

# ROYAL Baking Powder

Makes the bread more healthful.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

## Local.

Messrs. A. Strandness and Knud Furaas, of Hannaford, were visitors to the county seat, Monday.

Miss Althea Haggerty left on Friday last for Bemidji, Minn., where she will file on a timber claim.

Jolly Boy Cigar 5c. Ornado 10c.

The heavy fusillade early Monday morning was an indication that the sports were out early and were having some fun with the festive prairie hen.

Dr. Wells has equipped his office with a fine microscopic desk and a first-class microscope and is now in shape to diagnose cases from a scientific standpoint.

Dr. Tymms arrived Monday and remained a few days practicing his specialty as an oculist. The doctor is seriously considering locating at Duluth to practice as a specialist.

Would like to rent two seated spring wagon for month of September.

O. W. KERR.

Walter and Irvin Allen, the popular jewelers favored the editor with his first mess of prairie chicken Monday morning. We thank the boys for the favor and can assure them that we appreciated the favor highly.

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

Martin Runice who has been in the employ of Strandness & Furaas for some time left last Tuesday for Fargo. He was advised by doctors to quit indoor work on account of his health. His many friends in Hannaford are sorry to hear he will not return there.

FOR SALE—ground feed, \$26 per ton. Inquire of C. A. Peterson, Dakota Elevator Co.

There appears to be an abundance of help this season, all of the men, or at least a great majority of them, are looking for work, and are good citizens. Heretofore we have had a lot of fellows hanging around looking for trouble instead of work while this year it is just the opposite.

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Mrs. R. L. Howell and children who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Haskell for some time, left on Monday for a few days visit at Tower City, after which they will go to Spokane, Wash., where they will live, Mr. Howell having already started to build a handsome residence.

Dr. L. S. Platou, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania University, Norway, will be in Cooperstown Sept. 26 and 27 for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday and Saturday of each month.

Halvor Halvorson visited in town last Sunday. He says that McHenry is growing so fast that it is almost impossible to keep track of the new buildings and enterprises that are going in. He thinks McHenry will soon be the best town in the state and makes that statement without a blush to the Cooperstown citizens.

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.

The call for the republican county convention appears in this issue of the Courier. We apprehend that the great gob of silence that has been hanging over the democratic independent camp, will now be raised, and we shall soon know when their convention will be held—much to the relief of several candidates for sheriff.

FOUND—one bay mare about 12 years old, weight about 1000lbs. She came to our farm on Sec. 2-145-00, about ten days ago.

HAMMER & CONDY.

And now the latest graft is the weather vane swindle, says an exchange. A nice easy-talking stranger comes along and wants to sell a tin rooster that is guaranteed to turn red on the approach of a storm if put up on top of the barn or outbuilding—and only \$30 is the price. If you bite and give a note for thirty you will find that the piece of paper has been raised to \$300—and the rooster stays the same color in all kinds of weather.

N. J. Olsen was up from Sanborn the fore part of the week to look after his elevator business.

Mrs. W. H. Phipps left for Merriam Park, Minn., last Saturday, for a few days visit with her brother Dr. Beckley.

Ade Thompson went over to Finley Saturday to see if business over there was being conducted in the right manner.

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C. L., F. and John Rose, brothers of our genial dentist, Dr. F. W. Rose, arrived Monday to enjoy a few days shooting around these parts.

Alvy Bateman is assisting at H. H. Bateman & Co's., drug store while In-golf Wold is taking a two weeks rest—something he was very much in need of.

A. E. Shue left Monday afternoon for Beloit, Wis., in company with his daughter, Miss Florence, who will attend school in that city the coming season.

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

Hope people are trying to get the Soo to go into that town and are offering that road a big bonus. What is the matter of our citizens taking hold of this matter and go after the road.

Our line of coffee cannot be beat for the prices. Inspect and try Our Special at 18c a pound.

BERG BROS. & CO.,  
The One Price Department Store.

County Treasurer Bakken is out again and attending to his duties at courthouse. His numerous friends are glad that he escaped a heavy run of fever. He started in with typhoid but the doctor broke it up quick and he is doing business at the old stand again.

We have improved farms for sale.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Mrs. H. B. Andrews, of Philadelphia, Pa., Sundayed with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Patterson. The lady is a cousin of Mr. Patterson and is on her way east from a trip to the Pacific coast. She is delighted with North Dakota and being a lady of means may invest in some real estate.

WANTED—two A No. 1, fresh milk cows at once.

G. N. STORK.

Two 13-year old boys at West Superior, convicted of burglary, were given their choice of sentences by a municipal judge, terms in a reform school or twenty-one lashes across the back. The mother of the boys chose the whipping and the boys were whipped. The boys are the sons of the late ex-Mayor Scott, who formerly lived at Valley City and was a member of the constitutional convention of this state.

We are agents for the Woods Bros' Steel Feeder and the Monarch self feeder and engine tenders also the Avalanche pneumatic elevator, weigher and wagon loader.

LAFOREST & ABBOTT.

The Christian church people and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts gave that worthy family a surprise Monday evening. They met in large numbers at the church as it was getting dark, and proceeded to the Roberts home. There was about 150 in the company. Mr. Roberts was presented with a fine rocker and Mrs. Roberts with a set of silver spoons. Ice cream and cake were served. Mr. Roberts will remove to North Dakota this week. The party afforded an opportunity to many warm friends to meet Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and family again and say farewell.—The State Line Democrat, (Keosauqua, Ia).

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A new time card went into effect last Monday morning on the branch. We now have two trains a day one up and one down. The south bound train leaves McHenry at 8 a. m., arriving at Cooperstown at 10:30 and remaining here until 12:15 when it leaves for Sanborn arriving at that place at 4:10. Coming north the train leaves Sanborn at 10:15 arriving at Cooperstown at 1:15 and leaves for McHenry at 2:15 arriving at that place at 4:10. The mails close at follows: Going south at 11:40 a. m. going north at 1:15 p. m. The new card is fair so far as connections at Sanborn are concerned but so far as the mail is concerned it is bum and not adequate to the services demanded by the people along the branch. Business men have no chance to answer mail now until the day after it is received. The probabilities are that the mail from the south will be late as usual during the busy season which cannot be helped on account of the heavy work to be done by the train crew. What this line is entitled to is a regular passenger and mail service and if all the towns united we believe it could be secured. We will never get it until we go after it right.

## For Sheriff.

I desire at this time to announce myself as a candidate for sheriff on the republican ticket, and pledge myself, if nominated and elected, to administer the duties of the office to the best of my ability and in the interest of the whole people.

Respectfully,  
HANS H. KOLOEN.

## For Sheriff.

Being repeatedly urged by friends to run for this important office I have decided to become a candidate for the nomination at the hands of the coming republican convention and solicit the support of my friends all over the county. If nominated and elected will promise to give the people a clean and efficient administration of the duties of the office.

GEORGE S. NEWBERRY.

## For Sheriff.

To my surprise I have been called upon by a good many to run for above office, and as I think I can fulfill the duties of same I hereby announce myself as a candidate subject to the action of the republican convention. Rest assured if elected the trust given me will be carefully guarded.

REESE HADLOCK.

## For Register of Deeds.

I take this method of announcing myself as a candidate for the office of register of deeds of Griggs county, subject to the will of the republican county convention, promising if nominated and elected to take care of the duties of that office in a satisfactory manner to the people.

OLOF JOHNSON.

Jolly Boy Cigar 5c. Ornado 10c.

Call for Fouts' cigars. They are high grade, made at the new cigar factory, Cooperstown.

FOR SAL CHEAP—a small barn, also a second-hand buggy almost new.

OSCAR D. PURINTON.

Ludvig Amundson has been engaged as night watchman with police powers, starting in Sept. 1st. You fellows want to get in early after this.

Supt. Clara Feiring was on the sick list last week but was able to get out to hold her regular teachers' examination Friday and Saturday. There were thirteen teachers in attendance.

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County Auditor Melgard was seen wending his way to the primary school early Monday morning leading by the hand the last edition of the Melgard family, little Frederick, who entered school for the first time.

FOR SALE—one organ, one sewing machine, one buggy, one baby carriage. Call at M. E. parsonage any Saturday afternoon.

C. A. HUGHES.

Messrs. B. C. and Ray Phipps, J. W. Murphy and Charley Beckley succeeded in bagging 71 chickens Monday, which is a pretty good day's sport. A goodly per cent was sent over to the Courier domicile for which our thanks are due the boys.

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.

T. E. Warner arrived home last Saturday. Wyandotte and his driver came in on Monday's train. The horse won the two first heats of one race and that had to be declared off on account of rain. He won three seconds and one third so that he secured quite a nice little wad of money any how.

We will be glad to explain the workings of the Abner Acetylene Gas machine to anyone who is interested. We fully believe that we now have the best made. Come in and see what people who are using them have to say.

LAFOREST & ABBOTT.

S. A. Lewis was determined that the hunters would get up early enough Monday morning if he had to get up himself and wake them up. Long about 4:30 his stentorian tones could be heard from one end of the townsite to the other, but his yells were all right. He heard Frank Haskell's chickens squawking and got up just in time to see a big "yaller" dog hunting chickens—this being the opening season. Thirteen chickens are dead and several others are in the hospital as a result of the dog's visit, and whether the chickens died from the fright occasioned by Mr. Lewis' yells or by the bite of the dog is a conundrum. Mr. Lewis' intentions are kindly and if he had shot the dog no one would have had him arrested for not having a license.

# TO THE FARMERS OF GRIGGS COUNTY.

We can supply you with every thing you will need in our line for harvest and threshing.

Our stock is the most complete one there is in this county, and our prices are the LOWEST.

If you want a lot of groceries for your crews, and will pay cash for them, we will give you Chicago prices and save you the freight.

## WHIDDEN & KOYL

Ask to see our 'SWEET ORR' PANTS. Every pair guaranteed.

Miss Haley, the primary teacher, arrived from Morris, Minn., Saturday. She was the last of the teachers to arrive.

Mrs. L. M. Abbott came up from Minneapolis last week to fix up some business matters and ship household goods. She returned home last Saturday.

Jas. H. Sinclair is taking in the Minnesota state fair this week. Louis Berg and G. J. Parker are also among the Cooperstownites attending the fair.

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Col. E. C. Butler tore himself away from the turmoil and strife of the strenuous farm life and hid himself down to the twin cities to take in the state fair. He left Saturday afternoon.

A majority of the hunters have such big yarns to tell about the number of chickens and ducks shot—within the limit of course—that the Courier will refrain from publishing them this year. We want to stick as near to the truth as possible.

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

State Bank of Cooperstown.

Mrs. E. W. Himes, wife of a prominent Glendive, Mont., dentist, has been here for the past few weeks under Dr. Wells' care, and last week gave birth to a fine baby girl. Mrs. Himes was a patient of Dr. Wells' while he was in St. Paul, and her case requiring extra skill and he being familiar with her case, she followed him to Cooperstown. Mrs. Himes and the baby are doing nicely and will shortly leave for their home at Glendive.

Doctor Platou was up from Valley City last Friday and Saturday—on his regular monthly visit.

Ray Vogan was in town last Saturday proving up on his claim before clerk of court Oscar D. Purinton.

The Cooperstown Roller Mills are running night and day these days, Mr. Phipps having so many orders to fill that extra work is necessary to keep up.

States Attorney Burke of Barnes County serves notice on the bootleggers who sell to the threshing crews around the country that he is after them. That's business.

Miss Julie Feiring left on Saturday afternoon for Minto, North Dakota, where she has been engaged as a teacher in the public schools. Miss Feiring is a graduate of the state university and will no doubt give excellent satisfaction to the people of Minto.

W. S. Hyde has employed Dick Leiser to assist him in his elevator at Hannaford. Mr. Hyde is fortunate in getting Dick as he is a steady young gentleman, a first-class worker and a good all around man, with experience in buying wheat. Dick is a hustler and will make friends in our neighboring little city.

The republican county convention will be held on Saturday, September 27th. At this time a winning ticket will be nominated. Up to this time very few candidate have announced themselves for office and those that have done so all want to be sheriff of the county. The Courier columns are open to all irrespective of political belief or religious belief, at so much per announcement. Get into the game and let the people know what you want.

## Burlington Route

### Compartment Sleeping Cars.

Run ever day on our Limited, leaving Minneapolis 7:50 St. Paul 8:25 p. m., arriving in Chicago 9:20 next morning.

The cars are 70 feet in length and contain seven state rooms and two drawing rooms. Each is a separate room in itself, complete with all toilet facilities, and furnished and decorated in the highest style of art. Upholstery and carpet materials are of different pattern for each.

So far as privacy is concerned, no room in the best hotels can have more. Electric reading lamps in the berths, and electric and gas lamps in the ceiling supply abundant light.

ASK YOUR HOME AGT. TO MAKE YOUR TICKET READ BY THIS LINE.