

up against this last proposition, so Saunders has not pitched poor ball all the time, while Roy has caught gilt edge ball all the time. Gulliver did fairly well under the circumstances, but that is no excuse for losing the game for he alone did not lose the game. It was due to a good many errors on the part of others in failing to field the ball properly. Gilmore also had a poor day to pitch but his support was first class all the time, and more and more is the fact being made manifest that the battery cannot play the game alone. They must have support, and good support, or the day will be lost. No pitcher is so good that some good batter will not pound him to the woods. Oh, those games were certainly hot exhibitions of good ball playing. The first resulting 16 to 4 and the last 11 to 0, both in favor of Hannaford.

SIGNED THE CONTRACT

**P. E. Schley and Ida L. Sperner
Sign a Contract Which is Binding
as Long as Life Shall Last.**

An agreement to unite in the holy bonds of matrimony was made and entered into on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1906, by and between Ida L. Sperner of the county of Stutsman and state of North Dakota, party of the first part, and P. E. Schley of the a

foresaid county of Stutsman and state of North Dakota party of the second part.

Witnesseth: That the party of the second part for and in consideration of a life of happiness and bliss hereby covenants and agree to support and protect the said party of the first part during the remainder of her natural life always take the windy side of the seat while driving in winter and get her one Easter bonnet annually—at least.

And the party of the first part in consideration of the covenants and the agreements made by the party of the second part does hereby state and express her consent to surrender her title, right, ownership and possession of herself and all appurtenances thereto belonging into the care and safe keeping of the said party of the second part. Party of the first part further covenants and agrees to see to it that the said party of the second part is properly fed at least once a day—Sunday's included, washes his face at least once a month—winter months excluded—and not to use the broom and rolling pin on him more often than absolutely necessary to keep him in proper behaviour and obedience.

Party of the first part further covenants and agrees to commence housekeeping at once in company with and at the home of the party of the second part situated about ten miles southwest of Courtenay, N. D.

Done this 6th day of June, A. D. 1906, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sperner.—Courtenay Gazette.