

Local.

We have improved farms for sale. FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gust Olson along about the 17th Mal.

The frame of the new flax mill building is up and enclosed. Work is being pushed rapidly.

Miss Grace Thompson returned Tuesday from a few days visit at Grand Forks and Fargo.

Did you know that you could buy a better flour for \$2.00 than you are paying \$2.25 for? Ask your grocer.

Robt. Jones and family returned to town last Saturday and are again domiciled at their home on the hill.

Last Sunday was Norwegian independence day. On account of its being Sunday it was not observed to any great extent.

Soda water fountains have started up operations and will soon be working overtime. The young man with a girl will be kept busy for a few months.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Brown returned last Saturday from a three week's trip to the Pacific coast. They were much pleased with the trip and the western country.

George H. Condy left last Thursday for a month's visit to different points in California, where he will try and recuperate his health which has not been very good of late.

Tom Michaelson, of Wimbledon, was a visitor to Cooperstown last Friday attending to some business matters. He wanted a county paper so left his subscription with the Courier.

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, up stairs.

A. M. Baldwin and Mrs. M. A. Hartman left last Friday for a few week's trip to California. They will undoubtedly have a very enjoyable time in the state of flowers, fruit and sunshine.

\$2400.00 will buy my house. \$900.00 cash, balance long time. This is a fine piece of property and cost me \$3300 to build last summer. See Warner & Spicer.

12-18 O. W. KERR.

Maurice Wolfe, the Oldsmobile expert was in the city Friday working up some business for his popular machine. The Olds is certainly a handy automobile and no doubt will become popular in Cooperstown.

H. M. Rowe came over from Mayville last Thursday and put in a couple of days figuring on some proposed hot water heating plants, etc. Mr. Rowe does good work and lives up to his contract and we hope that he will get the jobs.

Editor Rearick was a southbound passenger last Thursday enroute for Minnesota points for a week's visit. During his absence the Sentinel will be in the hands of Joe Nelson, the office devil, who will no doubt keep the paper going in good shape.

Messrs. R. C. Cooper and Wm. Glass, old-timers and prominent men of Cooperstown, tarried a while in our village Monday, awaiting the arrival of the west bound train. We always remember R. C. with a warm feeling of friendship on account of days of "suld lang syne."—Sanborn Enterprise.

About thirty days ago Banker Jones lost a bird dog and no trace of it could be found. Last Thursday elevator agent C. O. Johnson found the dog in the bottom of his elevator. The animal was alive but was a mere skeleton and had been in that hole about thirty days without any food. The strangest part of the whole deal is why the dog did not make noise enough to be heard as Johnson was in the elevator every day.

Iver Johnson was adjudged insane last Thursday by County Judge Carleton and was committed to the Jamestown asylum. He was taken to Jamestown by Sheriff Flynn on the afternoon train. His hallucination seems to be that he is going to starve to death. He has been off for nearly a year and is not very excitable, getting off only occasionally. Good treatment will probably bring him out all right in a short time.

Ladies fancy and late styles of Oriental Lace Collars for Waists and Jackets at

THE ONE PRICE DEP'T STORE.

The Hannaford boys under Dick Leisure's leadership, have a ball team and have a notion that they can put it all over the boys from Cooperstown. Dick wants to play a game on Friday either here or at Hannaford and promises to make it interesting for the disciples of base ball in these parts. The trouble is that we have no organization here and as Baldwin and Ade Thompson and some of the other sports are out of town it is hard to get somebody to take a hold. However we think that a nine can be picked up that will wallop the boys from Hyde's town clean out of their boots, we do, by gum.

Two girls wanted at once.

E. MARQUARDT. Tree claim trees, cottonwoods and ash at JIMESON'S.

Fodder corn, also field corn, the kind that ripened last year, at JIMESON'S.

Assessor Nic Green is doing the rounds and is trying to see that no property escapes taxation.

Manley Flynn is working for Thompson Bros., helping on the books and making himself generally useful.

Theo. G. Thompson arrived from Taylor, N. D., Tuesday. He is getting to be an enthusiastic boomer of that western country.

25 per cent discount on all Ladies and Childrens Coats and Jackets at BIRME BROS. & Co., The One Price Dep't Store.

A sign painter struck town Monday and as a consequence several store windows show the effect of his handiwork—and he certainly is an artist in his line.

Ade Thompson went to Taylor, N. D., Monday, to look over the country and to see if his father was telling the truth. Knud says it is a garden of Eden out there.

Alva Richardson has sold out his farm, stock and machinery, so we are informed, to a Minnesota party. He expects to take a trip back to old Michigan to see how things are around his old home.

Dr. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania University, Norway, will be in Cooperstown May 29th and 30th for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday and Saturday of each month.

Messdames W. E. Hunt and Morton Page, of Fargo, were in Cooperstown last Monday in behalf of the Fargo Children's Home. They desire to express their thanks for the aid extended the home by the people of this city.

Joe McCulloch and a force of carpenters are at work building a large horse-shoe barn at the fair grounds. The new building will contain twelve box stalls and will be much more convenient, so say the horsemen.

The commencement exercises of the high school will be held in the opera house on Friday evening of this week to which parents and friends of the school are cordially invited. A very good program has been prepared for the occasion.

Master Willie Stringer entertained a dozen or so little friends at his home Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5, the occasion being his seventh birthday. He was remembered by his little friends by several presents. Refreshments were served and the little folks put in a few hours of fun and frolic.

H. P. Strub, of Sanborn, was in the city Tuesday. He, with J. Hutchinson are the inventors of a patent stone-puller that is said to be the handiest device for the work required ever patented. It is being extensively used all over the state by farmers who have staves on their land. Mr. Strub has appointed Hammer & Condy agents at this place.

The Crane-Johnson Co., have purchased of John T. Odgaard the block on the east side of the track on Burrell avenue which has been in litigation for a long time and contemplate in the near future to move their office and lumber business to this side of the track. Mr. Crane has drawn some plans for some very substantial lumber sheds, etc., and when the improvements are made will have one of the best lumber yards in the state.

Taxpayer—"The Fair Association has forbid speeding of horses on the race track Sunday and it is now in order for the town board to prohibit speeding on the streets of the city. Last Sunday it was a common occurrence and some time it will result in somebody getting hurt. Why don't you go for the town board." In answer to taxpayer we would say that the Fair Association has done right in cutting out racing and ball playing Sundays and we think the town should stop speeding on the streets at all times. It is just as much the business of taxpayer or any other citizen to complain of any grievance to the board as it is ours. Don't put all your troubles on the editor but have sand enough to speak up for yourself.

On complaint of Alva Richardson, James Incedon was brought to town by Sheriff Flynn last Monday to have a hearing before the insanity board, and after due inquiry into his case he was adjudged insane and committed to the asylum by Judge Carleton. The case is a very peculiar one. Mr. Incedon is not a violently insane person and to most people would not impress them as being insane at all, yet he has an idea all the time that he is under an hypnotic spell and that somebody is poisoning his horses and doping his food. This idea clings to him and he has expressed himself in such shape as to what he would do that the neighbors felt that he ought to be taken care of. We believe that under proper treatment he will speedily recover and be able to return to his farm.

Munn & Baker Painters and Paper hangers, telephone 91.

Go to FIRST NATIONAL BANK for your Farm Loans.

There will be service in the Lutheran church next Sunday morning and evening. Everybody invited.

Knox Munn got into a wrestle Sunday afternoon but he came out on top all right. Ask him about it.

H. J. Maurer, of Binford, was wearing out shoe leather in the county seat Monday attending to business matters.

Master Workmen Erick Erickson went to Grand Forks this week to attend the grand lodge of the A. O. U. W.

Lieut. J. M. Plester, of Valley City, and Lieut. M. E. Fleming, of Larimore, officers of the Salvation Army, were in the city last Tuesday.

A girl baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Skofstad Wednesday morning, Dr. Kerr being the attending physician. Mother and daughter are doing well.

Dick Leisure was up from Hannaford yesterday and had the nerve to tell us that he had a ball team down there that could make any team that we could get up look like thirty cents.

C. C. Piatt has purchased the corner lots opposite the Congregational parsonage and will shortly build thereon a neat residence. The builders and carpenters are more than rushed with work these days.

H. H. Bateman has added some very fine cafe chairs and tables to his place of business for use during the ice-cream season. The ladies can now sit down and eat their ice-cream and visit to their heart's content.

Jim Hill's farm team broke loose from in front of Hammer & Condy's yesterday morning and made a run towards home but were stopped half a mile out of town. The run that was Houghton made after them, led him to a front place on the fire department team.

And Goff is putting in overtime these days building new telephone lines and putting in 'phones. He will build a line to Jessie and Binford this season also east of town as far as Steen Nelson's, about ten miles. He has built several miles of new line already this Spring. Mr. Goff is a hustler in every respect and helps the farmers out in good shape. He is giving the people the finest service in the land and builds up his system in first-class shape. Cooperstown was mighty lucky when And. Goff decided to put in his system. He deserves all the success possible and here's hoping that it will strike him in big bunches all the time. Now if And. only had an automobile he would be happy.

Program.

Of the first commencement exercises of the high school to be held in the Opera House, to-morrow evening, to which all are invited:

- MUSIC.
- INVOCATION..... Rev. V. H. Rucing.
- SALUTATORY..... Miss Inez Gertrude Enger. (1st honor student).
- ORATION..... "Pro Patria" Herman Evelynne Warner.
- ORATION..... "Patriotism" Adolph John Melgard.
- ESSAY..... "Character Building" Inez Gertrude Enger.
- MUSIC.
- VALEDICTORY..... Herman Evelynne Warner. (2nd honor graduate).
- ORATION..... "Liberty" Adolph John Melgard.
- PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS Lieut. Gov. David Bartlett. President of Board of Education.
- MUSIC.
- COMMENCEMENT ADDRESS Prof. Vernon Squires, A. M. Of the University of N. Dakota.
- BENEDICTION..... Rev. T. J. Giblett.
- CLASS COLORES..... "Orange and Black."
- CLASS FLOWER..... "Carnation."
- CLASS MOTTO..... "Non scholae sed vitae discemus."
- Made Young Again. "One of Dr. King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D. H. Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at H. H. Bateman's Drug Store.
- Auction Sale. I will offer for sale at public auction on Saturday, June 6, 1903, at 2 p. m., on the platform next door to the post-office, all my household furniture, piano, etc. Also two horses and one surrey, one buggy, double set harness, one single harness, other articles too numerous to mention. Terms: \$10 or under cash, over that approved notes payable Oct. 15, 1903. ANTON ENGER.

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New goods in all departments bought in the best markets and bought at lowest prices. The old proverb holds good in our case and proves that our position is right:

"Goods well bought are half sold!"

NEW NECKWEAR for the ladies. Beautiful creations in everthing that is new and strictly up-to-date. Ladies be sure to look our stock over before buying.

NEW WAISTS, SILK WAISTS. Marvelous in their beauty. We are told that their is nothing like them in this part of the country.

NEW SKIRTS. We have them in all the new cloths and styles. You cannot afford to buy until you see our stock.

NEW PETTICOATS in mercerized and silk. We handle the famous Sorosis skirt. It's absolutely right in make and price.

NEW DRESS TRIMMINGS. The way this line is selling proves that it is the only line in town.

NEW FABRICS in all the latest weaves.

NEW SHOES, NEW CLOTHING for men and boys.

NEW FURNISHINGS, NEW TRUNKS, NEW BAGS.

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A Sure Thing.

It is said that nothing is sure except death and taxes, but that is not altogether true. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is a sure cure for all lung and throat troubles. Thousands can testify to that. Mrs. C. B. VanMetre of Shepherdstown, W. Va., says "I had a severe case of Bronchitis and for a year tried everything I heard of, but got no relief. One bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery then cured me absolutely." It's infallible for Croup, Whooping Cough, Grip, Pneumonia and Consumption. Try it. It's guaranteed by H. H. Bateman Druggist. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c, \$1.00.

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tf E. E. DOWNE, Prop.

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4,000 bushels White Russian oats. 1,200 bushels of rye, 600 bushels of barley.

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All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Back ache, Headache, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations Free. "For years I had backache, severe pains across kidneys and scalding urine. I could not get out of bed without help. The use of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure restored me. G. WAGNER, Knobsville, Pa. Druggists, 50c. \$1. Ask for Cook Book—Free.

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Family size Ice-Cream Freezer - \$3.00

A Little Money makes Money here, A few Shelf Worn Coffee Pots, Regular 80c, now **25c**

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Express Wagon **STOCK FOOD.**
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