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R. R. Guide.

The Cooperstown train leaves for Sanborn at
8:30 a. m.; arrives 11:10 a. m., connecting with the
Jamestown Accommodation, west. Train leaves
Sanborn for Cooperstown 4:30 p. m. Pacific Ex-
press leaves Sanborn for Bismarck 7:03 a. m. Ex-
press trains leave Sanborn for Fargo 10:10 p. m.
and 4:25 p. m. Fargo Accommodation leaves
Sanborn 8:30 a. m.

AROUND TOWN.

Wheat 65 cents.

July 4th.

A meeting of citizens was had at the court house
Monday, when it was determined to celebrate, and
to celebrate in the city. The meeting was well at-
tended by the principal business men in town. R.
C. Cooper was chosen chairman, Maynard Crane,
secretary. A finance committee consisting of
Messrs. Syverson, Lawrence, and Crane was ap-
pointed by the chair. These gentlemen are all
active business men, and it is expected that under
their energetic work plenty of money will be re-
alized to render the Cooperstown celebration the
most attractive in this section of the country.
About \$250 was realized in a half hour's work
Monday evening.

A committee on grounds, consisting of Messrs
Simington, Alex. Glass, and E. C. Ward was ap-
pointed. The well known energy and public
spirit of these gentlemen guarantees the race track
in perfect condition, a base ball ground equal to
any, and a half acre of canvas and arbor. The
committee on music: F. H. Adams, Anton Enger
and P. A. Melgard. The well known musical
genius of Messrs Enger and Melgard is a guaranty
that a good band will be in attendance. The Valley
City band has been invited and may accept.

The chairman of these committees constitute the
executive committee and committee of general ar-
rangements.

C. M. MacLaren and David Bartlett have been
invited to address the people on Independence
Day. The judge has been obliged to decline on
account of his early departure, while Mr. Bartlett
prefers a speaker from abroad, but will help us
out in an emergency.

The Valley City Junior band of twenty pieces,
will attend the celebration on the Fourth—also the
celebrated ball club from that town.

The Sanborn boys are all coming up the 4th.

Gopher Jack, the famous scout, will exhibit his
skill on the Fourth.

Sheriff Waldon, accompanied by Mr. John J.
Wamburg, James McCalom, and Robt Cannon,
arrested for forgery, drove up from Valley City
to-day, and left the prisoner Cannon in the cooler,
to await the grand jury.

M. M. Robinson has rented the old Johnson
building and will put in a restaurant and confectionery
store.

A letter from President Loucks, of the Farmers'
Alliance, to the editor, says: "All being well,
I will be in Griggs county (presume in Cooper-
stown), to meet with the farmers, and would be
glad to meet all who takes an interest in farmers
organizations. I have written Mr. Sprague to
make the necessary arrangements and try to be
with me at the meeting; would be glad to have
you take an interest in the meeting as well as in
the organization, knowing that your sympathies
are with us."

Mr. Geo. Greenleese, after a pleasant visit among
his old friends in Cooperstown, will leave, Mon-
day, for Montreal.

The court house sidewalk is laid, and our offi-
cials can quit pacing and get down to a square
foot.

Geo. Bathey, Will Carlton, and other farmers
called in Saturday and informed us of a prospec-
tive 25 bushel yield this season.

Mr. F. B. Leavitt was observed on our streets
last week. Mr. L. has been up town twice since
last October, and Mrs. L. is getting worried about
him. He never used to be so giddy.

John McDermott's fast mare, Lady Emma, is
at the Grand Forks Driving park, under training
by M. Bush.

The commissioners should contract with the N.
P. people for about 25 car loads of gravel from the
creek, for Burrell avenue. The street is being
well graded by Supervisor Retzlaff and a little
gravel is essential.

The Sabbath school of the Congregational
church will observe "Children's Day," with ap-
propriate exercises and floral decorations, next Sab-
bath, at 5 o'clock p. m. In the morning the pastor
will preach a sermon to parents. All are cordially
invited to both services.

Furrows have been plowed, and a shallow trench
dug on the east side of the walk leading to the court
house to prevent teams from crossing.

Bert Bloom came in from the farm Wednesday,
looking hale and hearty as ever.

James Christie and Ed. Ross have been busy
this week preparing the court room ready for the
first term of court, while Miller and
Lahr were at work scrubbing the steps and cor-
ridors. A fine carpet has been laid and everything
will be in apple pie order for hissoner, Tuesday.

Mrs. M. W. Lawrence returned Tuesday evening
from a visit to St. Louis, accompanied by two
younger sisters and a brother, who will remain
here a few weeks as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L.

Fred King is cultivating, with pride, a fine (?)
growth of hirsute on his upper lip. As it is his
"first born" he is very proud of it.

Mrs. E. Nelson, mother of Judge P. E. Nelson,
died at her home north of town, Wednesday morn-
ing. The funeral services were conducted this
(Friday) morning by Rev. Geo. B. Frost.

5:30 a. m. Sale of 111 guns.
10:30 a. m. Celebration parade to Fair
Grounds, headed by brass band.
10:30 a. m. Running Race (Free for all), \$25 to
winner.
11:00 a. m. Trotting Race (Three minute class),
\$25 to winner.
11:30 a. m. Pony Race (Limited to 800 pound
horses), \$10 to winner.
12 m. Address by David Bartlett.
12:30 p. m. Peora Blackbird Trap Shooting Con-
test. Purse \$45—\$30 to first; \$15 to second—ten
birds.
3 p. m. Matched game of Base Ball—\$50 to win-
ner.
To be followed by a greased pole contest, sack
race, and greased pig chase for valuable prizes.
"Let 'er go Galliger" Bowery Dance commences
at 8 p. m., sharp.
9:00 p. m. Grand Display of Fire Works—Fines'
in North Dakota.
10:00 p. m. Grand Ball. Music—Brass and String
Band.

Marshall of the Day—Kend Thompson.
Master of Ceremonies—E. W. Blackwell.
All communications should be addressed to
Maynard Crane, Secretary.

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Clough
in Carrington, Cooperstown, Sanborn, and Daw-
son, will regret to hear that they were burned out
—store, dwelling, stock, and furniture—at Lake
Linden, Michigan May 30. The fire was one of the
most severe recorded in the State. Fifty acres of
the town-site was swept clean; not a store was
left; three hundred were made homeless; loss is
figured at a million and a quarter of dollars, with
insurance at about four hundred thousand.—Ex.

There is a rumor that Gen. Geo. F. Wilson is to
go to the Northern Pacific in place of Colonel
Clough. The many Dakota and Minnesota friends
of the gallant and popular General will be re-
joiced to learn that the rumor is confirmed.—Ar-
gs.

Mr. James Glass, in a letter ordering the address
of his COURIER changed, says: "You will please
change the address of my paper from Helena to
Wicks, as I am now at the latter place in the em-
ploy of the Montana Central railroad as assistant
surveyor; I am well pleased with my change, as I
am making \$40 per month clear of expense, with
a prospect of a raise. We had quite a snow storm
here yesterday (June 2nd); the mountains are
pretty well covered all around."

Miss May Davis has returned to Michigan.

Miss Kittie Campbell, of Glyndon, is visiting
Mrs. R. C. Brophy.

H. Retzlaff is agent for the new "and shake"
Minnesota Chief separator and engine. See his
new "ad" in another column.

Read M. L. Michaels' new machine card. He
is agent for the Deering.

R. C. Brophy, at Hannaford, is handling the
celebrated Buffalo Pitts thresher, the Deering and
Osborne binders. M. L. Michaels handles the
same machines here. If you must have machinery
consult our columns for bargains.

The water about exhibited on the southwestern
horizon, Monday, is said to have been in Spirit-
wood lake, and was seen all over the country. It
was preceded by a cyclone which passed over
northern Stutsman county, devastating a streak 30
miles wide, tearing down one farm house and in-
juring an old couple so that one of them had to be
killed. They were grazing on the prairie, and
were caught up by the "cane" and badly broken up.

We publish this week notice of the dissolution
of Glass & MacLaren. Mr. Bartlett succeeds the
Judge, and, being well acquainted in the county,
a gentleman of ability and long experience, will
undoubtedly prosper. Mr. Glass still remains at
the head of the land department.

F. B. Leavitt. I believe in the high license
system—in granting a license, which shall decrease
the number of saloons. In any event the laws
should be enforced.

R. C. Cooper, Knud Thompson, and W. R.
Whidden are "no slouches" in laying a sidewalk.

WOOL! WOOL! WOOL!
Bring your wool to Lawrence Bros. 21-1f

A large invoice of clothing and furnishing goods
just received at Lawrence Bros. Call and inspect
them. 21-1f

John R. Monson, the Aneta merchant was in
town, Monday, made the Couriers a pleasant call
and got some of our blanks.

Mr. A. M. Sinclair favors us with a V on sub-
scription.

Mrs. Hodge returned Saturday from a visit
among friends in the country.

A hundred cents on the dollar will be paid at
the "Concrete" store for Griggs county warrants—
in trade—remember the place. 20-1f

Buffalo bones—bones—we are after bones. Cow
bones not purchased at the "Concert" store.

W. F. Wood and bride, of Hope, were guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Joel Jameson, Sunday.

Mr. John Kennedy favors us with renewed sub-
scription.

The Congregational conference will be held in
Cooperstown next week, commencing Tuesday
evening.

BLIND PIG COLUMN.

Now that the Jacobson-Berg paper has, in its
alleged mind, driven out Rev. Geo. B. Frost, for
endeavoring to enforce the law against the illicit
sale of liquor, its mission seems about accom-
plished.

The Independent outfit is paid for. The pre-
dictors don't have to execute mortgage on the
"one horse printing outfit."—Independent June
2nd.

Berg in the Independent disagrees with Berg
in the office of register of deeds. Chattie mor-
gage No. 5011, to The Minnesota Type Foundry is
upon their beautiful lot of track, and the notes
secured by it are yet due and unpaid.

It breaks us all up to be accused by Jo. Vallan-
digham and Jacobson of being loaded with beer.
Jo. must have written that item after he had en-
joyed the free swill poured out in the trough at the
closing of the blind pig.

These will be a meeting of Cooperstown Al-
liance at 8 o'clock, June 23, at the court house
Cooperstown. Putnam, however, as it will be to
your advantage.

W. E. CAMERON, Secretary.
For Sale.

Fifty Poland China pigs for sale—cheap. En-
quire of or address W. C. JIMESON,
Cooperstown, Dak.

GOPHER TAILS! GOPHER TAILS!!
Gopher tail certificates taken at the Concrete
store, at face value—in trade.

Base Ball.
HANNAFORD, Dak., June 6th, 1887.

Ed. Courier:
The Hannaford Base Ball club has been organ-
ized some time, with W. D. Mills as captain, and
A. Sinclair secretary, and is now ready to receive
challenges from any other club in Griggs county.
Cox.

Miss Lou Almsted and little Mildred Brophy re-
turned from Duluth, Wednesday.

Exchange your gopher tails for powder and shot
and goods of all kinds at
LAWRENCE BROS. 21-1f

Mr. John McCulloch and wife visited the termi-
nal town, Saturday.

Gopher tails taken as legal tender—three cents
apiece at Lawrence Bros., in exchange for ammuni-
tion and goods of all kinds. 21-1f

H. G. Tiffany and wife came in from the farm,
Monday. Some of H. G.'s domestic geese were
served to the guests of the Palace—for dinner.

Knight of the grip Shimmers, of St. Paul, came
up on Monday's train.

A nice heavy rain Monday, for about two hours,
made our farmers and business men look happy
and smiling.

The St. Paul F. and M. Ins. Co.—in hall, not
the cheapest, but the best.
In fire, both cheaper and best.
Don't fail to see me before insuring—you will
save money and save worry. 21-1f H. G. PICKETT.

FOURTH OF JULY.
FIRE WORKS! FIRE WORKS!
The largest assortment of fire works ever
brought to Cooperstown. 21-1f E. C. WARD.

Just received 2,000 imported and domestic cig-
ars at Ward's 21-1f

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.
Gallatin.

Some one has moved the corner stakes of Sec.
16 over on 15.

Arno Luckerson is breaking meadow, hill and
dale, where water used to stand a few years ago,
and intends sowing in to grass.

Postmaster Atchison was intending to break 40
acres this season, but finds it too wet.

Mr. Taddy, Cr., has caught several pounds of
fish this spring.

We will have some fine strawberries ere long if
no more frosts come.

A light frost last week, cut down the garden
stuff to quite an extent.

A large soon has been seen around here lately.
It will be well for the farmers to keep their hen
houses well secured 'tighs.

Willow.
Ben Kuhns says: "If Uncle Hi Williams goes
to running his old canal out this way, he will
throw the dammed thing into Willow Lake and
drown it there.

Mr. Jameson lost a valuable mare and foal
last week.

Pratt's 'tams' wild geese are roaming at large
about town. Look to them, George, or they will
get into the pound.

Those Sunday school books were brought back
all right, and the boys feel as small over their lit-
tle escapade as they would at being caught robbing
a hen roost, especially the ex-S. S. Supt.

Jo B. now owns a balky bay cow, but he will
break her—or his neck.

We hear that Editor Iver Jo Berg is coming up,
armed with a bottle of Old Hermitage and Old
Grow—bar, to move our school house. The blind
pig over at Calamity corner will help push. Shove
her along boys, Clark says he will be an acre of
land and if you succeed in your laudable under-
taking.

Gid Sheldon is plastering Art Know and Jo Buch-
heit's houses. Gid's mechanical requirements are
quite varied; he is a blacksmith, carpenter, stone-
mason, bricklayer, plasterer, a farmer, and a gen-
eral utility man. CHRIS X.

Drury Lane on Boxing Night.

It was a sight to be remembered to en-
ter Drury Lane on Boxing night before
the curtain rose. Although the snow and
slush were ankle deep, people were wait-
ing at the pit doors early in the afternoon,
and soon after the doors opened the grand
auditorium was packed with a dense mob
of good natured humanity. When the or-
chestra appeared they were received with
a shout of delight, and the leader, instead
of taking his seat to conduct the overture,
turned his face to the audience to lead
them in singing; and sing they did with a
will. The overture was a medley of popu-
lar airs, beginning loyally with "God
Bless the Prince of Wales" and ending
with "God Save the Queen," and inter-
spersed with "Two Jolly Black Eyes" and
other merrily hall ditties.

From beginning to end the songs were
taken up in succession and sung lustily by
a thousand voices. Imagine a scene like
that in an American theatre if you can.
The play was filled with gorgeous dresses
of splendid fabrics and brilliant scenery,
and on these the gallery commented
freely, the whistles at times evoking
peals of laughter.—London Cor. New York
Graphic.

A Nival of Pasteur.

A Spanish physician has lately discov-
ered that inoculation with the virus of
certain snakes is a preservative against
hydrophobia in man and animals. He has
made a vast number of observations on
dogs that have been bitten by vipers, and
has found that they are incompetent to
take the disease when afterward bitten by
hydrophobic dogs. Vaccination with this
virus produces little or no inconvenience,
only a temporary malaise with trifling
fever.—Medical World.

THE DEERING
"All Steel" Binder and Bundle Carrier,
The Deering Giant Mower, 5, 6, and 7 Ft. cut.
The New Deering 4 1-2 Ft. cut.
The Deering Twine.
M L MICHAELS, AGT.,
COOPERSTOWN, DAKOTA.

THRESHERMEN!
Don't buy a Thresher or Engine until you see and have examined the new
END SHAKE
MINNESOTA CHIEF
(DAKOTA STYLE SEPARATOR.)
Record made in 1886, on Trill farm of 2837 bushels of wheat, and 3923 of oats
on Child's farm, at Crookston. The simplest and best straw burning engine on
wheels. Samples will be in Cooperstown about June 20th. For sale by
H. RETZLAFF.

SAMPLE ROOMS. LIVERY STABLE ADJACENT.
PALACE HOTEL
COOPERSTOWN, D. T.
This house is one of the most commodious be-
tween the Red and James River Valleys, and it
will be the aim of the manager to make it a pleasant
home for residents, and a convenient hostelry for
the traveling public. The patronage of the public
is solicited that the house may be kept up to a first
class standard.
JOHN PASHLEY, PROP.

Wm C. JIMESON & CO.
—DEALERS IN—
Groceries, Fruits, Vegetables,
STATIONERY, ETC.
The Highest Market Price Paid for all Kinds of FARM
PRODUCE in Exchange for Goods.

BROPHY, & CO.
HANNAFORD, D. T.
BUY WHEAT,
—And all kinds of—
COUNTRY PRODUCE
• And carry in stock Flour, Feed, Lumber, Coal,
Wood, and a full line of
GENERAL MERCHANDISE.
Groceries, Dry Goods, Clothing, Hardware, etc. Cooperstown and Dazey prices
duplicated in every case. If you want to sell produce, or buy goods, make
bee-line for Hannaford, and you will make no mistake. If you don't believe I
give us a trial, and we will convince you.

PATTISON HOTEL,
DAZEY, D. T.
W. L. PATTISON, PROPRIETOR.
This house now offers accommodations superior to
any hotel on the
SANBORN & COOPERSTOWN RAILROAD.
A good Barn and Livery in connection with the House.
—CALL AND SEE ME.