

Local.

We have improved farms for sale.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Hall Insurance at State Bank of Cooperstown. 5t
Fresh Strawberries at BROS. & Co., The One Price Dept. Store.

The teachers are holding a week's institute this week. Formerly they had three weeks.

Mrs. E. C. Rogers arrived from Pe Ell, Wash., last Friday and visited for a few days with her sister, Mrs. F. A. Haskell.

When buying Toilet Soap, don't forget that BROS. & Co., have the largest assortment in Cooperstown to select from.

Chris. Erickson of Mabel township was enjoying a few hours of town life Monday. He came up to bring the schoolmarm to institute.

Miss Julie Feiring returned home last Tuesday from Minto where she had been engaged as a teacher in the public schools of that city.

The name of Ludwig Lima, of Cooperstown, appears among the names of graduates from the College of Medicine from Hamline University of Minnesota.

Mrs. R. C. Cooper and Mrs. J. N. Brown went to Valley City, Monday, to attend the county W. C. T. U., convention for Barnes and Griggs counties.

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.

Mrs. V. H. Buring, Mrs. G. H. Condy, Mrs. W. H. Carleton, Mrs. P. R. Trubshaw and Miss Daisy Moffat went to Valley City Tuesday, to attend the Barnes and Griggs County W. C. T. U.

FOUND—June 1st half mile east of Cooperstown, one gentleman's bicycle. If the owner thinks it is worth having he can pay for this notice, prove property and take it away. Call at this office.

Miss Sarah West who has been visiting her sister Mrs. C. O. Johnson for the past few weeks, returned to her home at New Rockford last Saturday. She likes Cooperstown and will come again.

\$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.

There will be services as usual at the Baptist church next Sunday evening. Miss Mills with the young lady Evangelists will sing. Miss Smith the Evangelist will be present to begin the special Evangelistic meetings on Monday evening next.

Parker & Shue retired from that strenuous life occasioned by being hotel landlords last Sunday evening and turned over the Newell House to the new proprietor W. E. Durgin. The former proprietors ran a good hotel and the new landlord promises to do the same.

Special memorial services were held in the Baptist church last Sunday afternoon. The church was decorated appropriately for the occasion and the choir furnished some excellent special music. Rev. T. J. Giblett, the pastor, gave a very fine address appropriate to the occasion.

The Courier received a pleasant call from our old friend W. H. Welch, of Kensal, Monday. "Billy" came over with Harry Hyland who brought over his pacer to train for our races. We are always glad to extend the welcome hand to Billy who is a genial fellow and a thorough ball crank. He expects to come over with his team to the celebration and promises to give us good ball.

Dr. W. L. Burnap is now located in his office rooms in the State Bank block and ready for business. He is from Lake Mills, Iowa, instead of Eagle Grove as stated by the Courier last week. Dr. Burnap is well qualified for the practice of medicine having spent four years in the University of Minnesota where he graduated from the scientific department obtaining the degree of Bachelor of Science. Later he went to Rush Medical College Chicago, and took up the study of medicine from which institution he graduated as an M. D. He was for one year assistant physician at the Chicago Lying-in Hospital where he secured valuable practice. He has now come from Chicago where he has taken a course in the Illinois Charitable Eye and Ear Infirmary. He is therefore prepared to do special work in the eye, ear, nose and throat, including fitting of glasses in a scientific and accurate way. Dr. Burnap, having caught the fever, which at present seems to be depopulating Iowa, left a good practice at Lake Mills to come west. He has located here and means to be considerable in his charges and will not demand pay at time of visit as has been done by some of his predecessors.

Barb wire at EVENSON & ALLEN'S. Two girls wanted at once.

E. MARQUARDT.

WANTED.—Agents to solicit Hall Insurance. Apply to STATE BANK of Cooperstown. 5t

J. A. McCulloch is at Grand Forks this week attending the grand lodge of Odd Fellows.

Lieut.-Gov. Bartlett went to Fargo, Grand Forks and Wahpeton Monday, to attend to some business matters.

Another new lot of Men's Fancy Shirts and Ties at BROS. & Co.

Mrs. W. E. Durgin and children arrived from Chatfield, Minn., Tuesday and are now established at the Newell House.

Orry Betzlaff came up from Valley City and will probably remain here for a time developing his muscle at the long end of a pitchfork.

Miss Ida Feiring returned home from Minneapolis Tuesday, having graduated from the University preparatory course the previous Friday.

The Cooperstown fire department is all right and demonstrates that when there is hard work to do, it can do it. The boys can eat up a fire in good shape.

Mr. and Mrs. David McCulloch, of Blanchard, N. D., visited friends and relatives in Cooperstown last week. Mr. McCulloch is superintendent of the big Blanchard farm.

T. E. Warner last week sold out his insurance and collection business to M. C. Spicer who assumed charge for himself June 1st. Mr. Spicer will be found doing business at the old stand as usual.

P. E. Nelson left Monday for Grand Forks to attend the grand encampment of Odd Fellows. He was accompanied to Fargo by his little daughter Deborah, who went to have her tonsils removed by a Fargo physician.

Dr. L. S. PLATON, 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.

Memorial day was not observed at Cooperstown to any extent. The banks and other public offices were closed. The band got out at 5 o'clock p. m., and gave us a few selections followed by an automobile exhibition by Messrs. L. Berg and Geo. Von Blon.

I have taken commercial branches at other schools, and find that Aaker's Business College Fargo, N. D., uses superior methods, more practical helps, and is better equipped.

Respectfully,
OSCAR M. OPDAHL,
Moorhead, Minn.

A K. F. lodge will be organized at McHenry next Friday, the local lodge from Cooperstown being engaged to do the work. The band will also accompany the lodge and members from Carington, Kensal and other points will be present. McHenry will be taken sure next Friday.

T. L. Terry formerly of Walton N. Y., now travelling for a Philadelphia rubber concern was here last week. Tom is a cousin of Mrs. Wilson Raitt who lives six miles north of town, and sold the Munn boys their first long pants. He stopped over a day to visit his old friends and found they were very well satisfied with their lot. He spoke very highly of Griggs county saying that we had the best land for the money he had seen during his five years travels through the West. Tom certainly has the right idea. We wish him success and hope to see him in Cooperstown again.

It speaks well for the business interests of Cooperstown to see our banks doubling their capital and making the institutions sounder financially than they were before if such a thing is possible. Our banks have been at all times as sound as any similar institutions in North Dakota but they don't stop at that but continue to improve right along. The State Bank has, within the past few days raised its capital stock to \$25,000, having taken in additional business men of the town as stockholders. The bank has done a steady and substantial business from the start, has been well managed and the increase in capital was necessary to keep in line with the increasing business. The Courier is glad to note the prosperity of the State Bank.

Worst of all Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by H. H. Bateman Druggist.

Woven wire fencing EVENSON & ALLEN.

Go to FIRST NATIONAL BANK for FOUR FARM LOANS.

STATE BANK of Cooperstown has money at all times for FARM LOANS. 5t

Reynolds handles the best grade of wood all orders promptly filled. Located north of Cooperstown Flour Mill.

Erick Erickson did not want to be left in the shuffle so he boarded the limited southbound Monday, en route for Fargo.

WANTED—A good woman cook on my north farm. Good wages will be paid and a good private living room furnished. R. C. COOPER.

Closing out one lot of small children's Shoes. Regular price from 75c to \$1.35 a pair—your choice 53c a pair, at THE ONE PRICE DEPT. STORE.

Miss Ethel Beer and Miss Stella Kelleran, of Jamestown, were the guests of Miss Lizzie Marquardt last week. They returned home last Monday.

Miss Myrtle Bemis returned home last Saturday from Williston, N. D., where she had charge of a department in the public schools of that town.

Speaking about races we expect to have about thirty fast horses for our races July 2, 3 and 4. There will be some fast time made this year and don't you forget it.

A. H. Berg and family left on Monday afternoon for a visit with friends at Lake Mills, Iowa. Mr. Berg will return home next week and the family will make a more extended visit.

Misses Gladys and Hazel Stone left on Monday for South Dakota where they will visit for a few weeks with their aunt. The little girls will undoubtedly enjoy the vacation and change very much.

Prof. Callahan, of Casselton, and Miss Ella Stout, of Fargo, are conducting the teachers institute here this week. They are two of the best as well as most popular educators in the state and are popular with the teachers.

Geo. Von Blon received his nice new Rambler automobile last Saturday afternoon and notwithstanding that the temptation was great to take a spin Sunday morning he passed it up and was found in his usual place at church. George is entitled to a long credit mark.

Mrs. N. C. Rukke returned from Fairhaven, Wash., last week, after spending a few weeks out there with her daughters Nellie and Elma. Mrs. Rukke likes Washington and will probably return there next winter. She says that Nellie has improved very much in health since she went out there.

William Johnson, who married the widow Dusbabek some time ago is in the county jail serving a 30 day sentence imposed by Judge Bearick for assault on his wife. It seems that William was playing in a rather reckless manner with an ax and hit his wife on the—eh—leg. The lady objected to be used as a chopping block and he was hauled up before the court, Amelia Dusbabek, the daughter, making the complaint. It is another case of family jar.

A pleasant surprise was sprung upon Mrs. Anton Enger at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Haskell last Thursday evening. The Rebecas wanted to show their appreciation of Mrs. Enger's long membership in the order and as the lady is about to move away from Cooperstown in a few days the Rebecas wanted her to go away with the idea that she had been appreciated. Mrs. Enger was invited down to the house for the purpose of consulting others about lodge work but when she entered the house she found a large company assembled who informed her that business was suspended and that for a few hours the good of the order would prevail. Mrs. Enger was greatly surprised and when she was presented later with a beautiful piece of cut glass ware as a token of esteem was entirely overcome. The evening was passed in various amusements and a delicious repast was served.

Taken Up.

One grey mare, 4 years old, sore on right foot and one bay colt about 8 months old, mane sheared.

R. M. HADLOCK,
Sec. 9-145-90.

Farm for Sale or Rent.

I will rent or sell my farm consisting of 480 acres, four miles northwest of Hannaford. Parties desiring to purchase or rent, call on or address:
DANIEL SINCLAIR,
Hannaford, N. D.

That Throbbing Headache

Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for Sick and Nervous Headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25 cents, money back if not cured. Sold by H. H. Bateman Druggist.

Whidden's Announcement.

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 everything 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.

C. T. WHIDDEN.

Taken Up.

Taken up about May 20th one dark brown horse mule, two years old, also one dark gray mare about two years old. The owner can have the same by calling on the undersigned paying for this notice and feed charges.

R. C. COOPER.

Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c, at H. H. Bateman's Drug Store.

Notice.

Entries for races in the different towns of the southern racing circuit of North Dakota will close as follows: For Page, Hope and Cooperstown June 6th, 1903, and for Buffalo and Mayville June 25th 1903.

JACK N. BROWN,
Sec.

Boiler and Engine Work.

We are now ready to do Boiler and Engine work. We would suggest that you have the agent of whom you bought your machine order your fues or let us or order them for you. Mr. Montgomery has learned the boiler-makers and machinists trades thoroughly and we do our work well.

2t MONTGOMERY & KIRK.

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs. Also Rheumatism, Backache, 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.

"A gravel lodged in my bladder. After using a few bottles of Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure I passed a gravel half as large as a marble. The medicine prevented further formations. I was cured."
W. T. OAKES, Orris, Va.

Druggists, etc. Ask for Cook Book—Free.
ST. VITUS' DANCE Cure, Circular, by Dr. Fenner, Fredonia, N. Y.

For sale by S. ALMKLOV

If you did not buy it for Christmas a Malleable Planished Steel

Range

is a good investment any time. We have Steel Cooks as low as \$25.00 and you can pay for it while using it.

They are fuel savers, quick bakers and have great durability.

EVENSON & ALLEN.