

(Cocheing place)

cellars (about two or three miles South of
Bullhead, S.D., south side of the Grand River)

I headed for this place but it was about
the time the Grand River was high and I was
unable to cross it and having been delayed
on my spring season work, I did not
wait for the water to go down but moved
^{down the river}
to where I had ever since lived. My
uncle took a claim where he was killed.

We were there six years and by that
time my uncle had accumulated
20 head horses, 45 head cattle, 80 chickens.
He raised oats, corn, potatoes, chicken
coops, ^{built a} ~~in~~ cellars, a long log house
and a small round log house, stock
sheds ^{put up} 2 hay stacks ^{each} 15 pieces long ~~each~~.
^{also a} implement sheds. Mr. William
Pamplin, then district farmer, being
one man fitted for the job, helped and