

# Olson Elevator Changes Hands

A deal of more than ordinary interest to grain men and producers in this section of the Northwest was consummated the past week, when the Woodworth Elevator Company with headquarters at 507 Chamber of Commerce, Minneapolis, took over the N. J. Olson & Sons line of elevators, consisting of houses in Sanborn, Litchville, Hobart, Coopers-town, Binford, Hannaford, and Shepard, and perhaps one or two other stations.

The officers of the Woodworth Elevator Company are B. H. Woodworth, president; E. S. Woodworth, vice-president; R. P. Woodworth, secretary and treasurer.

The N. J. Olsen & Sons line of elevators was founded a number of years ago by the late N. J. Olsen with headquarters at Sanborn. As the business increased in importance and other houses were added, headquarters were transferred to Minneapolis, of which N. R. Olsen was in charge.

A grain and seed house was established at Moorhead by this company, which has been under the supervision of F. O. Olsen.

The N. J. Olsen & Sons Company has also been largely interested in real estate in North Dakota and Colorado, but so far as we know only the elevators have been sold. The transfer will be completed as soon as the various houses have been checked up and weighed out.

J. M. Paulson, of Fargo, has been engaged as the local buyer, and arrived Tuesday to begin his new duties. Mr. Paulson is a family man and has secured living quarters in The Times building.

A crew of men will begin making repairs on the local elevator soon.