

## MARSHFIELD WINS OPENING GAME ON SOME GOOD HITS

### Bast Holds Opponents to Three Hits and Strikes Out Sixteen.

## FAIR CROWD TURN OUT

### Opportune Hitting Combined With Good Base-Running Spells Defeat for Wausau. All Runs Scored Off Benz. Rapids Next.

The baseball game played in this city Sunday against Wausau proved a good getaway for the home players. While interesting to the final round, it was won by the locals early in the day, for in the first inning Marshfield slipped two runs over the plate. These two runs coupled with another in the fourth frame gave this city the game by a score of 3 to 1. Wausau scored its one tally in the fourth.

The weather while not of the baseball variety was fairly well suited for the national pastime, although the strong wind made it somewhat cold for the spectators and players. At that a good crowd turned out to witness the initial game of the season.

The game started with Joe Benz of Wausau on the mound. Opposing him was Bast, our new pitcher. Anderson, the first man up, surprised the opposition immediately by clouting a two-bagger before the Wausau team realized they were playing ball. The next man up helped to get him in and in a short time the second tally of the inning was also registered. With this lead to work on, Bast pitched gilt edged ball and had the Wausau team whiffing the air.

Old Joe Benz seemed to possess nothing but a chew of right-out and even that wasn't working right for the local boys took kindly to his offerings, and before the fifth inning came round, Benz was derelict in favor of Hildensperger who held the home team scoreless for the remainder of the game. Bast, although in hot water several times on account of lack of control, braced and held the Wausau team safe. His work in this game shows that he will be a worthy foe for all teams. The Wausau team garnered but three hits off his delivery, and in the meantime he also struck out 16.

The big feature of Sunday's game was the reversal of form in hitting. Everybody seemed to hit at the opportune time when hits meant runs. Both the infield and outfield worked in faultless fashion and were death on all balls coming within their reach.

Hanley of Stanley umpired the game and his rulings were taken as final by both teams. He hustled the players and as a result the game was played in one hour and forty minutes.

The score by innings:  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Wausau ..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—1  
Marshfield ... 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—23

Next Sunday Grand Rapids will play here and some fast pasturing is promised to the fans in attendance. We suffered one defeat in the opening game, but the boys have their batting eyes in good trim now and hope to reverse the score. The attendance Sunday was good considering weather conditions, and it is the hope of the management to have a bigger crowd than last Sunday turn out for this important game with the Rapids. Bast will be on the points for the home team, while Devine will hold the box for the Rapids. A good clean game is promised devoid of the usual hard feeling and tactics. Our treatment at the Rapids was fine and it is hoped that everything will turn out the same way in this city next Sunday. Be there and help boost the team along in their efforts to give the public the same brand of ball as was played last year.

R. L. Pope residing near Waupaca has allowed his manure spreader to liddle this season because a robin family has taken up quarters in the spokes of the rear wheel.

## LIST OF MARSHFIELD TEACHERS COMPLETE

### G. D. Scott of St. Paul Succeeds F. W. Smith Who Goes to Fort Atkinson.—Salaries are Settled.

The teaching force for next year in Marshfield's public schools is almost complete. A good many of the teachers who taught in this city the past year have signed contracts for their return next fall to resume their work. The teachers who have signified their intention of returning in September, together with the salaries contracted for, and their home addresses are as follows:

C. W. Otto, superintendent of schools, Marshfield, \$2200 a year.  
R. E. Paementer, assistant principal, Neenah, \$100.  
Mrs. M. Cunningham, Mazomanie, \$62.50.

N. Holmes, Baldwin, \$55.  
G. D. Scott, St. Paul, \$95.  
Inez M. Jackson, Stevens Point, \$55.  
Frieda Werle, Stevens Point, \$55.  
Billie E. Alt, Stevens Point, \$62.50.  
Ruby L. Clark, Portage, \$65.  
Clara Mae Ward, Oconto, \$70.  
Isla G. Stockley, Stevens Point, \$57.50.

Lydia C. Hamm, Medford, \$60.  
O. E. Butter, Mondovi, \$92.50.  
Mrs. Edith Greenwood, Marshfield, \$55.

Hazel Brokaw, Mondovi, \$97.50.  
Mary Oestreich, Rhinelander, \$57.50.

Lorraine Oster, Stevens Point, \$57.50.  
Anastasia Malone, Antigo, \$57.50.  
Irene M. Hall, Milwaukee, \$62.50.  
Hilda Gehlers, New Lisbon, \$60.  
Josephine Fritsch, Cumberland, \$65.  
Marie McGowan, Portage, \$55.  
M. D. Mansur, Minneapolis, \$75.  
Mrs. D. W. Benfer, Chicago, \$77.50.  
Alice Grover, Madison, \$95.  
Edith M. Lely, Mondovi, \$85.  
Grace Andrews, Portage, \$82.50.  
Marie Ambrose, Stevens Point, \$67.50.

Orvilla Butler, LaCrosse, \$57.50.  
Kate M. Gwin, Loyol, \$85.  
Genevieve Kraus, Marshfield, \$40.  
Alice Golden, Shawano, \$65.

G. D. Scott of St. Paul will succeed F. W. Smith who goes to Fort Atkinson to take up the work which Chris. R. Isely left when he resigned to become principal of the Kilbourn schools.

## OSHKOSH GETS U. C. T. 1917 CONVENTION

### Local Travelers Put On Degree Work. All Report Splendid Time While the Guests at Convention.

Oshkosh was unanimously chosen as the 1917 convention city by the Wisconsin United Commercial Travelers in their eighteenth annual session at Superior the past week. A. E. Banderob of Oshkosh was elected grand councillor; W. E. Spring, Madison, grand secretary; W. F. Raetz, Manitowish, past grand councillor; R. A. Honeycomb, Madison, grand junior councillor; George B. Campbell, Marshfield, grand conductor; O. E. Koehler, Milwaukee, grand page; and John Ziesiger, Chippewa Falls, grand sentinel.

The following travelers from this city attended the meeting: E. H. Chilcote, E. H. Furstenberg, R. S. Barnard, Frank Swartling, F. A. Carlson, Cleveland Kingsbury, F. E. Tice, George B. Campbell, Ray Barton, F. J. Auermiller, John Weststeadt, also Herman Holz and W. Pharing, both of Neillsville.

The Marshfield degree team composed of Messrs. Chilcote, Furstenberg, Barnard, Carlson, Swartling, Kingsbury and Tice, put on the degree work at the Superior meeting. All report an excellent time.

Governor E. L. Philipp who was operated on Monday morning at Milwaukee for appendicitis improved during the day and as a consequence he is on the road to recovery. It is reported that his operation was one of the most difficult ever performed in the Milwaukee hospital.

## 37 WILL GRADUATE NORTHWESTERN IS THIS WEEK FROM TO BUILD DEPOT SCHOOL ON HILL WITH THE OMAHA

### Class Play and Commencement Exercises Leading Features.

## PLAY IS THIS EVENING

### Senior Ball Friday Evening Will Close Gala Week for Those Graduating. Diplomas Presented by Mrs. Victor A. Mason.

This is commencement week for the graduates of the Marshfield High school. Beginning with tonight when the annual class play, "The Little Mrs. Cummin," will be presented at the Adler theater, the week will be one continuous round of pleasure and anticipation for all thirtyseven members of the class. The seniors to graduate this year are:

- Hazel M. Schmidt.
- Alverda G. Franklin.
- Fred G. Lueck.
- Constance Welch.
- Myrtle Jones.
- Norma E. Kleinbeinz.
- Viola C. Dolezal.
- Bernice P. Landaal.
- Margaret E. Wegner.
- Edmund J. Thuss.
- Marie Koenig.
- Esther A. Brooks.
- Albert O. Vaughn.
- Dorothy Kamps.
- Patience Kamps.
- Berthold Laemie.
- Clara A. Berg.
- Caroline D. Beck.
- Richard Connor.
- Irene Colvin.
- Alma Witt.
- Marie M. Mechler.
- Irene Normington.
- Edna Haight.
- Agnes L. Noll.
- Charles T. Coeben.
- Roy C. Anderson.
- Bryon C. Thiel.
- Marie McDonald.
- Irvin W. Wendt.
- Elmer Furstenberg.
- Ervin Eckel.
- Louis Thom.
- Caroline Upham.
- Lavinia Huber.
- Joyce Batson.
- Elder Sechauer.

As in previous years the commencement exercises will be held on Thursday evening. The following program will be given:

- Music, Second Regiment orchestra.
- Invocation, Rev. Joseph Brown.
- Salutatory, Richard Connor.
- Ancient History of Marshfield High School, Margaret Wagner.
- Action Song by Kindergarten Pupils.

Modern History of Marshfield High School, Dorothy Kamps.

History of Class of 1916, Agnes Noll.

Vocal Solo, Lloyd Whitney.

Class Prophecy, Berthold Laemie.

Valedictory, Patience Kamps.

Presentation of Diplomas, Mrs. Victor A. Mason.

Music, Second Regiment orchestra.

The final chapter in the week of events will be the Senior ball, Friday. Over 400 invitations have been issued by the committee in charge. The dance will be held at the armory and music will be furnished by the Second Regiment orchestra.

The class colors are purple and gold, and the class motto is "Knowledge is Power."

## PASS IT ON

(A new Ford rhyme from an eastern paper).  
Mary had a little Ford,  
Which she had named The Rocket;  
And when she wasn't driving it  
She parked it in her pocket.

When Bill Exner asked his boss for an increase in salary this was the answer he received:

"You don't deserve a raise because you have not done any work at all during the year. Here is the proof. Each year has 365 days. You sleep eight hours each day, which equals 122 days. This leaves 243 days. You rest eight hours each day, which equals 122 days. This leaves 121 days. There are 52 Sundays that you don't work, or 52 days. This leaves 69 days. You have one-half day off Saturdays, or 26 days. This leaves 43 days. You have one and a half hours each day for lunch, or 28 days. This leaves 15 days. You get two weeks vacation each year, or 14 days. This leaves 1 day, and this being the Fourth of July, we close on that day, so you've done no work at all."

A certain glen in Scotland had the reputation of having a splendid echo. An English "gentleman" visited the place and asked his guide about the echo. "Just shout 'two bottles of whisky,'" said the guide. The "gentleman" did as requested, and after waiting for several minutes he turned to the Scot and said: "But I do not hear any echo." "Maybe no," chuckled the Scot, "but here's the lassie comin' wi' the whisky."

## ARMY PAY BILL IS SIGNED BY WILSON

Officers and men of Company A and the Second Regiment band are glad to know that President Wilson signed on Saturday the army reorganization bill. This act allows pay to members of the National Guard on a basis of practically one-fourth the pay of regular army men of equal grades. Captains and lieutenants will receive salaries, Captain Reigel receiving \$600 per year. First sergeants will receive \$135; sergeants, \$90; corporals, \$63; and privates, \$45. The payments will be made semi-annually on June 30 and December 31.

## TWO JUNE WEDDINGS.

St. John's Catholic church was the scene of two pretty weddings Tuesday morning. The first wedding occurred at eight o'clock at which time Julius Mittermiller was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Alvin Dolezal. Both of the contracting parties are residents of this city. The ceremony was performed by Fr. Seehling.

At nine o'clock the second marriage of the day was performed, the participants being Andrew Martin and Miss Sarah Adler, daughter of George Adler. Mr. Martin is one of this city's young business men, being affiliated with the Marshfield Bedding company, one of the enterprising firms of the city. Mrs. Martin is well known throughout the community and has a host of friends. The young couple left Tuesday for Merrill on their wedding trip. The marriage was performed by Rev. Joseph F. Volz.

## POSTMASTERS FROM ALL OVER WISCONSIN EXPECT TO HONOR MARSHFIELD WITH THEIR PRESENCE DURING COMING WEEK—PROGRAM

Marshfield will entertain the eleventh annual convention of the Wisconsin League of Postmasters next week, beginning Monday and continuing through Wednesday afternoon. A representative from the postoffice of the third and fourth classes of the state is expected, and several hundred postmasters, together with their wives (or, in some cases, their husbands) will be present.

## 2000 WILL MARCH IN PREPAREDNESS PARADE TUESDAY

### Will Mark Second Day of Postmasters State Convention.

## COMPANY FIRST LINE

### Order of Procession is Announced by Mayor Felker. All Fraternal Orders are Invited to Participate in Big Celebration.

Marshfield is going to "fall in line" with the rest of the big cities of the country and hold a patriotic preparedness parade.

Led by Mayor A. G. Felker, who always is glad to "start something" to demonstrate the city's enterprise and push, various societies of the city have banded together and a general invitation has been extended to the whole community and the surrounding country to join in a monster parade "up the avenue" next Tuesday evening June 13.

It is expected that there will be not less than 2,000 persons in line. Mayor Felker stated yesterday that the following divisions would be organized:

Military division—Second Regiment band, followed by Company A, Second Regiment of Infantry, Wisconsin National Guard.

Fraternal organizations—All of the leading societies of the city, in charge of their proper officers.

Civilians—In ranks of four abreast.

Women's clubs—Open to every woman in the city, whether affiliated with a club or church society or not.

Children's division—Led by the Boys' Military band, and followed by representatives from all public and parochial schools of the city.

The last-named division will arouse great interest from the fact that Mayor Felker has offered a huge American flag, now displayed in Rose Bros. store window, to the school having the largest proportionate representation of girls in the parade. All the girls are to be dressed in white and will carry American flags. The smallest school has as good a chance as the largest to win the flag.

Everybody in the parade will either carry a flag or wear one. The spirit of true patriotism, of honoring the flag of one's country and showing the community that one is not backward about doing so in public, will be "in the air" that evening, along with the inspiring strains of the Star Spangled Banner and My Country 'Tis of Thee.

Incidentally, the parade will be part of the exercises for the second day of the state convention of postmasters, which opens Monday and continues through to Wednesday afternoon.

The outstanding facts in Monday's "skirmish for the pole" at the start of the Republican national convention in Chicago loom up brightly for the supporters of Hughes. There are more delegates for Hughes than for any other candidate, but not enough to nominate the justice on the first ballot, it is said.

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