There was a hail storm north of Eldridge last Friday which was very severe but covered only a narrow strip. O. A. Boynton and A. W. Dewey of Jamestown were caught out in it while taking pictures of farm buildings and would have been injured only for the protection afforded by the buggy top. The stones were so large that wherever they hit the horses they raised a lump and it is said that even Mr. Boynton was made to feel penitent and for a time was praying for the forgiveness of his sins. Truly it must have been severe.