

FLOOD WATER AGAIN

FARMERS ALONG THE RIVER FEAR RISING STREAM.

Heavy rains reported west of here and the high water for Saline is about due—getting near the limit.

The Smoky Hill river is feeling the effect of the high water which has overflowed hundreds of acres in Saline county. This water is just reaching here. The river rose two feet at Sand Springs Sunday and is now 15.2 feet, which is 7 feet below danger point at that place.

West of Enterprise the river is out of its banks on the south side filling up an old river bed and farmers south of town are becoming anxious. Many have moved their stock to higher ground.

At J. H. Engle's near the Buckeye bridge two feet more will let it over the banks.

Near New Cambria the water is within two feet of the Rock Island tracks.

A heavy rain ranging from 6 to 8 inches is reported last night at Colby, Lincoln, Oakley and the northwest.

All east bound trains are several hours late because of the high water, washouts and soft tracks.

An inch of rain fell here this morning and more is in prospect. Some wheat on the bottoms is falling under the weight of the moisture but this is only in small spots.

Indications are that the danger point in the river will be reached about Wednesday.

MORE MARSHAL TALK

Methodist Brotherhood Adopts Some Resolutions, Too.

The Methodist Brotherhood Sunday adopted these resolutions on the marshaling matter:

"As a brotherhood we would earnestly oppose any attempt to engage this organization in partisan politics, but we do sincerely assert our right as American citizens to express our opinion and to act in accordance therewith, when a question of good government in either city, state or nation is concerned; believing that such a crisis has arrived in the history of our city we do most heartily endorse the action of the commercial club of the city of Abilene taken June 18, 1909, in regard to the appointment of a city marshal, and request the city council to take action in accord therewith at the earliest possible moment."

The council meets tonight and it is hoped that the mayor will accede to the many requests made and try to get something straightened out.

Funeral Services.

Funeral services of the late Simon Sutter were held from the home of his son Emil Sutter at 3:30 Sunday. A large number of friends of the family attended. Rev. Fuller Bergstress officiated and burial was in Abilene cemetery. Edward Sutter accompanied the body here from Pomona, Cal., where the death occurred.

Buick Won the Race.

Local motorists have been interested in the Cope race near Crown Point, Ind., Saturday when 12 cars raced over a 23 mile course, 17 laps. A Buick, No. 17, 32.4 horse power like the one driven by E. E. Coulson won over a Locomobile, Knox, Stoddard-Dayton and other leading makes. The car had trouble on the way and made the last 100 miles with only three cylinders running. Burman, the famous driver, was also in the race with a Buick but had an accident that put him out after 13 laps. However, before that happened he made one stretch of a mile at the rate of 87.4 miles an hour.

ELLSWORTH WALLOWER ABILENE FOR SECOND GAME.

Football Play in Third Won Ellsworth the Game by Score of 5 to 3.

Ellsworth, June 21.—Ellsworth defeated Abilene in a fast game of ball Saturday afternoon by the score of 5 to 3. Abilene had Ellsworth outclassed at the bat and should have had the long end of the score but the football scrimmage with the Abilene catcher and an Ellsworth player lost the game as it let four runs across the pan.

Not until the third did the scoring begin. In the first Thompson hit to left, and was advanced on Bechtold's bunt, he being safe because no one covered first to take the throw from Wood. Miller flew to center, and Kiernan fanned after Britton had gone out to pitcher to first. White, for Ellsworth, hit for two bases, and stole third. Davis walked, and stole second. Brinker went out, short to first; McKee was out on fly to second, and Lewis retired, second to first. No scores.

Second—It was one-two-three and out with both sides.

Third—Matson struck out. Thompson hit safe, and advanced on Bechtold's out at first. Miller got on on Lewis' error. Britton lost out at first. Wood was out at first. White hit a hot one to second that went for a hit. An error by Abilene's short fielder gave Davis a life at first, White having advanced to second on a balk. Brinker went to first on error of right, Davis going to second on the play. A single at this point to left by McKee, and a bad throw to catch runner at home allowed four runners to romp home.

Castle, the first man up in the fourth went out from short to first, and Woods whiffed Young and Mallon.

Army and Sommers each got a life at first, but there was nothing doing.

In the fifth, the first three men up for Abilene went out. Ellsworth got one in this inning on a base on balls to McKee, who stole second and scored on Lewis' hit.

Abilene got her three runs in the sixth. Miller walked; Britton hit safe, and hits by Kiernan and Castle scored Miller and Britton. Woods got Kiernan and Castle at third. Mallon got a life at first on Brooks' error, stole second and scored on Matson's hit.

Score by innings:

Abilene0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—3
Ellsworth0 0 4 0 0 1 0 0—5

ABILENE

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.
Thompson lf.....5 0 2 1 0 0
Bechtold 2b.....4 0 1 4 2 2
Miller cf & c.....4 1 0 1 2 0
Britton 3b.....5 1 1 3 0 0
Kiernan rf & ss..3 0 1 1 0 1
Castle c & cf.....4 0 2 3 0 0
Young ss.....2 0 0 0 1 0
Williams rf.....2 0 0 0 0 1
Mallon lb.....4 1 0 11 0 0
Matson p.....3 0 2 0 5 0

ELLSWORTH

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.
White cf.....4 1 2 4 1 0
Davis, rf.....2 1 0 0 0 0
Brinker 2b.....4 1 0 3 1 0
McKee ss.....3 2 1 1 3 0
Lewis lf.....4 0 1 0 0 1
Brooks 3b.....2 0 0 3 1 2
Armstrong lb.....3 0 0 10 0 0
Sommers c.....2 0 0 5 0 0
Woods p.....2 0 0 1 7 1

Baseball Gossip.

Young, Dale and two men from Enid were let off. Young and Dale were both crippled. Young had his right shoulder fractured and a finger broken and Dale also had a broken finger.

Bartley wired that he would be here Thursday. Here's hoping he does make his debut into Abilene's baseball society.

Dean Burton, a new find, arrived



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and will try out for short. He played short stop for Ellsworth last season and made a good record.

R. F. Wilson, manager of the Springfield, team, of the Western association, has reported and will manage the local aggregation. Mr. Wilson will probably play in the outfield. He is a good man and Abilene was lucky in getting such a capable manager.

Looks as though the Abilene team would have to learn to play ball on flat boats.

"Red" Ward, who played with Springfield in the Western Association, will report tomorrow and work out on short stop.

Around the Circuit.

Beloit 1; Clay Center 4.

Beloit, June 21.—Beloit shut out Clay Center here Saturday afternoon by the score of 1 to 0. The score by innings: R H E
Beloit0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 3
Clay Center ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 2 0
Batteries—Green and Meade; Brooks and Allingham.

Manhattan 11; Minneapolis 8.

Minneapolis, June 21.—Manhattan broke even with Minneapolis by winning Saturday's game, 11 to 8. Score: R H E
Minneapolis 3 0 2 2 0 0 0 10 8 13 3
Manhattan ..0 0 2 0 3 0 0 4 11 14 8
Batteries—Williams, Stureman and Martin; Bryant, Stack and Coe.

Junction City 7; Salina 5.

Salina, June 21.—Junction City won from Salina Saturday afternoon in a ten-inning game by superior hitting. The score by innings: R H E
Salina1 1 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0—5 5 3
Junction City ..0 0 2 0 0 0 0 3 0 2—7 8 1
Batteries—Fury, Smith, Willford and Lawrence; Putnam, Dougherty and Ulrich.

Entertained at Whist.

Miss Helen Hazlett entertained about thirty young ladies at whist this afternoon in honor of Miss Hunter, of Wellington, and Miss Bostick of Hutchinson. Several musical selections were also given after which dainty refreshments were served. Misses Hunter and Bostick are visiting with Miss Hazlett.

Obituary.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brower was born in Virginia in 1823 and died at Navarre, Kansas, June 15, 1909, aged 86 years, 10 months and 26 days. Old age being the cause of her death. For several years Mrs. Brower and her daughter Miss Anna Brower lived alone but the last few months she made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Isaac Strode.

Mrs. Brower was a consistent Christian and a member of the Dunkard church. She leaves six children, twenty grand children, twenty-six great grand children and many friends to mourn her loss. Funeral services were held at the Dunkard church in Navarre June 17 at 2 p. m. conducted by Rev. B. Forney, assisted by Rev. Humbarger of Holland. Burial in adjoining cemetery.

Gave One O'clock Luncheon.

Miss Minnie Moriarity and Miss Lois Crawford pleasantly entertained a number of young ladies yesterday at a one o'clock luncheon at the home of Miss Moriarity, in honor of Misses Jessie Fitzpatrick of Salina, and Della Stenger of Herington. The afternoon was spent playing whist and several musical selections were rendered.

TIED ONCE MORE

DARKNESS STOPPED ABILENE-SALINA GAME, SCORE 3-3.

Abilene Outhit the Salina Bunch But Could Not Make Good When It Came to Errors—Poor Umpire and Darkness Against Them

Salina, June 22.—The game between Abilene and Salina was called in the eighth by umpire McKee on account of darkness when the score stood 3 to 3. The game was fast and interesting but several costly errors were made on account of the heavy ground. The Abilene team had the Salina aggregation out classed at the bat and Thompson had the Salina pitcher, Heffner, ousted, as he struck out 10 men to Heffner's 3. Burton the first man to pick up a stick, dumped out a ... and got transportation to second by a passed ball. Ellis went out by the grounder route, then F. Wilson flew to right. Burton who had gone to third on the Ellis play, started for home after the ball was caught but seeing that he could not make it, started back to third. The ball was thrown to Heffner, but he let it dribble through him and Burton registered.

After Ergot had gone out in the second, T. Wilson took one in the slats. Miller went free on a difference of opinion, Wilson managed to run around Quigley who had the ball at second and both men were safe. Britton allowed Wilson to cross the joy pan by hitting a two bagger.

The locals had some soup in the third inning, off of errors made by Abilene. Britton receiving Krepps' grounder threw bad to first letting Krepps gain to second. Quigley drew a pass and Krepps went to third station on a passed one. Strong popped out to Ergot and Thompson dropped Leonard a fly. Heffner popped out just like Strong did. Horrill hit a grounder which was thrown to first and T. Wilson let it go through him with the result that Krepps and Quigley counted.

There was nothing more doing until the eighth inning. Both teams played fairly good ball now but it was beginning to get dark. Thompson was having the best end of the pitching deal right along but his mates could not bunch hits.

Abilene made one in the eighth by singles by Bechtold and Ergot, allowing Bechtold to score.

Salina duplicated by Quigley hitting and Strong doing likewise. Quigley stole third and scored on Leonard's high fly to center which Miller gobbled up and pegged home very nearly getting the man at the plate.

A cloud in the west now made it too dark for ball playing so Umpire McKee called the game.

Bechtold played excellent ball at second and got three hits out of four times at bat. Britton was also the gun at the bat, getting a two-bagger and a single. Thompson was a world beater in the pitchers' box yesterday or Salina's pitcher was very rotten but undoubtedly Abilene had a much better batting eye. Thompson let Salina down with four hits and struck out 10 men.

Umpire McKee made good decisions at the bases but was rotten otherwise. The Abilene rooters that escorted the team made more noise than the 600 fans in the grandstand.

SALINA

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.
Krepps, lf.....4 1 0 1 0 0
Quigley, 2b.....3 2 2 4 0 0
Strong, cf.....3 0 1 1 0 0
Leonard, rf.....4 0 0 1 1 0
Heffner, 3b.....4 0 0 1 0 1
Horrill, lb.....4 0 0 10 0 0
Lawrence, c.....2 0 0 4 3 0
Swift, c.....1 0 0 0 2 0
Misso, ss.....2 0 1 2 2 1
Cochrum p.....3 0 0 0 6 0

30 3 4 2 14 2

ABILENE

AB. R. H. PO. A. E.
Burton, ss.....4 1 1 0 0 0
Ellis, lf.....4 0 1 0 0 0
F. Wilson, rf.....3 0 0 0 0 0
Bechtold, 2b.....4 1 3 3 2 0
Ergot c.....4 0 1 12 2 0
F. Wilson, lb..3 1 0 6 0 1
Miller cf.....3 0 0 2 0 0
Britton 3b.....4 0 2 1 2 1
Thompson p.....3 0 0 0 0 1

32 3 8 24 6 3

Score by innings:

Salina0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1—3 4 2
Abilene1 1 0 0 0 0 0 1—3 8 3

Baseball Gossip.

There is not a long face among the fans but bright and beaming watermelon grins are visible on all their faces. Why? Well you see it is this way. Abilene has now what is called a baseball team whose members are all sluggers, base runners and snappy players.

Wilson, the new manager, certainly has been a great find for Abilene as he is an all-around baseball player and understands his business as manager of the team.

Although Abilene was just a little slow in organizing her baseball team it has now picked out a team and a manager that will make the other towns around the circuit sit up and take notice.

Abilene has been dubbed around the circuit for years as being the poorest town in attending the ball games. However if it is, it had a larger attendance at the exhibition games than Ellsworth had at its opening game. Guess old Abilene still has some baseball enthusiasts left—eh?

AROUND THE CIRCUIT.

Minneapolis 4; Clay Center 0.

Minneapolis, June 22.—Minneapolis shut out Clay Center in a sixty-minute game yesterday, bunching its hits in the seventh. Umpire Hamline benched Allingham for impertinence.

Good Photos Of Children Are My Specialty Pennell



Score: R H E
Minneapolis ..0 0 0 0 0 3 1 0—4 9 0
Clay Center ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 1
Batteries—Miller and Abbott; Witt, Forsberg, Allingham and Strong.

Manhattan 3; Beloit 2.

Beloit, June 22.—Manhattan defeated Beloit on the home grounds yesterday by running in three scores in the eighth by Beloit's bonehead plays, score being 3 to 2.

Score: R H E
Manhattan3 10 2
Beloit2 9 3
Batteries—Beloit, McChell and Meade; Manhattan, Coe and Coe.

Junction City 2; Ellsworth 0.

Ellsworth, June 22.—Ellsworth met its first defeat of the season here yesterday afternoon in a fast game. Score: R H E
Ellsworth ..0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2
Junction City 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—2 6 1
Batteries—Talbot and Selgie; Gill, Jepson and Quirich. Umpire—Sigler.

DICKINSON WHEAT TOO LOW.

Secretary Coburn Gives Its Condition as 88.

The wheat condition in Dickinson county is given by Secretary Coburn as 88 per cent; the acreage as 95,332. The condition is much better than this percentage indicates. Corn is put at 95 per cent.

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