

Fred Graff was in town Monday, on his way to Cooperstown. He has completed his work of lathing up north, and will spend the time at Cooperstown before resuming his studies at the University of Minnesota. This is his last year at the U.

Adolph Aslakson and his brother, Albert, arrived here Monday, from Camrose, Canada, for a visit with relatives and many friends. They both swear by the Canadian country, but who wouldn't, if the same success that they have met with would fall to the lot of others.

Miss Blanche Carpenter, who has been staying at the Geo. D. Bowe home for some time, was called to her home at Dickey last Saturday, by a message from her mother, stating that her little brother had been seriously injured by the explosion of a coffee urn. From later reports the accident is said not to be as bad as it was at first thought.

Mr. Business Man: You don't want the people of your community to patronize mail order houses; of course you don't. You preach the sound doctrine of "patronize home industry", "keep home dollars at home", etc. Good; amen! But do you practise it? Do you send your printing to—? If you do, do you get any returns through the channels of trade? Of course you do—NOT. Hold up your town and patronize the home printer.

B. E. Suydam of Monmouth, Illinois, arrived here Monday with a Mr. Shaw, of Stronghurst, Iowa. The latter came here in search of land and was very favorably impressed with the country. He went to Canada Tuesday, and unless he finds something more suitable there, will locate here. Mr. Shaw is a man of family and should he decide to invest in North Dakota real estate, he will make this his permanent home.

A pleasant surprise was sprung on Miss Minnie Gjelhaug, last evening, at the Arneson home, when the members of the Sunday school with Mrs. W. E. West and Miss Anna Kebsgard, gathered there to show their appreciation for the faithful and untiring efforts of Miss Gjelhaug in behalf of the Sunday school. A small present was given her as a token of friendship and esteem. Lunch was served and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

McVillage Journal: Wm. E. Ward, who has been manager of the Sheyenne Telephone company, for the past two years, has resigned his position and will take his departure from McVillage Sept. 1st. Mr. Ward has been an efficient man with the telephone company and his absence will be of much regret. He has

a nice position offered him in the state of Washington and says he expects to go there after spending a month's vacation at his former home in Iowa. We understand that Mr. Brown, of the Binford Telephone Exchange, will succeed Mr. Ward as manager here.

McHenry Tribune: Several hundred people were present at Red Willow last Sunday to enjoy the big picnic. A number of bands were on the grounds and there was music in the air the greater portion of the day. About two o'clock in the afternoon a shower of rain came up which forced several to their homes. The most enjoyable feature of the day was the excellent concert rendered by the Binford band. This band was at one time considered one of the strongest musical organizations in the state and on this occasion those taking part demonstrated that a lot of the old time snap remains with them.

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FRIDAY	
Reading rules and regulations	
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SUBJECTS	
Reading	9.00 to 10.00
Theory and practice	10.00 to 11.00
Physiology and hygiene	11.00 to 12.00
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U. S. History	1.00 to 2.30
Geography	2.30 to 4.00
Orthography	4.00 to 4.45
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