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Notice of Public Land Sale.

(Isolated Tracts.)

United States Land Office, Fargo, N. D., April 22, 1903.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instructions from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority vested in him by Section 2455, U. S. Revised Statutes, as amended by the Act of Congress approved February 26, 1895, we will proceed to offer at public sale on the 2nd. day of June, A. D. 1903, next, at this office at 10 a. m. the following tract of land, to-wit: SW¼ of SE¼ of Section 22, in Township 145 N., of Range 58 W., containing 40 acres.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of said sale, otherwise their rights will be forfeited.

4-30 C. C. SCHUYLER, Register.

Notice of Hearing Petition to Establish Heirship.

State of North Dakota, } County of Griggs. }

In County Court, before Hon. Will H. Carleton, Judge.

In the Matter of the Estate of Andrew Tarnutzer, Deceased.

William Glass, Petitioner.

—vs.—

Ida B. Tarnutzer, Anna W. Schulze, William N. Tarnutzer, Benjamin C. Tarnutzer, Arthur A. Tarnutzer, John A. Tarnutzer and Gustav A. Tarnutzer, Respondents.

Notice of Hearing Petition to Establish Heirship.

Notice is hereby given, that William Glass has filed in the County Court of said County of Griggs a duly verified petition praying for a decree establishing the right of succession to the estate of Andrew Tarnutzer, deceased, and that Monday the Eighth day of June, 1903 at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, being a day of a regular term of this court, to-wit: of the Sixth Term, A. D. 1903, at the County Court room in the Village of Cooperstown, County Griggs, North Dakota, has been set by order of this Court as the time and place for hearing said petition. At which said time and place any and all persons interested may appear and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Dated at Cooperstown, North Dakota, this 28th day of April, 1903.

By the Court: WILL H. CARLETON, Judge of the County Court.

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CONTEST NOTICE.—Department of the Interior. United States Land Office. Fargo, N. D. April 29, 1903.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Ludvig Amundson contestant, against homestead entry No, 23367 made March 20th 1899, for NE¼ section 24, Township 148, Range 61, by Andrew O. Berkeland contestee, in which it is alleged that Andrew O. Berkeland has wholly abandoned said tract; that he has never established his residence thereon since making said entry; that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law, that there are no improvements of any kind on said land. That entryman's absence is not caused by his employment in the army or navy of the United States; that each failure as alleged exists at the date of filing this contest, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation, at 10 o'clock a. m., on June 18th 1903, before Oscar D. Purinton, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs County N. D., (and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on June 20th 1903 before) the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Fargo N. D.

That said contestant, having, in a proper affidavit filed April 29 1903, set forth facts which show that after due diligence, personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication, in the courier at Cooperstown, N. D.

C. C. SCHUYLER, Register.

5-17-6

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA. } County of Griggs. } ss.

The Michigan Stove Company, Plaintiff,

vs.

J. Crawford, John Crawford, William Crawford and Anson Crawford, copartners as J. Crawford & Sons, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the Clerk's office of the 5th Judicial District Court, State of North Dakota, in and for the County of Griggs, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of The Michigan Stove Company, Plaintiff and against J. Crawford, John Crawford, William Crawford and Anson Crawford, copartners as J. Crawford & Sons, Defendents. I have levied upon the following described real estate of said Defendants to-wit:

The south half of section thirty-four (34) township one hundred and forty-six (146) range sixty (60) west in Griggs County N. D.

And that I shall, on Monday the 8th day of June A. D., 1903, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., of said day, at the front door of the Court House in Cooperstown, in said County and State, proceed to sell the right, title and interest of the above named Defendants, J. Crawford, John Crawford, William Crawford and Anson Crawford, in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to three hundred twentyfour dollars and thirty cents, together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 26th day of March 1903, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. C. FLYNN, Sheriff of Griggs County.

A. M. BALDWIN, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Dated Cooperstown N. D., May 6th 1903,

5-17-5

Notice of Citation, Hearing of Final Account and Distribution.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, } County of Griggs, }

In County Court before Hon. Will H. Carleton, Judge.

In the matter of the Estate of Par Gust Forsberg deceased.

A. M. Sinclair, Administrator,

vs.

Anna Forsberg, Alma J. Forsberg, Henry E. Forsberg, and Asta Forsberg, Respondents.

Notice and Citation, Hearing of Final Account and Distribution of Estate.

The State of North Dakota to the above named Respondents:

You the said Anna Forsberg, Alma J. Forsberg, Henry E. Forsberg and Asta Forsberg are hereby notified that the final account of the Administrator of Par Gust Forsberg, late of the town of Greenfield in the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, deceased, has been rendered to this Court, therein showing that the estate of said deceased is ready for final settlement and distribution, and petitioning that his account be allowed, the residue of said estate be distributed to the persons thereunto entitled, his administration closed and he be discharged; that Monday, the 1st day of June A. D. 1903, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the Court Rooms of this Court in the Court House, in the Village of Cooperstown County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, has been duly appointed by this Court for the settlement thereof, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account and petition and contest the same.

And you, the above named respondents, and each of you, are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this Court and show cause, if any you have, why said account shall not be allowed, the residue of said estate distributed, the administration of said estate closed and said A. M. Sinclair discharged.

Dated the 28th day of April, A. D. 1903.

By the Court: WILL H. CARLETON, Judge of the County Court.

5-17-4

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AGENTS WANTED WRITE TO JAMESTOWN, N. D.

Notice of Mortgage Sale.

Notice is Hereby Given, That that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Thomas Johnson and Julia Johnson, his wife, mortgagors, to the Port Huron Engine & Thresher Company, mortgagee, dated the 21st day of December A. D. nineteen hundred and one and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, on the 6th day of January A. D. 1902, and recorded in Book R of Mortgages, at page 532 and assigned by said mortgagee by an instrument in writing to The Northwestern Port Huron Company dated the 27th day of March A. D. 1903, and filed for record in said office of the Register of Deeds on the 18th day of April 1903, and recorded in Book X of Mortgages, on page 340 will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the courthouse in the village of Cooperstown, in the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on the Sixth day of June 1903 to satisfy the amount due upon said Mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are those certain premises situated in the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit: The Southeast quarter of the Southwest quarter and the Southwest quarter of Southeast quarter of Section Twenty-three in Township One Hundred and forty-six, Range Fifty-eight. Default having been made in the terms of said mortgage by the failure of said mortgagors to pay the notes or payments due on November 1st, 1902, and the owner thereof having under the terms of said mortgage elected to declare the whole sum secured by said mortgage to be due and payable. There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Two Thousand and Sixty-four Dollars, $2064.

Dated at Cooperstown, North Dakota, this 20th day of April 1903.

THE NORTHWESTERN PORT HURON COMPANY, Mortgagee.

WILL H. CARLETON, Attorney for Morgagee. Cooperstown, North Dakota.

April 23.

Notice of Final Proof. Land Office at Fargo, N. D., April 15, 1903.—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 that said proof will be made before Oscar D. Purinton, clerk district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, N. D., on May 29, 1903, viz:

EMMA ANDERSON.

H. E. No. 22304, for the Lot 1 of Section 30 in Township 146, N. of Range 59 W.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: John Dahlbom, Jonas Person, Jens Person, Peder M. Johnson, all of Cooperstown, N. D.

C. C. SCHUYLER, Register.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Harris H. Crosby, deceased:

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Luman B Crosby executor of the last will of Harris H. Crosby, late of the town of Hebron, in the County of Yarmouth and Province of Nova Scotia, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to said Executor at the residence of said Luman B. Crosby, in the Town of Crystal, Pembina County.

Dated May 11th, A. D., 1903.

LUMAN B. CROSBY, Executor.

First publication on the 14th day of May, A. D., 1903. 4-t

Notice of Final Proof. Land office at Fargo N. D., May 8, 1903.—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 that said proof will be made before Oscar D. Purinton, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, N. D., on June 20, 1903 viz:

MONS H. HAGEN

H. E. No, 22017 for the ne¼ nw¼ n½ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼ of section 24 Twp. 145 n of range 58 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: T. A. Hagen, Harold Vasfaret, of Cooperstown, N. D., John Atchison, Alex. Saunders, of Gallatin, N. D.

C. C. SCHUYLER, Register.

5-17-6

Notice of Sale.

Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a judgment and decree in fore-closure, rendered and given by the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, in and for the County of Griggs and State of North Dakota, and entered and docketed in the office of the Clerk of said Court in and for said County, on the 14th day of May 1903, in an action wherein John W. Fiero was Plaintiff and George C. Koyl, Libbie A. Koyl and Charles T. Whidden were Defendants in favor of the said Plaintiff and against the said Defendants in George C. Koyl and Libbie A. Koyl for the sum of twenty-three hundred and one dollars and seventy cents, which judgment and decree among other things directed the sale by me of the real estate hereinafter described, to satisfy the amount of said judgment, with interest thereon and the costs and expenses of such sale, or so much thereof as the proceeds of such sale applicable thereto will satisfy. And by virtue of a writ to me issued out of the office of the Clerk of said Court in and for said County of Griggs and under the seal of said Court, directing me to sell said real property pursuant to said judgment and decree, I, J. C. Flynn, Sheriff of said County, and person appointed by said Court to make said sale, will sell the hereinafter described real estate to the highest bidder, for cash, at public auction, at the front door of the court house in the Village of Cooperstown in the county of Griggs and State of North Dakota, on the 29th day of June A. D., 1903, at 2 o'clock P. M., of that day, to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs thereon, and the costs and expenses of such sale, or so much thereof as the proceeds of such sale applicable thereto will satisfy. The premises to be sold as aforesaid pursuant to said judgment and decree, and to said writ, and to this notice, are described in said judgment, decree and writ, as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered twenty-one (21) twenty-two (22) twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in block numbered sixty-one (61), in the town of Cooperstown in Griggs county North Dakota according to the original plat thereof now on file in the office of the Register of Deeds of said Griggs county.

J. C. FLYNN, Sheriff of Griggs county state of N. Dak.

A. M. BALDWIN, Attorney for Plaintiff, Cooperstown, N. D. 5-21

General Assembly Presbyterian Church in the U. S. A. Los Angelos, California May 21 to June 2, 1903.

For the above occasion the N. P. R'y will sell first class round trip excursion tickets to Los Angelos, going and returning via Portland $60.00. Same dates to San Francisco $50.00. Going via Portland returning to St. Paul or Minneapolis via Ogden, Albuquerque or Deming $61.00. Stop over will be allowed in Montana and west within ten days from date of sale. Also on return trip within final limit.

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Binford	De	12:37 p. m.	Ar	2:55 p. m.
Jessie	De	12:15 p. m.	Ar	3:13 p. m.
Lovell	De	11:59 a. m.	Ar	3:30 p. m.
Cooperstown	Ar	11:00 a. m.	Ar	4:00 p. m.
Shepard	De	10:42 a. m.	Ar	4:18 p. m.
Hannaford	De	10:18 a. m.	Ar	4:42 p. m.
Dazey	De	9:45 a. m.	Ar	5:16 p. m.
Rogers	De	9:12 a. m.	Ar	5:50 p. m.
Sanborn	De	8:35 a. m.	Ar	6:30 p. m.

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