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All Kinds of Building Material and Grain.  
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We have always on hand the best Ice Cream and Soda Water, served in city style.

We also carry a complete line of Eastman's Kodaks & supplies, Pure drugs & sundries. Prescriptions carefully compounded, day or night.

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Almont, North Dakota

This bank has the organization and the connections, to enable it to be of service to every one within its territory and on these grounds solicits your business, promising in return fair and courteous treatment and the best terms that are consistent with sound banking.

**We make farm loans.**  
Insurance in reliable companies. Five per cent interest paid on time deposits. Interest compounded semi-annually.

## CITY MEAT MARKET

J. N. Sharff, Proprietor.

**Fresh and salt meats, poultry and fish. We buy hides and pelts.**

We ask you to give us a trial, as we believe if you try our market you will continue to trade with us. We try to please our customers.

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and Collections

Almont, - - - N. Dak

## NORTH DAKOTA NEWS

Latest News from the Plains State

### SENATOR DECIDES FOR GOVERNOR

G. W. Hochway, of McHenry County, Says "No to Cady."

Bismarck. — Dramatic incidents marked the completion of the registration of testimony at Cady's impeachment trial. The first witness was the statement of Senator C. W. Hochway of McHenry county, that he was already prepared to cast his vote in the case, and that he would vote for the impeachment of Cady. The statement was made in the court just prior to adjournment, Senator Hochway declaring that it would be impossible for him to remain in Bismarck during the next week and for that reason he took his position in the matter. Senator Hochway was accused from further attendance.

All the testimony in the trial has been submitted. Each side will be allowed ten hours for final arguments which will begin next week.

There arose a misunderstanding between the defense and prosecution as to the admission as evidence of a stipulation relating to the alleged facts, each statement having been approved by Attorneys Anderson of the defense and Stalker of the prosecution. Judge Curran declared that the stipulation did not contain facts and hearing upon the time of decisions, that it was finally admitted and made a part of the record.

Effort to prove that J. A. Minkler of Knox was as a matter of fact in Rapid on June 21, 1908, to be testified on the direct examination, made when Mr. Minkler himself was present on the stand. He swore positively that he was in the city that day, and that the retainer of the physician who attended him in an illness, were made three days following his illness when he claims to have been attended by Judge Curran.

He declares that the entry in the physician's books, which have been introduced as evidence, was made at the time he paid for the services rendered. George Watson also declared that Minkler was in the city on this date, as he had previously testified.

### TRIED TO END LIFE.

Father Henry Ben Yandry Against Him, Then Cuts His Throat.

Farmtown.—Leaving the improved court room in a local hotel where a preliminary hearing was being held to get the testimony of the prisoner's son about the accused, John Hagen tonight, went to the basement of the building and tried to kill himself with a Jack knife. Hagen was charged with a statutory offense and he had been compelled to listen to his son give important testimony in corroboration of the charges.

Hagen was arrested at Farmtown on a warrant sworn out by State Humane Official William Blahn. The hearing was held in the basement of the hotel where the boy was arrested. Hagen was allowed to go to the basement of the building alone, as the staff of the hotel were from the improved court room and his only means of exit and entrance was through the basement.

When he was warned by an attorney a man was sent for him and the hearing was broken up by the report that the prisoner had committed suicide. He was found unconscious, but it is said his recovery is certain.

### SINGLE STUDENTS TO CONVENE.

Sunday School Workers Will Assemble at Mayville, N. D.

Mayville.—The high annual convention of the Ladies Sunday School Association was held at Mayville, N. D., April 28 and 29, with a large attendance of Sunday school workers.

Saturday afternoon papers were read by E. C. Glasgow on "Why We Are Here," by W. A. R. Brown on "Cradle, Ball and Designers," Saturday evening Walter Snow, of the State Sunday School Association, gave an address on general Sunday school work.

Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Snow gave two addresses and conducted a training session on the personnel of the Sunday school, including teachers, officers and pupils. In the afternoon E. G. Erickson talked on the "Boy Scout Movement," Mrs. Stone on "Help for Children's Day," and Lena Walton on "How to Interest Our Girls." The convention closed in the evening with an address by Rev. Mr. Byers and the election of officers.

### FIRE KILLS HOMESEAZER.

Steve Espinosa Causes Death of Five Year Old Son.

Bowling.—Burned to death while alone in his shack, was the fate of Paul Rooney, a homesteader, living north of Bismarck. The explosion of gasoline stove was the cause of the fatal accident, and when neighbors arrived the body was found burned to a crisp and the cause of death was nothing but carbon. The body was shipped to Alexandria, Minn., for burial.

### To Excuse Street Car Lines.

Grand Forks.—Within six weeks a regular street car service will be in operation between the city and Short Grand Forks, including Pickett baseball park, according to the statement of Manager Thomas Boyeroff of the Grand Forks Street Railways company. The work will begin the latter part of next week and one and a half miles will be laid this season. The attention will involve an expenditure of \$25,000, and as soon as it is completed a fifteen-minute schedule will be installed.

### Jay Ride is Disastrous.

Grand Forks.—After a joy ride which was ended only by the complete wrecking of a new auto belonging to Lyons & Company of this city, Henry Keller and Carl Wilkins betook themselves across the river into Minnesota, and as yet the local officials have been unable to secure the necessary papers for their arrest. The car is said to have been taken from the Lyons garage. The car was completely demolished but both boys escaped with a few scratches.

Washington, D. C. — Announcement is made that the new land office will be located at the new office at Washington, D. C., on May 15th.

## The First State Bank of Almont, N. D.

Capital & Surplus \$11,000.00



You want YOUR VALUABLES to be safe too. Then come rent a safety deposit vault. It will be the cheapest insurance you can get, and will insure you not only against burglars but against fire. We will gladly show you our vaults if you will call.

We'll pay 5 per cent interest on the money you put in our bank and compound the interest every 6 months.

H. B. Lynde, Pres. C. L. Timmerman, Cashier. F. T. Halverson, Director. H. K. Lynde, Director. C. M. Peterson, Director.

You will lose money and so will we if you buy any thing but

## Monitor Drill Emerson Plow or Surface Packer

No better machinery made. We also handle all kinds of farm machinery and harness. Agents Minneapolis Threshers.

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The Arena \$1.50





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ALMONT, NORTH DAKOTA.

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Entered as second-class matter December 21, 1910, at the post office at Almont, North Dakota, under the Act of March 3, 1879.

Advertisers are requested to have the copy for change of ad in the Arena Office by Tuesday Noon preceding issue of the paper in which changed ad is to appear.

Almont's streets are in need of repair. The best remedy is to get a grader on them before the next rain.

The local creamery is becoming noted in all parts of the state for the high grade of butter it is turning out. Patronize it and make it grow. It is a good advertiser of the town.

The financial institutions of this place, notwithstanding the tremendous drain upon them during the last year by the partial failure of the crop of 1910, been able to show their business during the year, and be of considerable service to the community. In fact the condition of the banks and the services they have given make an excuse for banking elsewhere sound very much like fiction.

Almont has three general stores and numerous other up-to-date institutions which are equal to any in the state, and the lines of goods they carry are considerably greater than carried by many firms in towns ten times larger than Almont. This being the situation it is up to all of us to do our trading here in Almont instead of patronizing the catalogue mail order concerns.

We are in need of several houses in this town for rent. At present three cottages are in demand and the lack of good places to live in is keeping several people away from Almont town.

Have you ever watched a snake wriggling thru the grass to capture a little bird or a caterpillar? Then the snake will poison upon the worm industriously working to help him and secure food for her hungry offspring. Of course you have and you have said to yourself, "O, how crafty!" Just so. The snake and the worm are following their instincts. There are human snakes and cats. They are the knackers - those who go about belittling the efforts of others. They will see an individual falling behind and back and try to get in and when meeting with a wall they will say, "I am more mighty than the Ruler of the universe, for when I set my foot down, Time stops." That little fly is very much like some of the would-be obstructors of progress. They swing a few people into their columns who follow their ignorance or cupidity, and then say "Behold I am master of human progress. None dare go forward unless I say they may." Notwithstanding this Time and Progress move on while silly fly and sapient man sit admiring themselves.

R. A. Miller, one of the substantial farmers of the Heart River country, was in this place the first to seek to trade with Almont. He was a successful merchant. While in Almont he met one of the A...

Strayed from my farm, 4 miles southwest of Almont, one 2-year old red heifer, with short horns & branded 'B' on left rib. Finder notify J. N. Sheriff, Almont, N. D. 4-15-

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, North Dakota, March 20, 1911.  
Notice is hereby given that E. J. Baker, of Almont, North Dakota, who on May 28, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 6622, for 80 A. C. Section 20, Township 20, Township 20, Range 10, West of the Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register & Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Bismarck, North Dakota, on the 28th day of May, 1911.  
Witness my hand and the Seal of said Office at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 15th day of March, 1911.  
H. N. Stevens, Register.

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D., November 28, 1910.  
Notice is hereby given that Gustaf A. Anderson, of Almont, North Dakota, who on August 10, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 3162, for 80 A. C. Section 20, Township 20, Township 20, Range 10, West of the Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register & Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Bismarck, North Dakota, on the 28th day of May, 1911.  
Witness my hand and the Seal of said Office at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 15th day of March, 1911.  
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**GOOD OLD North Dakota**  
The census shows that this state has made a most important step in development during the past five years.  
The growth will be even greater during the next decade.  
In 1905 the population of the state was 250,000. In 1910 it was 350,000. This is a gain of 40% in five years.  
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The Printing Co.  
North Dakota

**NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.**  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Bismarck, N. D., April 1, 1911.  
Notice is hereby given that John Hanson, of Almont, N. Dak., who on September 25, 1908, made Homestead Entry, No. 2729, for 80 A. C. Section 20, Township 20, Township 20, Range 10, West of the Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Register & Receiver U. S. Land Office, at Bismarck, North Dakota, on the 28th day of May, 1911.  
Witness my hand and the Seal of said Office at Bismarck, North Dakota, this 15th day of March, 1911.  
H. N. Stevens, Register.

**Notaries Public**  
A complete line of United States Land Office Blanks and Legal Blanks, Farmers State Bank, Almont, N. D.

**I Have the BEST**  
Well-Boring Machine in the country. Obstructions make no difference. When in need of a good well, look me up or write to O. M. Ramsland, Almont, North Dakota.

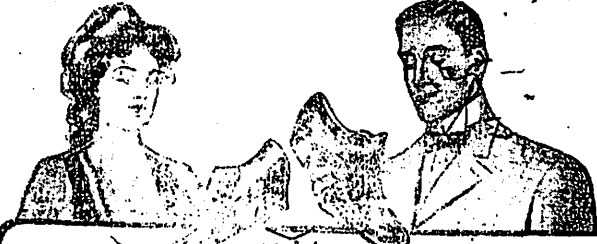
**Pasturage**  
Wanted: 20 horses to pasture this summer. A good pasture; running water. 1 mile north of Heart River Hotel. Write for rates.  
Bert Day, Almont, North Dakota.

**Sawyer Bros. Construction Company.**  
All Kinds of Carpenter and Construction work satisfactorily done. Let us figure on your next job. Address, Almont or Carl, N. D.

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Sugar per hundred lbs.	\$5.95
Flour " "	2.95
Rice 4 pounds for	.25
Beans per lb	.07
Raisins " "	.12 1-2
Corn per can	.12 1-2
Tomatoes 2 cans	.25
Apples gal. can 35c., 3 cans	1.00
Bacon per lb	.20
Ham " "	.18
Kerosine Oil per gal.	.15

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The people who demand the best in footwear are using every year Over a Million Pairs (nearly 4,000 pairs a day) of the famous Foot-Schulze Shoes.

Ask any leading dealer in the Twin Cities. If you live outside of the Twin Cities, ask the best dealer in your town. Foot-Schulze Shoes are right up to the minute in style, and their quality is a household word in the best homes of the Northwest.

Price per pair \$3 to \$5

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# How Coal Owners Sacrifice Coal Workers

BY BEN MILTON

Only seven Americans killed. Not even a fatal explosion in the news dispatches on the eighth of last October for telling so little about the explosion in the Starville coal mine when fifty-five men were killed. As for the other forty-eight, they were apparently did not count. And yet, out of that coal mine was carried a charred, singed body, one of the forty-eight, which lay, twisted from the death-pain, in the bright sunshine. John C. O'Connell, a Pole, some days ago, watched three despoiling days and nights, raised her body face upward and from the arched, far away sky, and went mad.

Turning from the horror before her, she ran shrieking down the mountain side, and another woman, who caught the faded star of her eyes, abandoned her husband in pursuit. The thirty-year-old woman returned down the dry ravine, and in one of those tortuous little settlements, she marked a coal mine the world over. The Polish woman in the back burst her cabin, and, seizing a revolver, raised it and terrified children, but before she could shoot, her arm was jerked from behind. The struggle was short and desultory. One plunged backward across the pounded dirt floor and the second woman staggered in one last, gasping effort, with the revolver aimed at her forehead. Just at that dramatic moment the body of her husband was being carried to the surface.

This was a mere incident, almost lost in the perspective of a coal mine, but it served as a meaningful introduction to a splendid example of the kind of occurrence which has doubled the number of men killed in our coal mines in the last ten years.

The Starville mine is an average American coal mine. The last annual report of the department stated that the mine had cleared \$100,000 in the previous year. It pointed out that the property was yielding handsome returns on the investment, but it did not mention the fact that the mine was actually a new shaft, which was needed. The shaft was being drilled and the management decided against it. Unfortunately, there was no one in the state of Colorado to make the company sick.

One-fifth of the year's earnings was too much for the mine's treasury. It was a small sum, but it was a small sum. It was a small sum, but it was a small sum. It was a small sum, but it was a small sum.

Obviously these men were killed by a violation of the coal laws. It is the same with all mine disasters. You can find volume after volume on the causes, but it is the same with all mine disasters. You can find volume after volume on the causes, but it is the same with all mine disasters.

The coal laws are not being enforced. The coal laws are not being enforced. The coal laws are not being enforced. The coal laws are not being enforced. The coal laws are not being enforced.



DOUBLE FATALITY AT THE STARVILLE COAL MINE

number of deaths per thousand men employed, the United States occupies a less favorable position than any other of the great producing countries, more than three times as many men out of every thousand being killed in some of the European countries which are much less favored by natural conditions.

It is not only in the case of the Marquette disaster of November 2, 1908, when 164 men lost their lives, but after the public interest in the suggestion of the department was abandoned and compressed air replaced in its stead. This might appear to indicate a guilty knowledge of the real cause.

A matter of fact the owners of the mine, the Pittsburgh-Buffalo Company, had already had warning that all was not right in the Marquette. On August 12, more than two months before the big explosion, the mine was closed for a few days because of the death of one man and serious injury to two others, and Alderman A. K. Loy, of Monaca, before whom the preliminary hearing took place, found that the accident had been due to electricity. William Underwood, foreman in charge of the mine, was arrested on information filed by State Mine Inspector J. F. Bell, on a charge of permitting the mine to be worked without a license.

The Pittsburgh-Buffalo Company repeatedly denied the fact of this accident, but the report of the state department of mines for 1908 contains an account of the accident.

Now that the United States government has recognized the danger of electricity, it has taken the position that it would be blocking progress to prevent its use. How is it about solving this problem in a way that will bring relief, but this will not prevent the death of thousands of men.

In March, 1910, the federal department of mines sent out all manufacturers of electric mining apparatus that it, H. Clark, an engineer, had been placed in charge of the work at this Pittsburgh building. Clark was ready to stamp the seal of government approval on all electric mining machinery that did not spark, but nine months later he had not yet discovered a single piece of electric apparatus which met his requirements. Just consider that for a moment. Keen with all the improvements which have been made to electric apparatus, safety is as far off as ever.

But what is to be done? It is pointed out that you can't stop all the uses of the mine from operating until they are made safe. And yet, if they are permitted to go ahead as at present, they are absolutely certain to kill more than 2,000 men before safe apparatus is discovered. If, then, it would not be absurd to demand immediate action in the one case, it is not in the other.

### FIRST SHAFT TO WASHINGTON \$350 RECIPES CURES WEAK KIDNEYS, FREE

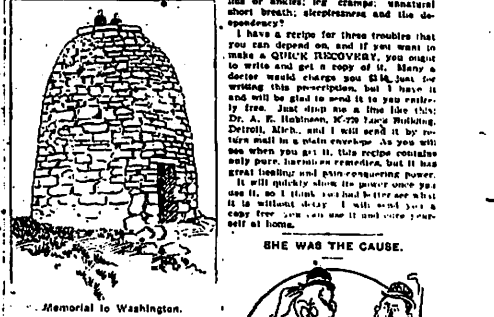
RELIEVES URINARY AND KIDNEY TROUBLES, BRUISES, STRAINS, INFLAMMATION, ETC.

Steps Pain in the Bladder, Kidneys and Back.

Wouldn't it be nice with a weak or aching back to say goodbye forever to the stinging, aching, straining, or too frequent passage of urine, the foot and back, the back-of-the-head ache, the aching and pain in the back, the growing muscle weakness, the backache, the cross-eyed, low skin, sluggish bowels, swollen eyes, legs or ankles, leg cramps, muscular shortness, sleeplessness and the depression?

I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a QUICK RECOVERY, you must write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you for the best of writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you gratis. It is a simple matter to write for it. Dr. A. K. Robinson, 1275 1/2 Broadway, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it to you free of charge. It is a simple matter to write for it. It will quickly show its power once you use it. So I think you had better see what it will do for you. Write for it and get a copy free. You can use it and cure yourself at home.

THE SHE WAS THE CAUSE.



Memorial to Washington. The first shaft of Washington. The shaft of Washington. The shaft of Washington. The shaft of Washington.

Important to Minnesa. Examining carefully every bottle of CASORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Robinson. Children Try for Kiecher's Castoria.

In Memory of Sam Jones. A Church Built in Honor of the Evangelist is Dedicated.

Sam Jones Memorial Church. The Sam Jones Memorial Church has been dedicated. All the churches of the city were invited to attend the dedication. The church is a large one, and was crowded. The pastor of the city attended the services. Hisson Kings of North Carolina formally dedicated the church. The music was furnished by the choir. The service was held in the morning. The Sam Jones Memorial Church was erected in the pastorate of the

### Facts About Motherhood

The experience of motherhood is a thing to be proud of. It is a thing to be proud of. It is a thing to be proud of. It is a thing to be proud of.

### BOGUS COIN MADE IN SCHOOL

School's Parents Used Structure as Counterfeiting Plant at Night - Guitl Feared.

Handmade - A remarkable story of the manufacture of bogus money from the little village of Trousdale. The educational authorities had been advised that the village school house needed repairs, and one day a commission arrived to inspect the building.

### Study Insects

The appearance of the Thirteenth Report of the State Entomologist at Minnetonka—the seventh made by the present occupant of the office, Prof. F. L. Washburn—again suggests, not only the vast importance of the work being done for the state by the entomologist, but the extreme desirability of more attention, by the farmers, to the study of insect pests. For lack of such study, and for lack of more intelligent obedience to the warnings and suggestions of the entomologist, the annual loss by these pests has been unquestionably larger by millions than it would have been had his admonitions been generally heeded.

These annual reports present in a readable form, available to any intelligent farmer, the results of a great deal of minute, painstaking scientific investigation. So far from being "dry and unattractive," they take on the quality of fascination to one who ponders long enough to marvel of the world to which they introduce him—a world peopled with creatures so small that many of them are invisible to the naked eye, but collectively holding a power which, but for the balancing endeavors of Nature and Science, would easily make them arbiters of the destiny of nations.

Many a farmer and farming community will find that, thru a study of the Report now before us—which may be had on application to professor Washburn at University Farm—they have in their own hands the determination of the question whether the share of their revenues yielded up this year to predatory insects, shall be large or small.—C. R. B.

H. M. Phreighting of New Salem was an Almont, Wiscon. some time this week.

Nels Severson and W. A. Ward of Holmdelville, Wis., were in this town Thursday and Friday looking over a couple of sections of land and from the remarks made before they left it is believed that they will close a deal for a large section of land.

Mary Timmerman has been absent from school for several days on account of troubles with her eyes.

O. C. Ellingson is making several improvements in his building over the postoffice and is having it redecorated and papered. Some wonder why Ole's fixing things up so nice.

R. R. Commissioner Sutsman transacted business in this place Friday.

Make your final proofs before G. H. Anderson, United States Commissioner at Almont.

Some of the people did not succeed in cowing Cowan. Wonder if they will get you to him now?

E. Duke Navens an old time newspaper man of Iowa was in this place Friday and made the editor's heart glad by having the Arena sent to his address for one year. He also disposed of a quarter section of land in this vicinity. The consideration was not made public.

John Timmerman returned home Thursday from Fargo where he has been attending the Dakota Business College. He will spend some time here and then resume his studies at the state metropolis.

John Gillis holds the record for fishing for Almont sportsmen, since he brought home a fine string of fish and did not make an excuse that the biggest slipped the hook.

## ALMONT NEWS NOTES

Cleaned from Here, There and Everywhere.  
By the Arena Gate-keeper.

E. Duke Navens of Waterloo, Iowa, and owner of a large garage of North Dakota land in the vicinity of Almont, spent a few days in this place this week, looking over his holdings. G. H. Anderson of the Farmers State Bank accompanied him on his trips thru the country.

S. T. McVey and J. P. Schaffer of the Schaffer Auto company of Mandan, were in this vicinity of days this week, demonstrating the Buick auto to several prospective purchasers. They have a good car and one that will stand the wear and tear of hard usage, and it is a car that has proven its serviceability by years of actual service.

Gustaf Soderstrom went to Blomark Tuesday to make final proof upon his homestead near this place. He returned home the latter part of the week.

Mrs. H. G. Wagner of LaPorte City, Iowa, arrived here Wednesday afternoon on No. 7, and was later taken to her home south of town by W. G. Clark of the Merchants Hotel.

During the past week a number of Wisconsin people have been in this place looking over land with the intention of buying. At the time it is known to us whether purchases were made or not. W. G. Clark has had them out looking over the land.

An event which comes seldom to the people of Almont was that of an old time drive of cattle passing thru the country south of town. There were over fifteen hundred head of Hereford cattle being driven from a ranch on the Knife River to the digitabed Standing Rock Reservation in the southern part of the state. Many of the townsmen went to see the herd and several secured some very good pictures of the herd.

O. C. Ellingson transacted business in New Salem, Wednesday.

The Devil went fishing and before going promised the editor a piece of fish—the fisherman came back, and—the fish—are still absent.

Notice the change in A. Timmerman's ad this week. He is offering two specials which should be of interest to all. Be sure to read it.

Perry Stanton returned to this place Thursday after a short visit of relatives and friends at Wilcox and Carrington.

J. W. Hurley sold his automobile to Dr. St. Clair of Open Ulin. The latter came after the car Thursday and ran it home.

C. Knutson and Co have a new ad in this week's issue. Do not lay the paper down until you have read it from first to last.

LAND! LAND! LAND!  
Buyers and traders will do well to see us before dealing elsewhere as I have any sort of proposition you wish. M. G. Brannen, Steele, N. D.

The Farmers State Bank will write your fire insurance on your good buildings.

World's Work \$3.00 a year.  
Almont Arena \$1.50 a year.  
Both for \$3.25.

Read the Almont Arena.  
Buy your magazine subscriptions at the Arena office. All the standard magazines are listed.

J. W. Hurley has a change of ad in this issue and offers the public some nice cool refreshments as well as a standard line of goods. Try 'em.

Thomas Miller is making considerable headway with his new steam breaking outfit and is turning over big chunks of Morton county pay dirt every day.

Down!  
Down!  
Down!

Have gone the Prices at our store. Just look at these prices and be convinced.

### Stock Food

International Stock Food per fall \$3.25  
Five Pails for \$16.00 and a set of handsome set of China Dishes FREE.

Also just received samples of one of the finest lines of made-to-measure garments of any firm in the U. S. Come in and have your measure taken. We can fit you and when you wear one of these suits you will wonder why you had not gotten your clothes of us before. Carefully examine this line.

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Bettina Feland was born in Feland, Christianstad, Norway, forty-five years ago and came to this country when fifteen years of age. Shortly after her arrival here she was married to Jacob Jacobson and of this union seven children were born all of whom are living at home except Mrs. Martin Wilman.

The funeral will be held from the home, this afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock and from the church at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be in Sims Cemetery.

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