

**ADDITIONAL LOCALS.**

Rufus Hatch figures the wheat problem thus: "The cost of raising an acre of wheat or corn is about the same in a good year as in a bad one, while in a bad year the farmer rarely gets the price high enough to make up the decrease in quantity. To particularize, it costs to raise an acre of wheat in Dakota nearly \$7. Now, in a bad year, an acre would produce only 15 bushels to the acre, which at the high price of \$1 would be only \$8 profit. While in a good year an acre would yield 25 bushels, which at the low price of 70 cents, would show a profit of \$10.

J. L. Budd, professor of horticulture at Ames, Iowa, has recently traveled extensively in Russia, and while there discovered a species of apple that flourishes in a cold, dry climate, where the thermometer ranges forty degrees below zero in the winter. He is endeavoring to introduce this in the Northwest.

Mr. A. C. Chandler, one of the Barnes county fathers, and Mr. W. E. Wilsie, of 145-80, made the COURIER a pleasant call Monday evening.

**Announcement.**

To the people of Griggs County: I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of sheriff, subject to the will of the people in a nominating convention, and ask the support of my friends and the people in general.

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Wall paper at the drug store.

Sewing Machine Needles for sale at Whidden Bros.

Prices that compete with Fargo. Lenham Elevator & Lumber Co.

Wm. Glass loans money for final proof, and on titled land. 50ft.

We have for sale a few good farm work horses. Davis & Pickett.

We are long on shorts, and they are first-class. DAVIS & PICKETT.

Dakota manufactures the finest flour in the world. Greenlease & Co. have just received a car of flour from the Fargo Roller mill.

Fall and winter knit goods, yarns, etc., at Whidden Bros.

Geo. W. Greenlease & Co. have a fresh stock of the best brands of flour feed, and are selling at popular prices.

New lot of furniture at Whidden Bros. consisting of chairs, tables, bedsteads, lounges, etc.

If you want the finest grades of Flour, Feed and Oats, go to the store with the crazy sign.

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Five cases dry goods just opened at Whidden Bros. Call early and select your fall dress goods, prints and gingham.

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We do not give 13 pounds of sugar for \$1; neither do we charge two prices for articles you do not know the value of. But we will at all times sell you honest goods for honest prices.

John Syverson & Co.

All those knowing themselves indebted to us on note or book account will please call and settle soon.

Odegard & Thompson.

John Syverson & Co. are just opening up a large assortment of dry goods and notions, including ladies' neckwear, satin and gros grain ribbons, velveteens, satins and watered silks for trimmings.

Harvester whips at McDermotts, the only line in town—only a few left, and every man with a harvest needs one.

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Feed from Minneapolis, Fargo, Valley City and Sanborn. DAVIS & PICKETT.

**A Card.**

We have placed a full line of FLOUR in our Burrell Avenue Store, where we shall hereafter handle the largest provision business in this section of the country. Our stock will always be complete and our prices such as to maintain the present popularity of Cooperstown as THE trading point for the counties of Griggs, Steele, Nelson, northern Barnes, and eastern Foster. Our terms are strictly cash, and will not be varied from.

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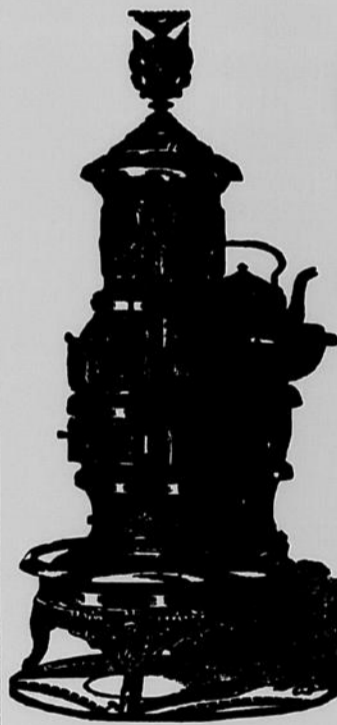
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