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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Oct. 30, 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 16th day of Dec., 1885, viz: Thor E. Luten, D. S. 2698, for the n w quarter of sec 6, tp 148n r 59w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Torgard Larson, Ole Ahnson, Tollef R. Tolbison, Roland Tolbison, all of Ottawa P. O., Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witness to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 12th day of Dec., A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Oie, att'ys.

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COAL, COAL, COAL,

In car load lots at the Gull River Lumber Company's Yard.

Around Town.

There was a house warming at H. P. Smart's, Tuesday evening.

Dr. McGuire was called to the country, Wednesday, by a surgical operation.

Hank Retzlaff says he is full now, every night—that is, the Union house is full.

The farmers' attention is called to the advertisement signed by "Many Citizens."

Our elevators have a better reputation among the farmers than at this time last year.

Whidden Bros. get credit from the farmers for their liberal allowances for No. 1 hard.

Manly Davis is suffering from the kick of a rocking chair. Dr. Newell is attending him.

Ben. Kuhns, an old Sanbornite, favors the COURIER with his autograph on the subscription list.

Lauren Dunlap, commissioner of immigration, favors us with a valuable map of Dakota, and his Monthly Bulletin.

Geo. A. Luce, Hope; A. B. Paxon, S. Goldthrite, Geo. Goldthrite, Evan Davis, J. W. Fiero, dined at the Palace, Wednesday.

Sever Goldenberg, Ole O. Olson, A. J. Johnson, Sever Arneson, B. C. Bound, Paul Flick, H. O. Lund, spent Thanksgiving at the Union house.

Three parties from the Red River valley bought three quarter sections, of Wm. Glass, Tuesday. It is to be all broken up in the spring. They are tired of the low lands, and will move, bag and baggage, into God's country.

Dr. Donaldson is in town, and is forming a lodge with the ultimate end of life insurance for its members. The Dr. is a rustler, and claims the institution he represents is one of the soundest in the country. He is Deputy Supreme President of the Equitable Aid union.

Rumor has it that attorney G. H. Dieley and Miss Aggie Thompson will be married at Fargo, on Thanksgiving day, at the residence of the bride's parents. The wedding will be a quiet affair, and the happy couple will return to Valley City, where they will take up their residence in the family of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Cushing.—Democrat.

Thanksgiving Night.

The mite sociable was held at the court house Thanksgiving evening, and brought out a party of some sixty people, who romped, sang and played, until ten. The life of the party seemed to be the old folks, who had a gorgeous time, and prolonged their lives by dropping a few of their winters. Rheumatism and dropsy were, evidently, not invited, and in the game of Boston the agility displayed by the players, with the exception of Charley Allen and Jack Regnery, was marvelous. They never could get out of the way of the girls. The sociables are a great success, owing in a great measure to the exertions of Mrs. Zimmerman. When the more sedate people had retired, it was suddenly discovered that a good orchestra was present—Frank Buck, violin; J. C. Yancey, bass viol, and Miss Yancey, piano. Ed. Blackwell and Frank Mackey were tickled to death to find that they had, their light shoes in their overcoat pockets; and Miss Smith, Miss Lightfoot Trippit and Miss Spry declared, "although they couldn't dance one bit," they would, just to amuse the children, allow themselves to be whirled around some, and by 11 o'clock one of the pleasantest little hops of the season was in progress. The party broke up at 12:30 a. m.

Fifteen million horses are now owned in America, and more than 1,000,000 a year must be bred to keep up the supply. The largest portion of these are used for agricultural and heavy draft purposes, and such horses bring from \$175 to \$250 each. It would be impossible to breed them if it were not for the importation of Percheron horses. Five hundred stallions are now annually imported from France to the United States.

A tiny boat, roughly but stanchly made, the handiwork of an Indian lad, fourteen years of age, a pupil at the Carlisle school, is exhibited on one of the secretaries' desks at Washington. Mr. Evans graphically indorses the craftsman's outward and visible sign of the inward spiritual grace of civilization in the red man out of reach of the cowboy.

There are between 35,000 and 37,000 Indians on reservations in Arizona. About 18,000 square miles or 11,520,000 acres of land are set apart for them.

All those who wish to shorten their lives by a good laugh, be sure and attend the Jubilee concert next Friday evening. If you never have been to a colored camp meeting, call around and see the genuine thing.

The Davis & Pickett building is loaded to the ceiling with Flour Feed, and Furniture.

Go and see the show.

Premium.

To those parties sending in their subscription arrears and paying one year in advance, we will present a years subscription to the Farm, Stock and Home, a semi-monthly agricultural paper published at Minneapolis, for Minnesota, Dakota and Montana. This is much the best paper of the kind issued in the Northwest. Remember, on above conditions we present you with One Year's Subscription.

Coal from pea to Lehigh lump at Gull River Lumber company's yard.

Don't buy a dollar's worth of groceries or dry goods, notions or boots and shoes, until you learn our prices. John Syverson & Co.

Parties requiring coal, at bed rock prices, in car-load lots, will do well to place their orders with E. W. Blackwell, at the Gull River Lumber Co's. office, as early as possible.

H. S. Pickett will shortly have a portion of his holiday stock, including a fine line of upholstered goods.

Come in and receive a PRESENT of a fine hand-painted china cup and saucer FREE, for your wife, at Bowden & Buck's, if you buy one can of the finest baking powder.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Oct. 12, 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 December 1885, viz: Johan O. Klath H. E. No. 12,580, for the e 1/2 s 1/4 and e 1/2 n 1/4 of sec. 5, tp. 148n, r. 59w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: John Krogestad, Sigwart Tande, T. R. Tolbison, Fingard Larson, all of Lee post-office, Nelson county, D. T.

The testimony herein to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of Dec., A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Oie, att'ys.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Oct. 12, 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 3d day of Dec., 1885, viz: day of Dec., 1885, viz: Knud J. Alftstad D. S. No. 14,870, for the northeast quarter of sec 28, tp 147n, r 60w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Knud O. Melby, Albert Larson, John Anderson, and Christen K. Melby, all of Jesse, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony herein to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 30th day of November, A. D. 1885, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Jacobson & Oie, attorneys. 40-45

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Tickets, 25 cts. Reserved Seats, 35 cts.

For sale at the Barber Shop.

LECTURE.

AT

Baptist Church, Dec. 9, 1885.

Rev. E. P. HALL,

On "The Seven Plagues of Modern Life."