ready to fight for you. Information of your intention to be present is respectfully solicited. Particularly so if you are a survivor of that battle, in order that we may make provisions for your reception and entertainment. The postoffice address of every survivor is especially desired at once.

Half rates on railroads leading to this city have been secured for all visitors. Very respectfully,

H. E. HAVENS, Chairman.

J. P. TRACEY, Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

NECESSARY absence, in pursuit of health and business, has caused delay in the issue of the third part of this magazine for July, 1883.

THE contributor of "Pioneers" will please send his address to the editor at Iowa City.

THE communication of Rev. Alex. Fairley, of Washington, D. C., is reserved for October.

THE letter of Miss Aggie Fairley, on "Warwick Castle," England will appear in our next issue. It is connected with the genealogy of the Howe family in the course of preparation. John Howe, of Sudbury, Mass., in 1638, and afterwards one of the first settlers of Marlborough, Mass., is reported to have come from Warwickshire at that early date. The "Howe Tavern," and the escutcheon of the family "by the name of Howe," are in Longfellow's "Wayside Inn." All will be published in due time.

SITTING BULL is too notorious a barbarian, or too cruel a savage to be at this time noticed, otherwise than as with his Indian forces, cutting off Gen. Custer and all his troops, one escaping to tell the bloody tale. It is here believed that James Andrews, eldest son of George Andrews, Esq., of Iowa City, perished with Custer. He was last heard from as an Indian interpeter in Custer's regiment before the battle of extermination.

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