THE COURIER.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 23, 1885.

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C. H. Johnson, M. L. Michaels.

Bismarck and Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD.

No such disgraceful spectacle, as that presented in the Illinois legislature, will stain the annals of Dakota this winter. The independent Haines holds the Illinois legislature deadlocked, by declaring himself the speaker of the house; because, for sooth, the republicans have not a majority to oust him, without his vote, and the democrats would elect another man if it were possible. Billingsgate, profanity, threats of violence, belligerant action, in which every man stands with his hand on his hip pocket, ready to shoot, is the order of the day, while no business is done. They should learn true statesmanship from our Dakota solons. At

BISMARCK

the majority reigns quietly over the successors to, and remnants of, the disreputable gang who recognized no rights in convention, or otherwise, unless it suited their purposes; who divided counties for profit, exempted the property of monopoly corporations from taxation, cast lots for lavish appropriations, as carelessly as if shaking dice for the ci-

ernor and legislature, legitimate legislation will be paralyzed,—the bills regulating the shipment of grain will slumber quietly, and if the farmers and business men can get the meager amount of legislation to place them upon a level with citizens of other states, in relation to carriers and warehousemen, they must needs be satisfied.

This is the penalty we have to pay for bossism—for the rule in Dakota of the worst elements of the republican party.

**Notice of Final Proof—Land office at Fargo, D. T., Dec.15, 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 entre thereof on the 28th day of January, 1885, viz: Warren J. Weatherbee, D. S. No.15,030, for the names the following as his witnesses, viz: S. B. Merryman, Joseph Downing, Edwin Olson, Lorain Ringgles, all of Montclair postoffice, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, D. T., on the 24th day of January A. D. 1885, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register

And you, Charles O. Hulberg, who filed D. S. ernor and legislature, legitimate

worst elements of the republican party, and which worst element encompassed its defeat in the national campaign. Bismarck is now howing "division" like a school boy, under the capitalremoval lash of Pettigrew, while Edwards and McKenzie realize that every

wards and McKenzie realize that every political wrong is fitly rewarded, and that the triumph of trickery is brief triumph.

Our Judiciary.

The Fargo Democrat endorses the suggestions made in the COURIER of January 2d, in reference to "Our Judiciary," and says: "A bill has been prepared to present to the legislature enlarging the jurisdiction of the probate court, and giving it concurent jurisdiccourt, and giving it concurent jurisdiccourt, and giving it concurent jurisdiction with the district court in the sum of \$500. It may be that there is some doubt about the power of the territorial legislature to do this, and an act of congress may be necessary, before it can be legally accomplished, but the great importance of such a law cannot be overestimated." We are glad to see the Democrat lending its influence to measures that have some good in them, other than possible plunder, spoils, and politicthan possible plunder, spoils, and political preferment. A bill "enlarging the jurisdiction of the probate court," howeyer, will be utterly useless. All that can be done by our legislature will be to memorialize congress to amend the organic law. A hasty desire to get to the front in such a manner, would kill the

Elegant Language,

One exchange kindly attunes up (harmonizes-gives tone to) a building,preferring attune to the simple verb, tune. Another respells the noun, guaranty, for us, and insists upon guarantee. Thanks.

Secretary Teller has killed the proposed Turtle Mountain land district; because there was some money in it for somebody.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., Dec. II, 1884. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 21st day of January, 1885, viz: John O. Strome.
D. S. No. 3,464. for the southwest quarter of sec. 12, tp 144 n, r 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Nels Hemingson, Ole O. Kanrstad, Carl Skarie. Ole J. Strome, 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 17th day of Jan., A. D. 1885, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

I Upon application of claimant the time for making final proof before the U.S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., is hereby extended until Jan. 28, 1885. and for taking testimony of claimant and witnesses before clerk of court at Cooperstown, D. T., until Jan. 24, 1885.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Dated Fargo, D. T., Jan. 8, 1885.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo,

Dated Fargo, D. T., Jan. 8, 1885.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Dec. 17, 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 2nd day of February, 1884, viz: William T. Vail. D. S. No.15,656 for the nek of sec. 6, township 148 n, range 59 w, and names the following at his witnesses, viz: C. H. Johnson, H. V. Safford, of Willow, D. T., P. L. Holland and N. C. Rukke, of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant to be taken before U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., on the 2d day of February, 1886, and of witnesses before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D.T., on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1885, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Iver Jacobson, attorney.

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Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Dec. 2, 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 2it day of January, 1885, viz: Christoph Lindemann, H. E. No 14252, for the se & n w & and loss 3, 4, and 5 of sec 6, tp 148 n, r 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Wildgrube Abner Pearson, Dora Rust, Harry Clarke, all of Willow postoffice, 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 January, A. D. 1885, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Wm. Glass, Attorney.

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Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Dec. 11, 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 January, 1885, viz: Sven K. Norgaard, D. S. No. 9,672, for the southeast quarter of sec. 14, tp 146 n, r 58 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Anton Enger, C. P. Balkan, Thore S. Serumgard, Omund Nelson, 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 17th day of January, 1885, at his office.

And yon, Levy S. Norgaard, who filed D. S. No. 10,532 on the 8th day of June, 1882, are hereby notified to be and appear before the U.S. Land office Fargo, D. T., on the 21st day of January, 1885, and show cause, if any you have, why said Sven K. Norgaard should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Iver Jacobson, attorney.

Upon application of claimant the time for making final proof before U. S. Land office at Fargo, D. T., is hereby extended until Jan. 28, 1885, and for taking testimony of claimant and witnesses before clerk of court at Cooperstown, D. T., until Jan. 24, 1885.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Dec. 15, 1884. Notice is hereby given that

carelessly as if shaking dice for the cigars, and who changed the territorial seat of government simply as a gigantic land and lot speculation. They now heroically submit to the inevitable, and allow North Dakota to pay the fiddler.

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And you, Charles O. Hulberg, who filed D. S. No. 11,498 on the 7th day of Oct. 1882, on lot three of said section, are hereby notified to be and appear before the United States land office, Fargo, D. T., on the 28th day of Jan. 1885, and show cause, if any you have, why said Warren J. Weatherbee should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, attorney.



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