



TIME CARD

TRAINS.

	No. 114. West Bound	No. 115. East Bound
Sanborn	De 8:45 a.m. Ar 4:30 p.m.	Ar 10:25 a.m. Ar 4:30 p.m.
Cooperstown	Ar 10:25 a.m. Ar 4:30 p.m.	Ar 10:25 a.m. De 1:45 p.m.
McHenry	Ar 10:25 a.m. De 1:45 p.m.	

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W. J. Payne, Agt. Cooperstown, N. D. J. M. Cleland, G. P. A. St. Paul, Minn.

Local.

We have improved farms for sale. **FIRST NATIONAL BANK**

30 per cent. off on china at I. D. Allen's.

Joe Ebsentier and William Howden are back from the World's Fair well pleased with what they saw. They speak well of North Dakota's exhibit.

At Jameson & Olson's they are always busy and this month will be their banner month of the year.

The ladies of the M. E. church will give a supper in the Fire Hall, Dec. 14th beginning at 6 o'clock p. m.

Dog Lost—Fox colored shepherd dog, female. Last seen in town on the 16th. Answers to the name of Gyp. Finder please notify G. H. Lawrence.

A new postoffice is to be established shortly at what is now known as Lewis between Binford and McHenry. The name of the town is to be changed from Lewis to Mose which is going from bad to worse.

Call at R. S. Lunde's office for farm loans and insurance.

Geo. D. Sweet's triumphant success "A Devil's Lane" at the opera house next Friday night. Prices 25, 50 and 75c.

Ole Lee, who went up into Benson county a year or two ago to hold down one of Uncle Samuel's claims, has proved up, so that last week he thought he would come down and see old friends at this place. Ole is now proprietor of a livery barn and dray line at Brinsmade, N. D. and is on the high road to becoming a millionaire.

One of the largest stocks of holiday goods west of the twin cities—an elegant line. 30 per cent. off at Allen's.

Alex. Chalmers came down from Galesburg, N. D., last week and put in a day or two visiting old friends around here not forgetting the COURIER. Mr. Chalmers has been in the stock business and done fairly well up to this season but he is of the opinion that on account of the low price of cattle he will have to quit the business.

Mrs. I. D. Allen will serve coffee to the ladies at Allen's jewelry store next Saturday afternoon.

Eight couple of Cooperstown young folks drove out to the farm home of Mrs. J. E. Johnson Thanksgiving time and we are informed had one of the nicest times of their lives. Dancing and playing various games furnished amusement galore for those present and at twelve o'clock a very nice supper was served to which ample justice was done. The young folks speak very highly of the hospitable time enjoyed with Mrs. Johnson and family.

STATE BANK of Cooperstown, has money at all times for **FARM LOANS.**

Col. D. R. Swartout, of Wimbledon, was in the city last Friday, greeting old friends and attending to some business matters. Mr. Swartout is still chasing after false idols and was one of the candidates buried in the republican snowstorm in Barnes county at the recent election. We don't feel a bit sorry for D. R. as he used to know better years ago, but it seems age does not bring wisdom to him in political matters. He was very much struck with the rapid and substantial growth of Cooperstown, it being two years since he was last here.

Buy your wife or sweetheart a diamond ring or a beautiful chateleine watch—nicely engraved—at Allen's for a Xmas gift. Order early.

Thanksgiving day at Cooperstown was a quiet order so far as the public was concerned, the townspeople generally congregating around the festive board in their own homes, getting away with a liberal supply of the national bird with its cranberry sauce and other trimmings, everybody being thankful for good health and three square meals a day. We do not think there are any homes in Cooperstown where three meals a day are not possible and very few homes but what could have their Thanksgiving turkey if they were so inclined. Some homes were furnished with a turkey by the Odd Fellows Lodge of this place who sought to bring good cheer and thanksgiving to a few homes in Cooperstown. We have very little sickness in our midst and while perhaps some homes have been touched by sorrow and distress most of us have good cause to be thankful.

Go to **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** for your Farm Loans.

Choosing out my entire line of china for the next 10 days. 30 per cent. off, at I. D. Allen's.

Our farmers plowed up to Thanksgiving day which is a record breaker for this neck of the woods. The fine weather still continues which materially shortens the winter. These bright, sunny days are certainly healthful.

Just received one barrel KKK fat Norway-herring at Jameson & Olson's.

Geo. Von Blon returned from the St. Louis World's Fair last Saturday very much pleased with his trip and what he saw at the big show. He says North Dakota has a very fine exhibit and that the state has been well and ably represented.

25 pair second hand harness. Apply to R. C. Cooper.

The different churches of the community held a union service at the Baptist church Thanksgiving day at 10:30, the different pastors and congregations taking part. Special music was provided for the occasion and Rev. H. K. Hawley, pastor of the Congregational church, being the last pastor on this field, as is the usual custom, was called upon to preach the sermon. Collection was taken up for the benefit of the children's home at Fargo and \$20.85 was received.

\$100,000 to loan on farm land. First National Bank of Cooperstown.

Married—On Thanksgiving Day, November 24, 1904, by Rev. Oscar D. Purinton, Mr. Chas. E. Adams to Miss Minnie Nielsen, both of this city. The newly wedded couple have settled down on the farm of the groom who lives three miles and a half west of town. The COURIER congratulates them and wish them all kinds of good luck. Charley was around bright and early the day following and saved himself a charivari by setting up the cigars to the boys in good shape.

Mrs. I. D. Allen will serve coffee to the ladies at Allen's jewelry store next Saturday afternoon.

In the delightfully musical comedy "A Devil's Lane" are combined all the elements of genuine entertainment. The play has an interesting story with strong situations and natural climaxes, but there is no villain no crime, no suggestion of evil. A newspaper man, after witnessing a performance of this play remarked "It leaves you with a pleasant taste in your mouth and a feeling of happiness and good will to all mankind." "A Devil's Lane" was built for laughter and it serves its purpose well. It has been engaged to play at the opera house on Friday, Dec. 2.

DR. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania University, Norway, will be in Cooperstown Dec. 30th and 31st for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday and Saturday of each month.

Griggs Lodge No. 13, A. O. U. W. elected the following officers last week: Master Workman, L. G. Larson; Foreman, Tom Hare; Overseer, Alex. Detwiler; Receiver, P. E. Nelson; Financier, J. E. Johnson; Recorder, P. P. Idsvog; Guide, Robt. Starr; Inside Watchman, Joel Jameson; Outside Watchman, John O. Ole. At the conclusion of the business before the lodge, the members decided that it was time to adjourn to E. Marquardt's to partake of that oyster supper advertised to be pulled off and the motion was carried without a dissenting vote. The supper was a good one and the boys developed some great appetites, nevertheless Bro. Marquardt satisfied them all and then there was enough for as many more.

Four first class furnished rooms to rent. Apply to Mrs. Chas. Nicoll.

Wanted—Capable girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. C. T. Whidden.

E. S. Hamilton returned home Tuesday from Fargo. He says Mrs. Hamilton was successfully operated upon last Saturday morning and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Washburn left on Thursday of this week for St. Clair, Mich., where they will spend the winter visiting with Mrs. Washburn's father, Mr. Andrew Husel.

Everything the heart could wish for in Christmas goods at Allen's.

Married—On Thanksgiving Day, November 24, 1904, Mr. Ingebret Johnson, of Akley, Minn., to Mrs. Hannah Dusbabek, of Cooperstown, N. D. Rev. E. T. Silness officiating.

Jameson & Olson are having a special sale this month.

H. H. Bateman has a big ad on the first page of this paper telling the people of the many things he has on hand for Christmas—and his store is full from one end to the other.

Anderson & Loudon now have an office in the J. I. Case building opposite the telephone exchange. All orders for draying can be phoned into the headquarters at that place and will receive prompt attention.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson left Monday for trip to the Pacific Coast. She will visit friends in Portland, Oregon, and on her return home will drop off at Centralia, Washington, for a few days visit with the Haskell families.

S. C. Gunderson left Tuesday for Puyallup, Wash., at which place he has located. He has been back here some time looking after his interests here. Mr. Gunderson is very much pleased with his home on the coast.

Japanese, German and Haviland china, a large variety. 30 per cent. off at Allen's.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Goff and son returned Monday from St. Louis where they had been taking in the big show. Like all others who have been there they say the half has not been told. They enjoyed themselves very much and had a good time.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church will hold their annual fair and oyster supper on Friday afternoon and evening of Dec. 9th. Fair opens at 2.30 p. m. Everybody come, buy Christmas presents, eat oysters and have a good time generally.

F. W. Soule the Eyesight Specialist will be at Allens Jewelry Store again Friday and Saturday, Dec. 9 & 10 prepared to examine defective eyes and fit glasses when needed. Don't miss this chance.

The new Arcade hotel opened its doors to the public last Tuesday. The new proprietor, Mr. D. G. Campbell, is a man of experience in hotels and promises to give good service. The following menu was served for dinner at the opening.

New York Counts
Consomme Oyster Stew
Olives Sweet Pickles
Boiled Sugar Cured Ham with French Mustard Prime Ribs of Beef, au jus Baked Duck, Oyster Dressing
Fillet of Veal, cranberry juice
Fricassee of Chicken, American Style
Pine Apple Fritters, Lemon Sauce
Lobster Salad
Whipped and Stewed Potatoes
Sugar Corn Stewed Tomatoes
Strawberry Ice Cream Short Cake
Apple Pie Cranberry Pie Mince Pie
Tea Cocoa Milk

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.

AMENDMENTS.

Taxing Grain.

Yes..... 437
No..... 295

For Insane Hospital.

Yes..... 443
No..... 229

Deaf and Dumb School.

Yes..... 445
No..... 191

HOUSE REPRESENTATIVES

N C Hemmingsen, repub..... 669
J S Palfrey, repub..... 617

G H Stavens, repub..... 619
(no opposition)

JUDGE 5TH DISTRICT.

ET Burke, repub..... 531
S L Glaspel, demo..... 431

SHERIFF.

J L Houghton, repub..... 435
J C Flynn, demo..... 582

Flynn's majority 147

TREASURER.

S Friswold, repub..... 604
W P Houghton, demo..... 388

Friswold's majority 216

AUDITOR.

R. M. Cowen, repub..... 610
P A Melgard, demo..... 403

Cowen's majority 207

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

O M Westley, repub..... 529
J H Sinclair, demo..... 500

Westley's majority 29

CLERK OF COURT.

O D Purinton, repub..... 684
M H Hagen, demo..... 332

Purinton's majority 385

STATES ATTORNEY.

Frank Gladstone, repub..... 553
B Tufte, demo..... 461

Gladstone's majority 92.

CORONER.

M. D. Westley, repub..... 638
N A Bergstrum, demo..... 362

Westley's majority 276

COUNTY JUDGE.

W H Carleton, repub..... 692
S B Langford, demo..... 328

Carleton's majority 364

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

E W Everson, repub..... 585
Carl Nelson, demo..... 352

Everson's majority 233

SURVEYOR.

M A Ueland, demo..... 454
(no opposition)

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT.

Clara Feiring, repub..... 938
H A Farr, demo..... 389

Feiring's majority 549

COMMISSIONER 3RD DIST.

T A Huso, repub..... 87
Chas O Johnson, demo..... 93

Johnson's majority 6

COMMISSIONER 4TH DIST.

Wm Hadlock, repub..... 64
J B Armstrong, demo..... 58

Hadlock's majority 6

JUSTICES.

Otto Pritz, repub..... 577
E M Ayrea, repub..... 550

W S Hyde, repub..... 527
Martin Thompson, repub..... 554

W A Olmstead, demo..... 810
H S Rearick, demo..... 339

J C Thingelstad..... 370
Henry Peterson..... 302

CONSTABLES.

F G Lewis, repub..... 576
H A Sunden, repub..... 544

Adolph Kjelson, repub..... 555
John Mulroy, repub..... 524

Ole Larson, demo..... 307
Martin Rood, demo..... 332

Robert Thorn, demo..... 308
Ray Vogen, demo..... 312

Banking ^{by} Mail

The distance one lives from the bank is no longer a consideration, for we are daily increasing our patrons, who use the mails almost exclusively. In fact, as nearly as possible, we bring the bank to your very doors.

Business received through the mail has just as careful and painstaking attention as though brought to us in person and is acknowledged by return mail.

Addressed envelopes, deposit slips, checks, notes, etc., furnished without charge. Our best service is at your command.

THE FIRST NA-

TIONAL BANK OF

COOPERSTOWN.

Don't Buy Your Fall Suit

until you have seen our line. The ADLER suits and overcoats are

Second to None.

We are making special discounts on

Boy's & Men's Clothing.

Let us show you what we have anyway.

Snappy Things in Shoes.

The quality is there; too.

Latest styles and cuts in Ladies and Misses'

Jackets and Skirts.

We have a few of last season's garments left over that we will sell at almost your own price. Call and get our prices before making your fall purchases.

McKIBBON'S FUR COATS.

Yours for business,

THOMPSON BROS.

Greenview Herd

Poland-Chinas.

Young stock for sale sired by Rockwell Chief by Dakota Chief, the only state fair graduate in the northwest. Orders booked for young stock at any time.

BUTLER & UPTON,
Cooperstown, N. D.

Now for a

Splendid Stove Sale!

Let us make it a Record Breaker. Here is the way we propose to do our part. The wonderful is told in the following:

A large size No. 20 Beckwith Round Oak with new fire pot..... \$17.25

A No. 18 in very nice repair with Hard Coal Extra Lining..... \$13.75

A No. 16, in use only three months, good as new..... \$9.80

An Acorn Hard Coal Surface Burner with Stove Board..... \$12.75

A nice 16 in Palace Oak, best bargain yet \$8.90

Skates

All the Best Make
Largest Stock in Town

Price..... 50c Up.

Oil Cloth Rugs to keep ashes off the carpet 75c.

M. G. EVENSON.

The man who deposits his funds in the bank and pays all his expenses and bills with checks has a complete record of his cash transactions. The STATE BANK OF COOPERSTOWN solicits business of this kind. It save counting the old paper money over and over. Depositors and borrowers are alike welcome. If more convenient send your business by mail and it will receive as prompt attention as if you brought it in person.