

The Bismarck Tribune.

Capital City Chops.

The horse race did not come off yesterday. Threshing will be resumed on the Mellon farm today.

Hunters near Jamestown have found some quail this season. The first story windows of the Lamborn house are now in.

Postmaster F. A. Briggs of Mandan, spent a few hours in the city yesterday. A meeting of the H. I. T. F. society will be held at the reading room tonight.

The two militia companies and band will meet this evening in full dress uniform.

The elegant new residence of Attorney General Hughes is nearly ready for occupancy. A petition is to be sent in for a postoffice to be established about six miles from Menoken.

A trip in the country reveals very little damage to grain by the recent unprecedented rain. There seems to be an inclination on the part of the farmers to hold their grain for higher prices.

Nine-tenths of all the celery used in the western markets now comes from Kalamazoo, Michigan.

Mellon Bros. have commenced the work of hauling their hay out from four hundred acres of ground.

Heavy stock trains are now running through the city laden with Montana cattle for eastern consumption. The bullion that came down on the Batchelor will be sent to Newark, New Jersey, and the wool to Boston.

The shipment of Indian freight will commence next week from this point to the different posts up and down the river. Governor Pierce and family are now comfortably located in their new residence, the Harmon house on Main street.

Capt. John Barr is exhibiting at the Sheridan house some fine samples of No. 1 hard, the product of his Menoken farm. George H. Dibert & Co., are building a warehouse and workshop for W. D. Smith, in the rear of his furniture establishment.

Sam Whitney, well known former theatre manager in Bismarck, is now making money out of the market business in Dickinson.

Last evening's east bound train was made up at Mandan and had no sleeper attached. A through train may be expected tomorrow. At the last auction sale of the Bismarck Loan and Trust company, money was sold at ten per cent discount and ten per cent interest.

Fargo Republican: Governor Pierce will receive a royal welcome at Bismarck. The people of that thriving city never do things by halves. News reached this city Tuesday of the death of Forney, M. T., of Mrs. Anderson, nee Miss Mary E. Tully, sister-in-law of M. L. Marsh, of this city.

An agent for Blaine's "Twenty Years in Congress" is in the city. He says it is just as good a book as though it had been printed by Harper Bros. Jamestown Alert: Miss Laura, daughter of Oshier McMahon, of the Merchants National bank, Bismarck, is in the city visiting her friends.

Judge Francis will attend the sitting of the supreme court early in October and will immediately thereafter hold a term of court in his new district. The members of the family of Ex-General Manager Haupt, of the Northern Pacific, accompanied by friends, went west in a special car Monday.

Bismarck dealers having a superabundance of ice could make money by shipping it daily to Defield and other western points where it is greatly in demand. An invitation was extended to the officers and soldiers at Fort Lincoln to attend the benefit dance given by the Garfield Light Guard band this Friday evening.

The steamer Helena arrived at the Bismarck landing yesterday evening from Poplar river laden with a large number of passengers and a full cargo of freight.

The work on the poor house is completed except a few hours work for the painters. Workmen are now erecting a barn and stable at the rear of the house.

Harvesting in the vicinity of Taylor is nearly completed. Oshier Lyon of the Mandan bank is harvesting eighty acres of oats that yield fifty bushels per acre.

County Attorney Mills of Valley City, has been appointed deputy district attorney for Barnes county by district attorney, George P. Flannery, of Bismarck.

Passenger trains on the Missouri division are side tracked to allow the heavy trains of fat Montana cattle to pass eastward and be converted into greenbacks.

Prairie fires have been burning west of the river during the past week especially in the hands which are notably weird and beautiful when so illuminated. The corn and ornamental work has been placed on the new Griffin block, which now looms up as one of the finest of the many fine capital city business houses.

Eastern Montana is now appealing to Dakota to furnish her with potatoes. Glendive merchants have recently contracted for several carloads at the rate of fifty cents per bushel.

The Rev. Hamel, the new rector of the Episcopal church, came to Bismarck direct from Europe, where he has been on an extended visit to his native land, the queen's domain. A sample of oats and wheat was secured by W. H. Mull, of this city, Tuesday, and sent to the Iowa state fair. The samples are fine ones and are the product of the Dickinson farm, west of the river.

Fargo Argus: Fred H. Bittel has been selected as one of the Billings county delegates to the Pierre. Fred will be remembered as one of the genial quill drivers of North Dakota, formerly at Jamestown. Notwithstanding the unprecedented rain of Tuesday very little wheat in this section will grade below No. 1 hard. The weather cleared off cool, and, with the exception of slight drizzle in some instances, very little damage was done.

Korr Bros. of O'Fallon Creek, Montana, are here with a large drove of cattle and horses bound for the Beaver creek region, where they will hereafter range their stock. The Beaver creek region is considered one of the best stock regions in the west—equal to the best in Montana.

Jamestown Capital: George H. Fairchild, one of the best known and most highly respected business men in the territory, has resigned the presidency of the First National bank of Bismarck, a position which he has held with profit and honor for many years. He is succeeded by Asa Fisher, one of the heaviest stockholders of this institution.

Valley City Times: The Rev. Mr. Woodford says he hasn't officiated at a wedding or funeral since his arrival in Valley City, his services only being brought into requisition in baptizing babies. This is accounted for by the fact that the majority of Dakota's marriageable males usually go east for brides, and the remarkably healthful tone of the prairie atmosphere prevents the death of her inhabitants. The clergy attest the proficiency of the country. The reverend gentleman's statement, when considered in all its bearings, is a remarkably good advertisement for Dakota.

Marquis de Mores' cold storage house in the city is completed and ready for business. It is one of the largest and most commodious structures along the line of the Northern Pacific road.

Contractor J. O. Grant has completed arrangements for the building of a residence on Second street for W. E. Falconer. The excavation for the foundation will commence immediately.

Joelyn, the cigar man, is a friend to the newspaper man Monday he came in and said "everybody—that is, every man who knows a good cigar—smokes the Ben Haxton," and with that dropped a box for the TRIBUNE.

The new Episcopal rector was warmly received yesterday by the ladies of the Episcopal Guild at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Bentley. There will be services hereafter both morning and evening at the Episcopal church.

Kann Bros. will move their herd of cattle and horses today to Hay creek, where they will remain until the owners return from a prospecting tour through Emmons county in search of a convenient place to locate a ranch.

The Weaver Lumber company has contracted to erect a hay shed for Mellon Bros. on Seventh street, south of the track. When completed the building will have a capacity of 300 tons of hay. The work will be commenced at once.

The Fargo Sun says Hon. John A. Bea, the recently appointed land register at Bismarck, came to Fargo to make his bond. His Bismarck friends will hardly believe that he had to go to Fargo to make his bond. It must have been for some other purpose.

Dr. W. A. Bentley received a communication from Rev. E. T. Hamel, past rector at New York harbor, stating that he and family would arrive in the city sometime this week. Members and friends of the Episcopal church should be prepared to receive them.

Wheat is being shipped from the Magill farm at Menoken. It will ship about 200 bushels of wheat and 20,000 bushels of oats. The wheat will bring him at present prices \$17,500. The wheat averaged about 22 1/2 bushels per acre. He will therefore have a profit of \$6 to \$8 an acre.

The chief signal officer of the government has issued his consent for the postmaster general to direct that the cold wave flag may be hoisted on all postoffices throughout the country to signal the approach of cold waves. The flag is white with a black center. It will remain in position twenty-four hours after being hoisted.

Mrs. J. A. Rea, Mrs. Justus Bragg, Mrs. O. F. Davis and other prominent ladies of the city, met at the land office last Saturday and manufactured the words "U. S. Land Office" from the head of No. 1 hard wheat, which was placed over the exchange window of the office by Messrs Perkins, Register and Ross yesterday. The sign is very attractive and novel.

Jamestown Alert: Ike Hyman Jamestown's famous merchant tailor, made himself famous on the evening of August 17th. He endeavored to persuade a certain gentleman, a resident of the city, to purchase a certain amount of "goods," but got left on his scheme on account of calling the aforesaid gentleman "darling." Ike consequently was stuck and everybody laughed.

General Schofield, in command of this division, and chief quartermaster, General Tompkins, of this department, with a party of friends who have been to the Yellowstone Park, returned through the city last Friday en route east. These officers have been on an "inspection" tour of the northwestern military forts. They visited the park in person and the posts by proxy.

Fargo Republican: Forty-two cars came in over the Northern Pacific from the west yesterday, bringing 756 head of fat cattle, which were unloaded and fed at the Shoyens stock yards; and fifty-four cars, with 972 head, were forwarded from the yards east to St. Paul and Chicago markets—making in all 1,728 head of cattle that were watered and fed at the stock yards in one day.

J. M. Hannaford, general freight agent of the Northern Pacific, informs a Wyoming stock association that all stock cars hereafter built for the road will be provided with suspension car trucks. The Westinghouse brake has been put on 1,000 of the company's freight cars and will, Mr. Hannaford says, be put on the stock cars also as soon as the rates for hauling stock increase sufficiently to justify the expenditure.

Photographer Jenkins has just completed a large cabinet of photographs of each member of the Governor's Guard. There are sixty-five cabinet sized pictures, the whole neatly arranged in a heavy frame. The cabinet is now in the front window of Frisby's drug store and is a handsome piece of work. Jenkins, the artist, says he "could not help doing an excellent job when you take into consideration the subjects."

The citizens of Bismarck were gratified with the unexpected presence of the Rev. Dr. Blackburn, from whom an admirable sermon was delivered in the Baptist church last Sunday morning. The doctor evinced strong reasoning powers, which indicates pre-eminent fitness for the important position to which he has been called as president of the North Dakota university located at Grand Forks. His listeners were well pleased, and hope for the prosperity of the institution he represents.

At least two sportsmen have turned up who back up their assertions with results. Messrs. Miller and Allen went down to Menoken yesterday and on the way back in the afternoon shot a forty-five chickens and two ducks. The birds did not only say they shot this number, but brought the game to the TRIBUNE for a fair count and a fair "divvy." The TRIBUNE has had many stories to tell about what various hunters have done this season, but it is hard to confess the same time out of time it has had insufficient proof. Messrs. Miller and Allen are crack shots.

Fargo Argus, 17th: A private note from Mr. Plumley, dated at Chicago, says: "There is one thing a trifle peculiar about my trip down. When I first went to Fargo, over three years ago, I was in a seat with Mr. Eppinger, the Bismarck cleric, all the way from Chicago to St. Paul. I have only seen him once since, and that was at Bismarck, on one of my early trips for the Argus. On Sunday night we were in the same coach to St. Paul, and last night had opposite berths in the sleeper on the way to Chicago."

Capt. O. W. Bennett Tuesday's received a copy of the Sidney, Australia, Daily Telegraph, giving an account of the celebration of the 4th of July by over two hundred American born citizens of that far away country. At the banquet which followed, General Bennett, a brother of Captain Bennett, presided and the eloquent speech which he delivered is printed in full. The report adds: "Judging from yesterday's speeches this sense of liberty has not been lost by the handful of Americans who have made Australia their home, and it is well that it should be so."

R. B. Mellon now has five teams at work hauling in grain from his farm north of the city. He has a large storehouse south of the creek for the oats. He estimates that he will have over 5,000 bushels of oats and over 10,000 bushels of wheat from 523 acres. He says he is satisfied that big money can be made by farming in North Dakota. He believes, however, that many farmers are careless and leave their machinery where it will rot and decay, do not attend to their stock property, etc. The intelligent and industrious farmer can make more money here than in any other country he ever saw. The fact that even the shiftless farmer prospers is proof of this fact.

Superintendent Graham, of the Dakota division, is in the city. During the next two months Mr. Graham will have the bulk of the business of the Northern Pacific to attend to, for it is on this division that the major portion of wheat will be shipped from. To run the trains and distribute cars so as to please and accommodate all points will be an exceedingly difficult task. Mr. Graham has given his countrymen the assurance that he will give every satisfaction goes without saying. Considering the enormous amount of grain to be

moved, there will be times when it will be impossible to accommodate all points with cars just at the time wanted, but the people along the line may be reasonable in the matter. In addition to wheat there are also hundreds of cars of Montana cattle to be rushed eastward on nearly passenger train schedule.

Personal.

Judge Couch left for Chicago yesterday.

Farmer Wallen, of Washburn, is in the city. George P. Flannery returned from Fargo last Monday.

O. S. Morher returned from the Devil's Lake region Friday.

Miss Jessie Robinson, from Victoria, is registered at the Sheridan.

F. M. Howler is spending a few days east. He may go as far as Ohio.

Judge Francis was a passenger on Monday's east bound train.

Mr. E. Van Houten and family returned from Fells, Iowa, last evening.

The Gun club will do no more shooting until the first Friday in September.

John Clark returned to town Friday after a several week's visit in the east.

J. H. Barlow, engaged in mercantile business at Steele, was in the city yesterday.

S. D. McNeil returned from Steele Saturday morning, bringing with him a report.

J. M. Quinn, city editor of the TRIBUNE, has gone to St. Paul to consult an oculist.

Capt. D. W. Maratta of the Coulson line, returned from the east Saturday evening.

Lieut. Bailey went west Saturday morning with forty-five recruits for Fort Keogh.

County Commissioner J. S. Veeder, of McLean county, arrived in town yesterday.

Manager J. R. Gage, of the Bismarck Loan agency returned to the city Friday noon.

G. T. Hohart and family passed through the city Saturday en route to the National park.

E. S. Neil, chairman of the board of county commissioners, went to St. Paul last evening.

Farmer Southmayd came into town yesterday. He says Dakota is the greatest country in the world.

Mrs. L. A. Plumb, who has been rusticating in the country for the past month, returned to town yesterday.

Mrs. Monchow, who was injured some time since by being thrown from a horse, is able to be about again.

A. J. Enns, of Victoria, is breathing great doubts of capital city air. He will remain in town several days.

Mrs. Doras, Miss Van Vleck and Miss McGrath, of Mandan, came over to the capital city last Saturday.

S. H. and J. P. Newton, of Vermont, brothers of Attorney George W. Newton, are sojourning in the city.

D. S. Prescott, of Glendive, Montana, has been appointed railway postal clerk vice Edward McGuire, resigned.

Territorial Treasurer McVay is accompanied by his daughter, who is delighted with the scenery about Bismarck.

Colonel Canfield, of St. Paul, a former director of the Northern Pacific, passed through the city east last Wednesday.

Judge McCalmont left for his home at Franklin, yesterday. The judge owns a very valuable tract of land at Menoken.

Chief Clerk George T. Hughes, of the post office, left Saturday for his home in Boone, Iowa, to be gone about two weeks.

John A. McLean, president of the Merchants National bank of this city, who has been east a few days arrived home last evening.

Judge Francis and E. S. Neal returned yesterday from St. Paul, where they have been selecting new furniture for the court house.

Col. S. G. Magill, of Menoken, came in yesterday and remained long enough to say that his yield of grain was simply enormous.

John Holland arrived home Wednesday from Caledonia, Minn., where he was called some weeks ago by the sickness of his father.

In personal appearance Gov. Pierce resembles Capt. Stephen Baker, Sixth U. S. Infantry, well known in Bismarck and army circles.

R. R. Marsh, proprietor of the Banner farm at Menoken, is in the city. He states that the grain is not injured materially by the rain.

On Saturday morning's westbound train was a party of ladies and gentlemen from Detroit, Mich., who are on a northwestern pleasure trip.

Miss Laura McMahon, daughter of Cashier McMahon of the Merchants National bank, who has been visiting friends at Jamestown, has returned to the city.

A. J. Seymour, a prominent real estate man of Steele, came up to the capital city yesterday. Mr. Seymour deals in Steele town lots as well as farm and railroad lands.

R. Monarch, wife and daughter left for the Yellowstone park Wednesday. Mr. Monarch represents the large firm of R. Monarch & Co., distillers at Owensboro, Ky.

Detective Capt. Braslett of St. Paul passed east on Wednesday's train, having in charge a prisoner who he arrested in Montana for robbing the Northern Pacific express company.

Major Edwards and Secretary Maglione arrived in the city Monday morning, attended the meeting of the penitentiary in the afternoon and returned to Fargo in the evening.

Ned Hager of Mandan returned from St. Paul and Chicago Saturday. He says he hurried home to get a few prairie chickens and other boys had caught them all out of the country.

Governor Pierce has an interesting family, consisting of a most amiable wife, two charming daughters, Nellie and May, and a bright young lad, Paul. They will be welcome members of Bismarck society.

Judge Couch, of Chicago, proprietor of the Macneider farm south of Bismarck, is sojourning in the city. The judge is happily surprised at the abundant yield of No. 1 hard and bespeaks a bright future for Bismarck.

Fargo Argus, 15th: John M. Simpson and P. D. Watson, of Bismarck, are stopping at the Headquarters. Mr. Simpson has about 10,000 head of cattle in Montana, which he says he intends shipping to Chicago during the next few months.

Dr. Armstrong, formerly of the Northwestern Stage and Transportation company in the days when Bismarck was the headquarters for all business with the Black Hills, passed through the city Wednesday, en route to the National Park. He was greeted by scores of old time friends.

Judge McCalmont of Franklin, Pa., is in the city, having arrived Saturday to look after his interests in Burleigh county. He has several valuable pieces of property in the city, and is highly elated over the magnificent crop on his farm near Menoken.

Mr. and Mrs. Coffin, of Richmond, Ind., father and mother of Elijah Coffin, of this city, are visiting Bismarck. Mr. Coffin is one of the oldest bankers in the Hoosier state, and one of the best preserved men at the age of 68 to be found in the country.

Thomas McGrath, the indefatigable boomer of Stanton, the new county seat of Mercer county, is in the city. He says that Stanton is growing steadily and solidly. A new hotel 40x40 has just been completed and several other buildings are in course of erection.

E. L. Bishop, stenographic clerk of Judge Reddon, of Fargo, and agent for the celebrated Remington type writers, was in the city Friday. He expects to furnish quite a number of these time and labor saving machines to the lawyers and business men of this city.

O. H. Clague has returned from a trip to Winona, the new town opposite Fort Yates, about 20 miles from Bismarck. He says that substantial buildings are being erected in Winona. Jack Waldron has just opened his new hotel, a building 30x40, and is doing well.

In company with H. J. Whitley treasurer McVay was driven about the city Saturday. This is Mr. McVay's first visit to Bismarck and his impressions, he states, are good. He will remain in the city several days, and like all good fellows will be right royally entertained.

Prof. Horace Goodhue, Jr., of Carrollton college, Northfield, Minn., is in the city visiting his brother-in-law, Dr. A. T. Bigelow. Prof. Horace is professor of Greek and principal of the preparatory department of the college, and has several friends in Bismarck, who greatly enjoy his visit.

R. H. Gerard, of Port Jefferson, New York, is stopping at the Custer hotel. He is one of the old time, 1873, Bismarckers, and has yet to show for his early experiences the lot now occupied by the Mackay Co. and the Sharpless banking agency. He is surprised at the growth and prosperity of the city.

Rev. E. T. Hamel, the new Episcopal minister arrived in the city Wednesday, accompanied by his wife and child. Mr. Hamel is a man of pleasing address, a good conversationalist, and will doubtless be well received by the citizens of Bismarck. He will reside at present in the Francis Macneider house.

Judge and Mrs. W. B. Settle, of Benton, Montana, arrived in Bismarck on the steamer Batchelor, Wednesday, and are registered at the Sheridan. The judge is a present member of the Montana legislature from Choteau county. He thinks quite favorably of locating permanently in Bismarck. He will remain in the city some time.

Assistant General Manager Odell passed through the city Wednesday with a large force of men to clear the Missouri river country where a considerable amount of damage has been done by rain. The track in some places being washed away and bridges destroyed. Mr. Odell takes personal supervision of the work, which insures a speedy removal of the difficulties.

John Mulvaney, the artist who painted the famous picture "Custer's Last Stand" was in the city Wednesday visiting his old acquaintance, D. F. Barry, the photographer. He is on his way to the Little Big Horn, where he will study the surroundings of Custer's retreat that awful day when the gallant Custer fell. When making the sketch for the picture, he had a rough outline of the Custer retreat, and he now intends to correct any inaccuracies and make a painting similar in size to that now being exhibited throughout the country—a piece of rare art.

Mrs. Samuel Matthews, the best landlady in the north, and the charming better half of that prince of bonifaces, Sam Matthews, of the Con-Quinn, is passing on the noon train today. She will visit for several days at Bismarck, but hopes to see her Jamestown friends on the way back.—Jamestown Capital.

Mrs. Matthews and Mrs. Lisle spent Sunday in Bismarck and were visited by scores of acquaintances. Mr. Matthews arrived Sunday morning and returned to Fargo with the ladies Sunday evening.

From Colonel Lounsbury it is learned that a convention of the republicans of Mercer county was held on Wednesday, the 20th, at which Charles Haggdorn, was president and Stephen A. Card, secretary. Isaac Moore, of Gardie's, and Stephen A. Card, of Ousey, were elected delegates to the Pierre convention and instructed for Raymond. Isaac Moore was chosen chairman of the republican central committee.

As Mercer county is not organized until today it is not quite clear how it is that a convention can assemble and elect two legal delegates. Unorganized counties are not entitled to representation. It is probably a Raymond scheme.

A Dakota Darling. The first wheat delivered at the Menoken elevator this year was by Miss Eel, who Wednesday delivered 172 bushels of No. 1 hard, the product of seven acres, put in by herself last spring. Miss Eel formerly taught school at Sims, but believing farming more profitable, took a claim near the banner farm (B. R. Marsh's) last spring with the above result. She lives alone on her claim, and that she is courageous and abundantly able to take care of herself is proven beyond a doubt. She is a darling for some fellow, but she must be a person industrious, ambitious and worthy in every respect.

The Governor's Office. Governor Pierce was treated to a surprise Tuesday. Upon entering his new office he found the room artistically decorated with specimen bunches of wheat and oats. The desks and office furniture are new and elegant, and a couple of lovely bouquets sent in by Mr. Will, of the Bismarck greenhouse, filled the rooms with pleasant odor and gave them a cheering appearance. The governor's residence is now being arranged and will be ready for occupancy in a few days. It is the Harmon building on Main street.

The Bismarck Bridge. Ex-Mayor Raymond Tuesday received from Engineer Morison, for presentation to the Bismarck chamber of commerce, his printed reports relative to the construction of the Bismarck bridge. The book is four by one foot in size, and gives in detail the history of the construction of the famous structure. It is amply illustrated by fine steel plate engravings and will prove a valuable souvenir and history of a remarkable work.

Sunday Trading. A number of the ladies of Bismarck are opposed to the growing practice of keeping open places of business on Sunday, believing that it is not only detrimental to public morals but that it overtaxes the strength of the clerks and employes. The ladies of the Christian Temperance association announce that they will discuss the propriety of trading at such places at their next regular meeting.

Important to Farmers. In view of the low price of grain at present Col. Magill authorizes the TRIBUNE to say that the Menoken elevator will receive and deliver grain for two cents a bushel, giving thirty days storage free when desired.

Good Advice to Farmers. These observations by the editor of the Raymond Gazette, in Clark county, are good for almost any part of Dakota: "The inhabitants of Dakota themselves do not begin to realize the enormity of the crop that is now being harvested, and only when the facilities of the railroads and grain elevators prove inadequate to take care of it will they understand the real amount of the products of their summer's work. Dakota is destined to excel as a dairy country and in mixed farming in the not far distant future, just as it does in grain at present. It is only when the farmers forsake the mistaken idea of being what 'specialists' and turn their attention to raising more stock, that their success will approximate that which so fertile a country and so industrious a people deserve. Trying to live through and meet the expenses of a whole year by the proceeds of a

Winona Booming.

Parties arriving from Winona, the new town opposite Fort Yates on the Missouri river, state that the town is improving fast and that the buildings are all first class. Jack Waldron, well known as one of the earliest pioneers in Bismarck, has just opened his new hotel, the Merchants. He occupies a building 20x50 feet,

two stories high, and is said to be keeping a first class house. The town also contains a general store, three saloons, two hotels, a livery and feed stable and a dance house. The latter seems to be an indispensable adjunct to a frontier town. Very few towns ever prosper that have not at some early day supported a dance house. As time passes by these houses are supplanted by mercantile establishments and the town assumes a more dignified appearance. Winona will become a good town. It is surrounded by a good country and has such men to the back of it as Major McLaughlin, Indian agent at Standing Rock, and Postmaster H. F. Douglass. Being directly opposite Fort Yates it will enjoy a large trade from the military companies stationed at the post.

Building Enterprise. There is considerably building activity at present, especially in Bismarck addition. Among the new residences now under construction are the following: Pat Cunningham, residence on lots 14 and 15, block 3. George Thomas, residence on lots 10, 11, block 3. Martin Martin, residence on lots 12, 13, block 3, and Walter Breen, residence on lots 10, 11, 12, 13, block 2.

Married. At the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rufus W. Child, of Winona, Emmons county, D. T., and Miss Franc A. Bartholomew, of Ulster, Bradford county, Pa., were united in marriage by Rev. J. R. Decker Wednesday about 6:30 o'clock. Mr. Child has a sheep ranch in Emmons county and has resided in the territory for about six years. Miss Bartholomew had been teaching school in Michigan the past two years. The TRIBUNE congratulates them.

River News. The steamer Batchelor arrived from Benton Wednesday afternoon. She left Benton on the 8th. She had a full load of freight and passengers. Among the items of freight was sixty tons of wool, about fifty tons of bullion, and two hundred heads.

Dave Campbell, the well known river pilot and captain, is recovering slowly from his recent illness. The steamer Helena left Poplar river on the morning of the 19th for Bismarck. She ought to be at Bismarck today or tomorrow.

A large sand bar is forming on the east shore in the big bend below Bismarck. The main channel now shoots almost in a direct line from the warehouses to Fort Lincoln.

The Time to Build. Said a lumber dealer to the TRIBUNE yesterday: "There never was a better time to build than now. Lumber of 15 per cent. cheaper than last year and labor is more plenty and can be had for less money. All of the lumber markets except the one at Duluth are overstocked, and all mills have resolved to discontinue any further manufacture after September 15, in order to stiffen prices and work off the surplus stock. The present rate on lumber from Duluth or Minneapolis to the Missouri river is 41 cents per hundred."

Subscribe for the Tribune. Livingston Enterprise: The Jamestown Alert has dispensed with its Associated Press dispatches, and is now a paper of the same size and much the character of the Enterprise. The Bismarck Tribune is now the only paper between Fargo and Helena Publishing Associated Press news.

Jake Engaged. Jake Hansner returned Wednesday from his trip east as happy as a prairie chicken before the expiration of the game law. The secret is out. He is engaged, and will shortly marry and bring to Bismarck one of the prettiest Jewesses in the land. His intended lives in St. Paul, and although the TRIBUNE is not advised of the date of the happy event, it is assured that it is not far distant.

A careful comparison of Dr. Price's Special Flavoring Extracts with other flavoring extracts in the market, will convince any person that for strength and delicacy of flavor, Dr. Price's is far superior. While the other flavorings have a disagreeable turpentine taste and odor, Dr. Price's is as natural as the fruits from which they are made.

Mr. Anton Grandcolas, Belleville, Illinois, states that he was a long time a sufferer with rheumatism, which he cured by the use of St. Jacobs Oil, the great pain reliever.

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First PUBLICATION August 27, 1884. PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS. TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, COUNTY OF MORTON, ss. In the Sixth judicial district court for said county. Matilda Otto, plaintiff, vs. Charles Otto, defendant. The territory of Dakota to the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of Morton county, in the Sixth judicial district court, at the city of Bismarck, in Burleigh county, D. T., within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

T. H. COLLIS, Plaintiff's Attorney. Mandan, D. T., August 15, 1884. Said complaint was filed this 15th day of August, 1884. M. B. DOYLE, Clerk District Court.

General Interest on Bonds.

Table with columns: Counties, Tax, Bonds. Lists various counties and their respective tax and bond values.