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Mr. Larson, who carries on a general mercantile business in this town, is enjoying a fine trade.

Quite a little excitement was caused in this vicinity Thursday of last week by the burning of Chas. Stark's barn about two miles north of here. The two small children of Mr. Stark's were playing in the barn with matches, and as a natural consequence a conflagration followed which consumed the barn and a valuable horse. For some time the children were thought to have been burned also, and searching parties were at once sent out over the farm to see if the missing children could be found. Later they were discovered in a secluded spot where they had taken refuge for fear of punishment.

Misses Gracie Lea and Jennie North, the two belles of this vicinity, were in the city Saturday.

Agent George Hunt will move to Leal soon where he will have charge of both the station and the elevator. His many friends are sorry to see him go.

Harvesting in this vicinity is almost done. Wheat will average from 20 to 25 bushels; oats 40 to 60; barley about 40. Early flax is quite good but late flax and also late oats will be light.

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