

COUNTY NEWS.

Hamilton.

The Presbyterians are fixing up the their manse.

Alex. Pratt of Praxford was in town Tuesday for a short time.

Wm. York says that his crop fell away short of what he expected.

W. J. Kneeshaw came over from Pembina Wednesday on business.

Jas. Greenwood of Cavalier was in town for a short time Tuesday.

E. Harris and Mr. McDonald of Pembina were in town Wednesday evening.

A box social will be held at the Fairport school house, Oct. 15th. All invited.

Mrs. Holbrook of Cavalier came over Tuesday morning to meet some friends at the train.

Wm. James was down from Bathgate Monday. Billie comes down quite often now days.

We are informed that the final adjustment of the F. A. & I. U. elevator insurance has not yet been made.

C. H. Asselstine reports an excellent fall's threshing, the best run for several years. C. H. is an old time thresher.

John Page finished up threshing last week and pulled in his threshing machine for this season.

McArthur & Noble have dissolved partnership. Noble will remain at the old stand and McArthur will have the Connell shop.

Wm. McMurchie came up from St. Thomas Tuesday. Mr. McMurchie can discount Ike Foster on the dog question, and all thoroughbred too.

Geo. Elston, who has been running J. Hazlett's threshing machine this fall, will study law at Ann Arbor this winter. Here is success to you Geo.

Geo. Grogan has just finished painting the lumber office. Geo. is an artist at the business even if he does have to try on the millinery while the paint is drying.

The Page elevator has received a large share of the grain marketed at this point; all owing to fair dealing and good honest weight. It pays to take your wheat to Page's.

Henry Hess reports that his wheat did not pay the cost of twine and threshing this year. Hard luck, but everyone in the hail district is in pretty much the same fix.

Erskine vs. Hennessey was the title of a case before Judge McMillan Tuesday. A suit was commenced by Dr. Erskine against Jno. Hennessey for \$157 for professional services. R. Muir & Son for plaintiff and Wm. McMurchie for defendant. Case adjourned until Monday.

We have just received a copy of the Standard & Digger's News from Johannesburg, Transvaal, South Africa. It says that it is authorized government gazette for Witwatersrand and Joseph Van Gilder. It is a four column forty-three page paper and chuck full of news.

We are informed that J. R. Joy is a candidate for the Glasston postoffice.

Jas. Williams left for Tilsonburg, Ont., Friday.

Wm. Ferris is visiting friends in Oregon.

A. M. Muir went to Pembina Thursday on business.

A turkey shoot at George Page's this Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Chisholm came up from Pembina Thursday.

E. T. Thompson of St. Thomas, was in town for a short time Friday.

The cold change in the weather Thursday last makes one think of winter.

The auction sale at Johnson & Holme's ranch was a failure, so we are told.

Geo. Laney of Bathgate was in town for a couple of days last week on business.

C. H. Asselstine finished threshing Thursday. C. H. reports an excellent season's run.

Lan Haley who has been out for the last couple of months looking after his interests in Carlisle township, returned to his home in Ontario, Friday.

An assault and battery case before Justice Wright Saturday, was the chief event of the day. Case dismissed. We are told that during a recess, the plaintiff wanted to treat the Justice to a drink of red eye, out of a bottle, now everyone is aware that the Judge is a total abstainer, and consequently this was a little bit more than he could stand, so he went in and dismissed the case.

M. S. Frise made a flying trip to Grand Forks this week.

P. O'Hara of Neche was in town for a short time Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Grill and family left for Oregon Tuesday morning.

John Taylor, F. S. Mull and Wm. Bidwell registered at the Hamilton House Tuesday.

Mrs. Dr. Muir of Hallock, Minn., is in the city, the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Sarver.

Erskine vs. Hennessey case was settled, Hennessey paying Dr. Erskine \$56. Robt. Muir & Son for plaintiff, Robt. McMurchie for defendant.

J. L. Brown shipped a carload of stock Wednesday. J. L. says that this makes 28 carloads of stock shipped by him this year with more to follow.

A good man's bicycle, for \$12. G. G. THOMPSON.

John Dow and Jimmie left for Oak Nook, Man. Wednesday with a carload of stock and household effects. Mrs. Thos. Dow left yesterday for the same point, where they will reside.

Pittsburg.

P. Quigley of Glasston spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McLean are visiting friends in this locality.

E. B. Robeson, pastor of the Bowesmont church, passed town on Tuesday.

Jas. Bellamy Jr. might have been seen taking his way westward on Saturday last. James did not appear to be lost either.

We regret to learn that Mr. D. Reed intends leaving this place. He having decided to move to Drayton. The Reed's will be much missed here.

Don't forget the box social at the Torrey school house on the 15th inst. You will have the privilege of hearing one of the best entertainments ever given in this part of the country.

H. E. Shumway, tiring of a bicycle that was built for one only, has traded it for a carriage and now drives one of the prettiest teams to be seen anywhere. Some of the fair ones express themselves as very much pleased with the team.

McArthur.

John Hart has bought out Mr. Fuller and has gone to keeping store.

LOCAL WANTS.

Girl Wanted.

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Taken up.

One black heifer, calf 1 1/2 years old, owner come, pay charges and take the same away. if L. D. ROLETTE.

grapes, 50 baskets this morning, 50 more tomorrow, 25 cents a basket. 2-3 AT KEMP'S.

For Sale or to Rent.

My farm of 192 acres of land, south of and adjoining the Fort Pembina reservation. 11-18 E. D. BOOKER SR.

Bargains in Bicycles.

To clear out this year's stock, I have cut down prices to less than half. Several of the wheels have been used only for renting and are practically as good as new. G. G. THOMPSON.

Housekeepers.

There is no flour better than the Warren. Ask your dealer for it. 28tf

All the New Styles

Of fall millinery. Hats, bonnets, ribbons, flowers, feathers, trimmings, shapes. A large invoice just received and opened. Ladies invited to call and inspect. 8tf Mrs. C. O'HARA.

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Barber's Bathroom Outfit.

I have for sale a barber's bathroom outfit, consisting of a 6 foot bath tub, upright galvanized heating tank, with stove, for wood or coal, and all pipe connections. The outfit has been used but is in good condition. G. G. THOMPSON. Pembina, N. D.

Wanted.

Wanted, bright, hustling young man with team to handle our celebrated lubricating oils and greases. Salary or commission. Address

14-15 MERCHANTS' OIL CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

Stray.

Dark, roan cow, white belly, no brands, about ten years old. Came to my pasture, about Oct. 15th. Owner call, prove property, pay expenses and take the same away. 14-16 CHAS. WOODLEY, Pembina.

Teachers Examination. The October examination of candidates for teachers, certificates will be held at Pembina on Friday, Oct. 29th, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m.

C. E. JACKSON, County Superintendent.

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THE TOLON CLAIM

Instructions Being Prepared For Minister Woodford in the Matter.

Spaniards Hold He Is Not Entitled to Damages For Imprisonment.

This Government Insists It Is a Just Claim—Cubans to Be Enlisted.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—A special to The Herald from Washington says: Instructions to Minister Woodford are being prepared at the state department for the presentation to Spain of another demand for the immediate payment of the claim of indemnity made by Samuel T. Tolon.

The original demand was presented to the Madrid government by Mr. Taylor, who has just retired from the office of minister. He stated in strong language that this government would expect Spain to pay the claimant \$50,000 as indemnity for the sufferings he had endured. Spain's reply was that it was under no obligation to pay Tolon and this has been followed by another statement which declares that the action of the Spanish authorities in Cuba was a gubernative measure and that Spain would be unjust to herself should she indemnify Tolon.

Insist the Claim Is Just.

State department officials insist that the claim is a just one and will continue to press it. Tolon was naturalized in New York city in 1878. He established a general business in Cardenas, Cuba, in 1880. He left Cardenas for Havana in September of last year, intending to sail for the United States on business. While on board the steamer Seneca he was arrested by the police authorities and imprisoned for ten days in the interior porch of the court yard of the police station. He was thrust into a small, hot, filthy cell on Sept. 18 and deprived of all outside communication. He was removed to the interior porch on Sept. 21 and was deported to the United States seven days later.

Mr. Tolon has also pending a claim for \$100,000 arising out of the damage done to his property in Cuba by Spanish soldiers.

CANNOT FIX A DATE.

But the Spanish cabinet will say it hopes very soon to end the war.

MADRID, Oct. 13.—It is semi-officially announced that the reply of Spain to the note presented by the United States minister, General Stewart L. Woodford, has been drafted by the minister for foreign affairs, Senor Gullon, and will be submitted to the cabinet at its next meeting. The reply, it is stated, will say that Spain is unable to fix exactly the date when the war will be over; but the ministers are persuaded it will not be long, because "the situation of the rebels is critical, and the efforts of the Spanish troops are sure of success. Owing to the rebel situation and the concession of autonomy, administrative and economic, which will be effective before January, the government hopes hopes hostilities will finish shortly.

TO ENLIST CUBANS.

Spain Will Try to Get Native Soldiers to Fight the Insurgents.

MADRID, Oct. 13.—A semi-official statement, issued after the cabinet meeting, says that by employing native volunteers in Cuba instead of European troops the expenses of the campaign would decrease, and the operations against the insurgents would be conducted more rapidly.

The minister for the colonies, Senor Moret, announced at the cabinet meeting, with a view to proving the sincerity of the government's promise to grant autonomy to Cuba, he had telegraphed to Senor Montoro, the leader of the autonomist party, asking him to nominate candidates for appointment for some of the important posts under the Cuban administration.

SHE IS IN NEW YORK NOW.

Said Miss Cisneros, the Escaped Cuban Girl, Has Arrived.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—The Herald says: Senorita Evangelina y Cisneros, the Cuban girl who escaped from Cam de Reocugas in Havana, on Wednesday night last, has arrived in this city. American friends accompanied her by train from New Orleans. On reaching Jersey City Miss Cisneros was taken in a closed carriage to the headquarters of the Cuban sympathizers in this city, where she was joyfully received. After a short reception she was taken away and no one was allowed to see her.

More Liberty for the Press.

HAVANA, Oct. 13.—As evidence of more liberal treatment of affairs upon the part of the Spanish authorities La Lucha has been permitted to reproduce interviews printed in the New York Herald with a number of Cubans of New York city, in which the latter say they are fighting for the independence of Cuba and not to obtain home rule for the island.

Deputy Delivered the Oration.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 13.—An immense and enthusiastic audience packed the Auditorium at the exposition to listen to the speeches attending the presentation of the life-size statue of Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt to Vanderbilt university, Chancellor M. Deppew was the orator of the day.

Across the Channel by Balloon.

EASTBOURNE, Eng., Oct. 13.—Charles Follock, a nephew of Baron Follock, started in a balloon from here in an attempt to cross the English channel.

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