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VINTON STREET EXPRESS TEAM TOO MUCH FOR LOCALS

Romp Off with Game Here Yesterday by 4 to 0 Score—Seven Hits to Plattsmouth's Four.

From Monday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the Vinton Street Express team of Omaha proved too much for the local base ball artists and lured back to the metropolis at the close of the conflict, winners by the score of 4 to 0.

The visitors proved lucky in the breaks of the game and the locals found in their lone drives that there was one of the visitors at the spot to grab off with the local base ball artists.

Garvey did the work on the mound for the Vinton Express and the locals were unable to solve his change in pace and only smagged four hits in the game while the visitors garnered five hits, one a two sacker off Mason in five innings and two off McCarthy in four innings of the struggle.

The first run of the game was in the third inning when L. L. Spenser secured first when he drove a fly to one to Mason and advanced to second while Garvey was striking out. Frechin was out on a grounder, Mason to O'Donnell and Spenser scored while Stacey was striking out. The second score came in the fourth frame, R. Spenser was out, McFarland to O'Donnell, Empty, the visitors' backstop, lifted a high fly to "Wink" in the center garden, and retired, while McCulloch was able to beat a grounder to first and when Bryant reached first on the third strike that Shepherd failed to hold, Frechin was out.

In the fifth inning Garvey, the visiting pitcher, snagged one of William Harvey's fast ones and lifted it to center field. The pitcher was followed by McAuliffe, who had replaced Frechin at short, and who also secured a hit into the left field that advanced Garvey and when Stacey hit safe over short, Garvey scored. The seventh inning also gave the visitors a run, as Stacey whiffed by McCarthy, McAuliffe was declared safe on a close play at first base, Stacey hit safe to right field, and when McAuliffe attempted to steal third, Herold threw wild and allowed the runner to tally on the over.

In the fielding department of the game McFarland at short showed the most brilliant playing for the locals, while Spreacher in the center garden also robbed the visitors of several runs. McCarthy pitched a good game but the odds were decidedly against the locals at the time he went in to try and stem the tide of defeat, and despite their rally in the eighth and attempted come-back in the ninth, the Merchants were unable to garner in a single score.

The tabulated box score was as follows:

Table with columns for teams (Plattsmouth, Vinton Street) and statistics (AB, H, PO, A, E).

Table with columns for individual players and statistics (AB, H, PO, A, E).

CANDIDATE IN THE CITY.

Saturday evening for a few hours, Hon. A. W. Jeffers of Omaha, present congressman from the second district, and a candidate for the republican nomination for United States senator, was in stopping to look over the situation for a short time.

Mr. Jeffers had been in a number of towns in the southern portion of the state, and feels well pleased over the outlook in the state. He will be opposed in the primary by a number of candidates including R. B. Howell of Omaha and Attorney General Clarence A. Davis.

MANY ENJOY MOTOBING

From Monday's Daily. The pleasant summer like day yesterday drew out a large number of the auto owners with their families and friends to spend the day driving over the country and on into Omaha and the roads were filled with cars the greater part of the time as it was the first really pleasant Sunday for some weeks that would permit any extensive traveling.

STILL ABOUT THE SAME

From Monday's Daily. The condition of Mrs. Albert Funk at the Lord Lister hospital in Omaha is reported as about the same as it has been, although Mrs. Funk was operated on Friday in the hope of giving her some relief. She has been a rather dazed or semi-conscious condition since the auto accident near Waverly two weeks ago and her family as well as the attending physicians have been very much worried over the case and it was finally decided that an operation on the portion of the head which was injured would be necessary. She is still in a very serious shape, but seems more brighter than she had been prior to the operation.

FLOATER PICKED UP FROM MISSOURI RIVER SATURDAY

Claude Richardson Captures Body of Drowned Man Floating in the Waters of Big Muddy

Saturday evening about 7:30 as Claude Richardson was bringing the ferry boat across the Missouri river, he was startled when in the middle of the river, to see the body of a man floating down the center of the stream and at once Mr. Richardson, taking a row boat, put out after the body and brought it into the Nebraska bank of the river, where it was held pending the action of the authorities. The man had been in the water for at least ten days or two weeks and was in a very bad state of decomposition at the time he was found.

The body was apparently that of a man between thirty-five and forty years of age, and of a rather robust build. It was clad in a blue shirt and overalls. His appearance was hard to fix as he had been in the water so long that his hair was about the only point that could be used in identification as he had no papers or anything that might give a clue to his identity on his person.

INSTITUTE A NEW CHAPTER OF DE MOLAY SATURDAY

Cass Chapter of this City Visits Nebraska City and Institutes New Otee Chapter There.

The officers and members of Cass Chapter, Order of De Molay, drove to Nebraska City Saturday where they officiated at the instituting of Otee chapter of the order in that city, and the new chapter was started with a membership of forty-four of the young men of that city.

GETS FINE PRESENT

Edgar Wescott is a very happy young man over a present received by him from his grandfather, C. E. Wescott of Los Angeles, and which consisted of a round trip ticket from this city to Los Angeles and return.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF FORTHCOMING MARRIAGE MADE

Miss Selma Gregerson and Mr. F. Place S. Phebus to be Married at Willard, Mont., June 7.

From Monday's Daily. In a letter from D. H. Phebus, at Miles City, Montana, comes the announcement of the fact that his brother, Place S. Phebus, a former Plattsmouth young man is to be married on Wednesday, June 7th, to Miss Selma Amanda Gregerson, at the home of the bride's parents at Willard, Montana.

The groom is well known here, where he spent his boyhood days and the old friends will be pleased to learn of the happiness that is to come to him. Mr. Phebus is warehouse foreman for the C. M. & St. Paul railroad, having been with this company since 1916, barring the time he spent in the army. He graduated from the Plattsmouth high school in the class of 1908 and lived in this city from the time he was six years old up to reaching manhood, coming here with his parents from his birthplace, at Beaver City, Nebraska.

REPEAT PLEASING PERFORMANCE LAST NIGHT

From Monday's Daily. The entertainment that was given Friday evening as a part of the closing exercises of the St. John's school of this city, was repeated last evening at the school building before an audience that filled the auditorium of the building to its utmost capacity.

The "Daisy Drill" by the little girls and the "Dolly Song" by these same little ladies were received with the most marked approval, while the dancing number of the old fashioned dance of Grandma's days by six of the smaller boys and girls, was the big hit of the evening and heartily cheered by the delighted audience.

CANDIDATES GETTING BUSY

From Monday's Daily. The time for filing for the coming primary election is growing shorter as there will be only twelve days more for filing. The lists will close on Saturday June 17th, and those who desire to come forth as candidates should cast aside their timidity and announce themselves as County Clerk George Sayles has a large stock of blanks that he would like to use up in this way and the county treasury is ready at all times to receive the filing fees.

HOLD FINE RECEPTION

Saturday evening there was a notable gathering of the members of the second district Rebekahs held at the I. O. O. F. hall in Omaha to attend the reception tendered by Mrs. Benjamin DeNaud, past assembly president of District No. 2, and the officers of the district were present in force to enjoy the very pleasant social gathering. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Short of this city were present as well as Grand Marshal Paddock, Sam Greenleaf of Omaha, and Mrs. Talbot, assembly secretary.

DEATH OF FORMER RESIDENT

The announcement of the death of Edward Morrison, a resident of this city a number of years ago, and which occurred at New York City on the morning of June 2nd, has been received here. The deceased man was fifty-eight years of age and was born in Plattsmouth and made his home here until eighteen years of age, when he left this city to follow up his profession as telegraph operator. He leaves a brother, Charles F. Morrison, of Kansas City, Missouri, to mourn his death.

THOUGHT IT WAS BROWN

From Tuesday's Daily. This afternoon the passengers on Burlington train No. 24, from Omaha to this city, were treated to a thrill that comes only once in a lifetime, when it was rumored that "Brown" the much sought after and little known of Omaha kidnapper, was sitting in the smoking car of the train. The man in question got on the train at Bellevue and did not purchase a ticket at the station as is the rule, but insisted on paying a cash fare to Pacific Junction and also stated that he intended to go from the Junction to St. Joseph, Mo. However, after a general conference it was decided that the man was probably some honest son of toil from Bellevue and not the well known outlaw.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN THE BONDS OF WEDLOCK

Miss Teresa Sedlak and Mr. John H. Toman United in Marriage at Holy Rosary Church.

From Tuesday's Daily. This morning at 9 o'clock at the Holy Rosary Catholic church on west Pearl street, occurred the marriage of Miss Teresa Sedlak and Mr. John H. Toman of this city. The ceremony was attended by a large number of the relatives and close friends of the contracting parties.

The bride was very handsomely gowned in a whiteorgette affair, wearing the long flowing bridal veil that was caught and held by the traditional orange blossoms. Miss Sedlak carried a shower bouquet of bride roses.

The groom was accompanied by Miss Sedlak's father and was very attractive in a costume of pink gorette and carried pink roses. The groom and his best man, Mr. Anton Hulka, were dressed in the conventional dark suits.

Following the wedding ceremony both the contracting parties are known to a large circle of warm friends, who will join in wishing them all of the joy and happiness that life can possibly unfold for them in the coming years. The bride is a sister of Joseph Sedlak, Jr., and Mike Sedlak, and has resided here for the past year and a half, coming here from her home in Bohemia, and during this time she has made many warm friends who learn with pleasure of her new happiness.

BOYS GET BUSY

From Tuesday's Daily. Yesterday Rev. John Calvert had the first meeting of the boys of the city who are interested in the good, clean, healthful sports, at the baseball park and nineteen of the boys were present to participate in the business of the occasion and the lads proceeded to loosen up in a red hot game of baseball and this sport seems to be the favorite with all of the boys who are getting enrolled in the summer program of supervised play. Rev. Calvert is devoting as much time as possible to the aiding of the youngsters in their sports and games and feels well repaid if the boys will show the interest in the work. The chamber of commerce is offered to assist in securing equipment for the kids and a season of real enjoyment may be looked forward to.

CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR HERE

From Tuesday's Daily. Andrew P. Moran, Nebraska City attorney, was here yesterday afternoon and last evening for a few hours and incidently Andy let out the information that he is in the race for state senator to a finish, that is, as to the republican nomination for the office and will be in the ball on July 18th as opposing A. F. Sturm of Nebraska, the present occupant of that office and who is also seeking the republican nomination. Mr. Moran is well known over this portion of the state having been the state president of the Eagles and has for years been one of the active figures in the Otee county republican politics.

OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY OF ORDINATION

THE REV. W. S. LEETE OF THIS CITY ASSISTED IN OBSERVANCE BY CLERGY.

From Tuesday's Daily. Yesterday was observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of the ordination of Rev. Walter Scrantom Leete of St. Luke's church, into the priesthood of the Protestant Episcopal church, and the occasion was very fittingly observed by the members of the parish and the able and popular rector enjoyed the pleasure of a visit from a number of the clergy of Nebraska, who came to greet their co-worker in the field of the Master and to assist him in seeing that the event was fittingly remembered.

The visiting clergy arrived on the 8:10 Burlington train yesterday morning from Omaha and consisted of the Rev. Lloyd Holdspale, rector of St. Barnabas church; the Rev. Stanley Jones, rector of St. Paul's church; the Rev. Ralph Blanning, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. John Albert Williams, St. Philip's church, all of Omaha; the Rev. James Noble, rector in charge of St. Mary's church, Blair; the Rev. Sherman of Sterling, Colorado; Dean Moore of Trenton, New Jersey, former secretary of the diocese of Nebraska, and John Wilkinson, who is to be ordained a minister of the church on June 18th at Omaha.

At St. Luke's church at 8:25 there was a choral celebration of the Holy Eucharist, Father Holdspale presiding at the organ and the visiting clergymen singing the services, Father Leete was the celebrant of the Eucharist and Jack McCarthy served for the occasion.

After the church service the members of the visiting clergy and Mr. Leete were entertained by Father and Mrs. Leete and Madame Leete at breakfast at the rectory and with the visitors was included Jack McCarthy, who had assisted in the service. At this time the members of the church School Service League and the Girls Friendly, presented their rector with a purse, each of the chapters making appropriate presentation of their remembrances. The members of the parish also gave the worthy rector a purse in commemoration of his service to them in the past eight years.

Following the breakfast Misses Margaret Donelan and Mable White gave the visiting clergy an opportunity of viewing the city by taking them for an auto ride over the beautiful drives and tree-lined hills of the city that was very much enjoyed by all of the party.

At 1 o'clock the visitors as well as the Leete family were entertained at lunch at the rectory, several of the ladies of the parish serving the delightful repast that had been prepared for the occasion. The tables were very handsomely arranged in decorations of pink roses and bachelor's buttons and made a very tasty setting for the pleasant occasion. After the luncheon the members of the party enjoyed the time in an informal visit with the rector and his family, returning at 3:20 to Omaha.

In addition to the gifts of the parish Father Leete received a large number of bouquets of flowers as well as congratulatory messages from various places as greetings of old friends on the observance of his anniversary. The ordination of Father Leete occurred at Baltimore, Maryland, and he has been in charge of St. Luke's parish here for the past eight years, being one of the most popular priests that has served here in the history of the church and in his personal touch with the members of his church being a worthy successor to the venerable Canon Burgess, who labored so long here with the parish work.

SUES ON BANK STOCK

From Tuesday's Daily. Three suits were filed this morning in the office of Clerk of the District Court James M. Robertson, by Fred E. Bodie, receiver of the defunct Bank of Cass County, in which the receiver seeks to recover from a number of the stockholders the cash value of their stock. The largest stockholder, R. F. Patterson, is listed as having eighty-five shares of the value of \$100 each and the sum of \$8,500 is asked by the receiver. The other actions are against T. H. Pollock listed with 25 shares valued at \$2,500, and Mrs. Lydia Pollock with 22 shares of the value of \$2,200.

VACATION DAYS

Truly the coming of summer with its brightness, the long and cool inviting grass, the bright flowers, the soft and inviting streams and the long days of play of the vacation time are truly the days of youth and which the youngsters take the fullest advantage. Each day the flocks of boys wending their way riverward with fishing tackle and the mystic signal that means "swim!" are more noticeable and to the joy of the community the good old summer time holds treasures that many a worn and harassed man of affairs would give the world to possess once more, but this is the kingdom of the young alone and within its portals there is no room for those who have passed beyond their youthful golden dreams.

W. C. T. U. HOLD THEIR ANNUAL FLOWER MISSION

Meeting at the Home of Mrs. Walter Propst Very Largely Attended By Membership.

From Tuesday's Daily. Yesterday afternoon the ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their annual flower mission at the home of Mrs. Walter Propst, the event being in memory of Miss Jennie Cassidy, one of the early temperance workers and who had originated the thought of the flower mission that would bring the offerings of beautiful flowers to the bedside of the sick and ailing.

The Propst home was very prettily arranged for the occasion and a number of visitors from Union were present to enjoy the occasion with the Plattsmouth ladies. The program which was under the direction of Mrs. John F. Gorder, was very interesting in the extreme and consisted of a sketch of the life and good works of Miss Jennie Cassidy, given by Mrs. Luke Wiles, while musical numbers were given by Catherine and Leonard Perryberry and the little folks pleased the auditors with their cleverness. Mrs. John Calvert and Miss Gladys Elliott also added to the delights of the afternoon with two readings that were very appropriate to the occasion.

At a suitable hour a very dainty two course luncheon was served that aided in making the afternoon one of the greatest of enjoyment and the union received a large number of beautiful flowers that will be used in remembrance to the sick of the city. Those attending from Union were Mrs. W. B. Banning, Mrs. Edwin Balfour, Mrs. L. G. Todd and daughter, Mrs. W. R. Cross and Mrs. Nettie Stanton.

ATTEND GRAND LODGE

From Tuesday's Daily. District Judge James T. Begley, William A. Robertson, William F. Evers, past masters of Plattsmouth lodge No. 6, A. F. & A. M., Leon L. McCarthy, worshipful master, and Leslie Niel, senior warden of the lodge of Masons, were in Omaha today attending the session of the grand lodge that is meeting in that city.

Blank Books at the Journal Office.

PREPARING FOR BIG ATHLETIC CELEBRATION IN JULY

K. S. Society Will Have Interesting Program of Athletic Events For Nation's Birthday.

This city is to have some measure of observance of the Fourth of July, the nation's birthday, at least, as the K. S. society will on that day be holding their three day athletic meet at which the various turning societies of the eastern portion of Nebraska will be here to take part and to furnish the Plattsmouth people with some good events in the way of drills and exhibitions of apparatus turning.

The turning festival will open on July 1st and run over the 4th so that there will be a very enjoyable opportunity for the public to enjoy the day here at home and among the other plans for entertainment will be a parade given by the different societies that will be present at the festival and which will include representatives from Omaha, South Omaha, Wilbur and other points in the east part of the state. The committee in charge of the gathering is busy arranging for speakers and other forms of entertainment that will aid in making the day pleasant for everyone. As soon as the full details are completed the committee expects to make their announcement and give the public time to make their plans to attend the big festival.

On Sunday, July 2nd, the K. S. dramatic club will present a comedy, "Papa's Boots," at their hall on west Locust street, and on Monday will be busy arranging for the program of the 4th. It is expected as far as the committee can determine now to have a parade as well as speaking in the morning hours of the 4th of July and to serve a dinner at the hall for those who desire to spend the day at their park. In the afternoon there will be turning exhibitions by the Sokols and drills by the girls' classes from the various cities represented, and later a dance that will be continued into the evening. Fireworks will be shown in the evening at the park to complete the pleasant, safe and sane celebration.

RAMBLERS ARE COMING HERE FOR A GAME SUNDAY

Another Fast Omaha Aggregation to Be Here Next Sunday to Oppose Local Performers.

Manager John F. Wolf of the Merchants has secured the Ramblers of Omaha as the opponents of the Merchants on the local lot next Sunday and if all the promises of the visitors are true they will furnish the material for a real baseball game as they come very highly recommended and ready to do business with the locals. The Merchants feel however, that they will be able to defend the long end of the gate receipts successfully and propose to show their supporters that there is a real baseball team here.

Advertisement for First National Bank, featuring 'Time Deposits for Farmers!' and 'Member Federal Reserve'.