

THE COURIER.

FRIDAY, OCT. 23, 1885.

Official Directory.

TERRITORIAL OFFICERS.
 Governor—Gilbert A. Pierce.
 Secretary in Congress—Oscar S. Gifford.
 Auditor—J. H. Toller, of Yankton.
 Treasurer—J. C. McKay, 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 Haivorson.
 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. P. Kerr and David Bartz.
 Justices of Peace—P. A. Melgard, Cooperstown, Harry Clark, Willow; A. H. Sangie of Helena; M. Davidson, Galatin.
 Constables—J. H. Atchison, Allan Pinkerton, C. H. Johnson, M. L. Michaels.

The Fargo Republican is quietly getting to the front. In has recently been enlarged in order to meet the requirements of its advertising patronage.

If you think so much of liberty, and are proud of our great republic, why don't you send \$5 to Richard Butler, 33 Mercer street, N. Y., and get a 12-inch statue of the said Liberty Enlightening the World, and bear a hand in building her a pedestal.

The prohibition vote in Ohio demonstrates that prohibition is a living issue. It has put aside the swaddling clothes; it is not a tumor preying upon the republican party, but an infant standing sturdily upon its own legs, and bidding fair to knock the champions of the political ring out, in time.

The October Century's great article is a description of the Upper and Lower Yukon, by Frederick Schwatko, handsomely illustrated. The balance of matter is a little "off." The reminiscencing business about Gen. Grant, Lincoln, and the "wah," is getting slightly monotonous. The Century seems to be approaching the National Tribune, rapidly.

The ridiculousness of materializing the spiritual, and measuring eternity, is exemplified by a picture, with which we have been presented. It is entitled the "Angel of Paradise,"—doner unknown. The angel is a fine buxom female, fair, fat, and about forty years of age, in a flowing Mother Hubbard gown, cut very plain, with high neck and short sleeves. Her wings are over nine feet from tip to tip, and heavily feathered. In her hands she carries a—what we suppose to be—some of deputy angel seven sizes smaller than herself, and a bouquet of rare exotics.

If the movement to secure the pardon the Younger brothers assumes anything like formidable proportions, Senators Vest and Cockrell, of Missouri, may be depended on to throw the weight of their influence in behalf of the celebrated bandits. The Youngers were prominent leaders of Confederate society circles in Missouri, and warm personal friends of Vest and Cockrell.—Ex.

A Philadelphia landlady has been sued by the boarders for giving roast dog for a Sunday dinner, under the title of roast mutton. Well, we are sorry we mentioned this, for a good, active cook could stand in her door with a scoop net, and haul in a thousand pounds of dog meat every fifteen minutes, in this neck 'o' the woods.

The Cooperstown girls are hearty. A dude from Fargo was up to spark one of them the other evening. At 10 o'clock the old folks went to bed. In the morning the young man was found with three ribs broken and his breast-bone driven out through the small of his back. He says she has a hug like a grizzly bear, and in the future he shall prosecute his courtship through the mails, or stand her off with a shot gun.

Elevator Charges.

The grain market of Chicago is just now suffering an unusual depression. One cause largely contributing to this is the extortionate charges made by our elevators for storage. While reductions have been made in these charges in various other cities, our elevator owners, regardless of market values, seem disposed to "charge all the traffic will bear" by maintaining a rate of storage that equals in a year about 20 per cent of the value of wheat, nearly 40 per cent of the value of corn, and 60 per cent of the value of oats, at present prices of these commodities. This is rather startling but we believe entirely true. For instance, the price of wheat in the market is about 80 cents. The storage on this for the first ten days would be 14 cents per bushel; for every ten days thereafter up to November 15, the rate is one-half cent. On that date winter storage commences, which is 4 cents a bushel until

April 15. If the grain remains in the elevator after that time, a charge of one-half cent additional is made for every ten days, so that a bushel of grain put in a Chicago elevator, say on the 1st day of August 1885, and remaining there until the 1st day of August, 1886, would be subject to a total charge for storage of about 15 cents. To the cost of storage must be added the cost of insurance. There is practically no risk taken by the elevator proprietors. The receipts which they give particularly specify that the owner of the grain assumes all risk of damage by the elements. The result is that this business has proven exceedingly profitable in the past. Most of the large elevators in this city have already practically paid for themselves, and their proprietors should be willing to meet the present condition of affairs voluntarily announcing a reduction of rates. This they can well afford to do, and still have a liberal margin of profit. That their charges are excessive, none can deny, and if the reputation of Chicago, as the great grain center of the country, is to be maintained, it is absolutely necessary that the elevator interest should recognize this fact. A few days ago an elevator receipt of 5,000 bushels of wheat was offered for sale on the floor of the Board of Trade on which the accrued charges for storage amounted to 40 cents a bushel! There is grain in some of the elevators in Chicago today subject to even a greater charge for storage than this; so that it would appear that by reason of these enormous charges the grain is being literally eaten up.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Capt. Dan Maratta, the newly-appointed United States marshal of Dakota, is 50 years old, and was born in Ireland. He came to Bismarck in 1872 and has been identified with the growth of that city during its subsequent history. For several years he has been a heavy stockholder in and general superintendent of the Coulson line of steamers on the Missouri, between Bismarck and Fort Benton. He has figured prominently in local politics, but has never held any important office. His appointment is a defeat for Mayor McCormick, of Grand Forks, and the N. M. Day constituency. He succeeds Col. William Allen, whose headquarters are at Fargo. In 1884 his name was mentioned in connection with the governorship of the territory, which was won by the present Gov. Pierce. Mr. Maratta's family is at present living in Minneapolis. The new marshal is a life-long Democrat.—Exchange.

Toronto, Oct. 18.—This afternoon while the wife of Jean Baptiste Romelle residing ten miles from here, accompanied by her two-year old child, was feeding her fowls, a large bald-headed eagle swooped down and bore the little one off in its talons. The neighbors turned out with shotguns, but the only effect of their firing was to accelerate the flight. The bird alighted on the top of a barn a mile away and was seen to make several strokes at the child's head with its beak. The neighbors had got pretty close by this time and succeeded in frightening the eagle away. The child's body was recovered, but life was extinct; a hole having been made in its skull and a portion of the brains devoured by the bird.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Knud Torkelson and Kersti Torkelson, his wife, mortgagors, to D. S. B. Johnston, Charles L. Johnston and Horace Hance, copartners under the firm name of D. S. B. Johnston, Son & Hance, mortgagees, bearing date the 2d day of June, A. D. 1884, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Griggs county, Dakota Territory, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1884, at 2:30 o'clock p. m., in book E of mortgages, on page 485, and there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of sixty-two and 55/100 (\$62.55) dollars, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise 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 a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, viz: the southeast quarter (se 1/4) of section thirty-two (32), of township one hundred and forty-four (144) of range fifty-nine (59), in Griggs county, Dakota Territory, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest, and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Griggs county, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Cooperstown, in said county and territory, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day.

Dated September 2, 1885.

D. S. B. JOHNSTON,
CHARLES L. JOHNSTON,
HORACE HANCE,
Mortgagees.

C. D. Lansing, Bismarck, D. T., Wm. C. Bennett, St. Paul, Minn., attorneys for mortgagees. 35-41

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Thomas Knudson and Tarne Knudson, his wife, mortgagors, to D. S. B. Johnston, Charles L. Johnston and Horace Hance, copartners under the firm name of D. S. B. Johnston, Son & Hance, mortgagees, bearing date the 2d day of June, A. D. 1884, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Griggs county, Dakota Territory, on the 7th day of June, A. D. 1884, at 3 o'clock p. m., in book E of mortgages, on page 484, and there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fifty-one and 84/100 (\$51.84) dollars, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise 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 a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, viz: the northeast quarter (ne 1/4) of section thirty-two (32), of township one hundred and forty-four (144) of range fifty-nine (59), in Griggs county, Dakota Territory, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest, and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Cooperstown, in said county and territory, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1885, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. of that day.

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C. D. Lansing, Bismarck, D. T., Wm. C. Bennett, St. Paul, Minn., attorneys for mortgagees. 35-41

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by William Brownfield, mortgagor, to D. S. B. Johnston, Charles L. Johnston and Horace Hance, copartners under the firm name of D. S. B. Johnston, Son & Hance, mortgagees, bearing date the 30th day of June, A. D. 1884, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Griggs county, Dakota Territory, on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1884, at 4:20 o'clock p. m., in book E of mortgages, on page 491, and there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of fifty-one and 84/100 (\$51.84) dollars, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise 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 a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, viz: the southwest quarter (sw 1/4) of section twenty-four (24), of township one hundred and forty-six (146), of range sixty (60), in Griggs county, Dakota Territory, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest, and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Griggs county, at the front door of the court house, in the village of Cooperstown, in said county and territory, on the 5th day of November, A. D. 1885, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. of that day.

Dated August 30, 1885.

D. S. B. JOHNSTON,
CHARLES L. JOHNSTON,
HORACE HANCE,
Mortgagees.

C. D. Lansing, Bismarck, D. T., Wm. C. Bennett, St. Paul, Minn., att'ys for mortgagees. 35-41

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 15, 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 17th day of November, 1885, viz:

Ole K. Olson, D. S. No. 14980, for lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, of sec 2 tp 14n, r 60w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Gilbert P. Olson, John Paulsen, Jacob H. Myhre, of Jesse postoffice, D. T., Ole Borvig, 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 15th day of Nov., A. D. 1885, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Jacobson & Ole, attorneys. 37-42

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land office at Fargo, D. T., Sept. 15, 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 that said proof will be made before the U. S. Land office at Fargo, D. T., on the 17th day of November, 1885, and that I expect to prove my residence before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 13th day of Nov., 1885, viz:

Gilbert P. Olson, D. S. No. 14668, for the e 1/2 s e 1/4 and e 1/2 n e 1/4 sec 10, tp 14n, range 60w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Jacob H. Myhre, Ole K. Olson, John Paulsen, August Engel, all of Jesse postoffice, Griggs county, D. T.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Jacobson & Ole, attorneys. 37-42

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. 13221 for the n-w 1/4 of sec 34, tp 148 n, r 57w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: George Long, Thomas Beckke, Andrew Kloster, Andrew J. Long, all of Steele co., D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before A. T. 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. 10, 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 1/4 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.
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