

FALL TERM OF COURT IS OVER

Only Two Criminal Cases Were on The Docket at This Session.

The fall term of the district court was held at Cooperstown last week with J. A. Coffey on the bench.

The following foreigners were admitted to the citizenship of the United States: Sunvis Johnson, Gunder Rust, Helmer M. Johnson and Ingval W. Stevens.

There were two criminal cases on the docket. The first one tried was the case against Chas. Parks, who was accused of keeping a gambling joint in Hannaford. The jury found him guilty and he was sentenced to sixty days in jail and to pay costs of action. The second case was that of Chas. Peterson, who was accused of selling liquor. The jury could not agree and he was released by the judge after being confined for nineteen hours. The case went over until next term.

There were several civil cases on the docket. The case of R. E. Champlin vs. E. P. Rorvig went over until next term. The case of O. B. Westly vs. The Fargo Underwriters Co. was transferred to Barnes county. The case of Ole Almklov vs. Sheriff A. I. Monson was decided in favor of Almklov. The case grew out of the sheriff sale of Almklov's residence in Hannaford, which Almklov claimed as his homestead. First State bank of Klotten sued Mrs. Pauline Simenson to enforce payment of a note. The judge directed the verdict in favor of the bank. Mrs. Anna H. Weisman sued Chas. H. Weisman for alleged non-support. The judge fixed the amount of alimony at \$20 per month.

There being no more business to transact, the court adjourned.