

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

—Church Sunday a. m. at W. R. Whidden's.

—The COURIER will probably be issued a day earlier than usual next week.

—Vote for bonds now, and thereby force non-residents into paying their just share in an item for the county's good.

—The brilliant Lisbon Star has absorbed the Republican of that place, and will enlarge to accommodate the additional patronage. The Star is a stunner.

—The funeral services over the remains of Mr. Axtell were conducted by Mr. Rockwell at the Park Avenue House, Mandell. A large assemblage was present.

—We notice by the News that Messrs. Covill & White, the young attorneys recently prospecting in this county have located in Carrington for the conducting of a law, real estate and loan business.

—North Dakotans can read the striking headlines of daily papers, telling the woeful tale of cyclone after cyclone, and then lean back with a sigh and congratulate themselves upon living in a country exempt from such casualties.

—Lay aside all contracted views and consider the various propositions that are to be voted upon, on June 2, in their liberal light. Don't injure your own interests for fear that some one else will be benefitted to a greater extent than yourself.

—One grading machine and a big gang of men are at work on the grade this side of Bald Hill creek, and work on the bed south of the creek is nearly completed. Yes sir, the Sanborn, Coopers-town & Turtle Mountain railway will be here before the great natal day we glory in is celebrated again.

—Not considering Cooper Bros.' and the Red River Land Co's interests, three-fifths of the tax that would be required to build a court house will at the present time fall upon non-residents. If the matter is delayed until settlers all prove up and the speculators sell their lands the actual residents will have to stand the expense. Vote for bonds.

—Mr. Requa, who has been mentioned as the probable landlord of the "Palace," while enroute to this place met with a painful accident, which precludes his assuming charge of the hotel. Mr. R. had the misfortune to be severely injured by a runaway team, and it is to be regretted that he will not be with us very soon. It is not known who will be chosen in his stead.

—The COURIER knows of one man who stands ready to offer the county commissioners not only a site for the court house, but also a nice cash bonus if the same be erected on the side of the village he is interested in. The probabilities are the county can get the ground and at least \$4,000 to \$8,000 from the men having rival interests in its location in Cooperstown.

—On Friday of last week a party of friends and relatives assembled at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brown, on Meadow Brook Farm, to observe the 70th birthday of Mrs. Isabella Brown, mother of J. N. and B. B. Brown. A very pleasant time was enjoyed, and "Grandma" seemed just as young and chipper as fifty years ago. May she live to celebrate many anniversaries to come, is the worst wish of the COURIER.

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