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E. V. E. A. AT AINSWORTH

Saturday, June 15, 1907.

Ainsworth is a pleasant little village down the road, 47 miles from Valentine. The editorial association had decided to meet there this year in June and a number of the boys from up and down the country were there. It is a time when the editor lays aside his work and business cares for a day to get together with his craft and rejoice over the year's blessing or find comfort and solace from imparting to his fellowmen his woes and sorrows.

It is a pleasure similar to that we used to look forward to in youth when we were loaded into the big wagon and drove several miles across the country to visit with relatives that we hadn't seen for a year. It meant a big time and a change of food—something good to eat and nothing to do until we got back home.

Our editorial meetings mean even more, if possible, now than those visits of the early days, tho we enjoyed the visits then, as all boys and girls experience in leaving home and its duties for a day or two. It gave us new life, renewed vigor and inspiration, food for body and soul and pleasant recollections. The things said and done were not all of the gratification from being together and away from home.

When, for awhile, we forget the old crooked trail with its rocks, stumps, hills and thickets that seem to have grown crookeder, rockier, stumpier, hillier and denser with long incessant travel and plodding, we learn of other paths and of others' successes and failures, which enlighten many of the burdens we struggled under before.

These are some of the benefits derived from getting away from home. It broadens your field of labor and acquaintances. It is true of farmers as well as of business men. You can't derive the fullest benefit of life by staying at home all the time. Come to town, or if you are in town, go out into the country occasionally.

Ainsworth people are as good as any on earth and gave us a royal reception. They were busy during the day with their duties, but found time to come to the evening reception and banquet, which was given in their opera house by the ladies.

It is a fair sample of the beauty and ability of the Ainsworth daughters, and we have no doubts to the contrary. No young man need be ashamed that he found his lady love there. A bright intelligent class of women, young and old, were there and stayed until late, enjoying the evening which was pleasantly spent at the banquet table, and afterward following the music in mind or step, the while pleasantly chatting and visiting with esteemed friends and acquaintances.

A. W. Scattergood was toastmaster of the evening and took his place at the head of the two long tables, reaching the length of the house, and a table across the end in front. 150 or 200 persons

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were present. Several choice selections of music by the orchestra, by Mrs. Scattergood and a quartet by four Peck sisters were well received. Recitations and readings by different persons, interspersed by toasts, held our attention following the banquet. Mr. Snow, a Cadron editor, gave a toast to the ladies. Mrs. Ackerman pleasantly responded with a toast for the men.

Soon the tables were cleared away as if by magic. A smooth maple floor, good orchestra music, people with light hearts and merry souls found inspiration from the former and joined hands for a circle around the room.

Reminiscences.

R. S. Rising, formerly editor of the Star-Journal, was around on the street with his automobile, (a two-seat, 20 h. p. Rambler with cover) hauling the ladies to and from the opera house, and found time to take several editors out for a ride about town.

Uncle Robt. Martin got out with his martial band to give the editors a welcome. It made us think of the good old times in boyhood on the Fourth of July. Uncle Martin's band would like to celebrate in Valentine this year. We hope arrangements can be made for them to come.

The delayed trains kept some editors from attending the meeting.

A splendid and interesting program was carried out at the editors business session, in which nearly every editor had a part or took part in the discussion following some paper or subjects which came up for discussion. Many were there and many were absent.

We notice some new men in the field while others have dropped out or gone to other fields of labor. Glad to get acquainted with all new members.

At the election of officers for the ensuing year, our friend John M. Cotton of Ainsworth was elected president, W. H. Green of Creighton, vice president, and I. M. Rice, secretary-treasurer.

Valentine was selected as the next place of holding their meeting which will be held here next June, the first Saturday.

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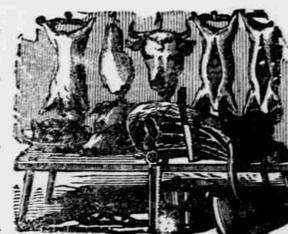
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