

## DATES FOR RACES.

A meeting of the Central Racing association of the state was held at Carrington yesterday, Valley City being represented by Geo. A. Day, C. F. Mudgett and Dr. Martin. New officers were elected for the ensuing year, Geo. A. Day of this city being chosen as president, and H. N. Tucker, of Courtenay, as secretary and treasurer. Some discussion ensued over the selection of dates for the various meetings. The Griggs county fair association, which last year held aloof from this association, this year was anxious to join, but as its representatives insisted on the fourth of July as one of its dates, nothing could be done for them and Cooperstown is on the outside. The dates agreed upon are as follows: Courtenay, June 18, 19, 20; Carrington, June 25, 26, 27; New Rockford, July 3, 4 and 5; Valley City, July 9, 10 and 11; Jamestown, July 16, 17 and 18; Kensal, July 23, 24 and 25; Wimbledon, July 30, 31 and August 1; Fessenden, August 6, 7 and 8; Harvey, August 13, 14 and 15. The races have been arranged as follows: 2:35 trot, 2:35 pace, 2:22 pace and 2:18 trot, 2:18 pace and 2:14 trot, 2:14 pace and 2:10 trot, 2:24 trotting stake race, 2:27 pacing stake race. There will be about \$25,000 in purses hung up on this circuit and it is certain that the races will be the equal of any in the state.—Valley City Evening Times-Record.