

Local.

We have improved farms for sale.
FIRST NATIONAL BANK.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schulz left Friday for St. Paul.

W. H. Francis, formerly of the Casselton Eye, has accepted a position in the Sentinel office.

FOR SALE—One registered Yorkshire boar, coming three years old. Apply to George Lawrence, Coopers-town, N. D.

Last week was a good one for the threshers and hundreds of acres of grain were pounded out and hauled to the elevators.

Ex-Jov. Roger Allen recently sold his farm of 240 acres for \$42.50 per acre. That is a great deal better than being governor of North Dakota.

The Courier at Cooperstown presents the name of Hon. David Bartlett for the chief's chair. The Gov. would make a clean man.—Wheatland Eagle.

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

There does not appear to be any immediate danger of a drought around these parts and the only ones who really feel good over the rains are the fellows who have just completed new cisterns.

R. C. Hazard came up on the limited Monday and remained over night visiting relatives and friends. Ran is busy these days and it is hard for him to get away from business. He returned home Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Hazard and the children.

Word comes from Fargo that E. W. Ohnstad was successfully operated upon for appendicitis at Fargo last Saturday and that the operation was a success and Ed. is getting along nicely. His many friends at Cooperstown hope that he will continue to improve and get home again right away quick.

A gang of Italians were engaged in putting in new side tracks for the Crane-Johnson Co., last week. The new lumber yard will be on the east side of the track. Work on new buildings will be commenced right away and when completed the Crane-Johnson Co., will have one of the best equipped yards in the state—if not the best.

Account American Bankers Ass'n San Francisco, Oct. 20-23, the N. P. R'y will sell round trip tickets Oct. 8 to 17th at \$57.90 return limit Nov. 30 1903. W. J. PAYNE, Agt.

Householders have been moving some the past few days. Ben Stavick has moved into the building next door to the State Bank, C. A. Olson has moved into the Ran Hazard house on the Boulevard, Dr. Burnap has moved into the Odegard house recently purchased by himself on Burrell avenue and J. H. McDermott has moved into his new purchase the O. W. Kerr residence. A directory would be very unreliable these days.

Dr. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania University, Norway, will be in Cooperstown Sept. 25th and 26th for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday and Saturday of each month.

There is a possibility of all kinds of trouble in the Turtle Mountain country again. The Indians have been farming lands there for years without any particular rights. The homesteaders have filed on claims and raised crops and the Indians are beginning to interfere during the harvest. Near Rolla an Indian took a lot of wheat raised by a homesteader. The testimony showed the Indian had farmed the land for years and grubbed several acres in addition to breaking many others which are now being farmed by the white homesteader. In other cases the Indians have threatened to burn the hay out by white people on meadows that are homestead lands. "Poor Lo" can't understand the law that gives someone else his home, and trouble is imminent.

Dr. Thams came up from Fargo Monday, and, after attending to business matters, prepared to shoulder his gun and drop a few of the prairie hens as soon as possible after they were ripe. Tuesday morning when Doc came down to breakfast, he was harnessed up in his corduroy hunting suit and looked as though some chicks might meet their doom before the day was done. At noon, the train brought Doctors Bailey and Henning from Fargo, and after a hurried consultation, it was decided that the best results could be obtained by sounding the hunting situation first, then by introducing a few pointers into the area of the sporting territory and injecting an ounce of lead into the carotid artery of each fowl that attempted to fly, they could produce the most desired effect upon the bird's "orbicularis palpebrarum" thereby bringing on a sort of catfunky-bumpus for the bird, and a keener sense of self-satisfaction for the operators. That's what we think, too.—Binford Times.

Go to FIRST NATIONAL BANK for your Farm Loans.

Otto Bruns has accepted a position in R. C. Cooper's office as bookkeeper.

Sept. 1st, the fall term of the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn., opens. Get a catalogue.

Misses Haley and Corey arrived last Saturday and the corps of teachers is again complete for the ensuing term.

Gladys Stone returned home last Saturday from a summer's visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. N. Shuler, in South Dakota.

Geo. F. Adams threshed out a piece of wheat south of the court house last week for J. F. Teal which yielded twenty-two bushels per acre.

O. W. Kerr and Glen Link enjoyed a few days hunting around Cooperstown last week and met with good luck. They returned to Fargo Monday.

Miss Jannette Whidden left Monday for Owatonna, Minn., where she will enter Pillsbury Academy. Mrs. Whidden went down with her.

Orry Retzloff was seen heading for the courthouse Monday morning early and said that he was going to secure a license. We don't know whether it was a hunting license or a marriage license he was after—time will tell.

Emil Dusbabek who has been in the county jail some weeks on a charge of selling liquor contrary to the peace and dignity of the state of North Dakota, was released last Monday a sufficient bond being executed and approved by the court.

Mike Weiss and B. K. Climie got into a scrap last Friday and resulted in the former having the latter arrested for threatening to shoot with a gun. We don't know anything about the case only that Judge Reaick dismissed the suit and "the farmer pays it all."

Attention of parents is called to the letter published by President Bartlett of the board of education in regard to sending children to school between the ages of 8 and 14. It is a misdemeanor punishable by a fine for parents or guardians neglecting to send the children to school and the board has determined to punish all parents and guardians who do not live up to the requirements of the law.

The following item from the Litchville Bulletin will interest the friends of Dr. Westley at Cooperstown:
Dr. M. D. Westley has sold his practice in Litchville to Dr. W. R. Claybourne, who arrived here last week. Dr. Westley goes from here to Philadelphia, where he will take a post-graduate course and hospital training for a year or so. Dr. D. T. Quigley, than whom a finer gentleman and physician never existed, will not return to Litchville, having purchased a medical practice at North Platte, Neb. Here's to the three saw bones. May they succeed.

As she intends going out of business Mrs. E. E. Downs will close out her entire stock of millinery goods within the next ninety days at the greatest possible reduction. Come and convince yourself that prices are right.

The fine weather of last week was broken Sunday morning when a steady rain set in lasting all that day and all day Monday, putting a stop to all threshing operations for the biggest part of the week. The wet weather is very discouraging and reports of wheat sprouting in the shock are coming in, and in addition to this the grain is getting bleached and discolored which is a loss to the farmer. We need about four weeks of nice dry weather to clean up the threshing.

J. E. Dixon steam laundry company Fargo, placed their agency with C. B. Jungck. Dixon laundry company guarantees flannels and silks and are experts in all kinds of work. Best equipped and largest laundry in the state.

Mrs. C. W. Hodge was the guest of Mrs. A. Rhodes two or three days last week. She was on her way to Wisconsin to visit her old home and dropped off at Cooperstown to visit old friends. She will not return to her home at Sumner, Wash., for a couple of months so that the Prof. will have time to get his winter's wood under cover and out of the rain before his better half gets home. By-the-way Mr. and Mrs. Hodge like Washington and both are thriving on that climate.

"Shorty" the baggageman on the branch train nearly threw a fit last Saturday. A fellow with balloon shaped pants and a hunting dog got on the train at Sanborn and came to Cooperstown. The baggageman looked after the dog and when the train arrived here the sport dug up 17 cents and handed to Shorty with the remark that that was all the change he had. The b. m. was so frustrated at this reckless display of wealth that he lost a nickel of that amount and set up such a howl that Conductor Hatton passed the hat and finally got enough contributed to make up the amount to 13 cents and this somewhat pacified Shorty, who says that the next man who brings a dog up the branch will have to show him about \$1.50 in advance. We think the sport must live in Missouri.

A new house for sale cheap, nicely located. Apply at State Bank.

Shetland Floss in white and colors at THE ONE PRICE DEPARTMENT STORE.

Miss Emma Beier is back at the central switchboard after a week's enforced absence as a result of a runaway.

Miss Kathleen Crane left Monday for Brainerd where she will visit friends for a week prior to returning to Stanley Hall.

Mrs. E. E. Downs is displaying a new and complete stock of the most up to date millinery. For the latest novelties in street hats come early and take your choice.

Mrs. M. B. Weiser, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Patterson the past month, left last Friday for a trip through the Yellowstone Park. She expects to return here on her way east.

Jimeson & Olson have made some changes in their store the last few days. The grocery department has been moved into another room and is now an exclusive department all by itself and a new shoe department now occupies the place where the groceries were formerly.

C. W. Mott, general emigration agent of the Northern Pacific, sends out a very useful booklet labeled "opportunities." Inside its covers can be found business openings to be found in Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington, with a general description of all the leading towns in these states.

An additional crew has been put on between Jamestown and Fargo to handle way freight between those points, a step made necessary on account of the steady increase in local traffic between the division terminal, notably at this station, the traffic on the Sanborn branch being heavier than ever this season. A relief crew lays at Valley City, thus giving the trainmen a chance for rest. By the old system of two crews the men had very little time for sleep, as it frequently happened that the train did not arrive until far into the night and the crews were obliged to get an early start in the morning.—Enterprise.

W. H. Johnson discharged his hired man and said he was no good to work, therefore one day last week the hired man, Adam Brush, proceeded to give W. H. a few licks in the face to try and square up the deal. Johnson objected to having his face used as a punching bag and with the consent of the states attorney had a warrant issued for Adam's arrest for assault and battery. The trial came off last Thursday before Justice Reaick who assessed Adam \$25 for the fun that he had punching Bill's face and Bill will no doubt be car-ful how he talks about his hired men hereafter.

Are you jealous of your neighbor's prosperity? What has he done to you? Because he pushed and pulled and scratched and sweat and toiled and succeeded at last in reaching an easy road to life, and you rested under the shade and failed, does that make it your duty to rail at him and smirch him at every opportunity? Does it? Say a good word for him. No man is the only pebble on the beach. Your time will come if you will use hands and head. Try to pluck some benefit out of every day. Don't feel sore because some fellow has more sense than you. Now help the town along—help the county—push and pull and you will be surprised how much prosperity will come to you and how much smoother the road than when you were talking mean about your neighbor.

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THE NEW STORE.

Bert Parsons and family have moved into town and are occupying their house south of the courthouse. The children have started in to school and Bert is finishing up his farm operations before he settles down to a winter's rest in town.

Major John B. Jeffery, special agent rural free delivery, was in the city this week looking over the proposed route from Cooperstown east and back by way of Romness. The prospects are very favorable and if the farmers along the route do their part in keeping the roads in order and the boxes in good shape they will no doubt get the service as fast for.

Messrs. M. C. Spicer, Sells Bengson, Lucius Hazard and John Malmstad went out on a duck hunt last Friday and met with splendid success, bringing down 120. The boys had a picture taken of their "kill" by Photographer Von Blon and then generously passed the ducks around among their friends. The Courier editor acknowledges a nice mess and returns thanks.

There are several places in our sidewalks around town that need repairing but the owners of the property are too busy to put in a plank. We suggest that the marshal attend to the matter and see that the walks are repaired. If somebody breaks a leg by stepping into one of the holes some dark night is the town or the property owner responsible for damages?

Are you looking for good uncolored Japan Tea? We have it at 50c per lb. at Jimeson & Olson's.
THE NEW STORE.

There is one thing that Cooperstown ought to have and that is a public park. If the two blocks west of Jimeson & Olson's store on either side of the street were purchased trees planted and the grounds fenced and fixed up what a big improvement it would make to our little city. In addition to that it would afford a better means of fire protection. The minute those two blocks are built upon by business houses the nearer we get to the elevator district and then when an elevator burned down, which happens every so often, the greater chances we stand of the fire reaching the business section. It is the distance away from the main town that has saved us from fire several times when the elevators have burned down. We don't own any land or interest in the land mentioned in this item so that we have no ax to grind. It is a matter that is worthy of more than passing notice.

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