

LOCALS

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

Go to the **FIRST NATIONAL BANK** for your farm loans.

States Attorney Gladstone went to Bismarck last Friday on professional business.

How can I double my income? Attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

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

Mrs. C. T. WHIDDEN.

Geo. D. Bowe and daughter came down from Binford last Friday to renew acquaintances with old friends.

Miss Hazel Stone returned to Summit, S. D., last Thursday where she will stay with her aunt and go to school the coming season.

Wanted—A girl for general house work, four in family good wages for the right girl.

Mrs. B. B. Brown.

Mrs. T. R. Jones left on Friday of last week for a visit to friends at Sparta, Wis. On her way home she will take in the big Minnesota state fair.

Mrs. J. J. Seibolt and Miss Amelia Beier departed last Thursday for Fessenden at which place they will visit friends for a few days.

Lost—Somewhere around the depot a gold watch and chain.

A. E. CARLANDER.

Northern Light lodge A. F. & M. are going to furnish their new hall over Jameson & Olson's store in first class shape and will have one of the best halls in the state when they get through with it.

Manager Charles Gillespie has caused to be painted a very large sign on the new Gull River Lumber Co. office. It is large enough so that it will not be necessary to put your specs on in order to see it.

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

Carl E. Talmadge made a flying visit to Cooperstown last Sunday evening, driving Harry St. John home. He was up with the meadow larks Monday morning and enjoyed the drive home to Binford when nature was smiling at her best.

DR. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania university, Norway, will be in Cooperstown Sept. 29, for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday each month. Private hospital.

If you desire to make your mark in this world, or be comfortable in your old age, you must save a part of your earnings. There is no dishonor in true economy; in fact, it is next to criminal to spend all you earn, when others are dependent upon you.—State Bank of Cooperstown.

College of Law of the University of North Dakota. Strong faculty of able lawyers. Two years day course and three years night course lead to the degree of LL.B. For further information address Andrew A. Bruce, Grand Forks, N. D.

The wheat harvest is about done and if the weather continues favorable another week there will be very little grain of any description left uncut. The grain ripened so fast in many places that some farmers who had plenty of horses worked nights, using lanterns to give them light to see to cut the grain. The North Dakota farmer is a rustler and don't you forget it.

The postmaster general has decided that hereafter rural mail carriers shall have holidays as follows: January 1st, Washington's Birthday, February 22d, Memorial Day, May 30; July 4, and the first Monday in September, which is Labor Day, and Thanksgiving day. Therefore on next Monday, September 4, being a legal holiday, the mail carriers will not go out. We make this announcement to head off calls from the rural lines. The Courier office will not answer mail calls hereafter.

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

Call at R. S. Lunde's office for farm loans and insurance. If you want a good desk cheap call at the Gull River Lumber Co's. office.

Last Sunday was somewhat of a warm day. It was only 94 in the shade.

John Askelson went up to his farm near Balfour Monday to superintend harvest operations.

Willie Moffatt has accepted a position as delivery clerk in John Syverson's big store and he makes a good one.

J. C. Flynn left last Thursday afternoon for Wibaux, Montana, where he expects to pick up another car load of choice horses. He will also bring back a few more new stories.

A dancing party was held in the opera house last Thursday evening which was attended by about twenty-five lovers of terpsichorean pleasure. A very nice time is reported.

Martin Garlid left last Thursday for Ellsworth, Wis., and it is rumored that when he returns he will be accompanied by Mrs. Garlid. Of course this is only a rumor but seeing that Martin recently purchased a house it looks as if there might be something in it.

Assistant Cashier Harry St. John, of the State Bank went up to Binford last Sunday to visit Carl Talmadge of the State Bank of that place. Seeing that Harry was identified with the ball team he kept off the streets all the time he was in town and was armed and on his guard all the time, he was with Talmadge. He was going to take no chances.

For the next 10 days commencing Aug. 24 we will sell
5 lb. pkg. Banner Oats at 24c
5 lb. " Yankee " 24c
5 lb. " Saxon " 24c
Egg O-See per package 8c
Force " 12c
Grape Nut " 12c
Pillsbury Vitos " 12c
Petti Johns " 12c

JIMESON & OLSON,
The New Store.

Mr. R. J. Howden, of the firm of Howden & Nicoll, of McHenry, N. D., an old acquaintance of the editor was a Maxbass visitor last week. Mr. Howden is a substantial merchant of McHenry and after looking over our town and country adjoining has decided to locate here. He will build a large store and warehouse and will handle general merchandise, furniture and hardware. Maxbass is lucky to get such business men.—Maxbass Monitor.

WANTED—500 young men wanted at once. You can earn from \$80 to \$125 per month as Firemen and Brakemen. Experience unnecessary. Positions secured as soon as competent. Instructions by mail. Send stamp for particulars.

—Northern Railroad Correspondence School, 45 South Fourth St., Minneapolis, Minn.

The McHenry Tribune says: "J. E. Sutton who lives 14 miles south-east of McHenry was returning home Tuesday evening with a load of lumber on which he had placed a number of sacks of twine, on which he was sitting. As the team was descending the hill near Mr. Leech's farm they started to run throwing Mr. Sutton onto the wagon tongue where he held fast until rescued by Mr. Leech and his men who found the team in the barnyard. Mr. Sutton was at once brought to the town where medical aid assisted in relieving the sufferer. Dr. Le-Bien found no broken bones but it was feared that he had been injured internally but up to the present he is getting along nicely. This accident comes hard on Mr. Sutton as it comes just at the commencement of harvest."—We understand that Mr. Sutton is improving. He was badly bruised about the chest, one of the horses stepping on him, but it is thought he will be all right in a few days. The Courier is glad to hear that Mr. Sutton is improving.

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."

Good milk cows for sale. Apply to Mrs. John Cain.

School will open up for the fall term next Monday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Blackwell and Master Hollis went to Valley City last Saturday to spend Sunday with friends.

Martin Rood went down to Lake Mills, Iowa, last Friday, to see if he could not induce his wife and the baby to come back with him.

Harvesting has been progressing very rapidly the past week and by the end of this week there will not be any wheat left standing in this county.

All kinds of Wool and Cotton Blankets at Jameson & Olson, The New Store.

Victor Pike started in on his duties at the State Bank last Monday morning and seems to be holding the job down just as if he had always associated with large financial institutions.

E. C. Butler shipped a car load of his fine Shorthorn cattle to the fair at Grand Forks last week. He will be heard from when the premiums are distributed and don't you forget it.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson returned from Duluth where she has been the past few weeks undergoing medical treatment. She is still very weak but improving all the time.

Rev. H. K. Hawley has returned from his summer vacation and will again take up his preaching services in the Congregation church next Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. The congregational will please remember the service next Sunday.

At the last term of court held here in June, Geo. R. Lonne was convicted of embezzlement in connection with the State Bank of Hannaford. A motion for a new trial was made and the motion was heard before Judge Winchester at Bismarck last Saturday, States Attorney Gladstone representing the county. After hearing the arguments the judge denied the motion for a new trial. We understand that the case will now be appealed to the supreme court.

Let us figure with you on your threshing bill. We know we can save you money.
JIMESON & OLSON,
The New Store.

Misses Josie and Sarah Anderson entertained a company of young people at their home last Friday evening about thirty being present, and a royal good time is the report of all those who were present. Each guest was requested to represent some advertisement and then the one guessing the greatest number was to be awarded a prize. Oliver Stevens was the most apt at this business and showed conclusively that he was built for an advertising agent. He got the prize. A story was then read and each one was requested to draw a character picture. Miss Kathleen Crane was guilty of drawing the best and got the prize. At the conclusion of the fun making very nice refreshments were served. The party was a great success in every particular and those present vote their hostesses fine entertainers.

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

\$200,000 to loan on farm land.
First National Bank of Cooperstown.

The prairie chicken season opens tomorrow and it is a safe guess that most of our hunters will be out after chickens.

I still have some good horses for sale also some good Jersey cows.
R. C. COOPER.

Mrs. F. J. Stone and children and Mrs. John Cussons concluded their camping out at Lake Willow last Monday and returned home.

The Platt Electric Co. have purchased lots on the corner opposite the Farmers Blacksmith & Supply Co. This is a pretty good location.

For Rent—A furnished room.
MRS. C. W. NICOLL.

Adolph Melgard is back at work again in Albert Larson's store, after being on the sick list for a few weeks.

F. B. King went over to Grand Forks Tuesday to take in the state fair. He went overland with his benzine push cart.

Oswald Melgard returned from Fargo Monday at which place he had been operating a type writer in the Red River National Bank.

Attorney M. C. Spicer was in the city Tuesday looking after law matters. We understand that he is figuring on moving to Underwood, N. D.

President Jones of the First National Bank came up from Fargo Tuesday. He will put in a few days among the chickens the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McDonald and family drove to Willow last Saturday and visited with the Rickfords and Adrians. They report a splendid time, returning Sunday evening.

A new cement sidewalk is being built on the west side of the track out to L. M. Summerville's home. It will be a much needed and valued improvement.

To threshermen—Would like position as cook in car. First-class cook. Telephone the Upton farm.

Ing. Wold has decided to leave Cooperstown and has accepted a position with his brother at Lakota. The many friends of Ing. in this man's town will be sorry to learn that he is going to leave us.

Charley Skelton was in the city last Tuesday and every duck and chicken within fifteen miles of Cooperstown took to the woods and adjoining counties. He went away but says he will return in about 10 days, then look out.

W. R. Barbee has been sent to Cooperstown to take charge of the J. I. Case business in place of J. B. Nelson, resigned. Mr. Barbee is a pleasant gentleman and will no doubt get along nicely with the trade.

A couple of young sportsmen went out to a duck slough a few days ago and in trying to dodge a game warden—as they thought—got their pants wet. They tried to get out of sight in the slough. Don't do it again, boys, wait until the season opens.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rickford are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy at their home, the little stranger arriving last Thursday afternoon, Aug. 24th, 1905. Both mother and child are doing nicely and the happy dad is setting up the cigars to his friends.

It will surprise you to see all the new goods coming into Jameson & Olson's New Store these days.

Ole Halvorson received a telegram from Crookston, Minn., Monday, conveying the sad news of the death of Mrs. O. K. Quamme. The dispatch did not state when she died but it is presumed that her death occurred either Sunday or Monday. We have learned no particulars of her illness or cause of death. Mrs. Quamme has been in poor health for some time we believe. Her husband was killed about a year ago by being kicked by a horse in the head. The many friends of the family at Cooperstown deeply sympathize with the children over their loss. The funeral took place at Crookston Wednesday of this week.

SPECIAL.

We have just received 1600 yards of percale, regular 9 cent value, your choice while they last

7 Cents Per Yard.

Thompson Bros.

Cooperstown, N. D.

SPECIAL.

A choice lot of embroideries, regular 15c values to close

at 10c a Yard.

We can save you money on these.

Schoolwear for Autumn

Just now the selecting of materials for school dresses is the absorbing subject with mothers.

A FEW SUGGESTIONS

We have just received a variety of handsome patterns suitable for childrens schoolwear among which you will find

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SERGES

For actual service these have no equal.

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MOHAIRS

We have a choice assortment, both plain and fancy.

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WORSTEDS

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HENRIETTAS

as in the past the Dark Reds, Blues and Browns are the choice. We have a great many others and will be pleased to show you our line when you call. We solicit your patronage.

Mrs. Julius Stevens and Miss Ida left Monday for a trip to the twin cities.

Miss Ella S. Nye, of Elgin, Minn., is the guest of Mrs. John Cussons for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and Mrs. F. M. Sheldon returned from Lake Willow Tuesday.

Prof. and Mrs. Loreaux returned Wednesday from their summer vacation in the east.

H. P. Hammer is improving steadily. His many friends hope to soon see him about again.

Senator and Mrs. Maynard Crane are at Grand Forks this week attending the state fair.

R. M. Cowen returned from St. Paul Tuesday. He had been down with a car load of cattle.

Rufus Pinkerton returned home Monday. He had been at Portland, Oregon, for the past three months.

School Notes.

The Cooperstown High School has been raised from a third class to a second class, having adopted a full four years course of study, and has a prospect of being raised to first class before close of the school year. Since the board furnishes free text books, tablets ink etc. to the pupils, it has been found necessary to charge all pupils from out of town a small fee, not for tuition but to cover expense of books and things furnished, hence each pupil in the grades from outside the district will be required to pay to the clerk, Oscar D. Purinton, a fee of two dollars and get a receipt from him at the beginning of each term before entering school. This does not apply to the High School, there being no charge in the High School.

School will open on the 4th day of September with the following staff of teachers. Prof. D. H. Loreaux, Supt. Miss A. Eliza Cory, Principal and teacher in High School; Miss Katherine McPartlin, High School Assistant and teacher in 8th grade; Miss Linda H. Bahr, teacher of 6th and 7th grades; Miss Katherine S. Scholl, teacher of 4th and 5th grades; Miss Mabel Zimmermann teacher of 2nd and 3rd grades; Miss Maud Alleine Stuart primary teacher.

All children who will come into school age on or before Jan. 1st, 1906, will be admitted at the opening of school.

A complete set of furnishings for the laboratory has been purchased, and no pains will be spared to make our high school second to none in the state. By order of the Board of Education.
OSCAR D. PURINTON,
Clerk

Nuptials
The long hoped for has happened. It took place at Fargo last Sunday. The official bulletin reads as follows: Married, at Fargo, August 27, Mabel H. Walum to Oscar C. Anson, both of Walum, N. D.

This announcement did not come as the lightning from a clear sky, since it had been whispered for some time that the two had matrimonial aspirations. The time and the place only were the unknown factors.

Both of the young people are well known in this community. The bride is the daughter of Martin Walum, an early settler and prosperous farmer whose name has been appropriated by the city that is growing up just south of his homestead. The young lady is well spoken of by all who know her.

The groom hails from some place east of the Red River of the north, but he has been in this county for some years. Until a month ago he was with Claus Jackson as clerk. Now he has charge of Gunderson Bros. and Broten's store at Walum. If there are any flaws to this young man's character they have not appeared to date. From all accounts he is as good as any man. The Enterprise hopes that the future may bring to Mr. and Mrs. Anson as much happiness as possible.—Hannaford Enterprise.

Winter seed rye for sale.
R. C. COOPER.

FOR SALE.

Southeast 1/4 of section 36 in township 146 north of range 60. For full particulars inquire of F. H. Williams at above farm mentioned.
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Climie Killed.

A telegram was received yesterday from Mrs. Climie by Lewis Brown stating that B. K. Climie was dead and asking him to go up there. He left on the afternoon train. Editor Rearick got a letter Wednesday from States Attorney Simpson of Dickinson saying that Climie had been shot and killed by Charles Hartell. Hartell is under arrest and in jail awaiting investigation by the corner's jury. He claims the shooting was accidental. The shooting was done on Tuesday, Aug. 29. Many Cooperstown friends deeply sympathize with Mrs. Climie in this terrible affliction that has come to her.

Berg Bros. have invested in a new Olds automobile.

A Touching Story.

Is the saying from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious throat trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At H. H. Bateman's drug store: 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

STRAYED.

A light bay or sorrel mare, age 8 to 10 years, star in forehead, branded 15 on left shoulder. Rangy built, weight about 1200 to 1300. Left night of Aug. 21. Finder notify H. J. Hughes, Hannaford, N. D. or Sheriff Flynn of Cooperstown, N. D.

STATE BANK OF COOPERSTOWN

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

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