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TIME TABLE.

S. C. & T. M. RAILROAD.

Trains make the round trip every day, except
Sunday, leaving Cooperstown at 8:35 a. m., and
arriving at Sanborn 11:30 a. m. Returning, leaves
Sanborn at 1:15 p. m. and arrives at Cooperstown
4:15 p. m.

N. P. Railroad, main line—Passenger trains
leave Sanborn:

Going east..... 8:45 p. m.
Going east..... 10:17 p. m.
Going east..... 8:30 a. m.
Going west..... 6:57 a. m.
Going west..... 11:45 a. m.

Tickets for all parts of the United States and
Canada for sale at this station.
R. M. Cowen, Agent.
C. S. Fee, Gen. Pass. Agt.

Josh Billings (H. W. Shaw) is dead in
California. He had a bad spell.

A Chicago attorney named Barnet
shot his wife's alleged paramour, Wm.
Morgan, at Big Stone City, Sunday.

The Star of Bethlehem has been dis-
covered in South Dakota. The star is
evidently, off its base.

Foraker, the republican candidate for
the governorship of Ohio, was elected
on Tuesday by a plurality of 15,000. The
prohibition vote was 20,000. The legis-
lature will be republican.

Railroad Commissioner Wm. M. Evans
is reported a defaulter to his county
in the amount of \$15,000. That accounts
for his late hurried passage through
North Dakota. He was trying to catch
up in his accounts.

The St. Paul Herald offers to send
itself to us if we will publish its adver-
tisement. The Herald is published in
St. Paul, and is a bright little weekly.

Peck's Sun offers to illuminate our
sanctum, likewise, if we publish its yard
long advertisement. What for? We
couldn't possibly think of wading
through its interminably dreary rot, reg-
ularly.

A Baby's Bad Beginning.

Frankfort, Ky., special: The first
white child ever born in the Kentucky
penitentiary was born Oct. 1 to Jose-
phine Fritz, from Henderson county,
who was convicted as an accomplice in
the murder of Mrs. Moses Coden. She
was the paramour of Moses Coden, who
was hung last spring for the murder of
his wife. Coden and Mrs. Fritz were
confined in the same jail at Henderson
and in some way gained access to each
other, and this girl baby is the result.
She has been in the penitentiary about
seven months. The child certainly has
a bad record to begin life on—begot in
jail and born in the penitentiary, and
out of wedlock, father hung for murder,
and its mother a convict for the same
offense. The governor will be petitioned
for a pardon, but the petition will
probably have but few signers, as it is
believed she allowed herself to become
enfamille to secure sympathy and pre-
vent her conviction.

Peterson's Magazine, for November,
is at hand. This is a standard work,
and ought to be in the hands of every
body. It is a lady's book, published
monthly, and aside from containing the
latest plates in fashions, with full de-
scriptions, etc., has pattern accompa-
nying each number; serials, written by
some of our best authors; short stories,
poems to throw at the birds, and house-
hold receipts innumerable. Send for it.
Comes once a month. Subscription, \$2.
Charles J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut St.,
Philadelphia. Specimen copies sent
free, to get up clubs.—*Ad.*

We would quietly call the attention of
the farmer to the fact that our goods
have always been as represented, and
that we have uniformly sold them at a
fair profit, without underselling on one
thing and over charging on another, to
make up the deficiency.

John Syverson & Co.

Lost.

A black mare, with a grey streak
running down her off hip; suckling a colt;
(colt not with her). Strayed from my
place, Tuesday, Oct. 6th. A suitable
reward will be given for information
leading to her recovery.

Wm. Howden.
Sec. 32, 146-60.

The prairie fire which burned to death
Mrs. Stanton and child, near Valley
City last Saturday, separated when it
reached the Stanton building and left
the house unharmed. Mr. Stanton,
who had just returned home, took the
two younger children, one under each
arm, and directed his wife and the old-
er child, a girl about seven years old,
to start to a strip of breaking a few rods
away. He reached the plowing in safe-
ty, with the two children; but his wife
and other child were overtaken by the
fire, and perished in full sight of the
husband. Had they remained in the
house no harm would have happened to
any of them.—*Fargo Sun.*

A collection was taken up in one of
our churches recently, and when the
hat reached the seat occupied by a lady,
her daughter and little son, the two lad-
ies found themselves without a cent of
money, but young America reached
over and deposited a penny in the hat,
and then whispered to his sister: "There,
I have saved this family from being
white-washed."—*Larned (Kan.) Chrono-
scope.*

Spot Cash

For Oats, Hay and Wood, at
Hunters' Livery.

Feed Mill.

Cooper Bros. are prepared to
grind feed of all kinds at their elevator,
in any amount, at reasonable rates.

To see the fur exhibited at Syverson
& Co's, one might imagine that the
whole product of Labrador and Sibe-
ria had been secured. No man need go
shivering to his grave this winter. Coats,
caps, mittens, and gloves to suit every-
body.

Farmers can get grain insured in
stack or granary, by calling at the Bank
of Cooperstown.

Remember, Davis & Pickett will
pay you 5 cents over the market for
your wheat, in trade.

Threshing outfits insured
against loss by fire in
warehouse or while at
work, at the Bank of Coop-
erstown.

Davis & Pickett have a fresh car
of flour and feed on the track. Call on
them at once.

Coal, from pea to Lehigh lump
at Gull River Lumber company's yard.

GENTLEMEN: If you want ready
made clothing, we have 300 suits in
stock.

If you want a suit made to order, we
have 200 samples to order from. A per-
fect fit guaranteed.

If you want your clothes made at
home, we can furnish you with cloth
and sewing machine.

If you are going to leave the country
(we don't want you to), we have the
most elegant assortment of Trunks and
Valises ever offered in Griggs county.

JOHN SYVERSON & CO.

Parties running threshing
machines will do well to call on Adams &
Glass for all things necessary to keep
the machine going—belting, machine
oil, rubber and hemp packing, and fit-
tings.

A fine line of picture frame moldings
at H. S. Picketts.

The ladies of Griggs County will all
make an effort to call at H. S. Picketts
furniture rooms where they learn that
he has just received a car load of extra
fine goods.

A sample of the Quaker City com-
mode may now be seen at the Furniture
rooms of H. S. Pickett. These com-
modes are found to be almost invalua-
ble in the sick room, and should be in
every house, as a sanitary measure of
great utility.

Thirty-seven cases of lined rubber goods
just received, and to be sold at bed rock.
John Syverson & Co.

We have received two car loads of stoves,
which we are going to sell at the same
rate of profit we sold barbed wire for last
spring and summer. Stevens & Enger.

Apples, apples, by the peck and bar-
rel, at Whidden's.

100 dozen pairs of boots and shoes,
Boston, Chicago, St. Paul and Burling-
ton manufacture, just opened at
Whidden Bros.

Davis & Pickett have just unload-
ed a car of fine flour, and another car is
coming. Flour is going up, and now is
the time to catch on.

Stevens & Enger will sell you No. 9 coal
and wood cook stoves, warranted in every
respect, for \$12.50.

You can get No. 7 Cook Stoves for \$7,
and No. 8 Cook stoves for \$8, new goods,
not second hand, at Stevens & Enger's.

Don't buy a dollar's worth of grocer-
ies or dry goods, notions or boots and
shoes, until you learn our prices.

John Syverson & Co.

Whidden Bros. are still 3 cts.
above elevator rates on wheat, in settle-
ment of back accounts, and 5 cts. for
new trade, they paying to-day 81 and 83
cents per bushel.

Whidden Bros. want 5000 bushels of
oats next week. Highest rates
paid.

DAZEY TIME TABLE.

S. C. & T. M. RAILROAD.

Going South..... 10 a. m.
Going North..... 2:45 p. m.

Any information as to connections with trains
at Sanborn, and rates quoted on tickets to all
points in the United States and Canada, cheerfully
given.
C. F. WEILAND, Agent.

—LOCALS.—

Wheat 76 cents.

Our stationagent was out seeing his
best girl, Sunday.

The new addition to the Halfway
house is being rapidly pushed forward.

Our calling on Mr. Otto Holman, mer-
chant, last week, was met with a smile
and the cigar box. It is a boy, Thurs-
day morning. Mother and child doing
nicely.

Owing to the scarcity of cars, our ele-
vator is filled to its utmost capacity.
Still Agent Larson manages to take care
of all wheat brought in.

W. L. Pattison is having a stone founda-
tion laid for an addition to his barn.

The first hop of the season at Patti-
son's 23d inst.

Thos. Curtiss has sold 1,000 bushels of
barley to S. K. Nestor, of Valley City,
which is being shipped to Duluth, 48cts.
per bushel being the price paid.

S. W. Baker, C. A. Lyons, and the
Foeckler boys went gooseing, Sunday,
capturing "03" geese.

Nels Austead and John Lilly, on re-
turning from Cooperstown, Saturday,
found their buildings all in flames. In
their endeavors to extinguish the fire,
Eric Austead was severely burned.
The buildings and 1,000 bushels of
wheat were a heap of ashes.

Competition in the lumber trade is
the prevailing feature of the day. The
new yard has given prices a tumble.

The most destructive prairie fire of
this season originated a short distance
south of Mr. V. V. Townley's, near
Odell, last Saturday about noon. There
being a heavy breeze the whole country
in a few minutes was ablaze. Taking a
northerly course the buildings of Mr.
Townley were soon in the heart of the
fire, and but for the arrival of a few
neighbors would have been burned. A
large granary, containing 4,000 bushels
of wheat and half as many of oats were
burned. A part of the fire was making
for the elevator at Odell, but the peo-
ple by this time were awake to the dan-
ger, and succeeded in extinguishing it,
when within but a few feet of the sec-
tion house. From here the fire fighters
were called to the west side of the fire,
which was traveling at the rate of twenty
miles per hour towards A. Booth's,
sweeping up a barn containing 2,000
bushels of wheat and 1,000 of oats, to-
gether with farming implements belong-
ing to Mr. J. Hatling. The school
house narrowly escaped destruction.
The buildings on Mr. Townley's oth-
er farm, with 2,000 bushels of wheat,
and as much oats. Geo. Deyos' place
narrowly escaped, and at Geo. Kelly's
the fire was turned each side of the
buildings, where it was soon lost on the
prairie that had already been burned.

PERSONAL.

D. R. Swartout was in Valley City
this week.

Mr. Gallinger was in town this week.

Mrs. S. J. Russell is home from her
visit to Minnesota.

John Simons, Page Persons and F.
Seoagale sampled the Halfway house
Tuesday.

Manly and Henry Davis took dinner
in town Tuesday.

J. L. Straus made a professional call
Wednesday.

We do not advertise prices on goods we
have had in stock for years, nor on goods
we expect to have some time in the distant
future; but we mean business, and have
the goods now in stock, fresh.

John Syverson & Co.

From and after the 15th day of October
we will close out our large stock of stoves
and tinware, and shelf goods at Montgo-
mery, Ward & Co's. prices; don't forget it
—for cash.
Stevens & Enger.

A large lot of furniture just received
at Whidden Bros. Bedsteads, chairs,
tables, etc.

We have for sale a few good farm
work horses. Davis & Pickett.

Parties wanting sewing machines
should not fail to take a look at the
White. For sale by John Syverson & Co.

I have now in stock a fresh sup-
ply of feed and flour, which the public
can sample at the lowest living rates.
Flour of all grades. Quick sales and
small profits. Geo. W. Greenleese.

We don't wish to force the season, but
our first lot of Buffalo, dog and coon
coats have arrived, and the first are gen-
erally the best. Whidden Bros.

Knud Thompson,

I am almost ready to go a fish-
ing. I am about out of machin-
ery, but will show you a few fine
Wagons and Bob-Sleighs.

KNUD THOMPSON.

PIONEER HARNESS SHOP!

J. H. McDERMOTT, Proprietor.

A Complete Stock of

HARNESS, BRUSHES,
SADDLES, CURRY COMBS,
COLLARS, BLANKETS,
BRIDLES, FLY NETS, ETC.,

Always on hand,

REPAIRING

Of all kinds promptly done. None but
first class workmen are employed, and
nothing but the best material used. Satis-
faction guaranteed.

G. F. NEWELL,

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON.

COOPERSTOWN, - - DAKOTA.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., Sept. 28, 1885.
Notice is hereby given that the following named
settler has filed notice of his intention to make
final proof in support of his claim and secure final
entry thereof on the 15th day of November, 1885,
viz: James Burdick, H. E. No. 96.49 for the swa
of sec. 8, Tp. 14N., R. 57 W., and names the following
as his witnesses, viz: Svendsen Nelson, Eding
Nelson, Harry H. Jones, and Steven Palmer, all
of Aneta, Nelson county, D. T.
The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be
taken before the judge of the district court for
Steele county, Dak., or in his absence before
Charles H. Ward, clerk of the district court at
Sherbrooke, Steele county, D. T., on the 14th day
of Nov. A. D. 1885, at his office,
38-43
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

THEO. F. KERR, M. D.

Physician and Surgeon

Cooperstown, Dakota.

BANK OF COOPERSTOWN

Stevens & Pickett,

(Successors to Lenham & Burrell.)

—A GENERAL—

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INTEREST PAID ON TIME DE-
POSITS—NEGOTIABLE FOR NON
RESIDENTS FIRST MORT-
GAGE LOANS BEAR-
ING INTEREST

At 10 and 12 Per Cent.
Interest on City Prop-
erty and Improv-
ed Farms.

County and School Secur-
ities Bought and Sold.

Insurance written in the best companies
at reasonable rates. A large amount
of city property, together with
improved and unimproved
farms for sale. Send for

H. G. PICKETT, Cashier.

FLOOD & STEWART,

Contractors and Builders!

CARPENTERS and JOINERS.

Building Plans, Specification and Estimates Fur-
nished.

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—COOPERSTOWN, DAK.—

JAMES MUIR & CO., Contractors and Builders.

Plans and estimates for building care-
fully prepared. All carpenter
work promptly attended to.

COOPERSTOWN, Dak.

G. F. NEWELL, DRUGGIST,

Cooperstown, - - Dakota.