

FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1885.

Official Directory.

TERRESTRIAL OFFICERS. Governor—Gilbert A. Pierce. Secretary in Congress—Oscar S. Gifford. 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, Sixth District—Francis, of Bismarck. COUNTY OFFICERS. Commissioners—R. C. Cooper, chairman, N. C. Rukke and Ole Halvorsen. County Clerk and Register of Deeds—H. P. Smart. Clerk of District Court—J. N. Jorgensen. Sheriff—Allen Pinkerton. Treasurer—Anton Enger. Surveyor—Martin A. Ueland. Supt. of Schools—Dr. T. F. Kerr. Judge of Probate—Geo. B. Clark. Coroner—Dr. G. F. Newell. Commissioners of Insanity—Geo. B. Clark, T. F. Kerr and David Bartlett. Justices of Peace—P. A. Melgard, Cooperstown, Harry Clark, Willow; A. H. Sangie of Helena; M. Davidson, Gull Lake. Constables—J. H. Atchison, Allan Pinkerton, C. H. Johnson, M. L. Michaels.

From the frequency of wife murders in the East, one might fancy that the man's marital obligation had been changed—to protect, cherish, get the delirium tremens, and cut the head off the said Ann Maria with an axe, and other horrible details, sixty days from date, without grace, for value received.

Gen. Sheridan gives the cattlemen forty days to withdraw from the Indian Territory. They complain that the enforcement of the order will cost them \$7,000,000. Cattle ought to travel ten miles a day, easily, and at the end of the forty days; if they act promptly, their herds can be chewing grass in Dakota.

The reform democrats have been counting the Cheyenne and Arapahoe Indians, and find 2,000 missing. Probably Jo. Mackin was connected with the tribe at the late court. If the democrats are bent on retrenchment they better cut off the remaining 3,000, and make "good injuns" of them.

We recently picked up an exchange with five funny clippings regarding a Chicago girl's feet. If there is any foundation for these anecdotes, the anecdote better keep his coat tail away from the anecdote, or he might be hoisted higher than Gilderoy's kite.

Sir George Chetwynd and Lord Lonsdale had a knock down and dragout fight in London over a faded flower. Sir Gawdye accused Melud of having monkeyed with a certain lily that he (Gawdye) had been wearing in his button hole. It wasn't a callow lily, but an old feline lily that had a record of 2:104.

The Chicago Herald inquires, "Are their secret mints?" and says that there is "a suspicion that private enterprise is engaged in making silver coin"—U. S. standard dollars. This kind of work, on a small scale, used to be called counterfeiting.

The "Carhshle boys," or young buck Indians educated at Carlisle, it is said, get back to the blanket and breech clout, and dance "medicine" in three months after their graduation bark is launched on the broad ocean of life, and make more trouble than the greasiest old wretch who can't read nor write.

Gen. Grant's funeral train starts from Mt. McGregor August 4th. The remains will lie in state at the capital at Albany one day—at the city hall in New York, three days. On the morning of the 8th the interment will take place in Central Park, by the solicitation of the Mayor and Aldermen of the city. This burial in a national show place is a mistake, in keeping with many of the mistakes of the General and his family in later years. The soldier of Donelson would have decided differently. The hero of Chancellorville would have said, "let me be buried in some quiet spot among the soldiery of the nation." How long before McGinnis and O'Flaherty, the popular aldermen who "give to the poor," shall, in the flood tide of obsequious imbecility, be deemed by their peers worthy of a place beside "Old Grant."

In the Devils Lake land office investigation the grand jury found Lord, Whipple and Hansbrough were guilty of a conspiracy to extort money from the settlers, but they were informed by the district attorney that he could not find any statute to cover the offense. The jury made a report to the judge to this effect. The judge took the case out of their hands, and stated that he would transfer the investigation to the secretary of the interior. He believed, however, the investigation had cleared the moral atmosphere at Devils Lake. Thanking the jury for their persevering efforts to fulfill the demands of justice, he discharged the jury.—Fargo Argus. We wonder why Judge McConnell did not reprimand the g. j., and dismiss it, for meddling with what did not concern it, as in a previous case. It seems very like the usual grand jury farce.

Call and See Our Stock. Next Door to Union House.

COX & CHRISTIE.

"Dead as Julius Caesar," is an expression that, without levity, may be applied to the hero of the rebellion; he is dead with all the warriors of old, from the "great Persian conqueror, Cambyses," to the hero of Waterloo; he has met the invincible conquerer of mortality, and has joined the rank and file of them that were. Not for fame, nor wealth, were his labors in tent and field; but in the line of duty, as a plain soldier. Fame and wealth followed. His victories were not accidents—his glory an ephemeral thing. His soldiers know this. The people will realize it more and more as the husks of history drop from the kernel. His mistakes in civil life were the mistakes of Washington and Wellington, which have long since been forgotten; and his best monument, like theirs, is the memory of devotion and faithful service to country.

John Roach has assigned; so it seems he had not, as reported, "plundered the government out of millions."

John Roach built the Dolphin, but he did not design it, and is not responsible for the atrocities of the model. The reason that he obtained the contracts for building of the Chicago, Atlanta, Boston, and Dolphin, is that his bids were the lowest—\$300,000 below the bids of Cramp & Sons. His politics were, however, wrong. He should have been a Jackson democrat, and he would not have had to throw 3,000 ship builders out of employment.

Senator Vest went through on the Northern Pacific to Montana, Sunday morning. He needn't have kept himself concealed. Col. Plummer is up in Traill county. Pat Donan, the eagle screamer, is on wing, and all is quiet on the Shyenne.

The Princess Beatrice, the youngest daughter of Queen Victoria, was married July 23d, to Henry of Battenberg. Henry, it seems, first won the queen, and Beatrice was only too willing to be given away. She has been the safety-valve companion of the old lady many years, and the queen, it is alleged, made her tired.

The "Dakota editors," who are swinging round the circle, and taking a mid-summer holiday, are probably South Dakota editors. They are liable to get on a spree before returning, and it is just as well that their whence be known.

One car load of Fuller & Johnson Mfg. company's walking plows, and Casady sulky plow. Call and see them. I can show you something fine in the Fuller & Johnson mowers.

I have two car loads of the best binding twine, which will do you good to look at sample, and ask my price—which can't help but make farming pay. Knud Thompson.

I have a few Harvesters & Binders that I am selling for \$200. If you want one, you must call soon, or you will be out of luck; and don't you forget it. Knud Thompson.

Knud Thompson will have a car load of Stoughton wagons next week, to be sold cheap for cash. They are expected each day.

If you want a J. I. Case thresher you must place your orders at once, or they cannot be filled. Knud Thompson.

Twine, to be had at bed rock, must be ordered now. Knud Thompson.

Guard against being "busted," by insuring your crops with Beecher Cox, in the Fargo Insurance company. A fresh stock of groceries just opened at Bowden and Buck's.

It will make you happy and wise to buy a light running Plano Binder. Call and see the new one. It is fine. Knud Thompson.

Road Petition. To the Board of County Commissioners of said county. The undersigned freeholders, residing within the immediate neighborhood of the route herein after mentioned and described for a public road, do hereby petition you to cause to be laid out and opened a public highway of the width of sixty feet, as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of section 19, township 148, range 59; thence east on the section line along the south side of sections No. 19, 20, 21, 22 and to the quarter post on the south side of section 23; thence by the most practical route to the section line on the east side of section 23, in said township. We most respectfully represent that the laying out of this road will furnish us a much needed highway to the Shyenne river, and pray that your honorable body may order the opening at the earliest possible moment. Ole Alson, Assmund Pederson, S. A. Ness, Ole O. Laavet, T. O. Torgerson, P. T. Flaggstad, Peder Flaggstad, Thor Olson, Hergers Oumundson, Rolley Johnson, S. Goldthrite, John K. Olson, E. W. McCrea, Ole Ellefson, Ole O. Groff, August Anderson, Ellef Olson, Geo. W. Pratt. 23-30

Mortgage Sale.

Default has been made in the payment of One Hundred dollars and interest thereon from the 24th day of Nov. 1882, at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, viz: \$131; which is claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain note and mortgage securing the same, duly executed and delivered by Edward H. Foster to Rollin C. Cooper and Thos. J. Cooper, of Griggs county, D. T., both bearing date the 24th day of Nov. 1882, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of register of deeds, in and for the county of Griggs, territory of Dakota, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1883, at 8:40 o'clock p. m. in book C, on page 182. Said note and mortgage was, on the 17th day of June, 1885, duly assigned and transferred by the said Rollin C. Cooper and Thos. J. Cooper by an assignment in writing to Edwin W. Siegfried of Sanborn, Barnes county, D. T., who is now the owner and holder thereof. And said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds aforesaid, on the 24th day of June, 1885, in book C, on pages 341 and 2, and no action or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, which may be made at the front door of the Bank of Cooperstown, in the town of Cooperstown, county of Griggs, and territory of Dakota, at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his duly appointed deputy, on the 3d day of August, 1885, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, with interest thereon and the cost of sale, together with fifty dollars attorney fees as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure. The premises described in said mortgage and so to be sold are the lot piece or parcel of land situated in the town of Cooperstown, and county of Griggs and territory of Dakota, and described as follows to-wit: Lot seven (7), block seventy-four (74). Edwin W. Siegfried, assignee. C. E. Pierson, attorney for assignee. Dated at Cooperstown, June 28, 1885. 23-28

Probate Notice.

Territory of Dakota, county of Griggs, ss. In Probate court, special term, 1885. At a probate court held in and for Griggs county, and territory of Dakota, at the office of the judge of probate, in the town of Cooperstown in said county, on the 26th day of July, 1885. Present: Hon. Geo. B. Clark, judge of probate. In the matter of proving the last will and testament of Platt S. Buell, deceased. On reading and filing the verified petition of Wallace P. Buell, propounding for probate a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Platt S. Buell, late of Griggs county, deceased, setting forth that said last will and testament relates to both real and personal estate, and naming the heirs at law and next of kin of said deceased, said petitioner being son of said deceased, and praying that the same may be proved and allowed as the last will and testament of the said Platt S. Buell, deceased, and that letters testamentary thereupon issue to Wallace P. Buell, the executor named in said last will and testament, who has consented to act as such executor when duly appointed, and that a citation issue to the subscribing witnesses to said last will and testament, to appear in relation to the same, in relation to the execution of said last will and testament, and that notice be given the heirs at law, next of kin and all persons interested in said estate of the time and place of hearing of said petition. It is hereby ordered that said petition be heard by the judge of probate court of said Griggs county, at a special term of said court to be held at his office in the town of Cooperstown, in said county, on Saturday, the 8th day of August, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. to attend the hearing of said petition and the probate of said will. It is further ordered that notice be given to the heirs at law and next of kin and all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, by publishing a copy of this order for three successive weeks once in each week, prior to said hearing, in the Griggs County Courier, a newspaper published in said county. By the court. GEO. B. CLARK, Judge of Probate. 27-29

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 30th, 1885.

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 August, 1885, viz: Bole H. L. D. S. No. 15,387, for the s-w 1/4 n-e 1/4 s-e 1/4 n-e 1/4 and n-e 1/4 s-e 1/4 of sec. 18, tp. 148n, r. 60w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Anton Pederson, John A. Quirk, Albert A. Coleman, Baltes C. Bond, all of Willow postoffice, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before the judge of the district court, or in his absence, before J. N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, in Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Ole, attorneys. 25-30

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 30, 1885.

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 21st day of Aug., 1885, viz: Sine Toehle, H. E. No. 13,955 for the s-w 1/4 of sec 28, tp 148n, r 59w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Benben H. Ben, Peder Christianson, Carol Pederson, Ole Pederson, all of Ottowa postoffice, 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 August, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Ole, attorneys. 25-30

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NOTICE—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., June 29, 1885.

Complaint having been entered at this office by William Kingsley against Nelson B. Webster for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 8392, dated April 27, 1883, upon the s-w 1/4 sec 4, tp 145, r 61, in Griggs county, Dakota, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said Nelson B. Webster has failed to break or cause to be broken the five acres required to be broken during the first year from date of entry, or at any time prior to June 18, 1885, contrary to the timber culture law of June 14, 1878, said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 5th day of August, 1885, at ten o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. E. C. GEARY, Receiver. 25-28

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