

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 thereon on the 30th day of December, 1883, viz: Gilbert Johnson, D. S. No. 1422, for lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of section 24, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Christian A. Lew, Mathias Evensen, Erik Holm, 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 15th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n247.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., November 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 thereon on the 15th day of December, 1883, viz: Ephraim S. Seymour, H. E. No. 972 for the e 1/2 of section 34, township 14 n., range 57 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: David Lewis, N. C. Walker, Gunder O. Johnson, Louis Hopp, all of Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before W. P. Miller, clerk of the district court, at Hope, Steele county, D. T., on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1883, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. E. S. Seymour, Attorney. n244.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Nov. 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 thereon on the 30th day of December, 1883, viz: Knud Knudsen, D. S. No. 1422 for the e 1/2 of section 34, township 14 n., range 57 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Knud Knudsen, Ole H. Halverson, Eling Olson, S. O. Halverson, all of 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 30th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n244.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Dec. 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 thereon on the 30th day of December, 1883, viz: Herve W. Yonson, D. S. No. 1422 for the w 1/2 of section 34, township 14 n., range 57 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Whittier R. Whidden, Isaac R. Miles, Frank Hunter, Joseph A. Hill, all of 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 17th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. William Glass, Attorney. n246.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 thereon on the 30th day of December, 1883, viz: Andrew Nelson, D. S. No. 10573 for the e 1/2 n 1/2 and e 1/2 s 1/2 of sec 32, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Thomsen, Knud Knudsen, A. Gunderson, Christ Jackson, C. Gilbertson, 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 15th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n247.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., October 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 thereon on the 30th day of December, 1883, viz: Charles Nelson, D. S. No. 8274 for the w 1/2 of n 1/2 and w 1/2 s 1/2 of section 32, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Thomsen, Knud Knudsen, A. Gunderson, Christ Jackson and C. Gilbertson, 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 15th day of December, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n247.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., November 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 thereon on the 10th day of January, 1884, viz: Tosten N. Gilderhus, H. E. No. 10062 for the e 1/2 of section 5, township 14 n., range 58 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Gunder Nave, Ole O. Nave, Andrew Iversen, Elias Mosen, all of Lee P. O., Grand Forks county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1884 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n248.

Road Petition. To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Griggs County, D. T.: We the undersigned citizens and freeholders of said county, residing in the immediate neighborhood of the route hereinafter mentioned, and desiring as a public highway do hereby petition your honorable body to cause to be laid out, established and opened a road or public highway as follows: commencing at the n e corner post of section 2, township 14 n., range 59 w., and running south on the west boundary line of sections 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 and 38 to the south boundary line of said township 14 n., range 59 w., thence in the most direct and practicable route to intersect the proposed county road leading from the Sheyenne river to Cooperstown, and your petitioners will ever pray that said road may be laid out according to law.

I. F. Mills, Harry Clark, Herjes Amundson, Ole Aslakson, Ole Gunderson, Ole Alfson, Ole O. Groff, Halvor C. Braeth, John Tauden, S. A. Neway, Kristen Johnson, Jacob Honera, E. B. Paxson. 45w3.

Road Petition. To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners of Griggs County, Dakota: The undersigned citizens and freeholders of said Griggs county, respectfully petition your honorable board to locate, lay out and establish a public highway or road from the n e corner post of section 1, township 14 n., range 59 w., to the n e corner post of section 24, town 14 n., range 59 w. The course and location of said road to be more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at or near the n e corner post of sec. 1 in town 14 n., range 59 w. in said Griggs county, and thence running south in a straight line along the side hill of the bluff east of the Sheyenne river to the n e corner post of section 24 in said township 14 n., range 59 w. thence running in a straight line directly south along the west boundary line of sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 29 in township 14 n., range 59 w. in the same direction along the west boundary line of sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 29 in township 14 n., range 59 w. to the southwest corner post of said section 24 in said last named township; said road to be sixty feet wide throughout its entire length, and wide following a section line and section line shall be the centre of said road. Your petitioners would represent to your honorable board that they are residents along the proposed road or in its immediate vicinity, and that such a road is a public necessity, and if built will be of great value to the county and convenience to the citizens along its proposed course, and your petitioners will ever pray that said road may be established according to law.

E. D. Stair, Geo. B. McCormick, John T. Fosholt, C. F. Beck, G. C. Bakke, Gunder O. Nave, Ole O. Nave, Nels Simonsen Gilderhus, A. R. Husen, A. Nilson, Christen Jacobson, Sivert Johnson, Louis Andersen. 45w3.

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Ole B. Mosen, W. A. Radford, S. Goldstrite, A. Paxson, Wilhelm Schmith, P. Gunderson, A. E. Paxson, C. Oleson, A. R. Muller, O. Erickson. 45w3.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., Nov. 16, 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 thereon on the 10th day of January, 1884, viz: Thore S. Serumgard, D. S. No. 1294 for the e 1/2 of section 2, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Omand Nelson, Knudson Knudsen, John Hanson, John Arneson, all of Mardell, 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 3rd day of January, A. D. 1884 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Serumgard, Atty's. n25128.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., November 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 thereon on the 10th day of January, 1884, viz: Florence Frazier, D. S. No. 1428 for the e 1/2 of section 18, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Charles Kettelson, J. M. Freer, Ella Freer and W. A. Sakke, 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 3rd day of January, A. D. 1884 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. F. B. Morrill, Atty. n1621.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., November 14, 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 thereon on the 10th day of January, 1884, viz: Florence Frazier, D. S. No. 1428 for the e 1/2 of section 18, township 14 n., range 59 w., and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Charles Kettelson, J. M. Freer, Ella Freer and W. A. Sakke, 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 3rd day of January, A. D. 1884 at his office.

One Thing and Another. Jesse James' wife and mother are conducting the prosecution against one of the Fords for highway robbery. They are horrified and indignant that this crime should go so long unpunished in Missouri, and are doing all in their power to maintain law and order in that state.

A member of a Kentucky church offered the Ladies' Aid Society \$5 if its members would meet and make a quilt without saying a word. Two dozen of the ladies met at the parsonage, and in two hours the quilt was finished, but they all say they would not do such a thing again for \$50.

They have a story in New York that young William K. Vanderbilt has sunk all his fortune, and that his father has refused to provide him with further capital. He is to allow him \$100,000 a year to live on, however, and with that the young man ought to be able to look the wolf at the door square in the eye.

Chicago Herald: Woman suffrage is now legalized in Washington Territory. It will have no special significance, as there is a scarcity of the female element there, and the new deal is not likely to attract female immigration. If they would place a bounty on marriage of say fifty acres of land to every bride and \$50 to every child born, the Northern Pacific would have to put on extra trains to carry the rush. They'll never populate the territory by woman suffrage.

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Notice to Tax Payers. Notice is hereby given that the tax lists for Griggs county are now in my hands for collection. According to territorial law all taxes not paid before the first Monday in February become delinquent and are subject to an increase of 5 per cent collection fees and 1 per cent a month interest until paid, providing they are paid before the 1st day of September next. ANTON ENGER, Treas. Griggs Co. 46-48.

Notice to Contractors. Sealed bids for the erection of school house in Fork Centre school township will be received by the school board until the 15th day of December next. The board accepted must give bonds on and more than the amount of the bid. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. For plans and specifications go to the office of Dr. Kerr, Cooperstown.

Bids can be sent to A. K. Johnson, clerk, Newburg, Traill Co., D. T., or Dr. Kerr. 46-47.

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