

FRIDAY, NOV. 30, 1883.

The latest rumor is that Vanderbilt thinks he would like to round up his career with a term in the Senate with the rest of the millionaires.

Governor-elect Robinson, of Massachusetts, is paying the American penalty of success. He has been compelled to partake of three public dinners within four days this week.

A practical farmer writes The Hillsboro Banner: "I am well satisfied of one thing, that large crops of grain cannot be raised from inferior, shrunken, fowl seed. Another thing, I find spring plowing a good thing, especially on old and fowl land. I have tried it for three years and have raised better crops on old land than by fall plowing. This year I got twenty-nine bushels per acre from land plowed in the spring, this being the sixth crop. I am firm in the belief that if the farmers do not adopt a different mode of farming than they have followed in the past, Dakota will lose its reputation of being the best wheat raising country in the world. If we keep our land free from fowl seeds and give it thorough cultivation, in will continue to produce good crops of No. 1 Hard for our children and our children's children."

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Under the title of Beautiful Dakota, the Grand Forks Plaindealer thus discourses: "About this time of year everybody is struck by the beautiful Dakota weather. This is the season of the year when the mornings are cool and crisp, and when the sun shines and shines with unwonted brilliancy through the clear and crystal air on the beautiful plains of fair Dakota, the observer is endowed with life and aspiration. Before noon the atmosphere is slightly tinged with haziness and the yellow sunlight bathes the earth in a sort of dreamy quietude, until Old Sol gets ready for the close of the day, and makes this the grandest and most glorious scene upon the world's stage as the curtain of night falls upon the last act. The clouds in the western heavens are tinted with the finest colors artist ever conceived. The hues change from shade to shade with such even regularity that it is scarcely recognized, or a sunbeam bursts through a rift of clouds with dazzling brilliancy and then fades slowly away until it is gone forever. Is it any wonder that poets sing of beautiful Dakota, the paradise of the farmer, and where the lover of the beautiful delights to roam?"

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 15, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim and secure final entry thereof on the 15th day of December, 1883, viz: Isabella Brown, D. S. No. 9561 for the e 1/4 of a w 1/4, s w 1/4 s e 1/4 and s e 1/4 of n w 1/4 of section 22, township 146 n, range 58 w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Samuel B. Langford, John H. Montgomery, William Gimblett, James Walker, 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 of December, A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Attorney. 02680.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, October 17, 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: Andrew H. Berg, D. S. No. 14314 for the s e 1/4 of section 6, township 147 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Andrew P. Rusten, Ole C. Thingelstad, Christian Johnson, Jacob Hanson, all of Ottawa, 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 11th day of Dec. A. D. 1883 at his office. And you, John Murray, who filed D. S. No. 9882 on the 26th day of April, 1882, are hereby notified to be and appear before the U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., on the 11th day of Dec. 1883, and show cause if any you have why said Ole Tandø should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land. 02680. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Attorneys. 02680.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 17, 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 Dec. 1883, viz: Ole Tandø, H. E. No. 14314 for the n 1/2 n w 1/4 section 4; n 1/2 n e 1/4 of s e 1/4 n e 1/4 of section 5, township 149 n, range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Fingar Larson, Ole Aslakson, Torg O. Torgerson, Ole Alfson, all 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 11th day of Dec. A. D. 1883 at his office. And you, John Murray, who filed D. S. No. 9882 on the 26th day of April, 1882, are hereby notified to be and appear before the U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., on the 11th day of Dec. 1883, and show cause if any you have why said Ole Tandø should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land. 02680. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Attorneys. 02680.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., December 8, 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 December, 1883, viz: Hans Olson, D. S. No. 14187 for the southwest 1/4 of section 30, township 145 n, range 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Iver O. Eimon, Andrew J. Anderson, and E. Sellwood, of Helena, D. T., and Claus Jackson of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before Ole Serungard, a notary public of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 19th day of Dec. 1883, and of claimant before Register and Receiver U. S. Land Office at Fargo, Cass county, D. T., on the 20th day of Dec. A. D. 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serungard, Attorneys. n16421.

NOTICE.—Timber Culture. Complaint having been entered at this office by Herjäs Osmundson against Mark Shepard, for failure to comply with law as to Timber-Culture Entry No. 6576, dated March 18, 1882, upon the s w 1/4 of section 30, township 148, range 58, in Griggs county, D. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said defendant, Mark Shepard, failed to break or cause to be broken every acre of any part thereof on said tract on or before the 18th day of March, 1882, during the first year of said entry or at any time heretofore; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 4th day of January, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. E. C. GEAREY, Receiver. j&e23d91.

Road Petition. To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Griggs County, D. T.: We the undersigned residents of Griggs county, living adjacent to the proposed highway do respectfully petition your honorable board to cause a public road to be laid out as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of section 19, town 145, range 58, thence east to the section corner of sections 23, 24, 25, 26, town 145, range 58; thence south on the section line to the quarter stake between sections 35 and 36; thence east on the quarter line as near as possible to the county line and your petitioners will ever pray. James Spencer, Sr. John Warner. Carl Scheely. William Frazer. Florence Frazer. Melvin Freer. Ole Kittelson. Ole Olson. Charles Carlson. Jacob Olson. Martin Lundø. O. Wertzle. Hal Arstad. Iver Bimp. Iver Hansen. M. Davidson. A. F. Thompson. Ole O. Frazier. Martin A. Neiland. Ivenn Loze. Lewellen Ladbury. Olon Sanders. J. Saunders. Elizabeth Curtis. W. R. Whiddon. S. A. Nelson. Anton Enger. Geo. W. Barnard. P. A. Melgard. Thos. F. Kerr. Byron Andrus, and many others. 45w3.

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