

# COURIER

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL.

B. R. Brown went to Sanborn Thursday and purchased a good work team.

J. M. Burrell and wife, of Sanborn, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Crane, Thursday.

H. Gillespie has a new driving horse, and a good one.

The COURIER office is doing considerable job work. Another invoice of job stock received.

F. E. Noble, S. S. Thoreson, St. Paul, and P. Williams, of Fargo, were in town Thursday.

Rev. O. D. Printon had a large congregation Sunday evening, and preached ably from Paul's epistle to the Thessalonians.

Miss Christine Bauer has given up her German classes, and will teach English this summer. Miss Bauer is a very competent instructor and will have a good school wherever it is located.

We have been invited to go out goose hunting several times this spring, but have uniformly declined—first, because it is again the law; second because we have chased geese all that we want to. Hereafter if any geese desire to be shot they must call at the office between the hours of 9 a. m. and 6 p. m.

If any of the COURIER subscribers object to being dunned for subscription they can stop dunning by calling around at once and paying up. All subscribers paying up back subscription and a year in advance, will get a chromo or agricultural paper for a year. Men that can and want pay we shall have to send for.

When Captain Simington crossed the Atlantic with his father and mother (it seems that he is old countryman), the mighty Atlantic once buried the ship—kerbiff! swish—it threw Simington Sr. out of his berth twenty feet into the lee scuppern, supposing that the vessel had struck a snag, run over a whale's back, or tilted against the grand banks. Harry went up stairs and formed the captain that his father was not to such rough play, and they ought to run a little more carefully or he would know the reason why. All the captain said was, blankety, blank, shiver my timbers, dush me eyes, do take this yet herean for Gaces Creek in fly time.

### The Bearded Family.

WILLow, D. T., April 18th, 1887.  
Ed. Courier  
I send you the report of the chemist H. Nollner & Co., of Minneapolis, Gilson's earli soap. One pound of tains:

Magnesium bicarbonate..... 67  
Cesium.....  
Sodium chloride.....  
Earth and unknown matter.....  
Ferrous oxide.....  
Oleum morium Indium.....

Parties are taking claims out all over here on the railroad land. They think that the vein runs northeast toward Coleman's land.

Yours truly,  
M. V. NELSON

It is now certain that Maj. (not Col. or Gen.) Reutern was killed by the czar under the following circumstances: The czar had set him to write letters which would take him two hours, and had him to bring them to him when ready. Maj. Reutern consequently calculated being left undisturbed for a couple of hours, and though working in a room joining the czar's, fixed a cigar in a holder and began smoking. The czar denly re-entered. Reutern, confused being caught smoking, hastily placed cigar and holder behind his back. The czar fancied he saw a pistol about to fire. He drew a revolver and shot Reutern. He was agast on discovering mistake, and sent one of his trusty aides de camp to the Reutern family explain the fatal misconception and press his deep regret. The family not did not give the newspapers the information of Reutern's death, but still maintained that he died a natural death.—Paris London Times.

At a Paris menagerie. Spectators ting with the wife of the lion tamer: "Is it true, madam, that a lion 5,000 francs?" "That depends; there are lions lions." "But your lions; for instance, Brutus I would not sell for 1 franc. He devoured my first husband.—Foreign Exchange.

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...ment, he thought, was gaining strength. Crime was alleged to be on the increase with this sentiment; but that the allegation emanated from saloons, and not from reliable statistics. The converse of the proposition was true—with prohibition crime decreased. The lecturer gave some reliable statistics. In conclusion he stated that the consumer was as responsible as the dealer, and cautioned the mothers to bring up their children with a knowledge of the evil. The music was furnished by the choir of both the Congregational and Baptist churches, and was unusually good.

### Read Clark & Smart's new "ad."

Mrs. Edwin Bradley got started for Liverpool, Monday.

H. G. Pickett thinks that Great Falls is destined to be a great place.

Wm. McCulloch is uncertain whether he will start a railroad to Jessie, or not.

Miss Berdie Langford will open a term of school in the district just west of town, Monday.

James Christie has the contract for the new Baptist church, and is drawing the specifications.

Dr. Newell says it is rather lonesome without Mrs. N., but as long as she is contented he won't quarrel.

John Syverson & Co. are about to connect the general store with the furniture department by an archway.

The Ladies' Sewing circle of the Baptist church, met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. C. T. Whidden.

James Glass will leave for the Mouse river country in a couple of weeks. He intends locating at Bottineau.

J. A. Lawrence does not admire the Missouri river. He thinks it a disgrace to the country, and ought to be filled up.

Geo. Clark left Saturday morning for his old home in Michigan. He will stop in St. Paul and Chicago and order new goods for the store.

Secretary Johnson desecrated the Sabbath by taking Contractor Muir to the top of a high hill to tempt him with a quarter section of land.

W. C. Jameson & Co., are carrying a fine line of periodicals and newspapers. As this branch of business is an unprofitable one the firm should be liberal y pa rcalized.

A correspondent at Willow writes us a letter concerning the liquor trade at that place, which is too late for publication. He thinks the grand jury will have its hands full.

L. O. Larson, of Lee, was in town Saturday. He subscribed for the COURIER and purchased some blanks, etc. Mr. Larson stated that he had seeded forty acres, and is still at it.

There is to be a new depot and a new brick hotel at Sanborn. Jos. Dam says he shall close his neat little hotel May 1st. Under the direction of Mrs. Dam the table has been the best on the line.

J. M. Burrell claims an absolute title to the land in Cooperstown on which the Cargill elevator is situated, and has commenced an ejection suit to recover it. The action was commenced in Cass county.

Homer E. Sargent, formerly of the N. P. R. R., has attached property of C. F. Kindred, in Barnes, Steele and Griggs counties to secure a claim of \$11,500. W. P. Miller of Fargo, is Mr. Sargent's attorney.

"In Memoriam," in another column, is the tender tribute paid to the late F. M. Rockwell by one of his parishioners at the Congregational church, Sunday, and which was read by Rev. Geo. B. Frost.

Mrs. J. F. Bronson and Mrs. Biggs, of Sanborn came up Saturday night and spent Sunday in Cooperstown, the guests of Mr. F. B. Leavitt and wife. They attended the services at the Congregational church in the morning.

John McCulloch returned from St. Marys, Ontario, with his bride (nee Miss Abbie Nichols), Friday evening. They were married at the Presbyterian church in St. Marys, by Rev. E. F. Turnbull, Tuesday, April 12th. They are now on the farm at Jessie.

S. K. Skagen, who was taken to the Jamestown asylum two weeks ago, is one of the most violent maniacs in the institution. He is kept in a padded cell and it is necessary to use a straight jacket on him occasionally. The superintendent thinks he will get better.

Several hundred dollars are due the COURIER from subscribers, and all who know themselves to be delinquent will please step to the front and exhibit their silver or declare their good intentions. The COURIER is easy with its subscribers, but this is only upon the presumption that they intend to PAY.

C. H. Frost says he will not take the COURIER out of the office again—it abuses the democratic party. Lord! child, it isn't the democratic party the COURIER is after, but the mugwumps and anarchists. We think the good deuce's conscience won't let him read the COURIER until he pays up his back subscription, unless, perhaps he is a—mugwump.

Abe Lent, the section foreman at Ham aford, had a narrow escape Friday. The hand car was running heavily loaded, at the rate of 15 miles an hour, when the breaks were suddenly applied. Abe was standing up. The car slacked its speed suddenly, and Abe was thrown forward and the car ran over him. He was badly bruised, but is hobbling around.

The annual convention of the Baptist Association of North Dakota, together with the Sunday school convention, will be held at Cooperstown on the 24th, 25th and 26th days of June next. Rev. E. F. Jordan, formerly located here, will deliver the sermon on Sunday the 26th of June. Last year the convention was held at Lisbon. The Congregational convention will also be held here—date not yet fixed.

(Additional local in Supplement and on 8th page.)

### To Ladies.

Call on Mrs. O. C. Ford for Millinery Goods. She has just received a fine stock direct from New York. Do not buy until you call and see her stock and get prices.

### For Sale.

A good yoke of heavy work oxen. Enquire of E. W. Blackwell, at the Gull River Lumber Company's office.

### Herding! Herding!

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Rates—\$1.50 per head for the season.  
J. W. FISKE.

### A Slight Mistake.

Saturday morning Mrs. Bradley was summoned to the train for Liverpool at the expense of the county. Upon her hurried arrival at the depot it was discovered that the transportation purchased for her by District Attorney Jacobson, was between New York and Liverpool. The depot at Cooperstown, unfortunately, was two thousand miles from New York, so she returned to her boarding place for a fresh start.

## NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

### Romness.

A petition to the board of county county commissioners has been circulated, asking for a civil township organization of town 147, range 60.

Martin Johnson lost a valuable horse recently.

John Carlson has been building a barn for Andrew C. Kaudren.

Services were held at Torfin's school house last Friday, O. K. Quamme, pastor.

The ribbon badges ordered by the Temperance Society have arrived, and bear the following inscription:  
"Tis here we pledge perpetual hate,  
To all that can intoxicate."

Mr. Louis Anderson has rented his farm to Mr. Lynner. Mr. Anderson's land produced 22 bushels of No. 1 hard per acre last year.

The Ladies' Aid society will meet at the residence of Mrs. A. V. Johansen the first Wednesday in May.

Hans Hohl has rented his farm, sold his cow and chickens, and says he will go to Milk river.

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### Gallatin.

It had the appearance of spring before this cold snap came along.

Robbins and blackbirds have returned from their southern home.

The river is not high, but raised a little with the rain. The ice is breaking into huge cakes and will soon go out.

Glen Drew was down to the river after a little fuel.

Arne Luckeson is seeding, this season, with his seeder and wagon attached, and it can be heard grinding for miles.

What has become of Simon Orin? I expected to see him swimming the river after wood. He will be around soon.

Editor Simpson, of Hope, got tired of seeing his son Robert loitering around, and turned him into a printer's devil.

We had a nice rain last week, and we farmers can stand a lot more. Seeding was stopped, but has commenced again in full blast.

### Diphtherial Diphtherial

Fever!! Fever!! Fever!!  
Blood poisoning and a host of other bodily ills lie in that pile of filth and garbage outside the kitchen door. Go out and stir it up a little; don't great clouds of "incense" offend your sense of smell, your sense of cleanliness, your sense of general decency and neatness?  
The warm days that are just now beginning to cheer us, will also bring sorrow and regret if the same is allowed to do its deadly work on these fermenting heaps.  
Preserve your health; save your doctor's bills; be clean for the public good if not for your own sake. Haul the stuff away before you are called on by the board of health. B. H.

### Health Notice.

Notice is hereby given that all parties hereafter found dumping manure, garbage, dead animals or filth of any kind inside the limits of Cooperstown township, will be proceeded against according to the law respecting nuisances. Loud complaints are made against nuisances already existing and their increase must be stopped. By order of the  
BOARD OF HEALTH  
of Griggs County.

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## JOHN PASHLEY, PROP.

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