

# WHIDDEN BROTHERS

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An elegant new line of Staple Dry Goods, Notions, Ready-made Clothing, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, FURNITURE, etc.

### We Will Not be Undersold!

Don't forget. The time has come when we MUST BE PAID. We cannot wait for wheat to raise, but will pay until the

1st of November, 3 cents per bushel over the market for all wheat received on account, and 5 cents per bushel, over the market price, for all new and future trade. Bring in your wheat, quick.

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COOPERSTOWN, DAKOTA.

#### Additional Locals

On another page will be found a statement of the county finances.

We acknowledge an invitation to the Encampment at Fargo. A great time is expected.

Miss Kate M. Arms, of Minneapolis, is in the city soliciting orders for cameo oil portraits. The lady is an accomplished artist, and is meeting with good success.

Washington Court House, an Ohio town of 4,000 inhabitants, was struck by a cyclone last week, and about knocked out. The whole town is a total wreck. Strange to say, but about twenty persons were killed.

Wheat is worth 66 cents, and Whidden Bros. are paying 71 cents.

It may not be generally known, but it is a fact, that in the little churches in the mountain counties of Kentucky, where such disorder and lawlessness prevail, collections are taken up in aid of foreign missions, when they could spend every nickel of their money at home in educating the heathens.—Lexington (Ky.) Press.

A grand piano, just presented to the Princess Beatrice, is a unique affair. It is in a black case, ornamented with gold. The sustaining pedal enables the player to prolong the sound of one or more of the notes, on the organ principle. The piano has so elastic a touch that all the gradations, from the most subdued whisper to the greatest fortissimo passage, can be accomplished with fine effect.

#### Examination of Teachers.

The semi-annual examination of candidates for teacher's certificates will be held in the school house in Cooperstown at 9 a. m., Tuesday, September 29, 1885. Successful candidates must pass in reading, writing, orthography, arithmetic, geography, grammar, and a few of the principal questions in physiology and hygiene. Candidates for first and second grades must also pass in U. S. History. Dated at Cooperstown this 10th day of September, 1885.

THEODORE F. KERR, County Supt. of Public Schools, Griggs County, D. T.

#### Wanted.

A young man, of steady habits, to learn the harness making trade. Apply at once to J. H. McDERMOTT.

Just received, another lot of the White sewing machines with all the late improvements. John Syverson & Co.

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Building Plans, Specification and Estimates Furnished.

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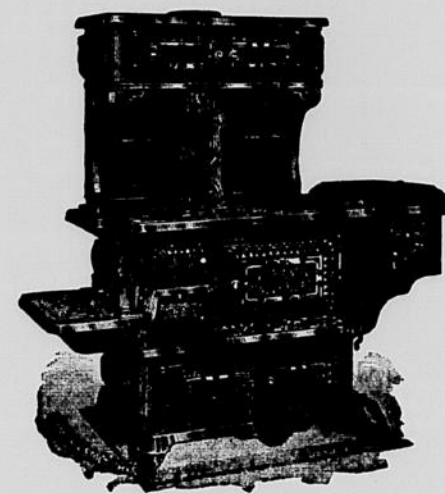
—Yard at foot of Burrell Avenue—

COOPERSTOWN, . . . . DAKOTA.

### ANNOUNCEMENT!

The people of Griggs and adjoining counties will please take notice that if the old saying, "Money makes the mare go," is true, it is equally true of

Builders' Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, Etc.



We hereby proclaim to everybody that is in need of goods in our line, that we will not be undersold by any body, anywhere, and invite your inspection of goods and prices. The almighty dollar is going to work miracles this season, and if there is any of them loose, we are bound to have them. In two words, before going out of the door turn around and catch the last faint whisper.

STEVENS & ENGER.