

THE COURIER.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1884.

Official Directory.

TERRITORIAL OFFICERS.
Governor—N. G. Ordway.
Deputy Governor—John B. Raymond, of Fargo.
Secretary—J. H. Teller, of Yankton.
Auditor—G. L. Ordway, Yankton.
Treasurer—J. C. McVay, Yankton.
Superintendent of Public Instruction—H. H. Beadle, Yankton.
Surveyor General—Courtney Fessenden, Yankton.
Judge District Court, Third District—S. A. Hudson, Fargo.
District Attorney, Third District—W. F. Ball, Fargo.
Clerk—N. C. Morgan, Fargo.
Commissioner—Johnson C. Nickens, Jamestown.
Representatives—R. W. Benson, Valley City, and E. A. Williams, Bismarck.
COUNTY OFFICERS.
Commissioners—R. C. Cooper, chairman, N. C. Rukke and Ole Halvorsen.
County Clerk and Register of Deeds—H. P. Sniart.
Clerk of District Court—J. N. Jorgensen.
Sheriff—Andrew Johnson.
Treasurer—Anton Enger.
Surveyor—Martin A. Wieland.
Supt. of Schools—Dr. T. F. Kerr.
Judge of Probate—Byron Andrus.
Coroner—Dr. G. F. Newell.
Commissioners of Insanity—Byron Andrus, T. F. Kerr and David Bartlett.
Justices of Peace—Wm. Glass, and P. A. Melgard, Cooperstown, S. Goldthrite, Ottawa, M. Davidson, Gallatin.
Constables—J. H. Atchison, Allan Pinkerton, Ole Groff and Martin Robinson.

REPUBLICAN LEGISLATIVE CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that a Republican County convention will be held in school house at Cooperstown on the 11th day of October, 1884, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the county of Griggs, for the purpose of electing six delegates to attend the Ninth Legislative District convention to be held in the city of Bismarck on the 15th day of October, 1884, to nominate two members of the council and four members to the assembly. Each commissioner district is entitled to the following delegates in said county convention:

First Commissioner District, of Mardell, 3 delegates.
Second Commissioner District, of Cooperstown, 6 delegates.
Third Commissioner District, of Ottawa, 4 delegates.

In absence of any precinct committee, the county committee recommend that the caucuses in each district be held on the 8th day of October, 1884, at 3 o'clock p. m., and to be kept open for 3 hours, in accordance with the recommend of the legislative committee, and that each caucus be held at the following places:

First district, at Park Avenue hotel, Mardell.
Second district, in school house at Cooperstown.
Third district, at the farm of E. W. Hagerly, on section 13, tp. 148, r. 60.
Dated at Cooperstown, September 18, 1884. IVER JACOBSON, Chairman.
THEO. F. KERR, Secretary.

NOTICE OF COUNTY CONVENTION.

Notice is hereby given that the Republican County Convention for Griggs county will be held in the school house at Cooperstown on the 18th day of October, 1884, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of placing in nomination a full set of county officers for Griggs county, viz: A District Attorney, a Register of deeds—ex-officio County Clerk, a Clerk of District Court, a Sheriff, a Treasurer, a Superintendent of Public Schools, a Coroner, a County Surveyor, four Justices of the Peace, four Constables, and one Commissioner for the Second Commissioner district, to be nominated by the delegates belonging to and included in the Second Commissioner district; and for such other and further business as may properly come before the convention.

Griggs county having been divided into caucus districts as follows, viz: All west of Sheyenne river included in township 146, ranges 58 and 59, and also all north of sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, which lies west of Sheyenne river of township 145, ranges 58 and 59, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 1; and townships 147 and 148, of ranges 58 and 59, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 2; and township 144 in ranges 60 and 61, including all south of sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 in township 145, ranges 60 and 61, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 3; townships 147 and 148 of ranges 60 and 61, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 4; and all west of the Sheyenne river, in township 144, ranges 58 and 59, and all south of sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 in township 145, ranges 58 and 59, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 5; and township 146, ranges 60 and 61, and all north of sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, in township 145, ranges 60 and 61, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 6; and that all the territory in range 58, east of Sheyenne river, in townships 144, 145 and 146, is constituted Caucus Precinct No. 7.—The caucus in each precinct is called to be held on the 15th day of October, 1884, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the following places, viz:

No. 1, at the school house in Cooperstown.
No. 2, at the house of Isaac E. Mills.
No. 3, at the house of Peter Fiero.
No. 4, at the school house, section 16, township 148, range 60.
No. 5, at the house of David Nicoll.
No. 6, at the house of Nels Hemingson.
No. 7, at Park Avenue Hotel, Mardell.

And each precinct is entitled to the following delegates to attend said convention, viz: First Precinct—5 delegates; Second, 5; Third, 4; Fourth, 4; Fifth, 3; Sixth, 3; Seventh, 3.

The committee recommend that a precinct committee of three be elected.

Dated at Cooperstown, Sept. 29, 1884.
IVER JACOBSON, Chairman.
THEO. E. KERR, Secretary.

In spite of the flattering crops, it is apparent to all westerners, who have watched the growth of territories heretofore, that our hilarious boom days are over, and we are, as a people, husbanding our resources and working upon a conservative plan. As has been observed, the floating indebtedness of the Eternal City was not bonded in twenty-four hours, and the march of Dakota to political and financial greatness will be for some time slow but certain, along with the resistless progress of the nation. When the world first turned its face to Dakota we gamboled like young rams in the spring sunshine; the world has since observed that our buttes are not of virgin gold to be carved and carried away like new cheese; that our rivers do not run milk and honey; that it rains, and hails, and parches, and freezes, and blows on Odin's billiard table, as well as in the rough land of the Knickerbockers and Pilgrim Fathers; while it smiles upon us to a reasonable extent, it does not beam with delight and shovel gold into our coffers with a scoop shovel. We don't gambol any more. We are letting the wool grow.

County politics are as yet not remarkably lively. Griggs county seems happily free from chronic dissensions. As is common in all new counties, "Barkis is willin'" to accept this office or that, and nobody will be hurt if he fails to arrive at the goal. A little tussle will be had over the offices of register of deeds, and sheriff, and, possibly, the county commissionership, and in all cases, unless the voter is positive that a change will be for the better, he should be cautious in changing tried for untried men. While we believe in our republican institutions, we do not believe in running politics by caprice and prejudice. The coming county convention, of which we publish the call in this issue, should determine much in the campaign.

The Argus says we didn't seem to be so sorry after the convention as might have been expected, considering our convictions. Jess so, Major. We can stand this trading horses in the middle of the stream if the rest of the republican party can.

The Sunday Morning Broadaxe, under its new management, doesn't try to be so terribly funny as it did; but you get less literary ipeac, and more sense.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 4, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 21st day of October, 1884, viz: William C. Root, D. S. No. 15,533 for s 1/2 s w 1/4 n w 1/4 sec. 4 and s e 1/4 s e 1/4 of sec. 5, tp. 148 n. r. 60 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: A. D. Ellis, Jos. Buchheit, B. C. Bound, and W. Sparling, all of Willow, 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 18th day of Oct. A. D. 1884 at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Iver Jacobson, attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 4, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of her claim and secure final entry thereof on the 21st day of October, 1884, viz: Martha J. Withrow, D. S. No. 15,515, for the northwest 1/4 of section 14, tp. 148 n. r. 60 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Arthur Know, W. Sparling, C. H. Johnson, and Joseph Buchheit, all of Willow P. O., 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 18th day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Iver Jacobson, attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 4, 1884. 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 21st day of October, 1884, viz: Francis M. Rockwell, D. S. No. 10,064, for the southeast 1/4 of section 12, township 146 n. range 59 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George A. W. Barron, James Walker, John N. Glass, William Gimblett, 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 18th day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Wm. Glass, attorney.

NOTICE.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., July 23, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by Platt S. Buell against Max L. Roeder for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 8237, dated March 30, 1883, upon the s w 1/4 section 8, township 145, range 60, in Griggs county, Dakota, with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the parties are notified that said Max L. Roeder has failed to break or cause to be broken the five acres required to be broken during first year from date of said entry or at any other time. That the same is all wild prairie, the parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 15th day of October, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., Aug. 6, 1884.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 4, 1884. 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 October, 1884, viz: Adolf T. Hegre, D. S. No. 14,330 for the n e 1/4 of section 20, tp. 147 n. r. 59 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Lars L. Herigstad, Tobias A. Thime, T. K. Rugne and Jens Anderson, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Byron Andrus, judge and ex-officio clerk of the probate court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
John N. Jorgensen, attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., August 14, 1884.

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 October, 1884, viz: Lars L. Herigstad, D. S. No. 14,411, for the s e 1/4 of section 18, tp. 147 n. r. 60 w. and names the following as his witness, viz: Adolf T. Hegre, Tobias A. Thime, John Thime and Helge Leine, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses will be taken before Byron Andrus, judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
John N. Jorgensen, attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Aug. 14, 1884.

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 October, 1884, viz: Tobias A. Thime, D. S. No. 14,321, for the n w 1/4 of section 20, tp. 147 n. range 59 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Adolf T. Hegre, Lars L. Herigstad, T. K. Rugne and Jens Anderson, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Byron Andrus, judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 4th day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
John N. Jorgensen, attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 4, 1884.

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 21st day of October, 1884, viz: Daniel O. White, D. S. No. 13,062, for the s w 1/4 of section 28, tp. 144 n. r. 61 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: B. E. Berlin, James Lowe, D. B. Berlin, A. B. Black, all of Dazey P. O., Barnes 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 23d day of October, A. D. 1884, at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
And you, Matt O. Wallum, who filed D. S. No. 10,138 on said land, are hereby notified to be and appear before the said officer on the 27th day of October, 1884, and show cause if any you may have, why said Daniel O. White should not be permitted to make due proof and payment for said land.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Wm. Glass, attorney.

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