND THE JUBILEE MEETING

Rev. A. V. Hunter Finds Fare and Allowance of Vacation in an Envelope Yesterday.

From Monday's Daily. The membership of the Methodist church were gracious in the making of a present to their pastor, Rev. A. V. Hunter, at the close of the morning service hour yesterday.

The gift was contained in an envelope and included railroad fare and expense money sufficient to cover a ten day trip to Columbus, Ohio, where he is to attend the centenary of the Methodist church, which is in session in that city for a period of some six weeks.

The Methodist church is one hundred years old and they have staged an educational exhibition at Columbus, which is being attended by three hundred thousand pastors and other delegates from church over the nation and even foreign countries. There are representatives at this meeting from all lands where the church maintains missions and whole villages are erected to show the mode of living of different uncivilized races whom it is being attempted to Christianize.

This vast exhibition is being staged on the state fair grounds at Columbus, Ohio, which is claimed to be the best adapted place for the display that could be found among all the fair grounds of the nation.

The screen on which they throw moving pictures to illustrate the stories and teachings they wish to convey to those in attendance is 1900 feet each way and contains 19,000 square feet of canvas.

To attend this exhibition would be a great educational experience to any one and it is indeed a bit of good fortune that Rev. Hunter has been permitted, through the kindness and appreciation of his membership to be absent from his parish for the next ten days, while he improves his time at the centenary.

SHOCKED SOME WHEAT LAST NIGHT

From Wednesday's Daily. Last evening Willis Meisinger who drives the oil wagon for F. W. Elliott, and Walter Martin and John Egenberger departed for the farm where Eddie Meisinger and L. G. Meisinger are farming and spent the evening in assisting in shocking wheat.

HARVEST OF WHEAT IS NOW IN FULL SWING

CONDITION OF GRAIN ESTIMATED AT 99% IN OMAHA DIST.—100 IN McCOOK

WAGES \$5 A DAY AND BOARD

Some of Grain Being Headed—The Farmers Delighted at Excellent Crop Prospects.

From Wednesday's Daily. The wheat harvest is in full swing all over the south half of Nebraska, according to Burlington railroad reports from agents out along the line and from division superintendents. The weather conditions are perfect and according to reports the former estimate of 70,000,000 bushels of winter and 12,000,000 bushels of spring wheat stands.

The condition of the grain as the harvest approaches, by divisions, is estimated as follows, the basis of figuring being on 1905 as a perfect crop: Omaha division, 92; Lincoln, 98; Wymore, 97; McCook, 100.

Apparently there is no alarming shortage of harvest hands, it being said that the wage, \$5 a day and board, is attracting a great number of men, who prior to now have been engaged in occupations other than farm work.

In the southwestern portion of the state a considerable portion of the wheat is being headed, thus being taken from the field to the stacks, doing away with the necessity of binding, shocking and later stacking the grain.

All through the south half of Nebraska the harvesting of oats, rye and barley has been finished. The grain has been secured in excellent condition and an enormous yield is predicted.

The outlook for a bumper corn crop, says the Burlington report, could not be better.

VISITS UNCLE HERE

From Monday's Daily. Last Saturday evening, Dr. and Mrs. Fred McVay, the former a nephew of Jesse McVey, of this city and George L. Kraft and daughter, Miss Virginia, arrived here on an overland trip from their home at Berlin, Ohio, and visited over night and yesterday at the Perkins house, with their uncle, departing this morning for the west and will go to Denver, where Mr. Kraft and family will probably remain, while Mr. McVay and wife will return to their home in Ohio, after having visited with friends and seen the western country.

Wall Paper, Paints, Glass, Picture Framing, Frank Gobelman.



Independence Day!

And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes and our sacred honor."

So pledged the signers of that immortal declaration which gave us Liberty. And so each succeeding generation since that day has pledged itself. We have kept the faith.

Next Friday, July 4th, we shall renew this pledge as we celebrate the 143rd anniversary of our Liberty—our richest heritage.

This bank will remain closed all day July 4th.

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