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Will be bought at our store. Everyone invited to call and examine our goods and prices.

ODEGARD & THOMPSON.

TERRITORIAL TWINKLINGS.

The contract has been let for a \$6,000 hotel at Creel City.

Over two hundred churches grace Dakota soil, and more following.

The municipal election of Fargo, occurs next Monday and promises to be a lively affair.

Grand Forks is to have a syndicate block fifty feet high and 100 feet square, built of brick and stone.

The county seat of Traill is to be definitely located by a vote of the people on the third Tuesday in April.

Fargo and Moorhead are to be united by two wagon bridges across the Red river, and have raised \$10,000 for the proposal.

In the case of John Byrne, shot by Martin Palm, near Grafton, the coroner's jury found that deceased came to his death by the hand of Martin Palm, without felonious intent.

It is reported that there are now from 8,000 to 10,000 settlers on the unsurveyed lands within the new land district soon to be established in the Devil's Lake and Turtle Mountain country. These lands are to be surveyed and made subject to entry this coming summer.

Governor Ordway being interviewed in regard to his attitude toward the capital removal scheme, said that he favored the measure in order to secure commodious capitol buildings at some central and accessible point, costing not less than \$100,000 with suitable grounds without expense to the territory.

Pioneer Press: Pierre is the desirable spot that Gov. Ordway is expected to select as the temporary capitol of Dakota. The hopes born of this prospect are that the permanent capital may also be located there. An itinerant capital is a good idea to sell off town lots, and Pierre may not be the only place that will enjoy Ordway's favors.

In painting the glories of Dakota the Lisbon Clipper winds up thusly: Remember, we have here a country we love. We have here a country the equal of which God never constructed. We have here a land that never deceived or disappointed the husbandman. We have here a Dakota that has always returned to the faithful ample—yes, abundant—rewards for their faith in its merits. We have here a garden Dakota we would not swap for your faith in the heaven of the angels—for your hope of eternal salvation.

DIRT DEALINGS.

A List of Transferred Griggs County Dirt and the Prices Paid, for the Week Ending March 29th.

- Cooper Bros. to Chas. E. Ferguson lot 21 blk of Cooperstown consideration \$275.
Cooper Bros. to Phillippe & Kent lot 15 blk 35 Cooperstown consideration \$550.
Griggs & Foster to T. J. Cooper sec 31 twp 136 r 58 consideration \$2,000.
Henry Huelster to Peter Spherich s w 4 sec 35 twp 146 r 61 consideration \$550.
Mike M. Aga to Charles G. Merrill e 1 of n e 4 and e 1 of s e 2 sec 20 twp 147 r 57 consideration \$850.
James Rankin to G. H. Gates n 2 of s w 4 and n 1 of s e 4 sec 14 twp 146 r 59 consideration \$3,200.
H. P. Saart to Chas. E. Ferguson lot 9 in blk 73 Cooperstown, consideration \$100.
William Glass to E. H. Rood lot 7 blk 72 Cooperstown consideration \$215.
Cooper Bros. to Samantha Gillespie lot 12, blk 39, Cooperstown, cons. \$250.

ATTENTION ALL!

CHAS. E. FERGUSON, PRACTICAL JEWELER. Has located in Cooperstown and is now prepared to execute all kinds Watch, Clock and Jewelry

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FARMING MACHINERY

INCLUDING—

- Mishawaka Wagons, Mishawaka Sulky Plows, WALKING BREAKERS, Wood Pumps, Standard Mowers, Sulky Rakes, FOUNTAIN CITY SEEDERS, Kalamazoo Spring Tooth Harrows, The Boss Enever, Harrow, Planer, Esterly Twine Binders &c. Block 39 Lots 1 and 2. Cooperstown, D. T.

NOTICE.—Timber Culture. U. S. Land Office, Fargo, Dak., March 19, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Ezra W. McCrea against Mathias T. Swickard for failure to comply with laws as to Timber Culture Entry No. 6508 dated March 17, 1882, upon the n w 1/4 section 34, township 144, range 59, in Griggs county, Dak. his with a view to the cancellation of said entry, contestant alleging that said Mathias T. Swickard has failed to break or cause to be broken five acres of said tract since the date of said entry, or prior to the date of commencement of this contest. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 10th day of May, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. S. B. PINNEY, Atty for Contestant. 9-13.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., March 3, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 1st day of May, 1883, viz: Joseph Downing, D. S. No. 11922 for the s w 1/4 of section 8, township 144 n., range 59 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John G. Mills, Duncan Sinclair, Alexander Miller, Archibald Sinclair, all of Mont Clair P. O., Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before N. Jorgensen, Clerk of the District Court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. on the 24th day of April, 1883 at his office. And you, Bernard Hager, who filed entry 11160 Aug. 1, 1882 upon the above described land are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on the first day of May, 1883, and show cause, if any you have, why said Joseph Downing should not be allowed to make due proof and payment for said land.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Atty. 9-12.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., March 9, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 26th day of April, 1883, viz: Benjamin B. Brown, D. S. No. 16222 for the east 1/2 of section 3, township 146 n., range 58 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Rufus Pinkerton, George B. McCormick, J. H. Montgomery, William Lenham, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, Clerk of District Court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Atty. 9-13.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., March 12, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 15th day of May, 1883, viz: Charles L. Wales, H. E. No. 16480 for the northwest quarter of section 30, township 144 n., r 61 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: D. R. Swarinton, Wm. Sandy, L. G. Blanchard, J. L. Wilcox, all of Sanborn, Barnes county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before Hon. Register or Receiver of U. S. Land Office at Fargo, Cass county, D. T., on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. S. B. PINNEY, Atty. 8-11.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., March 13, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 15th day of May, 1883, viz: Charles L. Wales, H. E. No. 16480 for the northwest quarter of section 30, township 144 n., r 61 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: D. R. Swarinton, Wm. Sandy, L. G. Blanchard, J. L. Wilcox, all of Sanborn, Barnes county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before Hon. Register or Receiver of U. S. Land Office at Fargo, Cass county, D. T., on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. S. B. PINNEY, Atty. 8-12.

NOTICE OF CONTEST.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., February 21, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Alexander J. Glass, of Griggs county, D. T., against Juan Venson for abandoning his homestead entry No. 12272 dated August 17, 1882 upon the south east quarter of section 30, township 146 north, range 58 west in Griggs county, Dakota, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 18th day of April, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

THOS. M. PUGH, Receiver. Wm. Glass, Attorney. 7-12.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., February 21, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 30th day of April, 1883, viz: Eliza J. Pich, H. E. No. 16222 for the s e 1/4 of section 16, township 145 n., r 58 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Helga Larson, Charles H. Frost, John Pugh, Christopher Assel, all of Menden P. O., Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, Clerk of District Court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1883, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Attorney, Cooperstown, D. T.

IVER JACOBSON, Attorney COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW. COOPERSTOWN, DAK.

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BYRON ANDRUS, Judge of Probate.

JOHN N. JORGENSEN, Clerk of District Court.

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