

COURT HOUSE RATS BEAT.

Friendly Contest Between Post Office Boys and Court House Occupants.

The Line Up

Table with 3 columns: Name, Position, Opponent. Includes Hugg, Fitzpatrick, Monaghan, Hoffman, A. Muir, J. Muir, Terry, Cramer, Walker.

Heiden pitched the 1st three innings for Uncle Sam, allowing but one run. Cramer was relieved by Hoffman in 6th inning. The game terminated by agreement at 6 p. m. after seven innings of play.

This was the Federals first game and they offer no excuses, save that they prefer a cinder field with a brick backstop.

Notwithstanding the remarkable resemblance of Pitcher Cramer to the Great LaJoie, and the fact that he was supported by the legal representative of the Insane commission, the Federals showed few symptoms of stage fright, and are arranging for a return game. Score, Court House 10, Postoffice 9.

We noted last week that Aug. Marwede, one of the clerks for the Balle-Brodersen store was soon to take his departure for a visit to the Fatherland. The time of departure came last Friday evening and a goodly number of his friends were at the depot to bid him goodbye, happy voyage, and safe return.

The supreme court, within the last few days, have disposed of several cases appealed from this county. The case of Voss vs Chamberlain et al, a suit growing out of the Green failure at Dow City was affirmed; the case of German vs Heath involving the title of some land in this county was also affirmed; the case of Rudd vs Dewey, which was an action for damages and in which a judgment was rendered against the defendant Dewey was reversed on account of the erroneous admission of evidence on the trial of the case in the district court.

The N. W. road has added two men to the depot force. This means business.

Mr. Brodersen transacted business in Omaha today.

Miss Lora Cristie is expected this week for a short visit with friends.

Miss May Kelley, the competent and faithful assistant in the Balle-Brodersen store, is taking her summer vacation.

Mrs. William Rath has been on the sick list the past week but we are pleased to announce that she is some improved at this writing.

Any one wishing to make arrangements to have a carriage taken them to the Chautauqua grounds and back should call up C. C. phone 74.

Miss Abbie McHenry entertained a few at bridge on Wednesday complimentary to Mrs. Sears McHenry's house guest, Mrs. Coolbaugh of Springfield Mo. The ladies had a very enjoyable and pleasantly spent afternoon.

The F. H. Club had a very pleasant meeting with Mrs. L. M. Baer Thursday. Mrs. Baer was not born in Maryland and without becoming a famous cook and she served a very elegant supper. Mrs. Baer in addition to the club members had a number of guests.

We urge out of town people to engage some of the rooms we know of and attend the Chautauqua at every session. There will be much to learn at the morning sessions. Such an opportunity comes but once a year and should be taken advantage of.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church gave a lunch Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Chamberlin. The affair being given at the home of this popular hostess may have something to do with the large audience and the making of a goodly sum for the church fund.

On Wednesday Miss Marion Seriver gave a very pretty and charming little dinner as a compliment to her friend, Miss Harger, of Warsaw, Wis. A fine course dinner was served at the most attractively decorated table and a very pleasant evening of music and visiting followed.

Miss Austin entertained a number of friends of Miss Culmer at her home on Saturday afternoon. The Austin home was declared the coolest place in town and the heat of the day seemed gone amid the pleasant surroundings. A more popular girl never lived in Denison than Miss Culmer and it has been a great delight to her friends to have her with them again. Miss Austin served very nice refreshments and entertained as she always does, with great success.

We noted last week that the Baptist ladies and friends gave the pastor, Rev. LaReau and wife, a "tin wedding" shower on Wednesday evening. It was a big success, and now the good pastor and his family have all the "tin" they want for some time. Mrs. Lee Barber gave utterance to a little rhyme on the occasion and Mrs. Lou Martin surprised her friends with a long selection in verse, which just hit the mark. With the Mesdames Harry Carpenter, Lee Barber and Lou Gulick Martin so gifted in the Baptist church, it were about time for other churches to look to their laurels. All present at the shower were delighted, including the sweet LaReau boy and girl.

LAYING THE CORNER STONE.

THE CORNER STONE OF THE SWEDISH BAPTIST CHURCH AT KIRON PUT IN PLACE

WITH INTERESTING CEREMONIES.

Church Society Organized in August 1868 With Few Members.

Thursday, July 9th, will long live in memory of the Swedish Baptists of Kiron and vicinity, in that it witnessed the laying of the corner stone of their new church. Coming in the midst of a busy farm season the country people could not be in attendance in large numbers, but nevertheless over two hundred persons gathered at two in the afternoon and with joy and satisfaction witnessed the simple ceremony of laying the stone in place and heard the addresses of the day. The building faces to the north and is on the site of the old church. The corner-stone is at the northwest corner and high up from the ground.

The new church will be 72x45 feet with a ten foot basement under the entire dimensions. This means two churches in one, for the basement will

Rev. J. A. Gronlund, of Sioux City, spoke in the Swedish language. He is a fluent speaker and his words held the rapt attention of all listeners. He congratulated the church at Kiron on what it was doing and encouraged the members to continued endeavors which would be God Blessed. Mr. Chas. K. Meyers, of Denison, who was a visitor of the occasion was asked to speak on behalf of the layman. He spoke with earnestness, calling to mind the history of the Swedish people on religion from the time of the great king Gustavus Adolphus, to the present, and commending the band of Baptists who came to this county in poverty, the members of which organized the church August 16, 1868, and had continued to support it ever since. He looked on the present new church building as their monument erected in thanksgiving to God for life and prosperity. The choir made up of young ladies of the church sang at intervals during the exercises.

It will be well into the fall and may be winter before the dedication will take place. At that time we will present a picture of the new church and give a detailed description of it. On corner stone day there was a committee meeting at the parsonage to consider the style of seats to be bought, and from now on there will be something to engage the



Laying the Corner Stone of the Swedish Baptist Church, Kiron, Iowa, Thursday, July 9th, 1908.

have an audience room which will hold 200 people and many other desirable rooms. The assembly room upstairs will be much larger. There is a gallery at the south, and under this, there will be a public reading room open free for all, at stated hours. So it will be seen that the Baptists of Kiron mean not only to have plenty of opportunity to do religious work on Sunday, but would reach out and help the young men and women, boys and girls in the week days as well. In this, their plans will meet the approbation of all engaged in helping the cause of right living in the world.

On the day of laying the corner stone the high basement walls were just completed, and the carpenters were beginning their work which was hampered some by non-receipt of lumber. As the pastor, Rev. Lagerquist is a practical mechanic capable of drawing the plans and contracting to build the building, it has been decided to do the work by the day under his direction and other men appointed by the membership. By this means the money is kept at home among the members and there will be no misunderstandings with a contractor over changes if found necessary. It is to be hoped the work will go on to the end, like the building of the walls of Jerusalem, or that of the great temple, the members working in harmony that all be done for the best.

Corner stone day was one of the hottest of the year so far, and so the waiting people did their best to keep in the shade and the speakers on the platform were there no longer than necessary. The pastor however, held his own throughout the exercises. Rev. Lagerquest brought forth the metallic box to be placed in the stone. Among the articles of its contents were the pictures of all the surviving of the original members, the church officers, some present coins, business cards, and copies of the latest issues of the Kiron News and Denison Review. During all the exercises cameras were at work and many views taken. A resolution of thanks was read and adopted by the church, thanking Hill & Son of Denison for the donation of the corner stone and the lettering of the same. On one side the inscription read "1868-1908" and on the other "First Swedish Baptist church of Kiron, Iowa"

The leading address of the day, given in the English language, was that of Rev. La Reau, the Baptist pastor of Denison. He gave a very able and appropriate sermon, entering into the things necessary for a successful church society. There was need of harmony, right living, doctrine base on the bible, no backbiting or scandal, support of the pastor in his plans for spiritual work. He commented on a banner placed on the wall which asked the question as to how the church would be if all members were like the reader of the words. This was to incite to self-examination. Rev. LaReau spoke with clearness and force and his listeners were much pleased.

RICKETTS ITEMS.

Zoe Pershing, of Mapleton, and Mrs. D. Smith, of Ute, visited the former's brother here Wednesday.

A jolly crowd consisting of Zoe and Will Pershing, C. P. Hoefler, Nellie Hoffman, Ann Vollerson and Mrs. H. R. Timm drove to Charter Oak Wednesday.

Geo. Krohnke and wife and children visited at the Aug. Tech home at Charter Oak Sunday.

Aug. Kuhlman and wife attended Ringling Bros. circus at Sioux City Saturday.

Mesdames L. F. Kreymborg and A. Hintz spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Gus Ricketts, near Schleswig.

J. C. Jacobsen and P. C. Clausen went to Mapleton Sunday to attend the ball game between the Charter Oak and Mapleton team.

Jurgen Krohnke and wife and Mrs. E. L. Deikman drove over from Schleswig Sunday to visit the Krohnke home.

Mrs. Emma Gary and son Earl, of Denison, are the guests of Mrs. H. R. Timm this week.

Mrs. I. N. Vollerson and Mr. Aug. Kuhlman drove out to spend Friday with Mrs. H. Nammany five miles northeast of town.

Mrs. A. Buckley and daughter

Esther, of Clinton, are here for a three weeks' visit at the Timm home.

C. P. Hoefler and W. Pershing were at Mapleton Sunday on business and also witnessed the ball game.

Minnie and Nellie Sciford, daughters of Chas. Sciford, living south of town, are quite sick at present.

Minnie Peterson came down from Schleswig Saturday to attend the dance and visited her folks over Sunday.

Carrie and Meta Jacobsen, of Charter Oak were the guests of J. C. Jacobsen and wife Tuesday.

Word came from Chicago last week telling of the death of Wm. Klein. He is a nephew of Gus. Rabe and during his stay here made a host of friends who regret to hear of his death. He worked in the bank at Charter Oak and his health forced him to give up his position. He returned to his home in Chicago where he died last week.

A crowd gathered at the hall Monday evening and enjoyed a dance given as a farewell to Henry Kroeger, who left for Schleswig Tuesday.

Carl Hamann returned to Bloomfield, Neb., after a short visit with his daughter, Mrs. D. Whalert, of Ricketts.

THE BOYS

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