

Local.

Mr. Hartman and Hazel went to Valley City yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Wells went to St. Paul last week to visit friends.

Wanted—a nurse girl about 10 years old. Inquire of Mrs. N. A. Patterson, at former Blackwell residence.

The Greys will play Binford today at the Fair Grounds and Romness on Friday at the same place. Turn out and help the boys.

Attorney A. M. Baldwin now draws the reins over a very handsome buggy horse, a recent Minneapolis purchase and received by him last week.

FOR SALE—northwest 1/4 Sec. 17-147-58. Write P. MURPHY, Shebanse, Ill.

Editor and Mrs. Rearick and little son returned home from a month's vacation in Minnesota last Saturday. They report having had a very pleasant time.

Those who come to Cooperstown July 3, 4 and 5, will hear one of the best colored quartets in the northwest. Free entertainment on the street and at the grounds.

In order to make room for our new stock of furniture, I will offer at bargains, my entire old stock. Call and see us.

S. ALMKLOV.

Gilman Nordhousen has secured a position on the Finley Beacon. Gilman is quite a rapid compositor and will undoubtedly be a great help to Editor Montelth.

The State Bank makes loans on improved farms. Money paid over at once if title is O. K.

A couple of our young fellows blacked each other's eyes the other night and, as usual, all on account of a girl. If they don't quit such foolishness the next time they will get their names in print.

FOR SALE CHEAP—1 set Osgood wagon scales, nearly new. Inquire of Gull River Co., Binford, N. D.

The ball club put in this week away from home. They play Valley City Tuesday, Courtney Wednesday, Jamestown Thursday and at Page Friday. At the latter place they play Hope for \$100 and a hot game is expected.

Take a look at the new wash goods at Thompson Bros.

We have improved farms for sale. FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

The Riverside W. C. T. U. will hold their annual picnic in Alex. Saunders' grove on Saturday, June 21st. Mrs. Sophia Grubb, of Chanute, Kan., national organizer will deliver the address. Ice cream and lemonade will be sold on the ground. All are cordially invited.

Ladies; Dont buy your summer goods before you see Thompson Bros.

Campbell Brothers' circus was here Monday and exhibited to nearly 4,000 people at the afternoon performance. The entertainment was good. The Miller family and the Japs are strictly all right. The Campbell Brothers conduct a clean show and no gamblers or short change artists were in evidence.

WANTED—girl for general housework. Will pay \$20 per month to a competent girl. J. N. BROWN.

Only two weeks until the Fourth of July. If Jupiter Pluvius will only give this town a fair show and transfer this operations to some other locality for a few days, we will have the biggest and grandest time that ever happened. It wont be the fault of Cooperstown if people don't celebrate right, for attractions will be numerous.

Lost—between Cooperstown and Aneta, a black plush cape, colored checked lining, trimmed with fur and braid. Finder please leave at the Courier office.

Cooperstown and Valley City played ball Tuesday at Valley town resulting in a score of 21 to 20 in favor of Cooperstown. Billy Sinclair started in to pitch for the C.'s and the Valley boys pounded out 10 runs in the first inning. Anderson then finished the game. Moe pitched for the other fellows. The high wind is responsible for the big score.

Biennial Meeting Knights of Pythias San Francisco, Aug. 12-22, 1902, Northern Pacific Railway will sell round trip tickets Aug. 21 to 28th inclusive for \$50. Final return limit Sept. 30th, 1902. W. J. PAYNE, Agent.

The school election last Tuesday resulted in the unanimous re-election of Hon. David Bartlett for a term of three years, his being the only term that expired. His re-election only too well emphasizes the fact that a change at the head of the school has met with the approval of the people. If there had been any kick coming it would have shown itself Tuesday. We believe the action of the board in changing principals has been endorsed. The Courier believes a change would have been beneficial a year ago.

Everybody come here and celebrate the Fourth.

Mrs. Hanna Dusbabek will take in washing and plain sewing. Reasonable prices.

The L. T. L. picniced at the river last Thursday and all report having a very nice time.

Go to **First National Bank** for real estate loans acceptable loans paid C. O. D.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McDermott last Thursday. The Courier offers congratulations.

Oswold Melgard returned home last week from Northfield, Minn., where he is attending school. He will return to continue his studies in the fall.

For Rent—northwest quarter section 20-146-61. Apply to A. M. Baldwin, Cooperstown, N. D.

The wet weather retarded flax seedling some last week, however nearly everybody is through and all kinds of grain is looking well and growing rapidly.

FOR SALE—good 7 room houses with six lots on Burrell Avenue. Apply to Wm. Glass, Agent.

The new suits for the band are very neat and fit well. They were ordered by Whidden & Koyl, the latter taking the measures. He secured a nice fit for the boys.

We loan money on approved security and buy good notes at a reasonable discount.

State Bank of Cooperstown.

The frame of St. Black's new house is up and enclosed. The gentleman will have a very neat home when it gets completed and is to be congratulated on his success.

Dr. Rose, resident dentist, Cooperstown, N. D., can be found in his office from now on until further notice. Office in Syverson's new building, upstairs.

Anton Enger, O. Iverson and Ole Rood went to Spiritwood Lake on a fishing excursion last week and had a splendid time and good luck. The Courier desires to extend thanks for a nice mess of fish.

The 1902 graduating exercises of the state university were held last Saturday. The Courier received an invitation to be present. Two Cooperstown young ladies graduated from the normal department, Miss J. Hilda Feiring and Miss Edith J. Fiero.

For the annual Convention National Education Association, Minneapolis, Northern Pacific Railway will sell round trip tickets at one fare plus two dollars July 5-6-7 and 8. Return limit July 14.

The Courier received a pleasant call from D. G. Keith, editor of the Goldfield, Ia., Chronicle last Tuesday. The gentleman is considering the purchase of some North Dakota farm land which shows that he is level headed. The Courier office will be found open to him at all times.

The Courier acknowledges from Secretary A. T. Ward, of the Steele County Driving Park Association, a season ticket to the races to be held at Hope, N. D., June 24 and 25. The Hope fellows always remember the newspaper boys and we hope their race meeting will be a great success. There will be a big delegation from Cooperstown this year.

Taken up—one red bull calf, about 8 months old. Came to my place May 8th. Owner please prove property. pay charges and take him away. Fredrick Luckt. 12-149-61.

B. K. Climie was arrested Saturday on complaint of G. H. Lawrence, on a charge of assault with a dangerous weapon. He waived examination before Justice Rearick and was bound over to the district court bond being fixed at \$1000 which he gave. Mr. Lawrence claims so have been struck in the back of the head with a shovel and is certainly badly cut up.

Lands bought and sold. If you want to sell your farm I can sell it for you. Send me your list and lowest net price and Terms of payments. Describe lands and improvements. M. F. NOONAN, McHenry, N. D.

The Valley City ball club arrived last Friday to play the local team. It had rained for several hours and it looked for a long time as if there would be no game. However, the two teams finally got out onto the diamond and proceeded to play a game in the mud and rain, playing seven innings which resulted in favor of Cooperstown by a score 11 to 1. A poor exhibition of ball naturally on account of the ball being too wet to handle, the pitchers being unable to control the ball after the first two or three innings. Pitcher Hutchinson, of Fargo, started in to twirl for the V. C. fellows but was soon put out of business. He was succeeded by a "Southpaw" by the name of Saunders who would have been more effective under better conditions. The old reliable Chet. Hoar officiated for the locals.

Did you ever see such a country for rain?

Wanted to pasture a limited number of horses, \$3 per head for the season. Plenty of good water and pasturage. Hadlock Bros., Cooperstown, N. D.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Abbott last Sunday morning. Walter has been wearing a smile as wide as a barn door ever since.

Lyman Lewis and family returned to Cooperstown last Monday. Lyman acts kind of pleased to get back—which is the feeling they all have.

A June Wedding.

A quiet little wedding took place at the home of Mr. Albert Lynn at Lennox, Manitoba, June 5, at 4:30 p. m., when his only daughter Sarah E. was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Rev. F. F. Boothby, pastor of the M. E. church at Gladstone, N. D. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Johnson of Deloraine assisted by Rev. Aikens of Lennox. After congratulations the company surrounded the table and partook of a sumptuous repast, which was well spiced with wit and humor from the officiating ministers who took their places at each end of the table.

The numerous presents bespeak the high esteem in which the bride is held in the community where she has resided for a number of years.

The wedded couple remained at the home of the bride's parents until the following Tuesday, when they took their departure, spending a short time with Rev. B. A. Burns at Churches Ferry and also at the home of Rev. M. P. Burns, Jamestown, arriving at Gladstone Thursday afternoon, where they will continue their labors for the cause of Christ on the Gladstone and Richardson charge.—E. The Courier offers congratulations to our old friend and wishes he and his bride much happiness.

Temperance Notes.

It is a fact not generally commented upon by the partisan press of the country, that at the instance of the New Voice Bureau, Messrs. Page and Coffin, who conduct the restaurant in the capital building at Washington, have been fined \$300 each for selling liquor in defiance of law. It is a sad commentary on our nation's splendid capital that the drink traffic has been permitted for years to defy the law within its august walls. The New Voice says: "That the authority of law means nothing to the liquor traffic in a thousand has failed to awaken the alarm that the fact should excite. Whether the revelation that in the very capitol of the nation the nefarious traffic is stronger than the authority of the statute and above the majesty of the law, will arouse the people to action, remains to be seen. To determine this the New Voice has taken the action that has brought the capitol law breakers into the Washington courts."

The following ladies were elected delegates to the Barnes and Griggs county W. C. T. U. convention to be held at Leal June 25 and 26:

Delegates: Mrs. R. C. Cooper, at large; Mrs. Dr. Kerr, Mrs. Will Carleton, Mrs. George Newberry, Mrs. S. A. Lewis, Mrs. David Bartlett. Alternates: Mrs. Clara Payne, Mrs. Sophia Phipps, Mrs. V. H. Ruring, Mrs. A. E. Shue, Mrs. George Condy, Mrs. Mabel Bowden.

The silver medal contest of the convention is anticipated with unusual interest because of the fact that two gentlemen are to participate in it with the ladies.

The appreciation for our temperance workers often finds expression both in words and a more substantial manner. One man in responding to the treasurer's call said he had received more than a dollar's worth of good from Mrs. Unruh's lecture alone.

The board of directors of the Fair Association have granted the ladies of the W. C. T. U. the privilege of erecting a booth on the fair ground if they choose, for the purpose of the free distribution of ice-water and literature.

Company A. of Griggs county senior L. T. L.'s enjoyed a jolly picnic at the river last Thursday under the chaperonage of the superintendent, Mrs. O. W. Kerr—Mrs. Hartman. When they returned to town it was thought the circus had arrived from the racket that prevailed for a few minutes. They had a fine time.

By vote the union thanks Senator Cooper for favors shown in telegram and telephone messages in their behalf. PRESS SUPR.

Happy Time in Old Town.

"We felt very happy," writes R. N. Beville, Old Town, Va., "when Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured our daughter of a bad case of scald head." It delights all who use it for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Bolls, Ulcers, Eruptions. Infallible for Piles. Only 25c at Bateman's Drug Store.

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- Underskirts - 60c up to \$2.25.
- Nightrobes - 50c up to \$1.65.
- Drawers : 30c up to \$2.00.



WHIDDEN & KOYL

Hope vs. Cooperstown.

Talk about your ball games. People had occasion to see one Monday that was a dream in 9 acts and a beauty from start to finish full of excitement, good plays, and not a word of jangling. Murray being a little the best umpire Hope ever put up. Hope had 6 new men, husky looking lads who handled themselves well and with Lem and Bowser out of the game it looked dubious, but our fears were groundless, although Hope up viciously. Eddie Neher opened with a good single. Nelson flew to Jimmie, Isabell got a hit. Owens left at 1st on Billy's error, Eddie scoring. Then Chet hit Bills, filling the bases. Only one out. Everyone held their breath but Gilmore could only tap a little one to Leiser who threw Isabell out at home and then Chet caused Coupiln swing 3 times in vain. A sigh of relief was plainly audible—only 1 run and 3 on bases. Cooperstown lasted quick. Leiser flying to 3d—Phipps to 1st and Hoar by way of 2d to 1st. In the 2d Raymond flew to short—Myron fanned and Neher had one gathered in by Leiser. Anderson put one out in left which was gathered in and then came Smith. The boys wondered if he could hold Chet, and make good, and the way he did make good entitles him to swing on Cooperstown's front gate any time he wants to. He made a beauty drive to the field, stole 2d and then had the cheek to steal 3d trotted home on a passed ball. Honors even. Then the stoutly man from Hope got on his ear and fanned Kelley and Jimmie. Things looked equally in the 3d, Nelson taking 1st on Billy's fumble and 2d on Jimmie's muff 2 on bases and Owens up. He landed hard on the ball and if wind

had been the other way it would have been lost, but Phipps gathered it in. Billy fanned and Chet threw Gelan out at 1st. In 4th and 5th Hoar went out in order, so did C. in the 4th. In the 5th Jimmie and Billy got good hits but died on 3d and 2d. C. did not get dangerously near home again except in the 7th when Kelly fanned, Jimmie reached 1st on short's muff of an easy fly stole 2d and came home on Billy's good drive, who also scampered home on an error on a passed ball 2 runs and the game as Hope could only get one man to 1st after that. Cooperstown's work was not brilliant, but it was even good heavy work which most always wins games. Hope was lucky enough to make some brilliant plays. Bill's made one when Elliot's hit caromed off 1st baseman's shins and he ran from 2d slid for the ball and picked it up with one hand holding to sack with other. Eddie Neher made 2 fine catches after hard runs. Isabell put up a good game at 3d. The boys took their defeat good naturally feeling there was no disgrace in such a contest.

Score:—
Hop 0-1-0-0-0-0-0-0-1
Cooperstown 0-1-0-0-0-2-0-x-2
Struck out by Hoar 8. By Owens 6. Base hits, Cooperstown 4, Hope 3. Errors, Cooperstown 4, Hope 4. Stolen bases, Cooperstown 5, Hope 1. Earned runs—none. Umpire Murray.

Farmers Picnic.

The farmers annua' picnic will be held at Jessie on Friday, June 27. Everybody turn out and have a good time in this beautiful grove. Bring your baskets with you. Free tea and coffee for everybody. Watch for posters giving program later.] W. M. HOWDEN.



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