

# GREENGARD BROS.' Oxford Sale!

For 10 Days, Commencing Wednesday, August 4th,  
We will place our Entire Stock of Men's, Ladies' and  
Children's Oxfords at a Great Discount of 20 per cent.

Men's Florsheim and Crawford  
Oxfords in Tans, Russia, wine  
Oxblood Patent. Gun Metals  
and Vici Kid, in all widths.

\$5.00 value	<b>\$4.00</b>
at.....	
\$4.00 value	<b>\$3.20</b>
at.....	
\$3.50 value	<b>\$2.80</b>
at.....	
\$3.00 value	<b>\$2.40</b>
at.....	
\$2.50 value	<b>\$2.00</b>
at.....	



Ladies' Pingree and Brown  
Oxfords and Pumps, in all sea-  
son shades and leather in Brown  
Oxford, Tan, Patent, Gun metal  
and Vici Kid, in all widths.

\$4.00 value	<b>\$3.20</b>
at.....	
\$3.50 value	<b>\$2.80</b>
at.....	
\$3.00 value	<b>\$2.40</b>
at.....	
\$2.75 value	<b>\$2.20</b>
at.....	
\$2.20 value	<b>\$2.00</b>
at.....	

Boys' and Children's Oxfords on this sale at a Discount  
of 20 per cent.

We have also a large line of Men's and Ladies' Shoes which we will  
close out at a Discount of 20 per cent, while they last.

## Greengard Bros. Clothiers and Shoe Men

## ASBURY

Grocery Co.  
QUALITY STORE

PHONE NO. 46

### Specials

for Saturday, Aug. 7th  
Monday, Aug. 9th

Particular housewives  
always use good Gro-  
ceries.

15 lbs.	<b>\$1.00</b>
Sugar.....	
16 lbs.	<b>1.00</b>
Brown Sugar.....	
3 lbs.	<b>25c</b>
Good Rice.....	
3 lbs.	<b>25c</b>
Raisins.....	
Oranges,	<b>35c</b>
per doz.....	
Sweet Pickles put up	<b>20c</b>
in pt. Mason jars...	
3 cans	<b>25c</b>
Good Milk.....	

With every 100 lbs. Flour we will  
give Free of Charge one 16-oz. can  
of Hunt's Baking Powder FREE.

Barrel Salt,  
per bbl.....**\$2.10**

These Prices are Cash

Phone your order to 46

## Farm Loans---

If you are figuring on making a loan on your land  
bear in mind that this BANK is prepared to give you the  
very best kind of a deal.

We have features in handling this business which  
are more than important to you.

CALL OR WRITE

### Williams County Bank

Williston, North Dakota

## THE OLD COUNTRY

If you wish to send money to the  
"Old Country" you can do so  
easily and cheaply through this  
Bank, payable in all countries.

### Williston State Bank

T. O. HOUGEN, Cashier

## Model Meat Market



NO MATTER WHICH SIDE OF  
THE BEEF QUESTION

you look at, whether  
for quality, whether for  
price, you cannot do  
better than with us.  
Prime beef, lamb, or,  
in fact, any meat you  
want, we carry at rea-  
sonable prices. Come  
in and try our store and  
you will be satisfied.

Phone 69

## McAvoy's Grocery

### Specials For One Week

Reg. 15c Mixed Candy	<b>10c</b>
special per lb.....	
Reg. 20c Mixed Nuts,	<b>12½c</b>
special per lb.....	
2 packages Pettijohns	<b>25c</b>
Breakfast Food.....	
2 large size packages	<b>45c</b>
Quaker Oatmeal.....	
Reg. 70c Black Tea	<b>50c</b>
per lb.....	
Perfect Baking Pow-	<b>45c</b>
der, 2 cans for.....	
3 cans Milk, 10c size,	<b>25c</b>
for.....	
Mason Fruit Jars, pints	<b>35c</b>
per doz.....	
Mason Fruit Jars,	<b>95c</b>
quarts, per doz.....	
11 bars Snap Soap for	<b>25c</b>
6 bars White Borax	<b>25c</b>
Soap for.....	
Gold Dust, per pkg.....	<b>20c</b>
3 bottles Dakota Blue-	<b>25c</b>
ing for.....	

### ODD FELLOWS BLOCK

#### Curious Trait.

Some women are willing to wear  
almost nothing on the stage so that  
they may appear in fine clothes off  
the stage.

#### As We Sow, We Reap.

De Maistre: The blessedness or  
misery of old age is often but the  
extract of our past life.

## TAFT GETS LOW DUTY

MATERIAL REDUCTIONS SECURED  
BY PRESIDENT AS RESULT  
OF CONFERENCE.

### HIDES ARE ON FREE LIST

That is One of Most Important De-  
cisions of Washington Meeting—  
End of Struggle is in Sight, Ac-  
cording to Advices from Capital.

Washington, July 26.—Hides will be  
put upon the free list and existing  
rates on all leather goods will be sub-  
stantially reduced, some of them be-  
low the duties fixed by either the  
house or senate tariff bills. While no  
vote was taken on the hide question  
by the conference committee practi-  
cally every member admitted that this  
program would be adopted.

As those who have contended for  
the retention of the duty on hides  
have demanded a greater reduction in  
the leather schedule than it is be-  
lieved will be made, the conferees re-  
fused to speak of the results attained  
at the forenoon executive session of  
the conference committee. Therefore,  
while there is little doubt that hides  
are to be put on the free list, a vari-  
ety of opinions are expressed con-  
cerning the duties to be fixed upon  
leather.

**Small Duty on Sole Leather.**  
The generally accepted program is  
as follows: Hides, free; sole leather,  
five per cent. ad valorem, the same as  
the house rate, and ten per cent. low-  
er than the senate rate; leather for  
uppers, 7½ per cent., which is one-  
half the rate of the senate and the  
house bills; boots and shoes, ten per  
cent., as against 15 per cent. in the  
house bill and 20 per cent. in the sen-  
ate bill. These rates, it is said, are to  
be applied to articles which are made  
chiefly of the grades of hides which  
would be admitted free.

**To Accept Situation.**  
Indications are that the advocates  
of a duty on hides accept the situa-  
tion after a struggle in the senate. A  
large portion of their natural support  
will be drawn away from them by the  
reduction of the duties on leather and  
leather goods, and they have been  
told if the present bill fails another  
measure will be brought in immediately  
which would not only make hides  
free, but would strike at wood, and  
lead and zinc ores. The hide protec-  
tionists feel extremely dejected over  
the situation and they admit that with  
the president and the house against  
them and with no advocate on the  
conference committee, the chances

are very poor both in committee and  
in congress.

#### Taft Consults with Payne.

Those matters which were still in  
conference when the president went  
into consultation with Chairman Payne  
and Representative McCall of the  
house conferees, were oil, ore, hides,  
coal, lumber, print paper and cotton  
goods. Attorney General Wickersham  
also joined in the discussion, and all  
three remained at the White House as  
the president's luncheon guests.

Strong representations were made  
to the president regarding the print  
paper schedule, and there seemed to  
be little hope of the revisionists keep-  
ing the figure below 4¢. It was stated  
to the president that the house in  
fixing a rate of 2¢ per ton on print  
paper based its action upon the as-  
sumption that a reciprocal agreement  
could be reached with Canada where-  
by American manufacturers of paper  
would have the advantage of free  
wood pulp from the dominion.

#### Increased Rate Inevitable.

In the absence of a definite un-  
derstanding on this point, however, it is  
now believed at the White House that  
an increased rate is inevitable. Sena-  
tor La Follette of Wisconsin has told  
the president that the paper mills of  
Wisconsin, remotely situated and  
compelled to pay high freight rates,  
cannot exist at a rate less than 4¢ a  
ton and he has proposed fixing the  
rate at that figure for a period of four  
years at least. As a part of the free  
hide agreement it was said that the  
harness and saddlery interests have  
agreed to a reduction to 20 per cent.  
in the tariff on those goods and five  
per cent. on rough leather.

#### Wealthy Man a Suicide in Jail.

Philadelphia, July 26.—Alfred Wort-  
man, who claims he was a member  
of a wealthy family in Portland,  
Ore., committed suicide in the  
county prison, where he had been  
confined, charged with obtaining  
money under false pretenses. He tore  
his clothing in two strips and hanged  
himself to a cell door. Wortman, who  
was about 45 years old, is said to have  
been wanted in New York to answer  
charges of obtaining money under  
false pretenses.

#### Fatally Hurt in Auto Wreck.

Danville, Ill., July 26.—A motor car  
driven by Richard Cannon, a nephew  
of Speaker Cannon, dashed over an  
embankment while running at high  
speed, near Crawfordville, Ind., and  
turned over in a ditch. Cannon's com-  
panion, John Noone, a brewer of this  
city, was caught under the car and  
was so seriously injured that he prob-  
ably will die. Cannon was painfully  
bruised.

State of North Dakota, ss Affidavit  
County of Williams, }  
I, E. M. Atterberry, County Audi-  
tor in and for Williams county and  
State of North Dakota, do certify  
that the above list of Food Products  
and Beverages is a true copy of the  
list filed in this office by E. F. Ladd,  
Chemist of the North Dakota Govern-  
ment Agricultural Experimental Sta-  
tion and Food Commissioner of North  
Dakota, as examined by him for the  
six months ending June 30, 1909, as  
per the requirements of the Pure Food  
Law Senate bill No. 57, Section 9 of  
the 1907 Session Laws.  
Dated at Williston, N. D. this 2nd  
day of July, 1909.

E. M. Atterberry,  
County Auditor in and for Williams  
County, N. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 2nd day of July, 1909.

(SEAL) A. L. Butler,  
Co. Judge of Williams Co., N. D.

#### DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

General Land Office, Washington, D. C.  
May 22, 1909.—Notice of Restoration of Public  
Lands to Settlement and Entry.—Notice is hereby  
given that the Secretary of the Interior has vacated  
departmental order of withdrawal in so far  
as the same affects the withdrawal for irrigation  
purposes under the act of June 17, 1902 (32 Stat.,  
388) for use in connection with the Williston pro-  
ject, No. Dakota, of the following described lands  
in the State of North Dakota, and by his author-  
ity such of said tracts as have not been hereto-  
fore finally restored and are not otherwise with-  
drawn, reserved or appropriated, will be subject  
to settlement under the public land laws of the  
United States on and after August 28, 1909, but  
shall not be subject to entry, filing, or selection  
until September 27, 1909, at the United States  
land office at Williston, North Dakota, warning  
being expressly given that no person will be per-  
mitted to gain or exercise any right whatever un-  
der any settlement or occupation begun after  
May 12, 1909, and prior to August 28, 1909, all such  
settlement or occupation being forbidden.  
5th principal meridian; T 153n. R 96w w½ se¼  
se¼ sw¼ and lot 4, Sec 19.

Fred Dennett,  
Commissioner of the General Land Office.  
49-107  
Frank Pierce,  
First Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

### The Buyers' Guide

The firms whose names are repre-  
sented in our advertising columns  
are worthy of the confidence of every  
person in the community who has  
money to spend. The fact that they  
advertise stamps them as enterpris-  
ing, progressive men of business, a  
credit to our town, and deserving of  
support. Our advertising columns  
comprise a Buyers' Guide to fair  
dealing, good goods, honest prices.

Competent farm help  
can be secured through  
Graphic want ads. They  
were never known to fail.

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Expert Accountant  
WILLISTON, N. DAK.

Books Audited; Municipal, Cor-  
poration, Firms and Individual  
Can start you on systems that  
are simple, economical, saving  
on time and money  
Invoices taken of Merchandise  
stock  
Partnership differences adjusted

Bank Work a Specialty

Call or Write For Terms With the Firm of  
**Aaen Brothers**

## Wouldn't you rather own the best advertised store in any city, anytime?

The merchant who makes his store ads the most interesting  
and important and convincing things in this newspaper--or a ma-  
jority of its issues--will make his store the most interesting and  
prosperous in the city.

Can you imagine any case at all in which that would not  
be true?

Wouldn't you rather be the owner of the best advertised store  
in this city--or in any city--than of any other store?