

GOPHER TAILS.

\$23.00 IN PRIZES.

The largest number of Gopher Tails delivered at Grow Clothing Co.'s, store at Minot up to July 4th will receive the following prizes:

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| First Prize, | Men's or Boys' Suit, Guaranteed to Fit, Worth | \$15.00 |
| Second Prize, | Shoes, Hat, or Furnishing Goods to the Value of | \$ 5.00 |
| Third Prize, | Your Choice of Any Merchandise in our Store to the Value of | \$ 3.00 |

We Have the Most Complete Line of
Men's, Boy's and Children's Clothing.

Hats, Caps, Furnishings, Mens' and Boys' Shoes, Trunks and Valises in Minot. Do not buy until you have a look at our different lines.

GROW CLOTHING COMPANY,

The One Price Store.

MINOT,

N. D.



OPERA BARBER SHOP
GLIDER & ECKLER, Proprietors.

Bath Rooms, Up-to-date Furnishings, Competent Workmen. Everything new but the barbers. A Share of Your Patronage Solicited. Minot, N. D.

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Stoves and Ranges

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SOME CHOICE RELINQUISHMENTS FOR SALE, IF TAKEN AT ONCE, ON THE FINEST LANDS IN THE FAMOUS
MOUSE RIVER LOOP.

Call and Look Over Our Lists or Write.

I have some fine deeded farms for sale in Ward, McHenry or Bottineau counties. \$1200 to \$3000 a quarter section.

MEMBER CENTRAL ASSOCIATION
Loans made at lowest rate, No delay. I can make your final proofs
JOHN A. DONOVAN - GLENBURN, N. D.



THE AVERAGE MAN WALKS 112,500 MILES IN A LIFE TIME

GOOD MATERIAL
is our first requirement when purchasing shoes. This being up to our standard we consider workmanship and style and all things being equal we offer the goods to our customers at a reasonable advance on the cost.

REMEMBER!

We are exclusive agents or the
BRADLEY & MYCALF SHO

GUARANTEED

"EST W EARERS,"
"BEST LOOKERS," and
"BEST FITTERS."

The Great Northern Cash Store,
Minot, North Dakota.

THE NEW YORK DEPARTMENT STORE.

IF YOU WANT

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FOR

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You Can Buy Boy's

2 and 3 Piece Suits,

Any quality and color,

Sizes 3 to 14,

At Half the Regular Price

New York Department Store

Minot, N. D.

A game of ball played between the Torning and Melum teams at Torning Sunday was a victory for Melum, score 31 to 27. A number of home runs were reported. Twenty-five pretty damsels cheered the players at every good turn. 300 saw the game.

No. 6315.
REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF
The Minot National Bank,
—AT—
MINOT,
In the State of North Dakota,
At the close of business, June 9, 1904.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 89,827.54
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,474.34
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,500.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	None
Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits	None
U. S. Bonds on hand	None
Premiums on U. S. Bonds	880.31
Bonds, securities, etc.	283.04
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	2,985.95
Other real estate owned	2,988.55
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	\$ 4,799.16
Due from State Bank and Bankers	3,029.79
Due from approved reserve agents	6,750.76
Internal revenue stamps	None
Checks and other cash items	2,451.79
Exchanges for Clearing House	None
Notes of other National Banks	1,200.00
Fractional paper currency	None
Nickels and cents	124.11
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	\$ 4,200.00
Legal-tender notes	2,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625.00
TOTAL	\$136,460.34
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund	2,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	324.92
National Bank notes outstanding	12,500.00
State bank notes outstanding	None
Due to other National Banks	None
Due to state banks and bankers	None
Due to Trust companies and Savings banks	None
Due to approved reserve agents	None
Dividends unpaid	None
Individual deposits subject to check	\$65,403.93
Demand certificates of deposit	7,604.72
Time certificates of deposit	23,316.77
Certified checks	300.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	None
United States deposits	None
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	None
Bills borrowed	None
Notes and bills rediscounted	None
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	None
Liabilities other than those above stated	None
TOTAL	\$136,460.34

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA,
COUNTY OF WARD,
J. A. ERICKSON, Cashier.
CORRECT-Attest:
A. B. PAGE, Notary Public.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June, 1904.
My commission expires May 11, 1910.

Hoboes Break Jail.
Judge Wm. Murray and Chief of Police Shields are rounding up every hobo who sticks his head into Minot. Every day they scour the Olaf A. Olson woods which seems to be the favorite rendezvous of the lazy fellows. Friday night Murray was confronted by a stranger who said someone was attempting to kill a man in the woods. He went to the scene and found fifteen bad looking fellows and drove them out but made no arrests. Monday morning another report was brought to him saying that two tramps were holding up a man on the Soo track. Murray went in pursuit of the fellows and found two burly customers attempting to make a man buy a cheap ring of them. The man had refused and was pounced upon and badly pounded. Murray arrested one of them and the other one, a big 275 pounder ran into the river. The water was too deep for him. Murray picked up a club and struck him over the head with it several times and the fellow gave up.

The two were given a hearing and sent to jail for fifty days each. Tuesday another hobo was arrested for selling cheap and suspicious jewelry on the street. He was also placed in the city jail. Towards evening Murray went to the jail and found a door post almost cut away. Later in the night the three made their escape by breaking out the back end of the cells.

Sunday night at 10 o'clock a hobo came to the home of Judge Murray begging for something to eat. He was not given anything and going over the tracks, cried to three other fellows, "It's no use. There is someone at home." It is believed that had no one been in the house, a robbery would have taken place.

Murray says the woods will be searched each day and every hobo arrested. Bread and water will be their diet.

Torning.
Victor Pederson and Miss Lina Larson, of Berthold, visited friends here Sunday.

Eller Wall and Iver Nybaken visited the mines Monday.

L. Mikklson's the veterinary surgeon doctored the horse of D. Barty, the gardener, Wednesday.

L. Mikklson is building an addition to his house 14x18. There is where we will have a dance boys.

Mr. Gerrity is building a nice house on his claim. He will move his family here soon.

L. T. Larson is breaking for Will Gerrity.

Geo. Nixon is breaking 10 acres for M. Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Fish visited A. E. Stakston Sunday evening.

Mr. Abraham and daughters visited Louis T. Larson Sunday.

Kenmare Man Killed.
A man named Anderson, about 35 years old was killed at Kenmare Thursday by a falling house. He was engaged in moving the building when it overturned. It had not been properly balanced. The body was badly mangled. Dr. Crokat was called to Kenmare Thursday night and held an inquest. No blame was attached to anyone save the deceased. Anderson leaves no family.

School Books.
I am now carrying a complete line of school books, such as are used in the Public Schools of Minot and vicinity. In addition to these school books I carry a big line of 5c and 10c Tablets, Examination Tablets, Drawing Tablets, Pencils, Pencil Boxes, Pens, Inks, etc. You can buy a good smooth tablet here for 5c in all sizes both ruled and unruled. Next time you want a tablet come here.

The Careful Druggist,
(PAUL V. MCGOY.)
Leland Hotel, * Minot, N. D.

Try
Parisian Tooth Wash,
25c.

Waterford.
The farmers are rejoicing over the nice rain during the past week, it will bring the crops up booming.

J. T. Lauderback is breaking sod.

Elza Young is planting potatoes.

James Hastie is making garden.

Mr. Lenard Huffman is busy sowing flax for Mr. Pruet.

Perry Bailey is breaking at stubble this week.

Mr. Pruet is digging a well.

One Fare for the Round Trip.
On the Soo line for the 4th of July. Between all stations. Dates of sale, July 1st to 4th inclusive. Tickets good to return until July 5th. Further particulars may be obtained from nearest Soo line agent.

Yours truly,
W. R. Callaway,
General Passenger Agt.

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MINOR TOPICS

H. W. Franklyn has purchased the White Earth Record.

For Sale—A Jersey cow and Jersey yearling cheap.
T. W. Minnis.

A petition was circulated in this city this week asking that the jurisdiction of the county judge be extended.

Editor McKee, of Portal and Editor Holl, of Mohall, were doing the city in a business way the fore part of the week.

J. W. Rode has just returned from a weeks trip up the line where he has been introducing life insurance all along the way.

Gallik Thompson's homestead papers were found in this city and are at this office. Owner my have same by paying charges.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Henson returned to Havre, Mont., Monday after spending several weeks visiting friends and relatives in this city.

The plumbing shop of Devereaux Bros. & Dorman was broken into Friday night and five guns stolen, which had been left for repair.

Frank Wilson accompanied Mr. Stenvick to his claim eleven miles southwest of town Friday evening where an enjoyable ball was held.

Nic Rustad, the city assessor is out with his book and everyone seems to have lost all the property and money he ever owned.

Jos. Devine sold an entire township in Heddington Co. North Dakota last week to the Nason Christofferson Land Co. of St Paul for \$35,000.

Taken up—A dark brown colt two years old a few days ago six miles south of Minot. Owner prove property, pay charges and take animal away. Call at this office. 6-15 6-29.

A negro stole a horse and saddle from Scofield. He hired the pony stating that he was going into the hill and would return in a short time. A reward of \$25 is offered for his arrest.

Sheriff Bennett of Eddy county was in Minot looking for a man who had skipped with another man's wife. The couple were tracked as far as Dag Dens, but did not show up in Minot.

Erick Husted believes in growing trees and this spring set out on his dairy farm near this city 2000 cottonwoods, 100 cherry trees, and 500 willows. He has a regular experimental station there.

Dr. James Madden, the "Ezy-Eye-spex" man who visits Minot regularly, writes from Medicine Hat, Assa, that he and his family are taking a vacation and are headed for Calgary. They spent some time at Bouff Hot springs, N. W. T.

J. M. Iverson writes from Galesville, Ore. that they are having frost which injured potatoes and garden stuff. The frost killed all Italian prunes in the state last spring. He is leaving that place for a visit to Wisconsin and will soon visit Surrey when he has a farm.

Friday was the hottest day of the season, one of those days when vegetation literally jumps from the ground. The crops never looked better at this time of the year. Eastern farmers, stick a pin here. North Dakota is booked for a bumper crop this season.

R. J. Chamberlain formerly of this city writes from Seattle, Wash. stating that he is working the Pacific Coast Journal, a financial and real estate magazine. His brother Miles is working for the Pacific Coast Co. which owns ships, railroad and shops along the coast. They like Seattle which has 178,000 population with lots of business but over crowded just now. Thousands of men still leave for Alaska. Newspaper business is not as good in Washington as in our state.

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Pianos and Heavy Articles.
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J. B. REED
The Drayman.
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