

TIME CARD
of
TRAINS.

	No. 118 West Bound	No. 119 East Bound
Saunder	De 8:45 a.m. Ar 6:40 p.m.	Ar 9:25 a.m. Ar 4:50 p.m.
Cooperstown	Ar 12:25 a.m. De 1:45 p.m.	Ar 12:25 a.m. De 1:45 p.m.
McHenry		

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

Local.

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

Olof Johnson has moved his family to Mose at which place he is conducting a general store business.

Otto Perchert has purchased Bert Parsons residence on east Burrell avenue and will move into the same about April 1st.

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

Charlie Swenson will sell his personal property today at public auction on the farm of Mrs. A. S. Halvorson east of Cooperstown.

It would be just as well to let your garden rake and lawn mower remain in the dark corner of the woodshed for a few days longer.

FOR SALE—Brome grass. Apply to F. D. Williams, Cooperstown, N. D.

Hon. Nels Hemmingsen returned home from Bismarck last Saturday, the legislative session having closed the day previous.

T. R. Atkinson, of Fargo, manager of the Fiber Mill Company, was in the city last Friday, looking after the interests of his company at this place.

Have you seen those fancy ribbons and shirt waist goods at Jameson & Olson's, The New Store.

Stephen Mitchell left last Thursday afternoon for Fargo to be operated upon for appendicitis. This a bad time for a farmer to have this kind of trouble.

The automobiles were out last Friday. The roads were good and a ride seemed very enjoyable after a two month's lay-off. This country will be full of "devil" wagons this year.

Frank Kingsley, we understand, has purchased a Maxwell automobile, and we expect to see the dust fly as he tries to pass those Rhodes boys on the road. If he does he will have to go some and don't you forget it.

A. Rhodes has on exhibition a sample Simplicity gasoline engine for pumping and feed grinding. Call and see it at work at his machinery hall.

County Commissioner Gunderson is figuring on buying an automobile. It will stand the rest of the board in hand to scrutinize O. S.'s bills hereafter, as he is liable to come the Alex. McKenzie dodge on the board and legislate an auto bill through. By-the-way, Ole, you can't invest your money in anything better, it will keep you busy at both ends of the line, morning, noon and night.

Paul Paulson, representing the D. S. B. Johnston Land Company, of St. Paul, will be in Binford March 15th to sell the hay and pasture privileges for the season of 1905, on above company's land.

North Dakotans can appreciate the beautiful weather we had in the closing days of February and the first few days of March. It cut out a whole lot of winter and saved a good many dollars in fuel to everyone. Considerable seeding has been done in the Red River Valley, while up here in Griggs county our farmers have contented themselves in dragging and harrowing the land. March is a bad month usually in this country and it is just as well not to be in too great a hurry.

Dr. L. S. Platou, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania University, Norway, will be in Cooperstown March 31st for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday of each month. **PRIVATE HOSPITAL**

Plans are being made for a May Music Festival in Fargo this spring which will exceed in attractiveness the Festivals of previous years. The chorus has already made a good start in preparing "Hiawath's Wedding Feast" by Coleridge-Taylor and Haydn's "Creation" thus presenting two of the very finest examples of the old and new in large choral works. The Indian music in the "Wedding Feast" is characteristic of the subject and is particularly pleasing. Announcements will be made later concerning the eminent soloists to be engaged for this Festival. It is to be hoped that the fine new organ of the First Baptist church of Fargo will be ready in time for this Festival under the direction of Ira B. Penniman and management of Geo. A. Stout.

Go to FIRST NATIONAL BANK for your Farm Loans.

Hardware Merchant Troseth, of Hannaford, was transacting business in the city last Saturday.

Postmaster and General Merchant Claus Jackson, of Hannaford, was a visitor to the county seat Monday, and left a few plunks with ye editor.

For bananas and the best naval oranges go to Jameson & Olson's the new store.

C. J. Lucken returned from a three weeks visit to Wisconsin, St. Paul and other points, last Saturday. He is feeling some stronger than when he went away.

There is to be an auction sale of pure blooded Hereford cattle at Valley City, N. D. on Wednesday, March 15th. Those interested should write Geo. E. McEathron, Huron, S. D. for a catalogue.

Rev. H. K. Hawley, pastor of the Congregational church, was at McHenry a day or two last week assisting in some special meetings. Mr. Hawley is preaching some fine sermons to his congregation here every Sunday.

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

Mrs. Ida Cole has sold her residence property to Andrew Hanson and has left the city. We understand that she has gone to live on her claim up on the Soo line. It is also said that she was to be married at Carrington last Saturday but we are unable to learn if this is a fact.

Hon. Nels Hemmingsen was in the city Monday greeting his constituents and favored the COURIER with a substantial call. We are indebted to him for favors received. He has made Griggs county a good representative and is in line to succeed himself next time if he so desires.

I will open a public training stable again this season commencing April 1st. Also will take a few colts to break.

W. D. HEIMBAUGH, Cooperstown, N. D.

This afternoon and Friday evening the pupils of our public school will give an entertainment in the Opera House the proceeds of which are to go towards purchasing a piano for the schoolhouse. We know that all are interested in the welfare of the school and feel sure that the entertainments will be liberally patronized. If you have not bought a ticket, do so, and help out a good cause.

STATE BANK of Cooperstown, has money at all times for Farm Loans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lewis, of Jessie, were in the city last Monday. Mr. Lewis sold out his personal property last week and expects to leave for Iowa in a few days where he will settle down on a fine farm that he has there. He says that he will always have a good word for North Dakota—which is the best place on earth for a poor man to get on his feet. The COURIER wishes Mr. and Mrs. Lewis every success in life.

New goods coming in Every Day at Jameson & Olson's the New Store.

The Fessenden Free Press says: "He was one of Rears-Sawbucks best customers and bought nothing at all at home. The time came for him as it does for all of us to depart from this life. He knocked on the pearly gates and prepared to enter, but good St. Peter stopped him. 'What is it that you have on your back?' he asked. 'A pair of wings, Rears-Sawbucks' best pattern,' the man replied. 'You have made a mistake,' said the saint. 'You should have brought a fire extinguisher. To the left please.'"

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.

The purchase by Mr. Anderson, of Hannaford, of the Perchardt property on Burrell avenue, last week, has given rise to various rumors and comments. Some say the deal is in the interests of Albert Larson who will enlarge his store, others say that Berg Brothers are in the deal and will start another bank, while others equally knowing ones assert that it is a move on the part of the State Bank who will put up a building and move that institution to a more desirable location from a business standpoint, and there you are. The COURIER does not know anything about it, only that Mr. Perchardt has sold out, and if somebody puts up a brick building it will be a great improvement to that block.

FACTS.

The young man or woman who early begins to save is well started on the road that lead to success.

A well kept bank book will serve as a certificate of character for the young man when seeking a situation.

The young man, ambitious to engage in business for himself should prepare for it now by depositing all his spare cash.

The wise man makes a present sacrifice for future comfort.

Be your own landlord and your own employer.

This institution extends every encouragement to the wage-earner to the end that he may prosper.

An invitation is extended to open an account with

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK of COOPERSTOWN.

Leave your order at once for Rural Mail Boxes at Nelson's Hardware.

The farmers institute will be held in Cooperstown next week Wednesday and Thursday and a fine program has been prepared for the occasion. Let every farmer in the county make it a point to be present.

W. C. Langdon, of Hannaford, has spent a couple of thousand or so of his surplus cash in purchasing a new Locomobile auto. The young ladies in the south half of the county are in for a nice time this summer.

LOST—Between Hannaford and Cooperstown, some time in January, a leather, spring cushion. Anyone picking up this article will confer a favor by returning to Ernest Johnson at this place, who will give a reward for same.

Our farmers should bear in mind the institute to be held in Cooperstown, March 15 and 16. A very good program has been prepared by those in charge and a good time is promised in advance. The program is given elsewhere in this issue.

Farmers and others interested should bear in mind the auction sale of W. H. Butler which occurs next Monday, March 13, on the farm east of town. Mr. Butler has some exceptionally good stock to offer at this sale and it will pay you to be present.

Col. Winsloe has been having some good auction sales this spring. Mr. Winsloe is developing into one of the best auctioneers in the state and takes no back seat for anybody. If you are going to sell out there is no need of going away from home for an auctioneer.

Howard Wilson in sending us a check for advertising says: "I had a very good sale and everything went well, in all it amounted to \$5,362.75. The weather was fine and we had a large crowd, so that it pays to advertise." A few dollars spent in the right kind of advertising pays well.

Radishes, lettuce, green onions, sweet potatoes, cucumbers, cabbage, ruta oaga, parsnips and beets at Jameson & Olson's, The New Store.

W. P. Irvine, of Lidgerwood, N. D., lecturer for the Masonic fraternity, visited Northern Light Lodge at this place last Saturday evening and gave the lodge a lecture on Masonry. Mr. Irvine is a newspaper man and very naturally drifted into the office to talk shop with ye editor.

Even if you wish to keep only a small account here, you may be assured of courteous attention and the best service that this bank has to offer.—**STATE BANK OF COOPERSTOWN.**

A bunch of Binford Odd Fellows came down to Cooperstown last Thursday evening to take a few whirrs at Wildey Encampment's goat. When they went home next morning they all said they didn't care if there was no vacant seats in the passenger coach—they much preferred to stand up.

Prof. Loreaux informs us that about \$75 worth of tickets have been sold for the school entertainment which takes place this afternoon and Friday evening. It is hoped that a great many more tickets will be sold. It is all for a piano fund. If you have not done so buy a ticket and help out a good cause.

Alexander Cameron, Ph. D., will deliver a lecture in the Baptist church, next Monday night at 8 p. m., his subject being "How the World Looks to a Blind Man." Admission 25 and 15c. Dr. Cameron has been blind for 26 years, and lost his sight when five years old from an attack of scarlet fever. He is a Yale graduate and his lecture is very interesting. You will be doing the right thing if you go out and hear him.

NEW SPRING GOODS

are arriving daily at our store. We are going to make a larger showing of Spring and Summer Goods than ever before and are getting them out just as fast as we can.

New Wash Goods, Novelty Voiles, Satzama Pongee, Silk Tissues, Crepe Otoyk and Swisses.

We have just unpacked a nice line of Ladies Collars and Neckwear in the Silk and Lace Jabots, Silk Stocks and White "Buster Brown" Collars. An assortment of the Revere sets will soon arrive. New Dress Braids, Fancy Buttons and Trimmings. New Spring Waists and more to follow next week.

Come in and Let Us Show Them to You.

Thompson Brothers.

Farmers' Institute.

Mr. Delancy, who is to conduct the the farmers institute, will not be here until the 16th the COURIER is informed.

Rev. S. Batchelor administered the ordinance of baptism at the Baptist church on Sunday evening in the presence of a large congregation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cussons, and Mrs. Marsar Cussons and children returned home Monday, after spending the winter with relatives in Minnesota.

Married—At the M. E. parsonage Cooperstown, N. D., March 7, 1905, at 3 p. m., Rev. H. S. Harris officiating, Mr. Graham McCulloch to Miss Edith M. Erickson.

D. D. Sullivan, Optical Specialist of Fargo will be in Cooperstown, Tuesday, March, 21 examining eyes and fitting glasses. Office at the hotel. Consultation free.

Lieut.-Gov. and Mrs. Bartlett returned home to Cooperstown Monday and are busy settling in their home on the Boulevard. We are pleased to again notice the smoke rolling out of the Bartlett chimney.

F. B. Daniels, the Idaho boomer, dropped off the passenger train, Monday, and has been busy showing off the advantages of his section. Mr. Daniels has an up hill job. He may catch a few suckers but a majority of our people are pretty well satisfied with North Dakota.

For Sale—Hotel and Livery Barn in Hannaford, N. D. for sale or trade in land. **NORDENG & ALM, Hannaford, N. D.**

Miss Emma Beier left for Valley City last Monday, where she has accepted a position with the telephone exchange at that place. Miss Beier is a very accommodating young lady and when she gets the board figured out will be a competent operator for the Valley City people.

Notice.

Any person having any uniforms, running suits or any other property belonging to the Cooperstown Fire Department, kindly return same at once to Theo. Marquardt.

By order of the Cooperstown Fire Department.

Startling Mortality.

Statistics show startling mortality, from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one reliable remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says: "They have no equal for Constipation and Biliousness." 25c at H. H. Hateman's drug-gist.

There will be a Farmers' Institute held at Cooperstown on Wednesday and Thursday, March 15 and 16, under the auspices of the Commercial Club. Mr. E. S. Delancy, of Valley City, has promised to preside and will also give a talk on the horse.

The following will be the program as near as can be told at the present time:

- Feeding cows for Milk and Dairying.....J. B. Armstrong.
- Breeding and Feeding Cattle for Market.....John G. Mills.
- Breeding and Feeding Hogs.....E. C. Butler.
- Breeding of Farm Horses, their Care and Feeding.....E. S. Delancy.
- Future of Agriculture in our State, the Coming Course, Feed and Gardening.....W. T. McCulloch.
- Sheep Raising.....Mason Knapp.
- The Silo and its Benefits.....G. W. Dyson.
- The Creamery and its Management.....W. P. Houghton.
- Bill-makers and Bill raisers.....H. A. Bemis.
- Plowing and Preparing the Seed Bed.....Joseph Buchheit.
- Stock Raising in General.....Frank Sanford.

A Minstrel show will be given in connection with the institute on the evening of the 15th.

Everybody is invited to come to Cooperstown and participate in the benefits of this meeting.

Other speakers will be secured for other subjects if possible and everything done to give the farmers and others an enjoyable and beneficial two days entertainment.

S. SANSBURN.
CHAS. BURSETH.
C. T. WHIDDEN.

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