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Cord Wood wanted, on subscription, at the COURIER OFFICE.

Editor Waldo M. Potter sold his tree claim to Ezra McCrea.

A lively fistic encounter between a couple of threshers at Rankin's, last week.

Norwegian services at the school house, Sunday at 3 p. m. C. L. Westberg, pastor.

Rev. F. M. Rockwell is reported by the physician at the Jamestown asylum, as no better.

Rev. Jordan will preach at Church's settlement on Sunday afternoon, and in Cooperstown in the evening.

The average amount of wheat shipped per day is five car loads; the average at this time last year was twelve.

Rev. James Hoskin, a Methodist clergyman, from Manitoba, will preach at the Congregational church, Sunday morning.

Mr. J. L. Haskell went to Fargo this week to be examined for a pension. He gets \$2,300 back pay, and \$12 per month. He is entitled to it.

Job printing at the COURIER office. Cards, Wedding Cards, Invitations, Circulars, that compare with St. Paul work, in style and price.

John Jorgensen's water spaniel, Florence Nightingale, has had a trifling addition to her family, of fifteen pups—none of them got away.

M. M. Wheeler, traveling agent for the "Royal Route," visited Cooperstown Thursday. Mr. W. is an affable gentleman, and an indefatigable worker.

Mrs. Whidden informs us that about the middle of October the ladies of the Baptist church will give a chicken supper. Just stay your stomachs till that time.

Mrs. G. W. Barnard, Mrs. J. N. Brown, Mrs. R. C. Cooper, Miss Annie Glass, and Mr. Charles Plunkett, were elected delegates to the Congregational convention, at Fargo.

Old Sam Norgard has applied for the Cooperstown postoffice. It will be remembered that Sam was a candidate for a republican nomination for sheriff last fall; was defeated, run independent and captured eight or nine votes out of four hundred.

Just received another car load of celebrated Stoughton wagons. They run five years. Knud Thompson.

\$100,000

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sep. 29, 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 November, 1885, viz: John Sidde, E. No. 15,321, for the w 1/2 s 1/4, sec 1, nw 1/4 and sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 of sec 24, tp 145n, r 58w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: R. C. Busse, Alexander Park, Angus Stewart, Edwin Labury, all of Gallatin 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 5th day of November, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register, Wm. Glass, attorney. 37-42

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

Complaint having been entered at this by Amasa S. Burns against William H. Hubbard, for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 8348, dated April 16, 1883, upon the n-e 1/4 sec 11, twp 1-8 r 1-8 in Griggs county, Dakota, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said William H. Hubbard has failed to cultivate to crop or otherwise any portion of the five acres broken during the first year from date of entry; also that he has failed to break or cause to be broken the second five acres of land required to be broken thereon during the second year from date of entry or at any time prior to this date, contrary to the timber culture law of June 14, 1878, said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 3d day of Nov., 1885, at ten o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. 37-41 E. C. GEARY, Receiver.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 29, 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 20th day of Nov., 1885, viz: Paul Flick, D. S. No. 16,557, for the w 1/2 nw 1/4 and w 1/2 sw 1/4 of sec 30, tp 145n, r 51w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: E. W. Bryant, S. Flick, B. C. Round and A. Know, all of Willow 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 16th day of Nov., A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register, Jacobson & Oie, att'ys. 37-42

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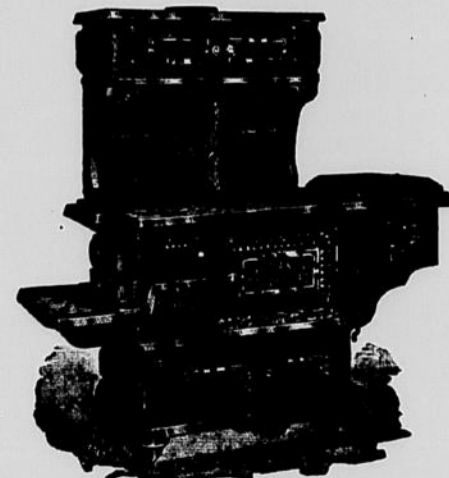
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