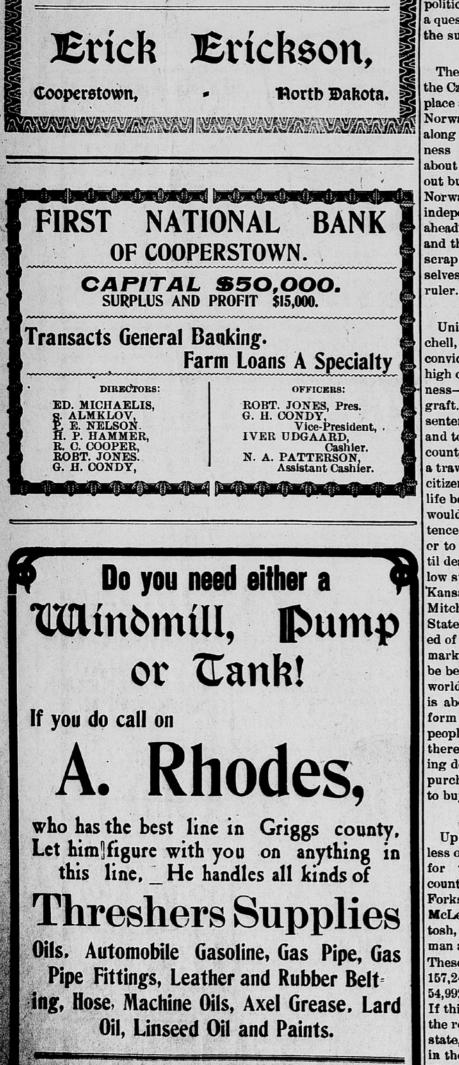
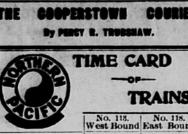


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phenominal increase, McLean of over 100 per cent. Other counties in the western part of the state should show an increase quite equal to that of McLean and there is every reason to be-De 8:45 a.m. Ar 4:20 p.m Ar 10:25 a.m. Ar 2:37 p.m Ar 11:45 a.m. De 1:20 p.m ieve that the 35 per cent inrease noted in these thirteen ugh tickets to all points in the United tes, Canada, Alaska, China and Japan. counties will be maintained for the entire state.-Bismarck acific Express Money Orders fo le. Bankable anywhere. Tribune. W. J. Payne, Agt., Cooperstown, N. D. St. Paul, Minr

increase is very small. But two

counties of the thirteen show

A movement is on foot in this V. F. Snyder has purchased state looking to ward the reorthe Bowbells Bulletin and the ganization of the republican party first issue under his guidance of this state. The idea of those gives evidence of the fact that he who have given birth to this understands the newspaper busnew movement is we presume ines. The COURIER wishes Mr. to clean out the socalled bosses Snyder and the Bulletin success. and to wipe out the republican

machine, socalled, in North Da-Gov. Sarles has been getting a kota. Every good citizen of this few boquets from some of the state, and every republican, unnewspapers about his speeches less it is some of those who have at Portland and Seattle, but the axes to grind, will be in favor of boys forget all about Jimmy genuine reform, and the COURIER Foley's effort which is said to be can be classed among the rea "peach." We would like to formers where such a step is

see both speeches published. It taken in all sincerity. However, there is just this much to be said, and that is, that this paper will not lend its influence to the tear-

Miss Emma Bates, superining down of one set of politicians tendent of public instruction for the upbuilding of another set from 1895 to 1897, has found a whose only ambition is to get new vocation. For several years control of the party to further she has been studying the langtheir own selfish ends. We are uage of Nippon, and shortly not going to allow a few disgruntleaves for Japan to become a ed politicians who have been missionary. A teacher for many turned down in their own counyears, Miss Bates should be able ties to use us for a catspaw-we to enlighten the children of the are through pulling chestnuts Rising Sun to a high degree. out of the fire for that breed of

is great to be a governor.

public benefactors. If some-Since July 1st there has been thing along the line of genuine a great dropping off of patent reform is tapped we are willing medicine ads. from the columns to put a shoulder to the wheel of the weekly newspapers of and give the movement a lift. It this state as a result of the new is our opinion that until the votpure food law. There are no er is given a primary election tears to be shed over it, so far law that will take in every office as the COURIER is concerned. holder from president down to However if Bro. Streeter should constable, there will be little ever come up for a state office he chance to do much reforming. would have the unanimous sup- Let the people have a fair show port of the state press-for and a free and unhampered political retirement. It is a choice of its public servants, a question whether he could get then we are positive more rethe support of his own paper. form will be accomplished. The republican party is no worse

that the other parties and a good The Emperor of Germany and cleansing would do it good. the Czar of Russia are trying to place a King on the throne of

Norway. They had better trot along and run their own business as they appear to have any influence they are going to Gazette.

about all they can handle with use it toward the repeal of the out butting into other troubles. penalty clause of the Streeter Norway has made a break for libel law which was enacted at

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in the proper light that they will feel interest enough in the welfare of the press of the state to see to it that men are sent to the legislature who will work for the If the editors of the state have repeal of the law.-Courtenay

Cooperstown, North Dakota.

independence and had better go the last session of the legislature. ahead and establish a republic At the meeting of the Editorial and throw the crown into the Association which was held at scrap pile. The people them the Chautauqua grounds last selves should elect their own Friday and Saturday they passed a strong resolution condemn-

United States Senator Mit. pledging their moral and financhell, of Oregon, was recently convicted by a jury of using his might be brought under the pale high office to build up his business-in land cases-a sort of a be as good a lot of fellows as graft. The kind hearted judge they might be, but they strensentenced him to pay \$1,000 fine uously object to being put in the and to serve six months in the same class with the murderers county jail. Such a sentence is and all the lower classes of crima travesty on justice. Had some inals in the land. The simple citizen of the common walks of life been in Mitchell's place he the right to retract from some would probably have been sen tenced to not less than 10 years er to be hanged by the neck until dead if the statutes would alow such a sentence. Burton, of Kansas, Deitrich, of Nebraska, Mitchell, of Oregon, all United States senators, and all convicted of fraud, with more senators marked, surely the supposed to be best legislative body in the stripes and be forever disfranworld is getting pretty rank. It is about time that genuine reform struck the senate. Let the people elect our senators and there will be fewer grafters hold ing down a seat It is easy to and it is but right that they purchase a legislature but hard ought to be. If there is any to buy up the people.

Up to date, figures more or editor of a paper in order that less official have been published the facts may be gotten before for thirteen counties. These the people in an unbiased mancounties are Cass, Traill, Grand ner. But all men are liable to Forks, Pembina, Cavalier, Ward, err and if the editor makes a McLean, Wells, Emmons, McIn- mistake in discussing public aftosh, Morton, Barnes and Stuts- fairs which may bring some man man and show a total of 212,232. or men before the people in an These same counties in 1900 had improper light he at least ought 54,992, or practically 35 per cent. the matter right in the minds of gets first money If this ratio is maintained for the people, the explanation to go the remaining 26 counties of the in mitigation of damages should state, the total population will be a suit for damages be instituted in the neighborhood of 430,000. against him. We have faith There are two counties in this enough in the good judgment of list which shows a decrease and the people to believe that when one or two others in which the this matter is presented to them

The directors of the Griggs County Fair Associaton were favored with ideal weather for their two days stock show and race meet. In the forenoon of August 1, after the parade to the ing this part of the law and grounds, horse judging and the awarding of premiums was comcial support to any editor who menced at 10 a.m. There was a splendid exhibit of horse, Briggs of the law. The editors may not & Delancy, of Valley City, having a number of fine Belgian horses. Our county horsemen were also well represented. A ball game between Cooperstown and Binford concluded the program for the forenoon. It was fact that the editors are denied a good game and interesting. Score 7 to 3 in favor of Coopersthings which they may have town. In the afternoon occured published through mistake looks the horse races. The 2:40 class as though the fellows who framwas tame and the 2:10 tamer. ed the law did so with the ex-The running race was good. press purpose of catching the 2:40 Trot or Pace. editors in a trap from which

Dalton L..... 1 1 Time 2:331, 2;331, 2:31 3-5. and made to wear the degrading 2:10 Trot or Pace Wyandotte. .....1 3 3 1 T. K...... 3 2 1 2 Time 2:28; 12:251; 2:27; 2:26 7-5;

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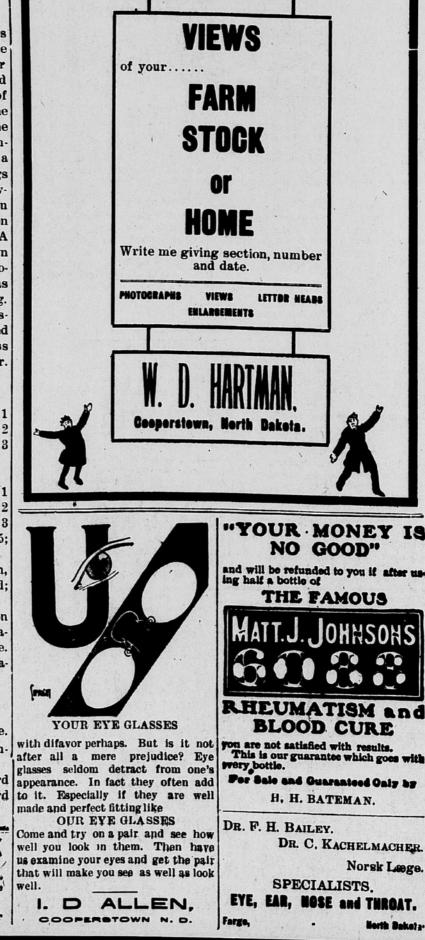
2:28 Ruuning race: Never Again, first; Dora Washburn, second; May Thomas, third

The ball game in the afternoon was between Hope and Hannaford and was a good game. Score 7 to 1 in favor of Hannaford,

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Ball game Binford and Hope. Score 8 to 1 in favor of the former. Binford gets third money. Afternoon game: Hannaford 157,240, making an increase of to be given the privilege to make 7 Cooperstown 0, Hannaford to it. Especially if they are well





so much prized by all Americans. The editors are very pronouuced in their condemnation of the law man in the world who ought to be allowed to discuss public men and matters it ought to be the

there was no possible means of

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