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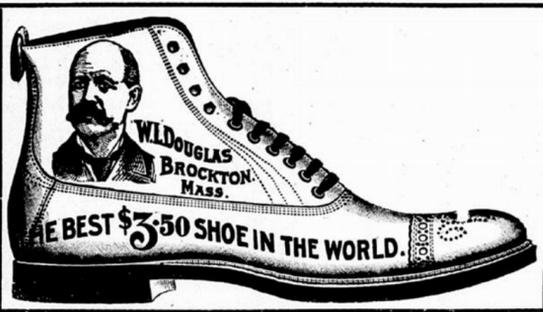
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and are always willing to refund money when goods do not give satisfaction. Our Fall goods are arriving every day and we will soon be prepared to fit you out in any up to date line in men's wear, promptly



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J. M. WILSON, THE SHOE MAN, MINOT, N. DAK

CORRESPONDENCE

THE HAPS AND MISHAPS OF THE PEOPLE IN THIS PART OF THE STATE, BY OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Surrey.

Ed. Thofson left Tuesday for Rugby.
Rev. John Brubaker preached at Granville on Sunday.
Miss Susie Wilgus visited Zora Perrey a few days this week.
Daniel Wolfe is out with a threshing crew up at Carrington.
Mrs. Dane Royer took dinner Sunday with Mrs. D. S. Wolfe.
Roy B. Wolfe went to Williston Sunday to look after his claim.
Mrs. Irene Wolfe spent the day Monday with Mrs. Jessie Pearson.
The Misses Mamie and Ava Brey spent the day Friday with Miss Zora Perrey.
D. M. Shorb and family took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ridge-way.
Mrs. Caleb Wolfe expects to leave Wednesday for her home at Wolsley, Canada.
Mrs. Irene Belt Wolfe stayed over night Friday with Mrs. Bert McCutcheon.
J. E. Smith and family returned home Friday after spending a couple weeks at Burlington.
The Christian church will give another ice cream social at the school house Friday evening.
Miss Bessie Semlar from McKinley district, took supper Saturday evening with Miss Flossie Cole.
Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hardy and children visited Sunday with her brothers and sisters Wetmore south of town.
The boys say that Mr. Carmen got in too late Monday morning from Minot for breakfast, but there are others.
Miss Dora Blake who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Meyers, for several weeks, returned to her home at Cando Tuesday.
A. D. Goodbar, of Belton, Mo., arrived at Surrey Friday to spend a couple of weeks visiting with his son John, our Great N. agent.
Monday morning Mrs. Wolfe took an early drive south to the river and reports that part of the country as blessed with legions of leap frogs.
This section was favored with a good hard rain Sunday night that will help the late fall and both the just and unjust will reap the benefit.
Henry Bouk, of Jasper county, Ind., who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Warren Brey the past three weeks returned home last Saturday.
They say that A. E. Carpenter, former agent at Surrey, is stepping very high just now, as his wife presented him with a fine baby girl Aug. 12.

Henry Allen was down from Burlington Sunday.
Joseph Rice left for his home at Denbigh on Wednesday to freshen up preparatory to beginning his school in the Parriotti district in September.
Mrs. Chas. Funderburg served 75 meals in her beautiful dining room on Saturday to the threshing crew. The boys are always glad when Charley threshes.
Rev. and Mrs. Bradley and children, Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Stricker and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lambert took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dresher.
Mr. Grant Collins, of Neigh, Neb., who has been up in Assinaboia, Canada, and filed on a line claim is stopping in Surrey and visiting his old neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hardy.
We are inclined to believe that the Editor of the Independent is rather selfish on the "girl question" or else he would never have answered the Sunday school teacher as he did.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brubaker, father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. John Studebaker, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Pearson and children and Mrs. B. Perrey, Mr. and Mrs. Orrien Peters and children, Mr. McAlister, Miss Glenna Warwick and Miss Sadie Kessler of Cando, took dinner on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frantz.
Some of our farmers have a part of their grain threshed and report the yield as fair for the dry season. Chas. Funderburg threshed 1,285 bushels of oats averaging 30 bushels to the acre, 150 bushel of wheat averaging 12 bushel per acre, 150 bushel speltz averaging 19 bushel per acre and 276 bushel of flax which averaged 10 bushel per acre. Mr. Chas. Dresher's wheat averaged 32 bushel to the acre and oats 35 bushel per acre.
Burlington.
Leslie Colton has gone into the machinery business. Last week he received a car load of new wagons, mowers and rakes.
We understand from good authority that David Houston, our Sunday school superintendent, is about to again enter into the holy bonds of matrimony. The community at large extends congratulations.
L. S. Foot left Saturday for Chicago with six car loads of beef. He will be gone about ten days. His brother-in-law, Albert Barton, of San Pedro, Cali., who has been visiting him, makes the trip with him.
Harvesting is well under way in and around Burlington, as well as on the North Prairie. Grain in the valley is not as good as that on the prairie so far as the straw is concerned, as it did not have the same amount of rain, but we think the average yield will give the North Prairies a run for their money.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Foote and Mr. and Mrs. Barton, while returning from the ranch where Mr. Foote had his cattle last Sunday, stopped on their journey on account of the intense heat in the afternoon and after it had become cooler, started for home. As the night came on they lost their way. While coming over the hills of western Ward county they fell in with C. A. Bugge, the merchant, and Halvor Halverson, who had been on the trail of a lone duck since morning, and had lost their way. All managed to find the claim of Kidney Hunnewell, at midnight, where the Foote party remained until daylight. The others made Burlington at 2 a. m.
Logan.
Wm. Anderson the tall pine of Logan called on his bachelor friends last Sunday.
John C. Daniels received the contract to build the school house in the Bell school district.
A large coyote was found prowling around John Whitson's chicken coop last Wednesday and consequently came to grief.
Robt. Waldref is about to complete a large barn 40x56 which will be the largest barn in the vicinity of Logan, nothing like being up to date.
The Golden Rule Store.
J. B. Taylor, formerly of Chicago, has opened his Golden Rule Store in the North half of the Nash building on South Main street. He makes a specialty in crockery, glassware, tinware, light hardware, house furnishings etc. Mr. Taylor has considerable experience in this business and considers that Minot is the best city in the state for opening such a store.
Maud Allen, the Flying Lady.
Beaty Bros. Moving Picture show consists of 50,000 of the latest moving pictures and the latest illustrated songs sung by Prof. Hadley, of New York. This show is not to be classed with the so-called moving picture shows of which there are so many traveling nowadays. It is an acknowledged fact that the Beaty Bros. have the only six moving picture machines on earth with the Diamond Projecting Lens. Beaty Bros. had these machines made to order last January. They have six sprockets that do away with all that quiver. Most of the Beaty Bros. pictures are colored and cost 50 cents per foot, while the ordinary picture costs 13 cents per foot.
You will see such pictures as "An Old Maid from New York," "Jack and the Beanstalk," in ten beautiful colored scenes. "Unexhaustible Cab," I guess that will hold you for awhile. "President's Funeral," "The Electrocution of Czolgoz," "Whose Baby Are You?" "I'm Aunt Rastus' Baby, That's Whose Baby I Am." Don't fail to see "A Fisherman's Catch," "Casey and the street Roller," "A Fat and Lean Man's Wrestling Match," "Catch of Biddle Bros' Outlaws," "Carrie Nation and Her Hatchet," "Battle scenes, Boat scenes," "Casey and His Twins," "Chuting the Chutes at San Francisco."
The salt Lake Tribune says: "Beaty Bros. played salt Lake Theatre, Friday, October 24, 1902, and gave universal satisfaction."
Jacobson's Opera House. Admission 25 50 and 75 Monday August 31.

WANT COLUMN

J. W. Rode sells steamship tickets.
Land scrip for sale. C. A. Johnson.
Come and see the soda water expert at Blakey's 6 tf.
The Pride of Minot is the popular flour. It leads. 15 tf.
Finest soda water, by an expert, at Blakey's drug store. 6 tf.
For ice cream and soda water try the Palace drug store.
Buy one of those new organs just received at McJannet's. 13 tf.
Furnished rooms for rent. Inquire at Samuelson's shoe store. 16 tf.
Blank notes and chattel mortgage releases for sale at this office.
I have now a good supply of Burlington and Kenmare coal, P. H. Baukol. 2tf
R. W. Jones has just received 100 tons of the best grade of blacksmith coal. 6tf
The Pride of Minot is going in every direction. It must be good flour. 13 tf.
Just received some of the latest organs. McJannet, the furniture man. 13tf
Get your prescription filled by a graduate in pharmacy, at the Palace drug store. 6 tf
If you have any horses you wish wintered, see or address P. A. Fuller, Minot, N. D. 18 tf.
Do you want to buy or sell a farm if you do call on Frdeen & Stewart, the land men. 13 tf
For Sale—New milch cows, by Nick Roles, inquire at Walter or Glenburn, North Dakota. 13 tf
For Sale—A second hand rake and mower. Good condition. Alvin Wallace, Burlington, N. D. 18 tf
Furnished rooms to rent in pleasant part of city. Rates reasonable. Inquire at Independent office. 17 tf.
All kinds of land and townsites for sale. Address N. W. Comfort of White Earth, or J. W. Maloney, Minot. 6 tf
Lost—a gold chain in four sections with a small K. P. emblem. Finder leave at this office and receive reward.
For Sale Cheap—A good traction Gaar Scot engine. Run three years. Is now in good shape. Inquire of the Seefeld Implement Co. 18 tf
She went all over town for Oxford's and finally paid \$2.50 for a pair of Pina-gree make that pleased her immensely. We can do fully as well for you. J. M. Wilson. 6 tf
The G. N. Ry. will sell round trip tickets on July 7 and 21, Aug. 4 and 18, Sept 1 and 15 to all points in Idaho, Oregon, Washington at one fare plus 22 for round trip, good for 21 days from Minot.
Wanted—Two competent dining room girls and one good cook at the Arlington hotel in Kenmare. Best of wages paid. Vacancies after Sept. 1. Address J. G. Gulpin, Kenmare, N. D. a 17 t 2.

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We will open Saturday, Aug. 29th in the Nash building with a line of Crockery, Glassware, Tinware, Light Hardware, Books, Stationery, Notions, Etc. You will find us at all times prepared to give you bargains in all of our lines. Our 5 and 10 cent counter are filled with good things. The following are our

OPENING : BARGAINS

- Good clear glass tumblers, each only.....3c
- Fine thin glass tumblers, set of 6, only.....40c
- Imitation cut glass berry dish and 6 sauce dishes to match, only.....50c
- Hardwood towel roller, only.....15c
- Hardwood salt box, only.....10c
- Good wood or buck saw.....65c
- 10 quart tin pail.....10c
- Revolving flour sieve.....10c