

# 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.

Mrs. P. R. Trubshaw was a Fargo visitor from Friday of last week until Monday.

William Carter returned home last week from Minot to visit his family for a few days.

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

William Glass was a passenger headed south last Friday afternoon, going to Valley City, we believe.

E. H. Ackerman returned from Minneapolis last Saturday accompanied by his family. They have moved into Aunt Fannie Haskell's house.

Sportsmen have been lucky in shooting geese the past few days. The country has been full of them. The cold snap, however has been driving them south.

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

John Houghton sold four more lots last week and as a consequence another house will be built in the southwest part of the city right away quick.

The board of education has sold the primary school building to Rev. H. Voldal who will move the same into the east part of town and have it remodeled for a dwelling house.

Dick Fox returned home a few days ago from the Fargo Hospital having just recovered from an attack of typhoid fever. Mr. Fox is getting along nicely and will be home in a few days.

Joe Nelson, who has put in a few months at Kennebec, Wash., returned to Cooperstown last Friday. Joe is like all others, he thinks that North Dakota is the best place for everybody, take it all the year around.

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.

W. J. Pilkey, representing the Luger Piano Company of Fargo, spent several days of last week in Cooperstown and placed several very fine instruments in some of our nice residences. The Luger company carries an ad. in the COURIER and is a reliable firm to deal with.

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.

Theo. Marquardt left Thursday of last week for a trip to Minneapolis and Chicago. He goes to investigate the best makes of up-to-date soda water fountain for his father who intends placing an order for one of the best fountains made. The new fountain they expect to buy will have motor attachment for freezing ice-cream and improved machinery for washing dishes, etc. It will cost about \$2500.

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

C. C. Marson's farm residence three miles south of town, with all its contents, was burned to the ground about 2 o'clock Sunday morning, and the family had all they could do to get out with just what few clothes they could snatch up in a short time. The cause of the fire is unknown. However it started in the upper story and it would thus seem as if it must have been caused from the chimney. Mr. Marson says he had no insurance on the house. The family have moved into Dave Marson's uncompleted house for the present. While the loss is a heavy one especially at this time of the year when building operations cannot be continued outdoors. Mr. Marson is well able to stand the loss and next season will have built a nice brick residence on his farm.

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

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

Phone 135, Jameson & Olson, The New Store.

Anders Larson is having a substantial house built in the east part of town.

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

Dr. Platou was in town last Friday it being his regular monthly visit.

Clarence Campbell and Fred Ratchke went up to Livona, N. D., last Thursday where they will spend the winter.

Martin Lee, who has been farming his farm at Kenmare returned to Cooperstown Saturday last, and is again sticking type on the Sentinel.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will give a chicken pie supper November 10th at the Fire Hall. Supper will be served from 6 until 10.

A. J. Shue made his last trip as rural carrier on No. 1 Tuesday. He made a good carrier and never missed a trip. He is succeeded by Fred Goble.

E. C. Butler will ship eight head of his fine Shorthorns next week to place them in the big sale which will take place on the 8th. Mr. Butler has some of the best stock in the state and does not have to take a back seat for anybody.

The wave of reform is moving this way. The Mayor of Minneapolis has ordered the cigar stand keepers to throw out the dice boxes while at Fargo last Thursday all the stores and business houses closed from 11 to 12:30 in order to give everybody a chance to attend revival services.

**CITY BAKERY.** All orders promptly filled. Lunches put up for travellers. Meals served at all hours. Hot coffee and lunches always ready. GRAFF BROS., Proprietors.

Lieut. Gov. Bartlett recently received a large box of fish from a friend in Alaska. The box contained one large salmon and a large halibut. They were packed in ice and came through in fine shape. With his usual generosity the governor distributed the fish among his friends and the COURIER family has to thank him for a very liberal donation.

**Saving money** enables you to start in business. It helps you when you need money. It tides you over periods of sickness, dull, hard times and short crops. It enables you to buy bargains when others have no money. It provides for old age. It guards against extravagance. It gives you a good credit standing in your community.—State Bank of Cooperstown.

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

A very successful Sunday School Convention was held in the various churches last Sunday under the leadership of Mr. Jno. O. Orchard, of Fargo, and Mrs. S. P. Johnson, of Grand Forks. Their work proved so helpful that a temporary county organization was formed by the election of the following officers: Pres., G. E. Macconnell; V. Pres., Mrs. David Bartlett; Secy. and Treas., Mrs. Davis.

The Coopeastown Tow Mill is now ready to receive flax straw. The farmers are urged to bring in the straw as rapidly as possible as the straw is now in good condition and roads are good for hauling. Would like to get bulk of straw in before snow comes. All good straw will be received at the usual price of \$2 per ton but poor straw heavily mixed with coarse weeds will be refused. We will want all the good straw tributary to the Coopers-town mill.

V. R. BLEEDON TOW MILL CO., By C. N. Dean, Manager.

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.

C. N. Dean and family have moved in D. R. Davis' residence.

Jameson & Olson are selling all calico price 5 6 7c a yard at 4c while the sale lasts.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Taxdahl on Saturday, October 28, 1905, a girl, Dr. Westley in attendance.

Martin Skramstad has accepted a position in Jameson & Olson's store commencing Wednesday.

Capt. Richmond P. Hobson, leader of the expedition to blockade Santiago harbor by sinking the collier Merrimac, will lecture at the opera house in Cooperstown Friday evening Nov. 24.

The Standard Oil Company has shipped Charley Anderson a new oil tank and he is about as badly tickled over that as he was when he got his first pair of top boots. No advance in oil will occur on account of this new tank wagon.

Private sale—I will all my household furniture at a bargain. Mrs. John Cain.

Dan Murphy, who has been holding down the mechanical end of the Sentinel for some time, left Monday afternoon for Minot to work on the Independent at that place. Dan is a good printer and a steady one and it is no trouble for him to get a job.

To close out all children's hats I will sell them at cost for the next two weeks. No fancy prices asked for first-class work. Mrs. J. STEVENS.

Speaking of Capt. Hobson the Buffalo, N. Y., Courier says: A splendid specimen of physical mental and moral manhood; a man of rare eloquence, keen logic, exalted patriotism; a man combining thorough manhood with perfect gentleness; a man of splendid mental gifts, who has put them to the very best use; and a man, moreover, who does not find bravery and brilliance incompatible with the highest moral standards.

Read Jameson & Olson's ad. this week. It will be a surprise to you to find how much groceries you can get for \$9.89.

S. R. Jones met with a hold-up experience a few days ago while going home after nightfall which he won't forget for some time to come and will cause him not to carry much money around with him in the fall. While driving home in the evening and near the schoolhouse four miles west of town two men jumped out from along the roadside, both masked, and in a businesslike manner got down to work. One grabbed the horses by the head while the other in tragic tones commanded their victim to hold up his hands at the same time poking a revolver under Steve's nose with the admonition that if he was not quickabout it he would shortly be a fit subject for Coroner Westley to sit upon and Mr. Jones very wisely capitulated and the highwaymen proceeded to go through his clothes and even his boots and when they got through they had secured \$3.65.—Steve had left his roll in town. The robbers lit out into the stilly night and S. R. made some fast time the rest of the way home and he was not like Lot's wife at all because he had no desire to look back.

Wanted—girl for general house work. Mrs. McDermott.

Three rooms for rent—Inquire of E. H. Ackerman at Palace Hotel.

Will Trichler, who has had charge of the dry goods department in Thompson Bros. store for a long time, left on Monday afternoon for Lucca at which place he has purchased an interest in a general store. Billy is a fine salesman, a very genial and pleasant gentleman, and he has a host of friends who are pleased to know that he is going into business for himself, yet at the same time regret to see him leave our town. The Courier wishes him all kinds of good luck.

Capt. Hobson's subjects are: America's Mighty Mission. America: Mistress of the Seas. The American Navy: Its Brilliant Past; Its Glorious Future. America: The Peacemaker Among The Nations.

Which one would you like to hear? Drop a card to the secretary of the Cooperstown Entertainment Bureau giving your first and second choices of the above subjects.

While in Valley City last Monday morning ye editor, accompanied by Mrs. Trubshaw, had the privilege of visiting Dr. Platou's hospital. This is one of the model institutions of the state and speaks well for the enterprise of the doctor in spending so much money to build and equip such a splendid institution. The operating room is a model of its kind and there are none better equipped in the state. It contains all the latest improvements known to surgery and science. The balance of the institution is along the same lines. Splendid light, sanitary rooms for the patients, trained nurses to look after them and first-class medical attention. Valley City has reason to feel justly proud of the Platou hospital. We called on Willie Moffatt for a few minutes and found him getting nicely and cheerful. He gets around a little every day and will soon be able to get out of the institution. Inval Greenland who has been in the hospital for the last three weeks, will be able to return home the latter part of this week.

### Dedication.

The Free Methodist Church, five miles south and two miles west of Binford, N. D., will be dedicated to the service of God, Sunday, Nov. 6th, 1905. Rev. C. G. Heath, of Rockland, Ky. will preach the dedicatory sermon at 2:30 p. m. The district quarterly meeting will be held in connection with the dedication beginning Thursday night, Nov. 2nd. All the pastors of the district and the district Elder besides many of the members are expected. All are cordially invited. Revival meetings will follow the dedication. Mrs. S. R. KLEIN.

### A Disastrous Calamity.

It is a disastrous calamity, when you lose your health, because indigestion and constipation have sapped it away. Prompt relief can be had in Dr. King's New Life Pills. They build up your digestive organs, and cure headache, dizziness, colic, constipation, etc. Guaranteed at H. H. Bateman's drug store; 25c.

### SCHOOL NOTES.

The attendance in the 8th grade for the past month was perfect but in the High School it fell below 2 64-100. We feel proud of this record and hope it will be kept up in the following months. We also hope the High School average will be brought up.

We enjoyed Mrs. John Houghton's and Mrs. Brown's presence in the school room recently and hope more visits of this kind will be made.

Our drawing class were privileged to have, as a model, Elizabeth Patterson and under Miss McPartin's instruction many pleasing pictures were made.

Mabel Taft re-entered school Monday and was welcomed back by all the pupils.

Freeman Bolkan entered school Monday. We are glad to have new pupils in our High School.

**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.

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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

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.

which now numbers twenty-six. We are working to make it first grade and we will welcome the day when it is so.

Rev. John Orchard addressed the pupils of the High School, eighth, seventh and sixth grades Monday morning. We enjoyed him immensely and hope soon to be visited by him again.

The sick list for the last week has been large, many being kept out by colds or throat trouble, but we hope soon to have all back again.

### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Oct. 23.  
Sarah A. Houghton to John L. Nelson, Cooperstown Cooper's add. lot 22, blk. 10 \$45.

Oct. 24.  
Charles C. Platt to Ada Pearl Nichols, set of 12-145-58 \$3500.

Oct. 24.  
United States to Heirs of Frank Lichtscheid, et of set 8-147-59.

Oct. 25.  
Louis O. Sundberg to Charley L. Anderson for nw 1/4 8-146-60 \$2496.

Oct. 26.  
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co. to Paul Paulson, Binford lot 3, blk. 5, \$75.

Oct. 27.  
Ole O. Gronlie to Ole T. Bentlie, sw 1/4 9-148-58 \$4000.

Oct. 27.  
David Bartlett to Fred Johnson, nw 1/4 24-147-59, \$2000.

Oct. 28.  
N. O. Haugen to Robert Thorn Jessie lots 1 and 2, blk. 11, \$125.  
Edward C. Butler to Minnie E. Johnson adm., set of 13-146-59, \$4000.

### FOR SALE.

New house and four lots. One of the warmest houses in town! Apply to Mrs. Wm. Carter.

### A Good Artist.

Dauber—Mrs. Goodsole, I believe, remarked that she thought I was a very good artist.  
Criteek—Yes. It seems she saw you in church last Sunday.—Philadelphia Record.

### Love is Blind.

Pearl—They eloped in an automobile.  
Ruby—And was it a success?  
Pearl—Yes. Even Cupid wore goggles.—Baltimore News.

Worse and More of it.  
Grumbell—Most women have but one idea, and that's dress.  
Jonke—Huh! My wife has about a dozen ideas, all on that subject.—Philadelphia Press.

### Mortgage Sale.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgages, executed and delivered by Riley Maurin Hadlock mortgagee, to A. H. Cox & Co., mortgagees, dated the 5th day of November 1902, and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds, of the County of Griggs and state of North Dakota, on the 26th day of December 1902, and recorded in book " " of mortgage deeds at page 135, and assigned by said mortgagees to The First National Bank of Valley City, North Dakota, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the court house in the Village of Cooperstown, in the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m., on the 11th day of December, 1905, to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgages on the day of sale. The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows:  
Southwest one quarter of section fifteen (15) township one hundred forty five (45) range sixty (60) lying and being in the county of Griggs and state of North Dakota.  
There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of twenty seven hundred and ninety two dollars (\$2792).  
J. C. FLYNN,  
A. M. BALDWIN, Sheriff of Griggs Co., N. D.  
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee.  
11-24

### "I Thank the Lord!"

cried Hannah Plant, of Little Rock, Ark., "for the relief I got from Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured my fearful running sores, which nothing else would heal, and from which I had suffered for 5 years." It is a marvelous healer for cuts, burns and wounds. Guaranteed at H. H. Bateman's drug store; 25c.

—over Still.  
Church—I thought you said you gave your wife hush money?  
Gotham—I did.  
"Well, she ought to be arrested for obtaining money under false pretenses."—Yonkers Statesman.

Convincing.  
Amicus—So you have another baby at your house. What is he like?  
Eminent Critic—Well, he is not very interesting, but he is mighty convincing.—Life.

### Man's Unreasonableness.

is often as great as woman's. But Thos. S. Austin, Mgr. of the "Republican," of Leavenworth, Ind., was not unreasonable, when he refused to allow the doctors to operate on his wife, for female trouble. "Instead he says, 'we concluded to try Electric Bitters. My wife was then so sick, she could hardly leave her bed, and five (5) physicians had failed to relieve her. After taking Electric Bitters, she was perfectly cured, and can now perform all her household duties.'" Guaranteed by H. H. Bateman, druggist, price 50c.

## A Hammond Piano

ONLY \$198

Selected for its first class merit in style, workmanship, tone and wearing qualities—guaranteed five years.

**\$198** in easy monthly payments buys this Hammond Piano, exactly like out, with steel and scarf, worth \$300 and places it in your home immediately, freight prepaid.

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.

## LUGER PIANO CO

12 @ 14 BROADWAY, FARGO.

Strich & Zedler, Schumann, Straube, Brinkerhoff, Cable-Nelson, Schaeffer and other makes.

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

General Banking and Farm Loans.

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