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Additional Locals

Henry Davis has gone to Michigan to winter.

Dan Flood has been laid up with a lame leg, this week.

S. H. Brown, brother of Frank, has returned to Kansas.

Mr. W. A. Baker favors us with a renewal of his subscription.

L. M. Ruggles enlightens his Ohio friends with the COURIER.

W. C. Jamison has bought the Andrus property on Burrell avenue.

Mr. B. B. Brown has been assisting in the COURIER office, this week.

Norwegian M. E. society will build a church edifice near the court house, this fall.

H. G. Curtiss, Herman Stork, Al. Shue, and others, favor us with renewed subscriptions.

Don't forget the chicken supper at Christie's Hall Tuesday evening, 20th inst., from 6 to 8 o'clock. Proceeds in aid of Baptist church.

IMPORTANT NEWS.

A FEW LINES OF PLAIN ENGLISH.

We do a square, legitimate trade every day in the year, and will always accommodate you at the lowest living profits, whether you have the dollar to pay for your coffee and sugar the day you need it or not. We ignore the 7 and 8 pound Arbuckle for a dollar business, as no man can lay it down here for less than \$14.75 per cwt., consequently when you get 8 pounds for a dollar, you get it 18 cents less than the wholesale price and either pay that much extra on something else, or somebody else pays it. We give 6 lbs for a dollar, and sell other groceries at the same rate of profit, some of which are much lower than formerly. We don't believe in "Robbing Peter to pay Paul." Every man is treated on the square.

WHIDDEN BROS.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 1, 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 13th day of Oct., 1885, viz: viz: Lorenzo B. Allen, H. E. No. 14,641, for the s w ¼ of sec 10, tp 146n, r 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Hetherington, John McCulloch, James Bothwell, J. H. Van Voorhis, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 10th day of October, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. U. S. Land Office Fargo, D. T., Oct. 10th, 1885. —Upon application of claimant, the time for taking testimony before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of court, is hereby extended until October 17, 1885, and for making proof and payment at the U. S. land office, at Fargo, D. T., until Oct. 21, 1885. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, attorney. 33-38

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 10, 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 30th day of October 1885, viz: Stedie Frank, D. S. No. 13,221 for the n w ¼ of sec 24, tp 148 n, r 57 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George Long, Thomas Brekke, Andrew Kloster, Andrew J. Long, all of Steele co., D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before A. P. Drakeley, judge and ex-officio clerk of the probate court, at Sherbrooke, Steele D. T., on the 24th day of October A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. E. S. Seymour, atty. 35-40

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo D. T., Sept. 2, 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 23rd day of Oct., 1885, viz: Nettie Peters, formerly called Nettie Wright, H. E. No. 14,277, for the n w ¼ of sec 20, tp 146n, range 60 w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: James W. Stephenson, Frank Gorby, David Gorby, D. D. McDaniel, all of Cooperstown 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 19th day of October A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, attorney. 34-39

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 16, 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 10th day of Nov., 1885, viz: Marie Olson, D. S. No. 16,288 for the n w ¼ of sec 26, tp 148n, r 59w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Thore Olson, Jens Strom, Thore A. Hermanson, and Ole Thorsen, all of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Geo. B. Clark, judge and ex-officio clerk of probate court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 3d day of Nov., A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. 36-41.

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 13th day of November, 1885, viz: John Siddle, H. E. No. 15,221, for the w ½ n w ¼ sec 2, tp 148n, r 59w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: R. C. Busse, Alexander Park, Angus Stewart, Edwin Ladbury, 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 9th day of November, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, attorney. 37-42

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo D. T., Sept. 22, 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. 16,597, for the s w ¼ and s w ¼ of sec 30, tp 148n, r 61w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: E. W. Bryant, S. Flick, B. C. Bound 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 & Ole, att'ys. 37-42

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