

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., August 30, 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 34th day of October, 1883, viz: Wickett K. Anderson, D. S. No. 10797 for the northwest quarter of section 26, township 144 n, range 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Carl Berg, Henry P. Kins, S. Forney and A. P. Anderson, all of Helena, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 41016.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 5, 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 October, 1883, viz: Sealar Simpkins, D. S. No. 14563 for the s e 1/4 of section 26, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Herbert G. Chamberlain, H. Huel, Mark Sutherland, Geo. W. Barty, and all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glase, Attorney. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., August 25, 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 October, 1883, viz: Herbert G. Chamberlain, D. S. No. 14564 for the n e 1/4 of section 24, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Andrew H. Huel, George W. Barty, Charles A. Hunter, Sealar Simpkins all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of October, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glase, Attorney. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 10, 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 9th day of November, 1883, viz: Syney K. Thoreson, D. S. No. 14328 for the n 1/2 of s w 1/4, s w 1/4 of s 1/2 and n w 1/4 of s e 1/2 of section 24, township 147 n, range 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John Paulson, Gilbert Olson, Mads M. Nerstrom, Adolph Heger, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 10, 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 9th day of November, 1883, viz: John Hanson, D. S. No. 8849 for the southeast quarter of section 32, township 147 n, range 57 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Mathias O. Helstad, Ole C. Peterson, Lars G. Larsson, Even Tyle all of Mardell, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, Clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 5, 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 27th day of November, 1883, viz: Edward Hanson, D. S. No. 14314 for the northeast quarter of section 2, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Frank Hunter, Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., John T. Foshoild, Hans J. Olson, Ole S. Mon, the last three all of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Campbell & Sabin Attys. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 11th day of Dec. 1883, viz: Moses F. Carleton, D. S. No. 14660 for the n e 1/4 of section 18, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George Bathey, Herbert Chamberlain, Harman Huel, Nathan Sifton, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 4th day Dec. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. 01923

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 13th day of Dec. 1883, viz: Otto Holman, D. S. No. 10463 for the e 1/2 n e 1/4 and n 1/2 e 1/4 of section 34, township 144 n, range 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Aslak Gunderson, J. B. Phillip, Ole O. Salberg and W. C. Borcheneus, all of Helena, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Attorneys. 01923.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Oct. 6, 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 7th day of December, 1883, viz: Lewis T. Soland, D. S. No. 14345 for the southeast quarter of section 12, township 147 n, range 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Peter A. Nelson, Ole Thorn, Jacob Myre and Frank Phiffer, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 1st day of Dec. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Attorneys. 01923.

NOTICE.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., Oct. 9th, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Paul J. Nelson against Charlie Clark for abandoning his Homestead entry No. 11699, dated Nov. 4, 1882, upon the n w 1/4 of section 26, township 148, range 58, in Griggs county, D. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry: the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 4th day of Dec. 1883, at 10 o'clock, a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. E. C. GEAREY, Receiver. 01916.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 7th day of December, 1883, viz: Mads M. Nerstrom, D. S. No. 14328 for the northwest quarter of section 24, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ole E. Thorn, Trand K. Rogne, Frank Pfeifer, Charles Retzlaff, 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 1st day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard. 01923.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 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 26th day of October, 1883, viz: Seth Mills, H. E. No. 11163 for the w 1/2 s e 1/4, n e 1/4 s e 1/4 and s e 1/4 of section 36, township 148 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Robert T. Pinkerton, John Cooper, Cooperstown, Samuel Goldthite and Ezra W. McCrea, of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 26th day of Oct. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 01923.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., August 30, 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 19th day of October, 1883, viz: John W. Ashbay, D. S. No. 13480 for the northeast quarter of section 30, township 146 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John J. Hagen, Charles Williams, Fred Williams, John Williams, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 16th day of Oct. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Campbell, Sabin & Co., Atty's. 01916.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 1, 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 2nd day of November, 1883, viz: Edward D. Stair, D. S. No. 13940 for the s 1/2 of n w 1/4 and s 1/2 of n e 1/4 of section 2, township 146 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George B. McCormick, George D. Newell, John Powell, W. Whidden, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at his office in Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 19th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Campbell & Sabin, Attorneys. 01916.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 5, 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 27th day of November, 1883, viz: Edward Hanson, D. S. No. 14515 for the northwest quarter of section 12, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Frank Hunter, Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., John T. Foshoild, Hans J. Olson, Ole S. Mon, the last three all of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Campbell & Sabin, Attorneys. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 7, 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 7th day of Nov. 1883, viz: Julius Retzlaff, D. S. No. 14822 for the southwest quarter of section 30, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Charles Frost, Mads Nerstrom, Ole Thoren and W. H. Carlson, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 1st day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 41019.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 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 18th day of November, 1883, viz: James Mowat, D. S. No. 14395, for the n 1/2 s e 1/4, s w 1/4 s e 1/4 and n e 1/4 s w 1/4 of section 28, township 145 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John G. Miles, Duncan Sinclair, S. B. Merryman, Herbert Robertson, all of Mont. Clare, P. O., Griggs county, D. T. The testimony herein to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 9th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. 21026.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., August 28, 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 31st day of October, 1883, viz: James Walker, D. S. No. 14565 for the n 1/2 of s w 1/4 and s 1/2 of n w 1/4 of section 4, township 145 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: James Gumblett, Benjamin B. Brown, Frank Smith, Albert Linsday, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 29th day of October, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. 21026.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., September 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 18th day of November, 1883, viz: Edward Zimmerman, D. S. No. 14395 for the northwest quarter of section 8, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Frank Pfeifer, Frank Bessler, John Bostler, Ole E. Thoren, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses and claimant to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of Nov. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Atty's. 41026.

A Michigan debating society has decided that a man who will smoke around a hay stack is a bigger fool than the man who blows into an unloaded gun.

Miss Bennett of West Fork, Iowa, was asked her full name the other day to put on a marriage licence. She gave it as Iowa Dakota Minnesota Bennett.

Will Sterner, of Tower City, was accidentally shot and killed recently while attempting to draw a loaded rifle from the rear of a wagon by the muzzle end. He leaves a wife and three children.

Over the door of a cabin in Montana, on the line of the Northern Pacific road, is written with charcoal these words: "Only nine miles to water and twenty miles from wood. No grub in the house. God bless our home."

Dakota Clipper: A girl near Jamestown was beside her lover, the other day, when he died. This is the fourth rooster she has been engaged to, all of whom died before the wedding day. Perhaps it will be better for them, poor fellows.

A horse balked with a New Hampshire woman the other day, and she quietly took out her knitting and sat there for nine hours, when the horse concluded he'd better be going along. He'd never had any experience with a woman before.

Attorney General Hughis has telegraphed to Bismarck that the quo warranto case will not be brought before the supreme court during the present term, because of the lateness of the appeal and the refusal of the Yankton attorneys to consent to its hearing.

Two men at Miles City, Montana, pretended to have learned by telegraph that the government had thrown open the eastern part of the Fort Keogh reservation to settlers. They whispered this cautiously to special friends, enjoining strict secrecy. Before night there was a stampede, the supposed public land claims were staked off, shanties were put up, tents were pitched, and the jokers said that a town was laid out and a real estate "boom" was under full headway before 9 o'clock that evening. But by 10 the joke was out and the place was deserted.

Geo. Wright, Esq., the Northern Pacific horticulturist who has located an experimental tree farm at Steele, was in the city last evening and informed a Tribune reporter that work on the farm is progressing, orders for large numbers of Russian trees have been sent, and the superintendent is sanguine of the success of the enterprise. The most important feature of this farm to the people of the territory is that young trees will be given free to the owners of town lots and parks if they will agree to plant and nourish them.—Bismarck Tribune.

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Foraker kept the stump,
Swearing loudly the while
He'd make the sick man hump.
Hoadley got his grip again
and took another bout,
Foraker lasted just a week,
And then was knock-ed out.
Foraker has wiser grown;
"I'll fight no more," says he;
"If I should meet a well man,
What would he do to me?"
Hoadley smiles a blisful smile,
His pills he throws away,
"I'll live," he says, "to down
Another man some day."
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