

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.

Nic Green, of Binford, visited in the city over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McDaniels, of Aneta, visited over Sunday at the home of Theo. Marquardt.

FOR SALE—A fine lot of Al pigs on reasonable terms. G. W. LAWRENCE.

Mrs. Thea Upton and Miss Jennie Hagen were others of the numerous arrivals from the coast country this week.

Lieut-Governor Bartlett and wife returned Monday from their trip to Alaska and the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Chet Hoar won the \$5. prize offered at the shooting gallery last Saturday for having the highest score for the week's shoot.

Mrs. E. G. Guthrie and little daughter, of Fargo, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marsh returned home Friday.

The Griggs County Fair Association will hold its annual fair and race meet on August 1 & 2. The COURIER has been furnished no list of horses so can't say very much about it. We expect a fine stock exhibit and some good races.

Farmers who deposit with us in the fall or other seasons will find us ready to reciprocate during spring and summer.—State Bank of Cooperstown.

Contractors Larson & Lee are building a fine large barn for Sam Langford. The building will be 28x56 with 16 foot posts. It will be a very substantial building and we are pleased to see this evidence of prosperity on Mr. Langford's part.

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

The COURIER has recently received some very fine handwriting specimens from George H. Walks, formerly a Cooperstown boy. He is now at Brooklyn, New York, and wrote a few cards just to show us what he could do in that line. They are certainly very fine specimens of penmanship.

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

Mrs. F. J. Stone entertained about thirty-six of her lady friends last week Wednesday afternoon at finch. Mrs. J. H. Sinclair who won the most games was presented with a very lovely vase. At the conclusion of the games the ladies partook of a dainty lunch prepared for the occasion.

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

The State Bank of Cooperstown recently put in a fine Manganese, Steel Safe made by the Hibbard, Rodman, Ely Company, of New York. It is equipped with an automatic locking device, three time locks, weighs 3600 pounds and is one of the strongest safes manufactured. It cost the bank \$1,300 and is certainly burglar proof. The institution is doing all it can to safe guard the funds of its patrons. The officials of the bank would be pleased to have its customers drop in and see the new safe.

DR. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania university, Norway, will be in Cooperstown July 25, for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday each month. Private hospital

The editor is back at his desk after an absence of six weeks and we can only say that the vacation has done us much good and makes us feel glad that we are living and doing business in such a good place as Cooperstown and such a progressive state as North Dakota. We are convinced that while other states have milder climates in the winter, yet they too, have their drawbacks, and we are of the opinion that taking all things into consideration North Dakota beats them all. We are glad to get back to old friends.

Next week is fair week.

Misses Florence and Nettie Shue are visiting friends at Jamestown.

Andrew Tuftland has accepted a position in Gus Olson's Clothing Store.

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

Mrs. Henry Blocker of McHenry, visited under the parental roof over Sunday.

Wyndott took third place in the free-for-all race at the Old Settlers Re-union at Wimbledon.

C. F. Nelson left last Friday for a few days business trip into the Northern part of the state.

FOR SALE—4 Gang Plows for sale at a bargain. Inquire of P. E. NELSON.

Samuel Stenson and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Taisey visited Cooperstown Sunday.—Finley Beacon.

Rev. P. A. Thorison will preach in the Lutheran Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock a. m. in Norwegian and Jensen at 8 p. m. in English.

The COURIER is requested to extend a vote of thanks from the family of the late Mrs. Rozina Adams to all those who so kindly aided and assisted them in their recent affliction.

Girl wanted for general house work. Good wages for the right girl.

Mrs. C. T. WHIDDEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burseth celebrated their seventh wedding anniversary last Thursday evening by inviting in a few guests to help make merry. A most delightful evening was spent in playing games, after which light refreshments were served.

J. C. Flynn of Cooperstown, sheriff of Griggs county, spent a couple of days in town this week. Jack is very popular in Mandan, having always attended our fairs. He stated that he did not care if the old name of Morton County Fair association was used, as he was introduced to it by that name and that he would attend the same as usual.—Mandan Pioneer.

FOR SALE—New Deering mower. Cash or time. Inquire of

A. E. SHUE.

Messrs. Jimeson & Olson moved into their new store last Saturday and are busy getting their stock arranged. The interior is not quite finished yet but they are in shape to handle the business and will be pleased to see their friends at the new store. When completed Messrs Jimeson & Olson will have a very fine store.

Mrs. L. M. Newell of Chicago, representing the woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society, will deliver an address in connection with the Baptist Church on Monday, July 31st, at 8 p. m. Mrs. Newell has traveled extensively and brings a message of wonderful interest. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to be present on Monday evening.

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

Here is the way a farmer in North Dakota succeeded in killing wild oats: I had a thirty acre field that would grow nothing else. I plowed it in the fall about two inches deep and harrowed it. In the spring there came up a grand crop of wild oats. I left it until June 15th, when I plowed it about five inches deep and sowed a crop of barley on it. When the barley came up I could see a head of wild oats here and there. I went through the thirty acres carefully, but did not get more than two dozen heads, and had a grand crop of barley. I plowed it again in the fall and sowed it with wheat in the spring. There was not a stem of wild oats, but I got thirty bushels of wheat to the acre.—Ex.

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.

Two rooms to rent. Inquire of Mrs. Julius Stevens.

There are seventeen entries for the races to be held here during the fair.

Miss Marion Rogney is the guest of Miss Josie Anderson for a few days.

Miss Lena Tuftland came up from Fargo Saturday for a short visit in the city and with relatives at Binford.

Two good dwelling houses for sale on reasonable terms. R. C. COOPER.

S. B. Langford and wife left Thursday for a three weeks cruise on the Great Lakes. While gone they will also visit with Mrs. Langford's sister at Harbor Springs, Mich.

Jacob Watne and family returned last Monday from Silverton, Oregon, to which place they moved some time ago. Mr. Watne does not think that country is the place for a poor man and prefers North Dakota. They all come back.

A school with national reputation for thoroughness is Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Write for free catalogue.

Mrs. E. S. Hamilton entertained her lady friends to the number of twenty-eight last Tuesday afternoon at progressive finch, in honor of her guests, Mrs. Poulsen and Mrs. C. H. Johnson of Slayton, Minn., who are visiting friends and relatives at this place. A very interesting time was had and the ladies present thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Mrs. E. J. Crawford carried off the honors which were given to the guests. A dainty lunch was served at the conclusion of the games.

We have now moved into our New Double Store and will appreciate all orders, and will be in better shape to take care of you than we were before.

Remember our Phone number is 135.

JIMESON & OLSON. The New Store.

DIED—on Saturday morning at 12:30 a. m. Mrs. Rozina Adams, mother of Messrs. George, Charley and William Adams of this city. The deceased was taken to St. John's Hospital of Fargo last week and was operated upon for the removal of gall stones last Tuesday morning and died from the effects of the operation as stated above. The deceased was 64 years old last October. She was born near Royal Oaks, Mich., in 1840 and was married in 1860. Her husband died in 1876 leaving his widow and three sons. The family moved to Wisconsin in 1874 and then to Folk county, S. Dak., in 1883 thence to Griggs county in the fall of 1898. There were only three children in the family, all boys, George, Charley and Will, all of whom survive their parents. The many friends of the Adams family sympathize with them in the loss of their mother. The funeral occurred at the Baptist church, last Monday afternoon, Rev. S. Bachelor officiating, interment being made in the Cooperstown cemetery.

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

Mrs. George Wood and three children arrived recently from Leicestershire, England and the genial George is happy thereat.

Hope, Cooperstown, Binford and Hannaford will play ball at this place during the fair Aug. 1 and 2, and some good games are promised.

Miss Marie Tollefson left last Wednesday for Viroqua, Wis. She will return in a couple of months and will again teach school in Griggs county.

Miss Grace Warner returned home from Fargo Tuesday. She was accompanied by Miss Georgia Bangen, who will be her guest for a couple of weeks.

W. C. Langdon was in town Tuesday coming up from Hannaford in his auto. He is not extra pleased with some of the road work being done along the way.

Miss Hazel Stone returned home from Summit, S. D., last Saturday, after an absence of a year or more. She had been living with her aunt and going to school.

A. M. Baldwin, W. D. Hartman, Mrs. M. A. Hartman and Miss Hazel and Miss Marion Sherman went up to Willow last Saturday for a few weeks camping.

Editor Erubshaw and wife and Miss Maude returned Monday from their trip to the coast and report a most pleasant visit with relatives, nevertheless they were glad to get back to dear old North Dakota.

The repairs on the roof of the Farmers Elevator are completed and those having grain to bring in are requested to do so between now and Monday as the elevator will be closed for two weeks, Mr. Beier going away on a vacation.


The manager of the North Dakota State Fair for Grand Forks have been kept busy of late securing judges for the various departments. Mrs. Maynard Crane of this place has been secured as judge of the woman's department.

Donald Campbell has sold his threshing outfit to John Armstrong and four other farmers of that section. Donald has been quite a factor in that neighborhood with his machine and will now have to hustle somebody to thresh his own grain.

A fine cement gutter is being put in in front of all the business houses on Burrell avenue that will be a great improvement to the street. The town board will also gravel the streets and when that gets packed down we shall have some good roads. It is a move in the right direction. Keep up the good work for a few years and people will be coming to Cooperstown to spend their holidays.

A severe hail storm struck east of the river last Friday evening, particularly in Greenview township, doing considerable damage. E. C. Butler reports a practically total loss of one section of wheat, his corn crop knocked out and considerable damage to others crops. The Parks Brothers and other farmers in that section also, lost considerable but we have been unable to learn how much. The storm did not strike on this side of the river and did not seem to be very wide but it was destructive to the crops in its path.

No other city in this country, if in the world, can surpass the City of Portland, Oregon, for the prodigality and quality of its roses. At this season of the year when the session of the Trans-Mississippi Commercial Congress, August 16, 17, 18 and 19, convenes. The whole city is adame with the bright colors and the air is filled with the perfume of the flowered lawns and byways. It is a sight that will be a great attraction to the delegates to this Congress coming from the Inter-Mountain States, and even from the states farther south where flowers grow in abundance, but not in the great variety of roses which bloom in such profusion in the City of Portland.



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.

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.

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.

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.

Mrs. C. O. Dunum and daughter returned home yesterday.

Come to the fair and races. Take in the ball games and go home happy.

John A. Benson and Jorgen Soma are building a store at Shepard and will put in a line of general merchandise.

Maynard Crane and family went up to Willow Lake yesterday to camp for a while. They will doubtless have a good time.

TAKEN UP—by E. M. Ayrea Broncho horse, color, black weigh about 1000 lbs. Brand either "B" or "13". Taken up about 18th.

There was never so much going on around Cooperstown in the way of improvements as at the present time. Everybody seems to be doing something which furnishes work for the laboring man.

The Cup

REMAINS AT COOPERSTOWN AND HANNAFORD AGAIN GOES DOWN TO DEFEAT.

Not satisfied with losing the cup a few days ago, Hannaford challenged Cooperstown for it again right off and the game was pulled off yesterday afternoon at 3 p. m. The visitors were outclassed from the start, many errors being made by them right at the start. On account of going to press we are unable to give an extended write-up, suffice to say that the cup will remain at Cooperstown so far as Hannaford is concerned.

Score—
Cooperstown 6
Hannaford 3

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.

Taken Up.

Came to my place about two weeks ago, 2 geldings, branded on the left side "U". One roan and the other bay, one had a halter the other a rope. 6 miles south 2 miles east of Cooperstown.

Swen Lundeen.

NOTICE TO THRESHERMEN.

When you are in need of new better flues give me a call.

2 inch flues per foot	15c
2 1/2 inch flues per foot	18c
3 inch flues per foot	20c

ERICK ERICKSON.

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 Vanleer, 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.

How to Get to Yellowstone Park.

The cost of touring the Park and all information necessary in planning a trip to and through the Park are set forth in a folder just issued by the Northern Pacific Railway. Call on or write W. J. PAYNE, Agent, Cooperstown N. D.

Stray.

From my farm on Sec. 26-146 -60 six miles west of Cooperstown, 1 very dark iron grey mare, 4 years old, weight 1300. A liberal reward will be given for information leading to the recovery of said animal.

F. J. STEFFIN.

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.

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; Only 25c.

STATE BANK OF COOPERSTOWN

Capital : : : \$25,000.00
Surplus : : : 5,000.00

General Banking and Farm Loans.

And money refunded for any case of Piles that can not be cured with 1 box of LENOX PILE CURE. Price \$2 per box. It has cured where two operations have failed.

\$50 REWARD

And money refunded for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured with 1 box LENOX CATARRH CURE—Price \$2 per box. It has cured where the best specialists in the country failed.

For Sale by Druggists or Send by Mail Prepaid
LENOX MEDICAL CO., PHOENIX ILL., FARGO, N. D.