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COOPERSTOWN, GRIGGS CO., N. D., THURSDAY MARCH 2, 1905.

\$1.50 PER ANNUM

The One Price DEPARTMENT STORE.

ADVANCE SHOWING OF NEW SPRING MERCHANDISE.

If you want to see the new things in Dry Goods you must come where they are. Every day now we are Opening New Goods, just the kind of merchandise to interest every woman who appreciates correct styles and reliable qualities at popular prices.

We expect to make a new record this season in progressive retailing and offer better inducements to dry goods buyers.

Come in Whenever You are Down Town.

You will Always Find Something New.

We are now showing a new line of Fancy Dress Gingham, Imported Swiss Embroiderys, Nainsook and Lawn Embroiderys, Oriental and Allover Laces.

We have a complete line of Ladies Muslin Underwear.

Remember our SPECIAL SALE on WINTER GOODS.

ALBERT LARSON.

For the next six weeks
can save you at least a

13%

Discount on Fuel

OF ALL KINDS by inducing you to use on every house window

Storm Sash.

(we sell them)

The weather will probably be pretty

SNUG

from January 1st to March 15th and you can't afford to be without storm sash.

CRANE-JOHNSON CO.,
COOPERSTOWN, N. D.

AUCTION SALES

Wednesday, March 22, 1905

at Barnard Farm, 3 miles east of Cooperstown.

Thursday, March 23, 1905

at the Greenview Stock Farm, Steele County

Consists of Fine Stock, Horses, Farm Machinery, Pigs, Chickens, etc.

If stormy sales will be postponed until the 27th and 28th.

BUTLER & UPTON.

THE COURIER.

By Percy R. Grubbs.

ASHAMED, NIT!

Representative Palfrey was apparently so ashamed of himself for supporting that dirty, rotten primary measure, that he was not to be found anywhere in Bismarck by those of his constituents who were anxious to find him.—Bismarck Times.

Mr. Palfrey has done as well in this matter as we expected he would, Theo. The COURIER has never given Mr. Palfrey credit for doing what his constituents desired of him.

WILL EXTEND McHENRY BRANCH.

A representative of the Tribune in an interview with one of N. P. officials stated that it was the intention of the company to extend the McHenry branch the coming season from that point in a northwesterly direction thru the Fort Totten Indian reservation connecting at Oberon with the N. P. branch to Esmond. He also stated that the route had been selected altho the right-of-way has not been secured as yet, and that the chances were that they would only build to the Sheyenne river the present season.

This, we consider, is very reliable information as it came direct to us from one whose business it is to select routes for the company, and who has been over and selected the proposed route from McHenry.—Tribune.

THE NEW PRIMARY BILL.

Governor Sarles has affixed his signature to the new primary bill passed by the legislature and it is now a law. The comments of the state press are varied and amusing, many of them condemning the bill and labeling it "McKenzie's bill," while others are satisfied that it is all right and a step in the right direction. Approval of the measure comes from the towns where they have public buildings and want appropriations and were in the deal in foisting the pet measure of the politicians upon the people. Representative Phelan was particularly active in showing what it would cost each county to run the Sharpe primary measure and after he succeeded in cutting out the state officials and passing the substitute was as dumb as an oyster. It costs just as much to hold a primary election for county officials as it would for an entire state and county ticket, doesn't it? Yet the bluff of Phelan's worked. Some of

our members are so green that they are liable to be gobbled up by stray cows if they ain't careful.

ENFORCING THE LAW.

Rigid enforcement of Chicago's anti-spitting ordinance which renders those who expectorate on sidewalks, in public conveyances or in public places liable to arrest and fine, led to more than fifty arrests today in the retail business district. Among those arrested were several business men from other cities. Business men, clerks, workmen and messenger boys, hurrying along, were halted, placed under arrest and locked in jail. Many were dumfounded at being so quickly taken from work or leisure and confined in a cell. Others expressed indignation, assert a "joke had been carried too far." Some of those arrested were let off with small fines, some were discharged without fine and some we released, giving bond for appearance later. Today's arrests were the result of an anti-spitting crusade, carried on by assistant Chief of Police Schuettler.

The anti-spitting crusade is extending all over the country and should make a stop at Cooperstown. There is no more disgusting sight in the world than to pass by a block up town where men have been sitting these fine days, chewing and smoking and spitting their filth in the middle of the sidewalk where it is neither fit for either men, women or children to travel. An ordinance regulating this nuisance would be a good thing right at Cooperstown.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon, of Talladega Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at H. H. Bate-man's drug store, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Railroad Rates and Service.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, via which line there are five daily trains between St. Paul and Chicago, including the Government Fast Mail and the Pioneer Limited, has a long list of low excursion rates to points in the East and South. If you are contemplating a trip in either direction write W. B. Dixon, Northwestern Passenger Agent, St. Paul, for full particulars before arranging for tickets.

Mohairs and Cicilians.

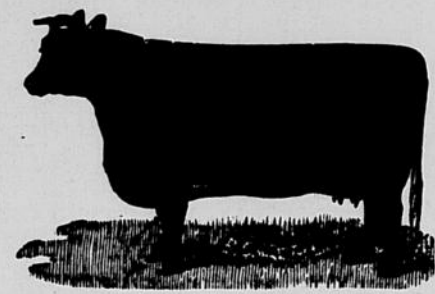
Yes, that's the goods for Spring 1905. These handsome goods for Spring Suitings, are in absolutely new—many exclusive—effects. The colors and color-mixtures are especially attractive. No matter how well you like effective Mohairs and Cicilians, you will think when you see these that you've never appreciated their possibilities before. And no suiting wears better than good Mohair.

John Syverson,

Cooperstown, North Dakota.

Greenview Herd, Poland-China & Shorthorns

5 young Bulls and the best lot of Young Pigs for sale ever offered. Sired by our great herd boar Rockwell's Chief, sire Dakota Chief.



Let us fix you out with a good start in Hogs & Cattle. Don't raise scrubs for 2c when good ones will bring you 4c. Come and see our Stock. Visitors welcome anytime.

BUTLER & UPTON, Cooperstown, N. D.

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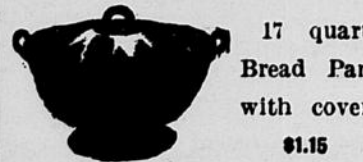
STEEL ENAMELED WARE

SALE.

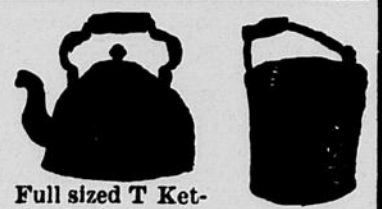
This is a good grade of Steel Enameled Ware and at prices you cannot afford to miss. Some of the things you get for little money.



1 Quart Dipper 10c
Full sized Chamber Pail with cover.....75c



17 quart Bread Pan with cover \$1.15



Full sized T Kettle, flat bottom 95c
10 quart water pail 60c



Easy to clean flat bottom 35c

Stew Kettles, Stew Pans, Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, Dish Pans, Etc., at correspondingly low prices.

Our Axel Grease Sale will interest you. See our front windows with its Bargains on Grease.

M. G. EVENSON.

"THE COURIER"---all the NEWS.