

## Jim Lake

Three new pupils enrolled at the Esler school last Monday. Miss Woll, the instructor, is doing excellent work, especially with the primary grades.

Mrs. Wm. Bingham entertained her sister, Mrs. H. Briggs of Buchan, over Sunday.

Miss Mary Bingham and Mrs. Chas. Myers made an overland trip to Buchanan last Friday and were guests of Mrs. Briggs until Saturday.

F. O. Wood was a guest at the C. D. Wood home Sunday. Miss Martha Paplinski of Courtenay, who has been employed with Mrs. Wm. Bingham, returned home last Friday.

R. H. Koves and C. D. Wood transacted business in Kensal last Friday.

Jos. Hicks and Mr. and Mrs. Lars Holmes autoed to Jamestown last Tuesday and got the full benefit of the heavy rain.

Threshing is about through around here.

Mrs. Joe Webber and children of Senecu, S. D., are guests of her sister, Mrs. Frank Schlect.

Mr. Webber is on his way here with a car of household goods and stock. They will settle on the J. B. Lonski farm, south of Kensal.

Henry Thoman was a caller at the C. D. Wood home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hogen-son have recently moved into a part of the J. M. Buddish residence.

Mrs. Aug. Gunther spent Sunday with Mrs. C. D. Wood.

## Farmer Becomes Rich

Unable to read or write the English language when he took up his residence in North Dakota thirty-one years ago, Fingar Enger, the first Norwegian farmer to settle in central North Dakota, left, according to Grand Forks attorneys, an estate valued at \$700,000.

Appraisals of the estate place that at the minimum value of his extensive North Dakota land holdings, and it is possible that the amount will be increased one or two hundred thousand.

Enger, to reach his farm homestead in North Dakota,