

to the business.

J. H. Sampson and C. E. Thayer, of Valley City, were in Binford Monday forenoon, on their return home from Cando, where the Valley City ball team had played a series of three games—losing two. Mr. Sampson is manager of the Valley City team. Mr. Thayer, better known as "Spike" to base ball fans, formerly lived at Kensal and will be remembered as the heavy hitting first baseman. The Times man enjoyed an hour's social chat with the gentlemen.

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