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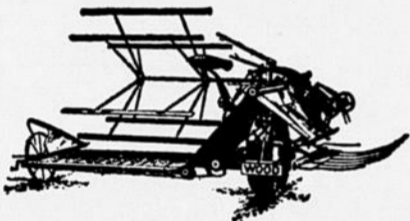
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Wheat, 65 cents for No. 1 hard.
 T. E. Lahart left yesterday for Iowa.
 C. Dawdy is selling harvest whips at cost.
 Mrs. C. H. Williams visited at Sherbrooke on Monday.
 Mrs. B. T. Williams, of Colgate, is recovering from a severe case of croup.
 Capt. Wilcox and family have moved out to the farm to remain during harvest.
 Master Dennis Waseem returned on Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Tower City.
 Mr. E. H. Badger has moved into the premises lately occupied by Mr. Wamberg.
 Mr. H. L. Smith on Wednesday commenced the erection of a dwelling on Ingalls avenue.
 W. S. Hyde, agent for the International cyclopedica, drove in from Hannaford on Monday.
 Mrs. H. H. Waseem, who has been confined to her bed for some weeks, is again able to be about.
 Harry Baker returned from Fargo Saturday, where he attended the Talmage lecture the evening before.
 Over sixty binders were sold in Hope the present season, being a pretty good record for a short crop year.

Frank Hill has just erected a wind mill at his farm, which will save a vast amount of labor in pumping water.
 Rev. F. W. Baldwin of Chelsea, Mass., a half brother of D. P. Baldwin, of Sherbrooke, arrived on yesterday's train.
 The Broadbent farm has again changed hands, Mr. C. E. Brown having disposed of it to Mr. McKwin, of Minneapolis.
 Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen, of Fairbault, Minn., arrived yesterday and will spend some time visiting with their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Larimore.
 Mr. J. J. Wamberg went to Fargo Monday to attend a meeting of the pharmaceutical association of North Dakota, and returned yesterday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church will give an ice cream festival Saturday evening, at the Arcade building. All are invited.
 Harvesting is general all along the line, the warm weather having caused the wheat to ripen rapidly. We hear some complaint of rust in oats.
 C. V. Russ yesterday weighed a pair of colts three months and a half old that weighed 1,110 pounds, and Chancey wants to know who in Steele, or any other county, can beat this.
 Banker Edwards of Mayville, and Mr. Colyer of the same place, were in town Wednesday on their way home from making a tour of the country, examining the condition of the crops.
 Rev. F. W. Baldwin, pastor of the First Congregational church, Chelsea, Mass., will preach in the Hope Methodist church, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Usual services in the evening.
 The republican caucus at Sherbrooke resulted in the election of E. S. Seymour and W. A. Whitlow as delegate to the convention. In Colgate township Laor King and B. M. Hervey were also elected.

Rev. F. W. Baldwin, of Chelsea, Mass., will preach in the Hope Methodist church next Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. S. B. Mahoney will preach in the morning. All are cordially invited.
 Dr. Phillip received word from Dr. Langdon, veterinary for North Dakota, that he will arrive in Hope either Saturday or Tuesday to inspect a number of horses in this county supposed to be afflicted with the glanders.

William Milligan visited Hunter last Sunday to try and induce the Hunter boys to come over and play a game of ball, but owing to the harvest being at hand, it was deemed best to postpone it to some future occasion.
 At the republican caucus held last evening the following delegates were chosen to attend the republican county convention to be held at Sherbrooke to-morrow: H. L. Smith, C. G. Merriell, J. D. Brown, P. P. Rice and J. J. Wamberg.

In a note received yesterday from Delegate E. D. Wallace, he says: "The most of the constitution has gone through the convention and been sent to the committee on revision. I hope we may finish this week, but am not certain we will."
 The house of Evan Davis, in Greenview township, was destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon with the entire contents. At the time of the fire Mrs. Davis was alone in the house and did her utmost to stop the flames, but without avail. The loss is estimated at about \$700.

Born—Tuesday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Luce, an eight monthling. Her eyes appear to be walking on eggs she steps so lightly around, and has been heard to remark that a short wheat crop had no terrors for him.
 The Hope orchestra will begin a course of dances of eight nights for \$5, first dance to begin Aug. 30th, 1889. All persons wishing to have a good time should be there on the first night. Tickets will be sold at Bank of Hope for a full term, or for any less number of nights. Arrangements will be made by the members of the club on the first night as to time and frequency of said dances.

The many friends of Capt. Wm. Faulker and family, in this vicinity, will regret to learn that the Captain has sold his fine farm near Colgate, and that on Tuesday next the family will leave for St. Paul, in which city they expect to make their future residence. They carry with them the best wishes of their neighbors and friends. Messrs. E. H. and Charles Davis, of Fargo, are the purchasers, and have taken possession and will harvest the crop.

Supt. C. H. Jenks, writing to Mr. E. D. Wallace, chairman of the Farmers' alliance committee appointed to correspond with the railroad officials in regard to the ere tion of a platform for loading cars at Hope, says: "Your letter of the 10th ultimo, to Mr. Manvel, in regard to the erection of a platform there has been referred to me. In reply permit me to say that at the present time we have no available room that we can assign you for this purpose, as we are likely to make some changes in our system of tracks at that place. Under other circumstances we should be very glad to accommodate you, and trust you will be able to defer your request until

some time in the future. If at any time during the season the elevators do not perform their duties in a satisfactory manner, we will be glad to furnish you cars that you may ship your own wheat, and will do our utmost to furnish the cars promptly.

Dr. Phillip was called on Friday last to hold an inquest on the body of Andrew Anderson, a Dane, who died at the home of E. G. Erickson, in Norman township, Steele county. From the testimony before the coroner's jury it appears that on August first Erickson went to Northwood and employed the deceased and a man by the name of Thomas Buckley to work during harvest. The three men had been drinking while at Northwood, though it is claimed that at the time they were not under the influence of liquor. They started from Northwood about 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Anderson was seated on the dash board driving when the team made a sudden start throwing him to the ground, the front wheels of the wagon passing over him. He was picked up and carried to Erickson's house and put to bed, complaining of some pain, but it was not thought serious. During the night he called for water several times, which was supplied by Erickson's son. When the boy awoke in the morning he found Anderson on the floor dead. The coroner's jury returned a verdict in accordance with the facts. Anderson had only been in Dakota a few weeks. He was 5 feet 4 inches in height, weighed about 125 pounds, had light brown hair and grey eyes. He claimed to be a widower, and came from Sioux City, Iowa, to Dakota.

Minneapolis is enjoying a first class sensation in the shape of a \$227,000 forgery committed by one of the "upper ten" of the Flour city. The eminent financier who has been able to accomplish this stupendous fraud is a young attorney by the name of J. Frank Colton, the trusted and confidential agent of John T. Blaisdell, whose name he forged to notes and other paper to the amount above stated. He is the son of one of the wealthiest men in Minneapolis, and for some time past has been living in gorgeous style in a handsome Portland avenue home. The money has all been squandered in wild speculations. Of course, it is mortifying to the pride of Minneapolis that this young adept in the art of penmanship didn't himself get to Canada and thereby secure the Flour city the same amount of advertising usually bestowed on the financial achievements of defuncts in Eastern cities, but the consolation remains that the forgery is for a big round sum and not for a beggarly few thousands.

Sensors Reagan and Stewart of the senate irrigation committee, arrived in Aberdeen last Sunday and were met by a large crowd. An exhibition of the artesian well was given and a public meeting held at the opera house. Both senators announce the conviction that irrigation by artesian wells is practicable. Senator Reagan said that land now worth from \$6 to \$10 when properly irrigated would be worth \$20 per acre. Senator Stewart argued the demoralization of silver at length, denouncing the money bags of Wall street, and calling up on the people of the north states to elect senators and representatives who will help break the influence of the bondholders.

Irrigation.
 Says a Bismarck special to the Fargo Republican: "The prolonged uncertainty of the rainfall in North Dakota renders the question of irrigation one of the most important with which the people have to deal. The prospect of securing national aid to bore the wells and provide lake reservoirs have greatly stimulated the hopes of the settlers. The senators and representatives who are chosen by the two Dakota states this fall will be expected to give the subject thorough attention at Washington. The plan of securing flowing wells and running them into lake beds in the semi-arid regions of North Dakota is practically beyond question, and the senate commission after hearing the testimony, will undoubtedly be ready to render active aid. The hundreds of alkali lake beds will furnish the necessary reservoirs and in addition to holding the water until it is of the right temperature to nourish the crops, the alkali that the water will take with it when used for irrigating purposes will nourish the stock of the grain and become an active fertilizer in soil where the essential ingredients for rendering the stock vigorous and killing the berry full have been exhausted. Most of the water secured by means of artesian wells is too cold for vegetation until it has lain on the surface for some time. It needs to be brought to the temperature of falling rain. If it can be made still warmer it will be beneficial to growing crops. This artesian well project has a political bearing. It may be that hard work will be necessary to secure favorable legislation in the house of representatives, and the members of the lower house who represent the two Dakotas should be well informed on the question and earnestly devoted to the enterprise."

Going to Trial.
 Among the passengers on the Manitoba train from the north, last evening, were Chief Hubbard of Chicago, and six or eight detectives, who had in charge Burke, the supposed murderer of Dr. Crowin. The prisoner, the chief, and two or three of the detectives, were seated in the small smoking room at the rear end of one of the sleepers. Burke was handcuffed and his feet were shackled and securely chained to the floor. Thus secured and surrounded by officers, he sat quietly puffing away at a short stemmed cow pipe. While the train stopped here and at Moorhead, both doors of the sleeper and the door of the smoking room, were locked; the curtains of both windows of the room were drawn; and in front of the smoking car door several detectives were stationed. In Moorhead, Burke's supper was brought into the car, but no one was allowed to speak to, or get near him, and only one or two succeeded in even getting a glimpse of him. As the train pulled out of Moorhead, one of the window curtains was raised, but it was too late to afford the crowd an opportunity to gratify their curiosity. Chief Hubbard expressed his determination to keep Burke secluded till he reached Chicago, and to admit no reporters under any circumstances. A large crowd had gathered both at Fargo and Moorhead depots, and were greatly disappointed at not seeing the man of whom they had heard so much.—*Fargo Republican.*

Hope Wheat Market.
 The following are the prices for the different grades of wheat in the Hope market to-day:
 No. 1 hard..... 65 cents
 No. 1 Northern..... 65 cents
 No. 2 Northern..... 60 cents
 No. 3 Northern..... 55 cents

DAKOTA CLEANING.

Grand Forks Odd Fellows will erect a \$25,000 brick block.

Rev. H. G. Mendenhall has accepted the presidency of the Jamestown university. Three horses belonging to W. S. Little, of Grand Forks, affected by glanders, were shot by order of the territorial veterinary last Saturday.

It is supposed that the 400 skeletons found in the chalk bluffs near Yankton, are the remains of a party of Mormons that left Navoo, Ill., in 1840.

Andrew D. White, ex-president of Cornell, writes favoring the candidacy of president Homer B. Sprague, of the university of North Dakota, for the senate.
 Senator Stewart of the arid land committee, is anxious to do something for North Dakota. He is figuring on the practicability of utilizing the overflow of the Missouri river.

Charles H. Clarkson, in attempting to stop a fight between two bulls on S. L. Bean's stock farm, at Grand Forks, was so badly gored by one of the animals that he died.

Waldo M. Potter who went to St. Paul to attend the meeting of the senate committee on arid lands believes that they will recommend that something be done by the government in the way of artesian wells.

John Clark, while herding cattle fifteen miles west of Grand Forks, last week, was knocked down and trampled upon by cattle during a stampede, sustaining injuries from which he died a short time afterward.

The Capital Investment company of South Dakota, last week visited Watertown, Redfield, Huron, Pierre and Sioux Falls. These towns all concede that the company holds the balance of power. Its investment will be made soon.

Guy C. H. Corliss, of Grand Forks, Johnson Nickerson, of Jamestown, Seth Newman of Fargo, Alex. Hughes, of Bismarck, and A. B. Lariveson, of Mayville, are most prominently mentioned for positions on the supreme bench.

A young Icelander near Milton named Hanson, was mowing in the meadow when the team ran away, throwing him in front of the knives. Before he could recover his feet the horses had run over him, and the knives completely severed the head from the body.

The coal sheds belonging to the Northern Pacific, at Mandan, burned last Friday. The sheds were worth \$30,000. Twelve cars worth \$7,000, 3,500 tons of coal worth \$12,000, and 300 cords of wood worth \$2,200 were also burned. The sheds and cars were insured.

J. W. Rawls and G. W. Parker, United States Indian agents, have gone to the Yankton agency, where negotiations will be opened with the Indians for the surrender of the Pipestone Indian reservation, embracing 700 acres, authority for the purchase having been given by congress last March.

A quality of clay has been discovered about a mile from Yankton which from tests made shows itself superior to the famous Milwaukee cream brick in color and texture. Another bed of clay has been found which, though not passing the test as well as the first in regard to color, is of as firm a texture.

Half-breed smugglers along the boundary line from Pembina to Turtle mountain have, for a long time, been cutting timber on this side and smuggling it across the boundary. They had a regular code of signals conveyed from one bullet to another by a half-breed woman. Ten half-breeds have been arrested.

Bismarck Tribune: "It is understood the form of seal adopted by the committee is practically the same as the old territorial seal with the exception that the addition of a sheaf or two of wheat emphasizes more particularly the staple crop of the land of No. 1 hard. The committee's action will undoubtedly be endorsed by the convention and the people."

Jameson Capital: "No one ever supposed that the Jack-rabbit, occasionally seen making a sickly and ghastly appearance on the prairies could ever worry anything but the simple minded dog who undertook to catch him. But the report comes from Barnes county that the big rabbit has gone to compete with the gophers in destroying grain, and that in certain localities farmers have been obliged to stay out at night with dogs to drive the rabbits out of the fields."

Mayville Tribune: "Hon. E. M. Paulson came in from Bismarck last Friday and returned Monday. Mr. Paulson has made a good, honest and straightforward record in the convention, and we notice that several North Dakota papers have stated that Mr. Paulson will probably be a candidate for state treasurer. Mr. Paulson is well qualified in every way for this important and honored position but directs us to say that he will not be a candidate for any office this fall."

The Convention.

Bismarck, N. D., Aug. 6.—The event of the day was the report of the committee on public institutions. Section 1 of the report locates the capital at Bismarck, the state university and school of mines at Grand Forks, the agricultural college at Fargo, a normal school at Valley City, appropriating 50,000 acres therefor; the deaf and dumb asylum at Devils Lake the reform school at Mandan, a Normal school at Mayville, appropriating 30,000 acres of land therefor; a hospital for the insane, with an institute for the feeble-minded in connection therewith, appropriating 25,000 acres of land therefor. The section also permits the location of the following institutions: First—A soldiers' home at Lisbon, with a grant of 40,000 acres of land; a blind asylum at such place in the county of Pembina as the electors may determine at an election, with a grant of 30,000 acres; an industrial school for manual training at Ellendale, with a grant of 40,000 acres; a school of forestry at such place in one of the counties of McHenry, Ward, Bottineau, or LaCade as the electors of said counties may determine by an election for that purpose; a scientific school at Wahpeton, with a grant of 40,000 acres, provided that no other institution of a character similar to any one of those located by this article shall be established or maintained without a revision of this constitution. This report was endorsed by a majority of the committee on public institutions, and in all probability will be adopted. During the afternoon much time was occupied in the discussion of the article providing for township organization, many of the delegates opposing it on the ground that counties should be permitted to adopt or reject the system by a vote. At last evening's session Johnson of Lakota introduced a resolution providing that if a railroad company shall issue a pass to one member of the legislature, it shall issue passes to all members, the object being to prevent discrimination in the favor of friends of the road. The resolution was amended so that it included all relatives and friends of legislators and thus was referred to the committee on Indian affairs.

The papers of Paris consider that the king of Holland's address to the state's general, in which he asked that thirty-six thousand troops be kept stationed to defend Dutch neutrality, is a grave error, indicating unexpected German action.