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BASE BALL COMMENTS

Written By One of The Most Ardent Base Ball Fans.

See How Your Favorite Player Stands in The Line-up.

After seeing all the teams in the league except Shenandoah, the local fans are convinced that Falls City is in a class by itself.

Auburn has a good fielding team but as batters they fall far below Clarinda Marysville, Nebraska City and Falls City.

Woods of Falls City and Johnson of Shenandoah are the best pitchers in the league.

Clarinda's second baseman is a courteous fellow but a very dangerous man with the bat.

If Bob McCabe keeps on hitting at his present stride he will be hard to keep in this company another year. He not only leads the local team in base hits but he is far and away ahead on extra bases.

Trainer has been the most consistent hitter on the team. He has failed to hit in but one game on the home grounds this year.

Andy McNeil is not only the finest third baseman in the league but with possibly one exception he is superior to any third baseman in the western league.

Drum has taken a bad slump in his batting but he continues to field his position to the limit.

Without Jack Forester the present team could not have been gotten together, neither would the team have learned the inside game as well as they play it if Jack were not at the head, but at the same time the manager lacks a great deal of being a good first baseman. He has been crippled a good deal this spring and may go better after awhile.

Eddie Finch has not been well and as a consequence has not been pitching in his true form. The fans have not forgotten and will not forget that Finch won the pennant for us last year, and to a man they believe that he will help us win another one this year.

Tappen has not as yet hit his stride either in the field or at the bat. Last year he was the leading second baseman in the league and when he rounds to form he will be at the top again.

Tony Vanderhill is one of the most valuable players Falls City has ever had. He knows the game from the beginning and his coaching of the pitchers is a constant delight to the home fans and equally confusing to the opposition.

Steno has received the most bases on balls, McCabe has made the most hits and hit for the most bases, Tappen has made the most sacrifice hits and Trainer has hit in the most consecutive games.

Our team has received the kindest treatment in every town except Nebraska City. There they were called roughnecks, robbers and like names. Nebraska City charges that Falls City is ahead because the patrons of the games are such rowdies that the umpires are afraid to decide against us for fear of being mobbed and

mistreated. Black, the outfielder that we let Marysville have, and Sackett the second baseman we let go are both hitting above three hundred.

Strange as it may seem Marysville is developing into a dangerous team and one that our boys will have to watch. They are hitting the ball out of the lot and have murdered some of the best pitchers in the league.

Duran, whom we released, has won most of his games for Shenandoah though he has been hit very hard in every game. Nebraska City made but one run with twelve hits off him. That is certainly lucky pitching.

The following are the batting averages for the home games.

Table with batting averages for McCabe (.425), Drumm (.348), Finch (.333), McNeil (.298), Trainer (.288), Vanderhill (.266), Forester (.239), Steno (.237), Tappen (.222), Frazier (.142), Woods (.133).

Library Report.

Table with library statistics: No. of books (accession number) 5,200; No. of bound periodicals (not accessioned) 91; No. of Weiss bound periodicals (not accessioned) 67; No. of books withdrawn (from beginning of Lib.) 244; Periodicals (subscribed for by Lib.) 40; Periodicals (gifts) 13; Books not accounted for 2; Books added during year (bought by Lib.) 545; Magazines added during year, unbound (gifts) 36; Reference books added during year 11; Cards issued during year 799; Pictures circulated during year 64; Library attendance 27,954; Cash received for cards and fines \$166.44; Books loaned Adult 93, Juvenile 97; Phil. & religion 304, 71; Sociology 272, 365; Language 32, 2; Natural sciences 132, 514; Useful arts 212, 123; Fine arts 202, 236; Literature 443, 384; History 193, 454; Travel 437, 259; Biography 254, 214; Fiction 8996, 8020; Magazines 2675, 10,740; Total 14,263, 25,003.

Court House News.

Judge Gagnon will hear claims in the Lucretia Miller estate today.

The following marriage license was issued Saturday: H. O. Thompson, Falls City, 21; Mary Wing, Falls City, 18.

Frank Porter of Humboldt called at the Treasurer's office Wednesday to pay his taxes.

W. A. Greenwald and wife and Dr. Roberts and wife went up to Barada Sunday in the Greenwald car.

Announcement.

Monday was the last issue of the Daily Tribune. Two daily papers in Falls City cannot be well supported. The Tribune will be published as a weekly and it will be the aim of the paper to furnish to its patrons a good live weekly paper.

The paper has been poorly managed for some time. A sharp promoter succeeded in deceiving the late owner and proprietor of the paper. He got all the money collected in that he could and then skipped, leaving the paper in a crippled condition. It will however weather the storm and continue again as in the past as a live weekly. We solicit the patronage of the friends of the paper and hope we may be able to restore its good name and credit.

Police Court.

Two mushy Willies were before the police court this morning charged with intoxication, and were sent to the Hotel McFarland to board for a week and employ their time on the streets for the benefit of the city.

Campbell Bros. Performances.

Tuesday was circus day in Water Valley, and it is estimated that fully 5,000 people came to see Campbell Bros. Great Consolidated Shows. The day was clear and bright, and the vast throng began to arrive early in the day—they kept coming until noon, when the estimate was made on the number as stated above.

The show train was detained several hours and failed to arrive here until after nine o'clock, and it was fully noon before the cars were all unloaded. By 2:00 o'clock however everything was in shape, and at 2:30 the street parade was made.

The show was first class and clean throughout, with no objectionable features. It was one of the best circuses to show here in years and the large crowd in attendance was more than pleased with the excellent performances. The show was so good that should Campbell Bros. ever decide to again visit our city, they will be assured a big crowd.

From here the show went to Holy Springs. They intend to work the Southern states until about Dec. 15, when they will go into winter quarters at New Orleans.—Mississippi Herald.

RULO

James Thornton died Monday June the fifth at the home of his mother in Rulo, aged 17 years, 5 months and 4 days. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at the Holiness church, conducted by Rev. Walden, of Forest City.

The Bachelor Girls Club which has been sadly broken into by marriage held a re-union Sunday of last week. Instrumental and vocal music, interspersed with conversation made the time pass all too quickly.

Frank Bingham was a visitor in Sparks, Sunday.

Albert Morehouse of Kansas visited in Rulo last week.

Prof. A. H. Voegelien left Wednesday evening for a visit with his mother at Naperville, Ill., after which he will spend his vacation in the west. The beginning of the school year he takes the principalship of the Rapid City, South Dakota school with a salary of \$1,000 for the first year with the promise of a substantial increase. Mr. Voegelien has had the principalship of the Rulo high

school for the past three years, where he has done good work. He leaves many warm friends in Rulo who wish him success in his new field.

Elmer Philby of Elwood, Kas., spent last week with his Rulo friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Majerus and baby spent Sunday with relatives in Rulo.

The band gave an open air concert Saturday night. A large crowd was on the streets.

Mrs. Johnson and daughter, May were shopping in Rulo Saturday afternoon.

George Seley returned Saturday from a working trip to Nebraska City.

Mrs. C. J. Huber and son Carl, returned Saturday night from a visit with friends at St. Joe.

Mrs. Harry Bradford and little son, returned to their home in Wymore Tuesday after a visit of two weeks with relatives here.

H. A. Schmidt has been working in Kansas the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fox, who have spent the past month with relatives in Rulo and Kansas left Saturday to visit with relatives in Chicago before returning to their home in New York.

Josie Vetter of Kansas visited with friends in Rulo the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Annie Ryan of Auburn spent last week in Rulo, visiting John Kanaly and family.

Roy Seley left Saturday for a visit with friends at Sparks, Kas.

Wm. Hinten of Falls City was a business visitor in Rulo last Friday.

Mrs. William Carico and little daughter left Tuesday for their home at Diller.

Alice Gilbert returned home on Saturday night from Vermillion, South Dakota.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

We are looking for a great day next Sabbath. We will begin by trying for a large attendance at the Bible school commencing at 9:45 a. m., when the superintendent wants to see every teacher and student in place. At 11 o'clock the Nemaha Valley lodge No. 36, I. O. O. F. will attend the church in a body and an "In Memorium" service will be held.

The membership of this order is large so that it will be necessary for the general public to be on time to secure comfortable seats. Special music will be offered on the great pipe organ and the building will be decorated with flowers.

At the evening service we are to have a report of the meetings of the General Assembly that were held in Atlantic City. Dr. C. U. Allison was the delegate from our church and he will be given an opportunity to tell of his trip and the many interesting scenes he visited, and the important events that transpired at the Assembly.

On Tuesday evening we will have a "Bon Voyage" party in the church complimentary to the Drs. Tucker who will leave for the work in China in a few days. All the membership of the church is expected to be present and a really good time is anticipated.

A program is being prepared that will offer music and speeches so that the evening ought to be one of the most pleasant and interesting possible.

To all our services the general public is most cordially invited with the distinct understanding that men are to feel at liberty to remove their coats if so disposed. Comfort with reverence and a devotional spirit is our aim.

R. Cooper Bailey, Pastor.

TRIED TO KILL THEM

Tragedy Averted by the Appearance of Another Buggy.

Disagreement Over Stock Said To Be Cause of Trouble.

Wednesday evening the Sheriff, Fenton and Dr. Reneker were called out near Barada about 10 o'clock. When they reached the destination in answer to the call of distress they found Gust Wetsel quite badly bruised and his head gashed in about fifteen different places.

Mr. and Mrs. Wetsel were driving home from the school house where they had been practicing some music for a Sunday school program and just after leaving they were attacked by Mr. Kammerer and his son so reports are stated. Mr. Wetsel was quite badly bruised and his wife was injured slightly. The old man in the road is said to have urged his son to do the job well but they were interrupted by the appearance of another buggy.

Mr. Wetsel will probably swear out a warrant on the charge of assault with intent to kill.

The cause of the fracas is not definitely known but it is thought to have been caused by some disagreement over some stock.

Installation of Officers.

Monday evening the Masonic order met for installation of officers and the following were installed:

- E. G. Whitford Master; R. Cooper Bailey, Senior Warden; A. F. Fottman, Junior Warden; A. E. Gantt, Secretary; I. M. Brannin, Senior Deacon; E. B. Jones, Junior Deacon; Samuel Prater, Tyler.

Tuesday evening the order of the Eastern Star met in the lodge room for installation of officers. A fairly good number were present and the following were installed.

- Worthy Matron, Mrs. D. Davies; Worthy Patron, E. G. Whitford; Asso. Matron, Miss Hough; Secretary, Miss E. Bailey; Treasurer, A. Kottman; Conductress, Mrs. Ida Jones; Asst. Con., Mrs. Palmer.

After the lodge meeting a very enjoyable social time was in order and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

BARADA.

Miss Kathryn F. Ryan who has been down from Omaha to nurse Mrs. Wm. Boliuan returned Saturday night to her home.

Jesse Prosser and wife came in from St. Joseph Sunday for a visit with home folks.

W. E. Whittington and family have moved to Shubert.

Maudie Tillman is quite ill.

Priscilla Woodring spent Tuesday as the guest of Mrs. J. A. Martin.

Henry Wagner came up from Falls City this week where he has been employed in plastering a house for C. F. Kuker.

Little Ruth Randall was quite sick last week.

We are glad to note the general interest in improvements manifested among property owners.

The Christian church will soon be repainted.

Dr. H. S. Andrews was called to Nemaha Sunday afternoon to assist his father, in a surgical operation.

Monday for a visit with her nephew Elliott L. Delmar and other relatives.

Mrs. C. E. Teter is very ill at this writing.

A number of our young people drove to Maple Grove Sunday evening to attend Children's day exercises. They report a pleasing program.

Ed Laukemper has a bad case of Erysipelas in his knee.

Dr. Andrews and wife entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. J. A. Martin and wife.

Mrs. Wilford Orr who has been very ill is somewhat improved.

W. F. Butler is installing an elevator in his capacious store building.

Ctis Sailors joined the Shubert nine and went to Brock for a game on Saturday.

C. H. Martin was in the city on Saturday.

Walter Orr was in Shubert Saturday.

Chas. Taylor's son was quite ill last week.

Miss Eliza Constantine came up from Falls City for a few days visit with home folks.

Mrs. Mattie Cheesman visited several days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Wilhite.

Rev. Williams, presiding elder for this conference district of the Evangelical church will be here and conduct a three day's meeting July 7, 8, and 9th.

Barada will celebrate in the most approved manner on July 4th. There will be two speakers from abroad, the Rulo band will furnish music, throughout the day. Games and various sports will make a full program. Something doing every minute, says the committee on program.

Local News Items.

At the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams on Tuesday evening a party was given in honor of Miss Schrader of Corning, Mo. Various games were indulged in upon the lawn after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by her daughter, Miss Eva, and Mrs. John Kentopp. About fifty guests were present, who departed at a late hour voting Mr. and Mrs. Williams royal entertainers.

Tuesday afternoon quite a number of Falls City young people went to Auburn to attend the ball game.

J. H. Stearn of Cleveland, Ohio called on Fred C. Schock Tuesday afternoon.

Ewing Herbert of Hiawatha was a Falls City visitor Tuesday evening.

June weddings are on the increase though the season seemed slow at first.

C. E. Burgess of Barada was in the city Wednesday looking after business affairs.

R. Cooper Bailey returned from Lincoln, Wednesday where he went the first of the week on matters of business.

Ray Smith of Horton, Kansas was in the city Monday visiting with friends.

Mr. Sherman of Des Moines, Ia. called at the store of F. Schock yesterday.

The car that came in Wednesday heavily laden with penants blew out of town early Thursday morning.