

The Farmers' Mercantile Co., has dissolved

And the business will be continued by the undersigned as a cash grocery establishment only.

In order to dispose of the stock of

Dry Goods,  
Hats,  
Caps,  
Boots,  
Shoes,  
&c.,

At once, and make room for a large stock of fancy groceries.

I will sell the above named goods

At Absurdly Low Prices for Cash.

Everything in these lines will positively be sold at any figure to get rid of it. This means enormous bargains for all as long as stock lasts. Call early while assortments are complete. Don't miss the opportunity.

The store will hereafter be known as "BOYD'S CASH GROCERY," and I respectfully solicit a continuance of past favors as well as solicit new custom.

J. B. BOYD.

WE HAVE

1000 **GOOD** Bargains,

Or three stores chuck full. We can not print the prices here, but we will surprise all the readers of this paper if they will take the trouble to come and see us.

Our new 10 cents Bazar is now ready and full of bargains.

T. J. ANDERSON & CO.,  
Belgrade, Minn.

V. H. & A. W. VanSLYKE,  
FARM LOANS

We give loans so that the borrower may make partial payments any year and stop interest on amount paid; or loan may run for 10 years without renewal expense, if the borrower is not prepared to pay it sooner.

FARM INSURANCE. Willmar, Minn.  
Office over A. Larson & Co's. store.

The Home Meat Market

Opened up for business

Under Its New Management

Jan. 7, 1896.

Mrs Patchell on Benson Avenue has been quite sick for some time.

Frank J. Strecker shipped another car-load of livestock to the cities last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay of Raymond attended the Benham Concert at the Opera House last Saturday evening.

Attorney Sam Olson is busily engaged as special instructor in Commercial Law at the Willmar Seminary.

Miss Martha Aukland, who has been sick so long, is now convalescent. It is hoped that she will suffer no more relapse.

Dexter Siver, son of J. W. Siver of Roseville, was married last Thursday at St. Cloud to Miss Dollie Young, of Paynesville.

U. S. Deputy Revenue Collector for this District, Mr. McManus, left for St. Paul this morning, after looking up government matters in this city.

The local branch of the Keeley League had a meeting at the office of the President Mr. A. F. Nordin last Sunday. All members were present.

John Carney left the village and went to St. Paul, Minn. last week and intends to spend some time there with relatives.

The firm of Andreen & Larson, owners of the paint shop on Third Street, has been dissolved, and the business will be continued by P. A. Andreen.

J. L. Lindner, our principal cigar manufacturer, is doing a splendid business and has lately engaged another assistant to his corps of workmen.

A dance will be given at the Opera House on the 13th inst. Tickets will be sold at 75 cents for each couple. A basket-supper will be had, and coffee will be served free. Doors will be open at 8:00 p. m.

Aid has been solicited for Isaac Emerson of this village, so as to enable him to take the Keeley treatment. It is to be hoped that the efforts in his behalf will meet with the approbation and success which they deserve.

Walter H. Crisp of Blue Earth county was married to Miss Barbara Phelps at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. E. D. Warren of Willmar, Feb. 6th. Mr. and Mrs. Crisp expect to make their home in Willmar.

Mr. Theodore Jersin the genial and pleasant salesman of Williams & Davis has severed his connections with that firm, and is now taking a well-needed rest. He is now assisting the Grand Recorder at the A. O. U. W.

Prof. Neuman, the clairvoyant and mind-reader who for some time has had a temporary office at the Glarum Hotel, has been well patronized by those who have taken interest in the abstract sciences of occultism and mesmerism.

Mrs. W. H. Harris has returned to her home in Raymond for a few weeks stay. She is taking a course of medical treatment from some of the leading physicians of Minneapolis, and her health which has been in a very delicate state is now very much improved.

Among the attractions of last Sunday were the solos sung by Miss Pearl Benham, who sang in the Presbyterian church in the morning, and in the Methodist church in the evening, at which her success was fully equal to that of the previous evening.

At the last meeting of the A. O. U. W. Lodge the following gentlemen were elected as delegates to the Grand Lodge of A. O. U. W. which will convene in the state capitol at St. Paul, Minn., on the 24th of March 1896: P. L. Johnson, A. F. Nordin, and Charlie Larson. Messrs. Axel Elfstrom, Theodore Jersin, and O. P. Rice were elected as alternates.

J. O. Lundquist of this city went to Minneapolis last Wednesday [Feb. 5th] where intends to take the Keeley treatment. Mr. Lundquist is the twenty second patient from this county who has gone to that institute to take the cure, and we have the pleasure to note that of all these, everyone has been permanently cured.

The charity concert given for the benefit of Mrs. Baker of Raymond, Minn. at the opera house last Saturday evening, was a decided success. The house was completely filled. Madam Lobdell is an elocutionist with exceptional powers, and the selections she rendered were received with unanimous applause. Miss Pearl Benham as a singer may be regarded as an artist of unusual ability for one of her age, and she exhibits a great deal of elegance and technique in her performance on the piano. She was assisted by her sister Miss Grace Benham, who although an amateur, yet did her part well. Prof Odell rendered a selection on his guitar, "The siege of Sebastopol" and was given quite an ovation. Miss Pearl Benham's debut into the society of Willmar was to say the least a success, and she has won much praise both for her abilities and for her kindness to promote such a worthy object.

### Resolutions.

Resolutions of condolence and sympathy passed by the Degree of Honor Lodge, No. 29, of Willmar Minnesota, at their regular meeting, Feb. 6th, 1896:

Whereas, it has pleased the divine head of all orders by his angel Death to call from his transitory, to a higher and nobler life, our beloved Past Chief of Honor, Sister Nellie S. Robbins, and has initiated her into the secrets and mysteries of the Lodge not carthly, and, whereas, we therefore bow the head with resignation to the will of the Supreme Master who doeth all things well, we nevertheless shall miss her presence, both in the lodge-room and in the daily walks of life. We shall miss her sweet smiles, her loving counsel and advice, her deeds of charity and love, and her untiring work, and her memory shall live in our hearts in tender love and recollection.

Resolved:—That we tender unto the husband, son, and other sorrowing relatives of our departed sister, our heartfelt sympathies in this trying hour of their affliction, asking of them not to mourn for her who is gone, as one who is dead, for she is not dead but sleepeth, awaiting the general resurrection. And when the Master shall make up his jewels, you will find that she has but gone before to prepare the way for you and to welcome you into the Elysian gardens of the hereafter—where the joy is ever, and where parting and sorrows are unknown.

Resolved:—That these resolutions be spread upon the records of this lodge, a copy furnished the Willmar Republican Gazette, the WILLMAR TRIBUNE, and A. O. U. W. Guide, and that a copy be furnished the relatives of our departed sister.

Dated at Willmar, Minnesota, February 6th, 1896.

Committee:  
A. F. NORDIN,  
SUE B. ORAM,  
EMILY CARRUTHERS,  
MAMIE O'BRIEN.

Resolutions of condolence and sympathy by Willmar Lodge No. 52, A. O. U. W., Feb. 6, 1896.

Whereas it has pleased the Supreme Master of the Universe whose jurisdiction is without limit, and whose decisions are irrevocable, to remove from this transitory life to a life eternal, the wife of our beloved brother John S. Robbins; therefore be it resolved:

That Willmar Lodge No. 52 in open lodge and general meeting hereby unanimously tender to our bereaved brother J. S. Robbins and other sorrowing relatives, our heartfelt sympathy in this dark hour of their affliction, asking of you to bear this cross with christian fortitude, for when the sheaves shall be gathered into the granary by the Supreme Harvester of the world, and harvested at last in heavenly rest. He that doeth all things well shall again unite you and your loved one who has but gone before.

Resolved:—That these resolutions be entered upon the records of this lodge, a copy thereof be presented to our beloved brother, and a copy furnished to the A. O. U. W. Guide, and the local papers.

Committee:  
A. F. NORDIN,  
P. L. JOHNSON,  
OLOF OLSON.

A magnificent audience filled the Opera House last night, to listen to the first of the series of lectures which have been arranged for by the committee having the matter in charge. The attraction last night was Miss Olof Kræver, the little Esquimaux lady. Unfortunately Miss Kræver was not in the best of health, and was unable to proceed with her regular lecture. She however spoke for some time, and with childish simplicity related the principal events of her own life, and the customs and manners of that almost unknown race in the polar regions. She seemed to rally towards the close of her talk and displayed considerable wit in her impromptu answers to questions. She donned a native Esquimaux dress of furs and sang a song in her own tongue and also one in the Icelandic tongue.

It is perhaps not commonly known that we have one more legal holiday this year than ever before, but on the 7th, of February 1896, the state legislature passed an act, as follows: Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota: "That the twelfth day of February, the anniversary of the birth-day of Abraham Lincoln, be observed in this state as a legal holiday each and every year hereafter, that no public business, except in cases of necessity, shall be transacted on that day, and that no civil process shall be served on that day."

### New Wagon Shop.

On or about Feb. 1, 1896, I will open up the shop of the deceased P. A. Sjoquist, and will be prepared to attend to all kinds of wagon and sleigh work and repairing in a workmanlike manner. Former patrons of this shop and others are invited to give me a trial. Remember, on or about Feb. 1, C. A. GUSTAFSON.

Harry T. Halvorson, who graduated from the common school course, in Dist. No. 60, last winter, is now attending the High School in Faribault Minn.

The arrangements made by Prof. Odell and Supt. Covell for a literary course have been singularly successful, of the 200 season tickets which were necessary to secure, about 170 have been obtained, and there is little doubt but the project will be successful.

Prof. L. W. Landing, principal of the commercial dept. and business manager of the Glenwood Academy was in Willmar for a short visit last week. The Prof. looks hale and hearty and is in his usual good humor, and feels happy over the prosperous growth of his Academy. It is well known that Mr. Landing had some difficulty to contend with in starting the school, but persistence and push overcome all obstacles. He is now getting repaid for his effort by the success of the school. There are 150 scholars at the Academy this year. A regular Academic, four years, Normal commercial, and short hand courses. Glenwood Academy evidently has a bright future.

### A Card.

Willmar, Minn., Feb. 10, 1896.

MR. EDITOR: Through you, we would like to express to the people of Willmar our gratitude for the large enthusiastic audience with which we were greeted on Saturday evening, and since, and also for the kindness with which we have been treated by all during our stay at Willmar.

Yours Very Respectfully,  
PEARL BENHAM,  
GRACE BENHAM.

### Hay For Sale

25 tons of hay for sale cheap, if sold this week. Inquire of N. P. Aspinwall Sec. 1, Green Lake.

N. P. ASPINWALL.

### Auction Sale.

I will sell at public auction at the farm of Nicholas Swenson on Section 16, Town of Kandiyohi, on FRIDAY, MARCH 6TH, 1896.

To begin at 11 o'clock a. m., the following: Five working horses, 2 cows, 3 heifers 3-year-old, 1 yearling heifer, 3 sheep, 1 yearling steer, 1 binder, 1 mower, 1 hay rake, 2 plows, 1 corn-trotter, 2 hayracks, 1 pair bobbeds, 500 pounds of barb wire, also some hay, etc., etc.

TERMS: All amounts under \$5, cash; over that amount, time until Nov. 1st, 1896, on approved notes with interest at 6 percent. R. SWENSON.

J. G. MONSON, Auctioneer.

### Auction Sale.

On Monday, March 2nd, 1896, I will sell at public auction on my farm on Sec. 7, Town of Whitefield:

Six milk cows, 1 bull, 5 horses, 2 sets harnesses, binder, mower, plows, hay rake, harrows, wagons, seeder, etc.

Time will be given until Nov. 1st, 1896, on approved interest bearing notes. JOHN HAGERMAN.

### Auction Sale.

I will sell at public auction on my farm in Sec. 30, Town of Fallun, on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4TH, 1896:

Three horses, 1 binder, 2 mowers, 1 hay rake, 1 scraper, 4 plows, 2 harrows, 1 cultivator, 1 two-seated buggy, 1 seeder, 1 organ, 1 sewing machine, and other household goods.

Terms of Sale: Amounts under \$5 to be paid cash; on sums above that amount time will be given until Nov. 1, 1896, on approved notes with interest at 7 percent.

ERICK BORG.

### Advertised Letters

WILLMAR, MINN. FEB. 10, 1896.  
Bell Prof, P.  
Bloomingren, Mrs. Anna.  
Kjosstem, Her. Sivert J.  
Larsen, Miss Anna.  
Leiberg, E. A.  
Lieberg, Mr. Ed.  
Lotelund, Miss Lelin.  
Nelson, Mr. T. J.  
Olsen, Miss Bergete.  
S. E. STANSBERRY,  
P. M.

### Willmar Markets.

Wheat—50 cents.  
Oats—11 cents.  
Corn—20 cents.  
Barley—15 cents.  
Flax—75 cents.  
Potatoes—about 15 cents.  
Eggs—12 cents.  
Butter—10 to 15 cents.

### GRAND BALL AND BASKET SUPPER

Under the Auspices of Societies Svea, Nora and Dana.

A Grand Ball will be given at the rink on Thursday, Feb. 13, 1896. Bring your baskets, and come and bring your girls, your aunts. Good music will be furnished. Tickets, 75 cents. Coffee free.

COMMITTEE.

The Watchword of the Day is Economy.

THERE IS NO SUCH GOOD PLACE TO PRACTICE IT AS AT HOGLUND'S.

For the Next Sixty Days

Beginning Feb. 1st, I will give

10 PER CENT DISCOUNT

For Cash on all goods bought at my store. From a money saving point of view, it is the best offered yet. Don't miss the opportunity to supply your future wants. To illustrate,

Buy for \$1.00 and you save 10c;  
" " 5.00 " " " 50c;  
" " 10.00 " " " \$1.00.

And here we meet with the old proverb, "A DOLLAR SAVED IS A DOLLAR MADE."

This Offer Holds Good for All Kinds of Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Clothing, Boots & Shoes.

Unless you are different from the other people, you want the most for your money, and now is the time to get it.

This is no humbug; all goods marked in plain figures.

August Hoglund.

MONEY TO LOAN.

We represent unlimited capital and can give you your choice of the best terms ever offered. Part of principal payable at any time. No cash bonus or commission. No delay in getting your money.

FARMERS, CALL ON US FOR LOANS.

NEW LOANS OR RENEWALS.

JACOBSON & MILLER,

GILGER BLOCK, STAIRS ON 4TH STREET. WILLMAR, MINN.

Feed, Sale and LIVERY STABLE.

Freese & Freese, Prop'rs.

The best rigs in the city.—Steady teams.—Careful drivers.—Prices reasonable.—Best Stabling in Town.—

Prompt Attention Given All Calls. Owners of fine HEARSE.

HAMPEN BROS., BELGRADE, MINN.

DEALERS IN GROCERIES AND DRY GOODS.

We will always pay the highest market price for BUTTER AND

EGGS, and sell our goods as CHEAP as any in town.

COME AND TRY US.

Jacobson & Peterson,

General Merchandise GROCERIES & DRY GOODS.

Benson Avenue, between 4th and 5th streets.

Willmar, - - - Minnesota.