

# LOCALS

I know not what the truth may be, I tell it to you 'twas told to me. X X

Go to the FIRST NATIONAL BANK for your farm loans.

Will Trichter was a Casselton visitor over Sunday.

Only a few more days of Jameson & Olson's Special Sale.

A large number from here went to Hope last Saturday to hear W. J. Bryan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown are at Devils Lake attending the Chautauqua.

L. M. Sumerville arrived last Friday from a three weeks trip into Minnesota, Iowa and South Dakota.

Big discount on all kinds of Dry Goods at Jameson & Olson, the New Store.

The M. E. Church Sunday School held their annual picnic at the River last Friday and all of whom report a lovely outing.

Miss Eckstine who had been the guest of Cooperstown friends for the past two weeks left the latter part of last week for her home in Wisconsin.

Something new and up-to-date for wedding gifts at Allen's the Jeweler.

Two good dwelling houses for sale on reasonable terms.

R. C. COOPER.

Mr. and Mrs. George Marson's twin boy and girl that were born about two months ago, are dead both dying within a week of each other. Rev. H. Styles Harris buried the latter on Saturday in the Westly cemetery.

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

F. B. King received three more Rambler Automobiles last week two of which are now sold. One goes to a party in Minot and one to Will Rukke of Aneta.

Not by-and-by, but now is the time to select wedding gifts. Just received a swell line at Allen's the Jeweler.

The fire department responded readily last Sunday evening to a fire alarm which proved to be nothing more than a smudge to drive away the pesky mosquito, at the residence of N. P. Nelson's.

Mrs. Adolph Mielke who had been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. I. D. Allen the two weeks returned the latter part of last week for her home at Glencoe, Minn. She was accompanied by Mrs. Allen and children.

STATE BANK OF COOPERSTOWN has money at all times for **FARM LOANS.**

Misses Ida and Nora Nelson left on Tuesday for Horace for a fortnight's visit. Mrs. St. John, of Cooperstown, visited the Misses Nelson here several days and left on Tuesday for Winnipeg.—Sheldon Progress.

C. B. Junck was a Fargo visitor the first of the week.

We are sold out on most of our Laundry Soap but we do have a few more boxes of Lennox Perfect Diamond C. and Santa Claus.

Car's were received by numerous Cooperstown people this week announcing the marriage of O. M. Varson of Valley City to Miss Alice A. Vessey, which occurred at the Grace M. E. Church at Portland, Oregon. They will be at home to their friends at Valley City after August 25. The COURIER extends congratulations.

DR. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania university, Norway, will be in Cooperstown July 28, for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday each month. Private hospital.

Work was commenced yesterday on the street railway and from now on Mr. Beeman expects to push things. City Engineer Smith is running the preliminary lines and Oswald Wagle, who returned from Madison last Friday, will have charge of the detail survey work. The distance is short and it is not thought that it will take long to complete this work, after which will come the grading and track laying.—Valley City Times Record.

Jameson & Olson are having a big trade these days.

Harry St. John left yesterday for a few days business trip to Fargo.

Mrs. Williams, of Verdale, Minn., is the guest of her Sister Mrs. George Adams.

Wedding presents for June just received at Allen's the Jeweler.

P. A. Melgard left Monday for Kenmar, N. D., on a prospecting trip.

For the Duluth Excursion, special trains leave Cooperstown on Friday morning at 4:05 July 14.

Oscar Thompson and Johnnie Sverson returned Tuesday from a few days outing at Spiritwood.

Theo. Thompson and George Stringer attended the Chautauqua at Devils Lake the first of the week.

Nine of the Cooperstown Infants went to Hannaford last Saturday where they met defeat. Score 21 to 4.

See A. Rhodes for windmills, pumps and tanks. Linsed and machine Oil for sale.

J. W. Bruns left last Saturday for a visit with a brother at Belgrade, Minn. He will also visit in Iowa before returning.

It will be of interest to you to read Jameson & Olsons half page ad.

Miss Thorn who has been the guest of Miss Grace Thompson the past two weeks, left Monday for her home at Fargo.

FOR SALE—lady's Rambler bicycle, good as new. Can be seen at F. B. King's shop. This is a bargain and \$20, will take it.

A. M. Baldwin left yesterday for Warren, and Addie, Minn., and numerous other points to investigate electric light plants.

FOR SALE—A fine lot of A1 pigs on reasonable terms.

G. W. LAWRENCE.

W. C. Smith, of Eagle Grove, Iowa, was a Cooperstown arrival Tuesday for a few weeks stay to look after his farm interests.

Ben Stavsvick and Benj Tuft left Monday for Portal and Minot where they will spend a few days looking over the country.

Do you know that Jameson & Olson are giving 25 per cent discount on Shoes.

We have a light overcoat found at Hannaford for the 4th. Owner can have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Marquardt left last Friday for an overland trip to Anamoose where they expect to visit old time friends for a few days.

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

"As the twig is bent, the tree's inclined." How is it with the young people of your household? Are they saving money? Have they learned to appreciate the value of the dollar? Are you endeavoring to instill in their minds correct ideas concerning thrift and economy? Are you seeking the opportunity to bend the twig?—State Bank of Cooperstown.

Christ Reite had his eyes burned in a gasoline explosion last Friday evening. Dr. Leslie was called in and there does not seem to be any danger of any permanent injury.—Enterprise.

I have some prairie land that I will sell on crop payments in quarters, halves or whole sections to parties who can go on and break it all up this season. Wm. Glass. Cooperstown, N. D.

W. H. Carleton, Mrs. Davis and Miss Lillian Blackwell left yesterday for a month's visit at St. Clair, Michigan, going by the way of Duluth and the Great Lakes. Mr. Carleton goes for the purpose of settling up his father's estate.

The prosperity of a community depends largely on the Policy pursued by its Bankers. For 5 years the First National Bank of Cooperstown, has been identified with the progress of Cooperstown and surrounding country. The resources of this Bank have been used to promote and strengthen worthy and responsible enterprises in the past and will continue to do so in the future. The patronage of depositors and worthy borrowers will be appreciated. Thanking the public for favors in the past, we will strive to unite the continued confidence of our patrons. We remain yours Very truly,

## FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

"When you have money to deposit remember us"  
"When you want to borrow money we will remember you."

We have improved farms for sale. FIRST NATIONAL BANK.

Miss Odell Melgaard, of Argyle, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. Chas. Burseth.

Mrs. Chas Burseth returned Tuesday from an extended visit at Warren, Minn.

By invitation the local Eastern Star were guests of the Hope Eastern Star last Tuesday evening.

Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn., pays your railroad fare. Write for free catalogue.

Married July, 10 1905, by Judge Carleton John Edward Moan and Lorenze Freegard both of Nelson Co.

F. W. Soule the Eyesight Specialist will be at Allens Jewelry Store again Saturday and Monday July 29 and 31 prepared to examine defective eyes and fit glasses when needed. Don't miss this chance.

### FANS DISAPPOINTED.

Last Thursday afternoon the Dazey ball team arrived in this city as advertised for a game to be played at 6:30. Shortly after the boys arrived we had a shower of rain and it was thought probably again the game was to be postponed. After looking over the diamond the local management decided to call the game and immediately had saw dust placed on the diamond to render it less slippery. About 6:30 saw the local team and ever ready fans wending their way through mud and wet grass to the ball park to witness the game. Instead of the Dazey boys going down at once they hung around the hotel seemingly not willing to go to play on a soft diamond and thus lost good favor with the followers of the game. Finally they arrived and then had to have the usual warming up which all takes time. Seems as though the local management had figured on Billy Sinclair of Hannaford to umpire but as he was not at the game, Bert Phipps, of Mose, was asked to handle the indicator. The locals took the field and Dazey drew a goose egg in the 1st half while the locals crossed the plate for one in their half after that the game was a one, two, three comedy, when finally Dazey bunched hits and a wide throw by Dretchko allowed Dazey to score once more, while the locals could not bunt their hits when they meant runs and here Dazey quit the game, claiming the agreement was only to play five innings if could see to play and not more than seven. Here is where we don't think the Dazey boys did just right in holding off as long as they did and then quitting in this manner. Of course this got the fans rather excited and who commenced to hoot at the Dazeyites until they had left the town a thing which the COMMER is lead to believe was uncalled for as the Dazey boys are a lot of gentlemen and play good fast clean ball from start to finish and it was only the way the game went which was displeasing to the fans. The final score at the end of the fifth inning was Dazey 2, Cooperstown 1.

### BALL HILL NEWS.

Mr. O. A. Brekke is building a new addition to his house.

Jack Mills is now cutting his bromus which yields fine this year.

Miss Lena Herigstad, her sister and Nic Mandal was taking a walk one night taking in the Mosquito hymns. They report a soulinspiring time.

The Farmers Co-operative Elevator Co. of Shepard held their annual meeting July 11th. The same directors were elected also the same auditors, and about fifty shares were sold.

Quite a number of this community attended the picnic held in the old Herigstad Grove last Saturday. The music was splended in fact every number on the program was a success.

A surprise party was held at Mrs. Bulls place July 1st. Rev. Bronnom of Valley City, who has made several visits to the Baptist congregation here, was handed \$35.00 Everybody present reported a good time.

Haaland Bros. pulled out of the shed their new Aultman-Taylor engine last Saturday and started up the machine to see how everything worked. They report it is the smoothest running outfit in the county.

Edgar Haaland had the misfortune of losing a horse a couple weeks ago. He was filling up a dry well with a scraper and while scraping in the dirt the horse somehow was pulled into the well where it died.

Cooperstown has challenged the Hannaford Ball Club for the Cup, said game which is to be played at an early date.

Geo. Pratt brought in a sample of flax grown on his farm north of town which measures three feet in height and is in blossom, which is something unusual for this time of the season. Here is hoping you get a big yield Mr. Pratt.

### Binford Downed Again.

Last Tuesday was the day it should have rained as there was a ball game to be played, but this was the time the weather man had the best of the deal and the game was played as scheduled. At 7 o'clock the fans saw the teams lined up in battle array and ready for the fray. Mr. Hicks of Hannaford was secured as umpire and gave general satisfaction, he had a number of close decisions but was as liberal to one team as another. The locals took the field with Chet Hoar in the box and here is where a great deal of trouble was located as Chet was rather sparing with hits and Binford went out in one, two, three order. The locals then commenced a stunt by a couple of hits and assisted by Binford errors pushed two runs across the pan. Binford's next round netted them one run and thus stayed the score until the end of the game. The Binfordites secured 5 hits off Hoar while our boys only got 4 off Kramer but were more lucky in bunching the same when needed. Chet Hoar was in good form striking out 11 men, while Kramer of Binford only secured 6.

### NOTES OF THE GAME.

Something the matter, Thompson of Binford struck out three times.

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Dretcho was in the left garden and made some nice running catches.

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The game Tuesday evening was said to be the best played for some time on the local diamond.

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The Binford boys have taken a great brace and are putting up a good article of ball.

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The game was free from wrangling—as it always is when Binford plays—which pleased the fans.



# Thompson Bros.

Cooperstown, N. D.



## BARGAINS IN APPAREL FOR HOT WEATHER.

WAISTS TOO CHEAP TO SEEM POSSIBLE.

We have Waists and Waists and Waists at prices that would seem absurd if the Waists were not here to make the whole thing real.

One lot of Waists that were priced at from \$1.25 to 2.25, you choice of this lot at

**ONLY 59 CENTS.**

Another lot of stylish and up-to-date waists, all this years styles reduced

**20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT.**

### Value in Skirts.

We have a good assortment of these garments in stock and the prices reduced 20 per cent. ought to move them very quickly. Ask us to show you these.



### Wash Goods.

Just arrived a new lot of Mahair, Voiles, Check Foulards, Floral Organdies and Pongees. We bought these very cheap and an additional 20 per cent. discount gives you great values in this line. Another lot of good patterns at 33 1/2 per cent. discount.



### Childrens' Dresses.

We are showing a very choice line of these garments and though they were cheap at former prices, a discount of 20 per cent. will make them rare values. Don't fail to have us show you these.



### Muslin Underwear.

Having bought our line of muslin underwear at a reduced price it enables us to offer you the best of values in this line. An extra discount of 20 per cent. gives you an opportunity of getting muslin underwear at unheard of prices.



### Bent Her Double

"I knew no one, for four weeks, when I was sick with typhoid and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Annie Hunter, of Pittsburg, Pa., "and when I got better, although I had one of the best doctors I could get, I was bent double, and had to rest my hands on my knees when I walked. From this terrible affliction I was rescued by electric bitters, which restored my health and strength, and now I can walk straight as ever. They are simply wonderful." Guaranteed to cure stomach, liver and kidney disorders; at H. H. Batemans drug store; price 50c.

### To The Public.

Citizens of this city are hereby notified that picketing of stock on streets and allies is against the city ordinance. Also owner of dogs should get tags for same at once.

ANTON CHRISTENSON, Marshall.

### Estray.

From my residence in Cooperstown on Monday, 1 roan gelding, branded W. H. disconnected on right hip weight about 1100 and 1 bay mare weight somewhere about 1100 pounds branded J. R. connected on right shoulder. Any parties knowing their whereabouts please notify

L. M. SOMMERVILLE.

### Bids Wanted.

Bids will be received by J. W. Dyson, clerk of School District No. 7 up to Saturday, July 29th for the erection of a school building. Plans and specifications can be seen at my place. Board reserves right to reject any or all bids.

G. W. DYSON, Clerk of Washburn Twp.

### Farmers Account Book.

A complete and practical Farmers Account Book, durably bound in red Leather and imitation Morocco, and nicely ruled, with a place for everything you raise and sell, giving particulars of every transaction for eight years. Costs only 32 cents per year. Keeps track of expenses, shows date, where spent, what for, etc., such as groceries, drugs, taxes, labor, doctor, buildings, clothing, machinery, insurance, etc. You see exactly what profit you have made. Keeps strict account with your hired help, neighbor, grocer, etc. SELLS BENSON, Cooperstown N. D.

### Look!

While they last 25000 common brick at \$10.00 per thousand at the Gull River Lumber Co., other Material at correspondingly low prices.

CHARLES GILLESPIE, Manager.

### Winnipeg Exhibition July 20-28.

N. P. Ry. Co. will sell tickets July 18 to 26 inclusive. At one way fare for round trip. Good to return July 31st.

W. J. PAYNE, Agt.

### The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanlor, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure. Unequaled quick cure, for Throat and Lung troubles. At H. H. Batemans drug store; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

### Casselton Racing Association Meeting, July 26-27.

N. P. Ry. will sell tickets at one fare and a third for the round trip. July 25-6-7. Good returning July 28.

W. J. Payne.

### Vacation Hint.

The Northern Pacific Railway is distributing a very interesting booklet on Minnesota Lake Resorts which is just the right thing to help you decide where to spend your vacation. Ask W. J. Payne, Agent, Cooperstown for Minnesota Lakes booklet, postage 4c.

### Forced to Starve.

B. F. Leek, of Concord, Ky, says: "For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainly trying everything else, I cured it with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its great for burns, cuts and wounds. At H. H. Batemans drug store; price 25c."

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