

# LOCALS

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

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

Competent girl wanted for work on a farm. Apply to A. Rhodes, Cooperstown, N. D.

Frank Ackerman went to Port last Friday to visit his family for a few days.

Would you like to know something about a great school? Write Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

Send your flower orders to Valley City Greenhouse. Prompt shipment guaranteed.

Postoffice Inspector Hodgins dropped into town last Saturday and checked up the government stampery at this place.

Mrs. J. O. Holen and Miss Helen, of Stillwater, Minn., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sgverson last week.

Wanted—A good girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. N. A. Patterson.

Last Sunday was the last day of the season for hunting chickens in this state. The prairie hen has been a scarce article this year.

The football game last Saturday only resulted in one of the players being carried off the field which is a very light list of casualties for a football game.

T. J. McPartlin, who spent a few days of last week at Cooperstown visiting his sister, Miss Catherine McPartlin, returned to his home at Glencoe, Minn., last Saturday.

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

Messrs R. C. Cooper, Judge Carleton and A. Rhodes have recently had cement sidewalk laid in front of their residence property on Roberts avenue, which makes it very nice for the traveling public.

The farmer who puts his savings in a good bank can tide over a season of bad crops now and then—the farmer with the growing bank account is a prosperous farmer. We issue interest-bearing certificates of deposit.—State Bank of Cooperstown.

Work on the electric light power plant building is coming along nicely. The walls are about up, the foundation for the big engine laid and in a few days the company will have one of the neatest little buildings in the state.

DR. L. S. PLATOU, of Valley City, graduate of Christiania university, Norway, will be in Cooperstown Oct. 27, for the purpose of practicing his profession. Regular visits last Friday each month. Private hospital.

There will be a combination sale of pure bred stock at Fargo, November 8, 1905, at which time Shorthorns, Aberdeen Angus, Herefords and Galloways from the best herds in the country will be offered for sale. The railroads will make a special rate of one fare and a third.

For sale—Favorite heating stove in first-class condition. Apply to F. H. Retzlaff.

The southbound train has been loaded down to its full limit every day lately by laboring men going east after putting in two or three months in our harvest fields. Most of these men have earned good wages and carry back with them quite a bunch of the "long green."

Wanted, Compositors—\$18 per wk.; non-union. Permanent position to competent men in St. Paul. Apply at once. St. Paul Typothetae, Ger.-Am. Bk. Bldg.

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 24, our people will again welcome the brilliant actress Miss Laura Frankenkfield and a strong company to our city. The play is said to be one to please all classes and as to the merit of the company we know. The play selected for this tour is entitled "Her Double Life" and the part of "Mercy Merrick" is particularly arranged to display Miss Frankenkfield's talent. Special stage settings and elaborate costumes to aid the capable company in their work will make this the event of the season.

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

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

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

I. C. Houglund drove over from Finley Sunday to visit friends in this locality.

Rev. Henrik Voldal will preach in the Lutheran church at Cooperstown next Sunday at 10:30 and in the Union church at 2:30.

**MARRIED**—At Cooperstown, N. D., Oct. 13th, 1905, by Rev. Oscar D. Purinton, Miss Myrtle May Woodard, of Stubin, Wis. to John C. Boardman, of Chicago, Ill. Present residence McHenry, N. D.

I will take a few horses to board for the winter. Also will take colts to break. W. D. HEINBAUCH, Cooperstown, N. D.

Mrs. Jane Climie returned from Dickinson last Saturday at which place she had been looking after business matters. We understand that she has had County Judge Carleton appointed administrator of her son's estate.

Manager Gillespie of the Gull River Lumber Company went down the line last week to see how things were around Sanborn and Valley City. He looked pleased when he returned so we guess he had a good time, anyhow.

Another new assortment of Fancy Silk Ribbons at Jimeson & Olson.

We have had considerable dry weather this fall and stubble and grass are in good shape to burn. It would be well for our farmers to protect themselves from prairie fires.

E. H. Ackerman has the misfortune to badly cut his foot last Sunday by having a sharp chisel drop onto it. E. H. now goes around limping like a man suffering with the gout.

By saving \$25.00 of your Cash Tickets from our new cash register, you get 3 per cent. discount. JIMESON & OLSON.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Lewis left on Friday afternoon for Missoula, Mont., where they will visit friends for a few days, after which they will go to Los Angeles, California, for the winter. The COURIER hopes that they will enjoy their visit to California.

We omitted to mention last week the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. Iver Seim from Puyallup, Wash., at which place they have lived for a couple of years. They have sold out their holdings out there and have returned to North Dakota. If they can get a house they will move to Cooperstown for the winter.

Now E. L. L. Norway Horring at Jimeson & Olson.

**WANTED**—500 young men wanted at once. You can earn from \$80 to \$125 per month as Firemen and Bookmen. 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 Jamestown and Cooperstown high school football teams played a game on the local gridiron last Saturday afternoon the visitors winning by a score of 22 to 2. This was the first game of football ever played in Cooperstown and the home boys made a very creditable showing, much better than was expected of them. When they get more acquainted with the game they will be in a position to give their opponents the worth of their money.

The intellectual young actress, Laura Frankenkfield, will give a talk on Dickens and Wilkie Collins before the high school on Tuesday afternoon next. In the evening Miss Frankenkfield and her talented company will present the beautiful four act drama "Her Double Life" at the Opera House. The talk at the school is arranged through the courtesy of Prof. Loreaux and will be a treat for the students and teachers.

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."

Two houses for sale. Inquire at State Bank.

We had a fall of snow Monday night and Tuesday morning but it disappeared during the day.

Miss Mary Koch commenced teaching an eight month term in the Howden district Monday of this week.

Room to rent. Apply to Mrs. W. H. Butler.

A Sunday school convention will be held at Cooperstown on October 28 and 29. Fuller particulars next week.

Wait for the event of the season, Miss Laura Frankenkfield and her talented company at the Opera House, Tuesday, Oct. 24.

Wanted—a carrier for Rural Route No. 1. Anyone desiring this job call at the postoffice for information. The job pays \$60 per month.

Dr. Westley reports new babies as follows: Friday, October 13, a girl at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Arestad; Saturday, October 14, a boy, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cass Teal.

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

Charley Hart, the Jessie hen fancier, was in the city last Monday and called in to say hello! Charley is always a welcome visitor to this office.

**My remedies for Diarrhea, for Itch, for Eczema and Coughs are guaranteed. S. ALMKLOV, Druggist.**

The Crane-Johnson Company have recently installed a new gasoline engine and wood saw and are now in shape to saw up that winter's supply of cord wood for you on short notice.

An oyster supper and social will be held in Schoolhouse No. 1 Washburn school district (known as the Opheim school) on Friday evening, Oct. 20, 1905, from 7 to 11 p. m. Admission 25c. Proceeds for benefit of school organ.

**Base Ball Dance, Marquardt's Hall, Friday Evening, October 20.**

W. R. Barbee, manager of the J. I. Case business here, has received notice to the effect that he is to go to Buenos Ayres for the winter to look after the company's business in that part of the world. He is to report at Racine, Wis., the first of the month.

F. W. Soule the Eyesight Specialist will be at Allen's Jewelry Store again Saturday and Monday, Oct. 28 and 30 prepared to examine defective eyes and fit glasses when needed. Don't miss this chance. Will be at Hannaford, Tuesday, Oct. 24, and Binford, Wednesday, Oct. 25.

George L. Townes, the man who will launch the new paper at Puyallup, is a North Dakota newspaper man of wide acquaintance and experience. He until recently owned and operated The Free Press, Lisbon, N. D. He is a dyed-in-the-wool Republican. A month ago he was one in a Seattle street car wreck which put him in the hospital, and thus delayed him in his project. The new paper will be known as the Republican and will glide upon the sea of criticism in about two weeks. Editor Townes was for three sessions clerk of the North Dakota senate under Lieut. Gov. Bartlett.—Sumner, Wash., Index.

Mrs. D. B. McDonald and daughter Ella drove up to Willow last Thursday to visit relatives for a few days.

See Laura Frankenkfield as "Mercy Merrick" in "Her Double Life" at the opera house next Tuesday evening, Oct. 24.

Wanted—man and wife to work during winter in family of three Call on or address Geo. N. Shepherd, Rural free Delivery No. 1, Cooperstown, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Fiero, of Cairo, N. Y., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Purinton, yesterday. Mr. Fiero is looking after his interests at this place.

Jack Regner received a telegram from Detroit, Mich., last Thursday stating that his brother Frank was dying from the result of an unsuccessful operation. Mr. Regner left for Detroit Friday. A second telegram was received Saturday night stating that his brother died at 6:15 Saturday evening.

Rev. H. S. Harris put in all of last week attending the annual M. E. conference at Fargo. He was returned to this charge for another year, the church requesting that he be sent back by vote before he left for conference. Mr. Harris' work the past year has been very acceptable to his congregation.

## Entertainments.

**A Number of High Grade Attractions Secured.**

In past years high class entertainments here for various reasons proved unsuccessful financially and for this reason there has been a dearth of entertainment of this kind. In order to secure a number of attractions of worth for the coming season about twenty-five of the business men of the town formed an association each pledging himself to pay his proportionate part of any deficit that might be made in bringing in the different attractions. Any surplus that might remain at the close of the season to go into the treasury for the ensuing year. This is not a business proposition from which they expect to profit financially but merely a guarantee association. Cooperstown should have more high class entertainments and it is to secure this that these men have taken upon themselves this obligation. In order to make this season a financial success they have decided to sell course tickets for adults and for children at a price less than five single admissions and hope that when these are offered for sale that all will aid by purchasing one of these course tickets and by so doing, assure the success of the venture for the season and make it possible to continue these courses. In so doing you will receive more than your moneys worth and will at the same time be aiding in the advancement of the community. Three numbers have already been engaged and it is expected that at least two more will be secured. The three already secured are Capt. Hobson, Nov. 24; Americas' Jubilee Singers, Dec. 20; Alton Packard Jan. 16.

## SCHOOL NOTES.

Friday morning the Jamestown High School Basketball team arrived on the ten twenty-five train. In the afternoon after listening to one of the classes in our High School they went out to get a good practice on our grounds so they would be able to easily mark the score "fifteen to nothing" in favor of Jamestown. At about 4:30 the game commenced but from the first they were doomed; at the end of the first half the score stood five to two. Fifteen minutes more of hard work and a good deal of throwing for fouls shattered their hopes completely for the score card showed a score of eleven to four in favor of Cooperstown. Mary Koch and Mable Francis played as for wards, Grace Warner and Clara Hammer held their own as guards against the Jamestown basket throwers at their end of the rectangle. Josephine Hammer and Hazel Hartman played in the centre court procuring the ball as it came their way. In the evening the girls of our basket ball team tried to make them feel better by giving them a good time at the opera house playing progressive games at which Miss Ingalls and Mr. Wonnberg won a box of candy each, as prizes. After light refreshments the party broke up about twelve all happy but tired.

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## An Explanation.

EDITOR COURIER.  
In the issue of your paper of October 10 is an article which purports to give the decision of Judge Burke concerning a certain thresher's lien. The case being S. Mitchell vs. Monarck Elevator Company. The article states: Plaintiff threshed grain for S. Almklov and Christ Steinborn. They sold the grain to the elevator company before the thresher filed his lien. They refused to pay for the threshing and the elevator was sued. Whatever meaning the editor intended this write-up to convey to the readers of his paper is not for me to say, but the way the article is written might give the impression that I refused to pay a honest bill or for threshing done for me. The fact of it is that Mr. Christ Steinborn rented the land from me and in rent

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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.

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**A FEW SUGGESTIONS**

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

- SERGES -  
For actual service these have no equal.

: MOHAIRS :  
We have a choice assortment, both plain and fancy.

: WORSTEDS :  
These make up very pretty; we show a good line.

- 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.

was to deliver at the elevator free of charge one-half of the grain raised on the place. Mr. Steinborn hired the threshers so you will understand that I had nothing to do with the threshing at all. If Mr. Mitchell has anything coming of me he can collect it without any lien.  
S. ALMKLOV.

though they had been defeated in Basket Ball.

Mary Koch has left school 'to teach' the knowledge which she has gained in the Cooperstown school to pupils south of Dazey.

Calla Stai entered the high school Tuesday morning.

Conrad Herigstad entered the 8th grade a week ago Tuesday.

Good work in drawing is being done throughout the building.

## NOTICE

**To Parents and Persons Employing Children Between the Ages of 8 and 14.**

(Part of the Amended School Law of 1905.)  
Every parent or guardian having control of any child between the age of eight and fourteen is obliged to send such child to

school every day school is in session in the district where such child lives. Failure to comply with this law, subject such parent or guardian to arrest and fine not exceeding \$50.

Any person who employs any child between the ages of eight and fourteen during the time said school is in session is liable to arrest and fine of from \$20 to \$50.

My attention has been called to a violation of the above provisions of law in Cooperstown and other school districts in the county. The law makes it my duty to prosecute any violation of these provisions when properly brought to my attention.

This is intended as a warning to parents and those who may have such child in their employ, in Cooperstown and Griggs county.

FRANK GLADSTONE,  
States Attorney.

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Description—Double Veneered case in mahogany or oak, original design of case, full extension music desk, double roll fall board, improved action, nickel-plated continuous hinges on top and fall, nickel-plated hammer rail, 3rd pedal attachment, ivory keys. Dimensions: 7 1/2 octaves; height, 4 ft. 8 in.; width, 5 ft. 3 in.; depth 2 ft. 4 in. Write now.

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