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No. 1. Volume 1, of the Buxton Bee, with Isaac W. Gill as "king bee" is at hand. We wish it success.

The Jamestown Capital is now a democratic journal, owned by Messrs. Goodrich and Conehag, and edited by J. C. Wornock, late of the Alert.

The Northwest, for April, has a "write up" of St. Paul, of which that city may well be proud. It is the work of a number of able writers and professional men. In St. Paul, as a river town, Mr. Smalley gives us the fruit of close observation in travel, and philosophical deductions from the data he has found.

The Northwestern Farmer and Breeder, of Fargo, will appear as usual. An entire new outfit has been purchased, and notwithstanding the severe loss sustained by fire, the publication promises to be brighter and fresher than ever. Price 50 cents a year.

The Cyclone.

The uncertainty of life was never more strikingly demonstrated than by the St. Cloud and Sauk Rapids disaster of last week. They were thought to be north of the tornado belt, but never did the wind revel in human gore more determinedly than in these northern cities. A dispatch from St. Cloud, April 10th, says:

Up to this morning sixty dead bodies have been found. It is believed this will be all, unless later reports from the country increase the number, and this is not now apprehended.

The funeral of the victims takes place to-day, and will be the saddest sight the living of this city ever witnessed. Sixty-three buildings were totally destroyed, and a larger number more or less wrecked. Farmers from a distance bring reports of fragments of houses, furniture, signs, pianos, organs, etc., from fifteen to twenty miles from the city.

Chas. G. Wood and his five children were among the injured. The body of Schubert, the Sauk Rapids druggist, is reported discovered several miles from town. Lieut. Governor Gilman's father was not killed, but will probably die. The county treasurer at Sauk Rapids was carried up through the roof of the building, but uninjured. The other occupants of the building were all killed. A law book from Sauk Rapids was carried by the gale to Rice's station thirteen miles away.

Sharp points were seen to dart down from the clouds and so far as this town is concerned the cyclone had its commencement about 3 o'clock in the basin of the Masonic cemetery, forming a whirl wind here about a thousand feet in diameter, it took almost every tree in the circle from the ground, or twisted it off at the trunk. Great stones were torn up from the earth and dragged along. Moving slowly from here, and confining itself to a space of 100 feet across, it passed northeast over Calvary Hill, wrecking the Catholic chapel and shattering the crucifix.

In most cases nothing was left to mark the site of the dwellings but the cellars. The prairies were strewn with timbers, furniture and clothing. The freight depot of the Manitoba railroad was directly in the path, and portion of it and the cars on the track were blown half a mile. Long lines of cars loaded with freight were blown from the track, and the rails torn from their place.

Although our surrounding country is one of constant winds, unless history belie itself and all precedents fail, we need not fear a like visitation.

One of the finest settlements in the country seems to be near Red Willow Lake. Messrs. Clark, Sheldon, Hagerty, Johnson, Buchheit, seem to be getting on in the world. They certainly have a magnificent country to develop. At the lake, Nels Gulbranson has a home in the timber which is as inviting as it is valuable.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS.

DAZEY TIME TABLE.

S. C. & T. M. RAILROAD. Going South..... 10 a. m. Going North..... 2:45 p. m. Any information as to connections with trains at Sanborn, and rates quoted on tickets to all points in the United States and Canada, cheerfully given. C. F. WEILAND, Agent.

Dazezy Notes.

The elevator was opened for business, Tuesday.

We want a harness maker to locate at Dazezy.

The next town lot should be sold to a harness maker.

Mrs. W. L. Pattison returned Tuesday, from a visit to her daughter at Fargo.

A. G. Chambers, general manager of the Sawyer Elevator company, came in from Jamestown, Monday.

John Holliday will commence the erection of a brick building soon.

Mr. Frank Treat came up from Sanborn, Monday.

The committee chosen to solicit subscriptions for the new flouring mill, are meeting with success.

The first town election was held here, Tuesday, with the following result:

Supervisors—Nels Larson, Wm. Hadlock, Thos. Stee.

Town Clerk—C. F. Weiland.

Treasurer—L. E. Nelson.

Assessor—Nels Larson.

Justices of the Peace—O. S. Johnson, C. Gilbertson.

Constable—Otto Holman, James Wright.

Highway Overseer—Wm. Hadlock.

Willow.

From last week's Courier: Harry Clark is back from the east, and thinks he will hereafter attend the farmers' fair, at Johnson's. Some of the boys, as he says, have struck springs of enjoyment water, and a general good time is experienced.

Enjoyment water is good. Verily, friend Harry, you missed a circus by not being there. The said water seemed to come from the spring in glass-encased chunks—pint and quart sizes. And, by the way, that same spring is working up a reputation for the northeast part of our town, that will do the people therein proud. Now, for the benefit of H. and others, who did not attend the fair, a short detailed account may be of interest. It was a motley gathering, all told. Father was there with his several head of bulls, for sale and show; but as there was understood to be a recorded difficulty in the way of a sale, the crowd had to be content with viewing their symmetrical proportions.

The old pioneer of the lake was there also, and after lubricating very thoroughly at the spring, was ripe for a foot race, and declared he was able to run any man present dead, in 80 rods, for more spring water. Another one was there, too, whom we all know, and had an interesting discussion with a valiant Norseman, and as a result has since worn his hat well down over his left optic. Then there was present that generous hearted son, named after the Lion Hearted, who in reaching over into a manger for a quart chunk of the spring, to give a friend a snifter, went top side therein, and being very tired concluded to rest right there for the balance of the day. One old gentleman seemed to think sugar cheap at 75 cents per pound, if he got a pint chunk of the stuff thrown in. And our sturdy granger friend, he that beareth the name of one of the apostles, he was there cocked and primed, loaded for bar. Our tall, graceful, and handsome friend was there, also \* \* \* \* \* And many more of the behovs were there, too.

CHRIS. X.

Last Wednesday evening, as E. W. Hagerty was unloading from his wagon at C. H. Johnson's, he left his team for a few minutes without hitching, and they took it into their heads to perambulate over the prairie on their own responsibility. It is not known how far they ran; but like all horses running on the open prairie, they ran in a circle, gradually narrowing down until so small that the wagon upset, and was left badly wrecked about 100 rods north of Gid Sheldon's. Mr. H. found his horses to the leeward of Sheldon's woodpile, apparently none the worse for the run.

Bald Hill.

Dan Sinclair lost a twelve ton stack of hay last week, by lightning.

The fish traps on the creek have been repaired; the owners say the robbers need no repairing.

A. M. Sinclair has returned from Canada, with a car load of stock.

Preaching in Mill's school house Sunday at 2 o'clock.

Alex Miller has returned, and is enjoying a bachelor's life on his claim.

Tom Robinson bought one of those wild Oregon horses, and is having a bushel of fun breaking it.

Jos. McCulloch will build the J. L. Haskell mansion.

J. G. Mills bought a fine work horse Max, at Cooperstown, Thursday.

Mortgage Sale.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage executed and delivered by William Hubbell, mortgagee, dated the 30th day of April, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and recorded as a mortgage in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Griggs, in the territory of Dakota, on the 4th day of May, A. D. 1886, at 7 o'clock p. m., in book C-7 of mortgages, on page 37, on which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, and hereby declared to be due at the date of mortgage, the sum of six hundred forty-one and 70/100 (\$641.70) dollars, and interest on the principal amount thereof, and in equity to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and said mortgage has never been assigned.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, which sale will be made at the front door of the court house in Cooperstown, in the county of Griggs, and territory of Dakota, at public auction by the sheriff of said county, or by his deputy, on Saturday, the 31st day of April, A. D. 1886, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, with the interest thereon, and costs and expenses of sale, and taxes, and fifty (\$50) dollars attorneys' 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 county of Griggs, and territory of Dakota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: The northeast quarter of section 14, range 59, township No. eighteen (18) of township No. one hundred forty-four (144) north, of range fifty-nine (59) west, containing one hundred forty-seven and 35/100 (147.35-100) acres, according to the United States government survey thereof, Dated at Fargo, D. T., this 15th day of February 1886. SARAH L. HUBBELL, Mortgagee, Spalding & Templeton, atty. for mortgagee, Fargo, D. T. 5-11

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Joseph C. Varley, of Griggs county, in the territory of Dakota, mortgagee, to Mrs. Rachel S. Hulme, of Philadelphia, in the territory of Pennsylvania, mortgagee, dated the twenty-fourth (24th) day of September, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-four (1884), and recorded as a mortgage in the office of the register of deeds of Griggs county, in the territory of Dakota, on the seventh (7th) day of October, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-four (1884), at 11 o'clock a. m., of said day, in book E of mortgages on page 53, on which there is claimed to be due and is hereby declared to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of three hundred and forty-seven and 70/100 (\$347.70) dollars, and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or in equity 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 of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises therein described, which sale will be made at the front door of the court house, at Cooperstown, in the county of Griggs, and territory of Dakota, when by the said sheriff of said county, or by the sheriff of said county, at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, on Saturday, the eighth day of May, A. D. eighteen hundred and eighty-six (1886), at twelve (12) o'clock in the afternoon, to satisfy the amount which shall then be due on said mortgage, with the interest thereon, and costs and expenses of sale, and an attorney's fee of fifty (\$50) dollars, as stipulated in said mortgage, in case of foreclosure. The premises described in said mortgage and so to be sold, is that tract or piece of land situated in the county of Griggs, and territory of Dakota, and known and described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section two (2), township one hundred and forty-eight (148) north, range fifty-eight (58) west, of the fifth principal meridian, and containing one hundred and twenty-eight and 2/100ths acres, according to the United States government survey thereof. Dated March 18, 1886.

Mrs. RACHEL S. HULME, Mortgagee, T. K. Hulme, attorney for mortgagee, Hope, D. T. (First publication March 20, 1886) 10-16

Notice—U. S. Land office, Fargo, D. T., Feb. 11, 1886. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thorsten Mikkelsen, against Charles W. Crawford for failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 6110, dated Sept. 12, 1881, on the sec. 22, township 144, range 61, in Griggs county, Dakota, Territory, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said Charles W. Crawford has failed to break, or caused to be broken, on 100 acres upon said land, on or before the expiration of the second year of his said entry, nor has he done so or caused the same to be done at any subsequent period until this present date; that he has failed to cultivate, or caused to be cultivated, any part of said land to crop or otherwise, from date of his said entry until this present date; that he has failed to plant or caused to be planted any part of said land to trees, tree seed, cuttings, slips, stumps, or any kind of tree kind, from the date of his said entry until this present date; all contrary to the act of June 14, 1878, that all these failures exist at the date of this complaint. The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 6th day of May, 1886, at 10 a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. E. C. GEAREY, Receiver. 9-14

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Feb. 25, 1886. 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, viz: Stephen M. Posey, D. S. No. 14,645, for the NW 1/4 of sec. 34, tp. 145n, r. 62w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Jones, Frank Lawrence, Charles Little, M. C. Price, all of Corinth, Statesman County, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before C. E. Gregory, clerk of the district court, at Carrington, Foster county, D. T., on the 27th day of April, 1886, at his office.

And you William H. Farris, who filed D. S. No. 14,279, on the 7th day of July, 1883, upon said lands, are hereby summoned to show cause before this office on the 19th day of April, 1886, if any you have, why the said Stephen M. Posey should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said lands. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Iver Jacobson, atty. 9-14

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Feb. 13, 1886.

Notice is hereby given that the following named administrator has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of the claim and secure final entry thereof on the 30th day of April, 1886, viz: Peter A. Nelson, administrator of the estate of Christian G. Nelson, deceased, who filed D. S. No. 14,389, during his life time for the south west quarter (sw 1/4) of sec. 32, tp. 147n, r. 58w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Benjamin B. Brown, Peter A. Melgard, John O. Oie, Charles L. Carie, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of witnesses to be taken before J. N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 27th day of April, A. D. 1886, at his office.

And that of said administrator before Hon. Register or Receiver of U. S. Land office, at Fargo, Dak., on April 30, 1886. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, atty. 9-14

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Mar. 17, 1886. Complaint having been entered at this office by Hans H. Olson against Franklin M. Warford, failure to comply with law as to timber culture entry No. 6,533, dated March 9, 1882, upon the NW 1/4 of sec. 28, tp. 148n, range 59w, in Griggs county, Dakota, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that said Franklin M. Warford has failed to plant or cause to be planted, tree seed, cuttings, slips, stumps, or any kind of tree, on any part thereof, except three acres, during the third year after date of said entry; and that he has wholly failed to plant or cause to be planted, trees, tree seed, cuttings, slips, stumps, or any kind of tree, on the five acres of said tract required to be planted during the fourth year after said entry, which said failure as above set forth, exists at the date of the initiation of this contest.

The said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 13th day of May, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure. 11-16 HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

THEO. F. KERR, M. D.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Feb. 10, 1886. 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, viz: Josephine E. Lowe, D. S. No. 13,722 for the north west quarter of sec. 14, tp. 144n, r. 62w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Depey R. Swartout and L. G. Blanchard, both of Dazezy, Barnes county, D. T., and David Posey and Chas. W. Falford, both of Corrine, Statesman county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Charles T. Hills, clerk of the district court, at Jamestown, Statesman county, D. T., on the 8th day of April, 1886, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Vernon Shaw, atty., Sanborn, Co. D. T. 5-10

NOTICE.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., Feb. 25, 1886. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thorsten P. Flagestad vs. Andrew Unhjene for abandoning his homestead entry No. 12,859, dated May 26, 1883 upon the NW 1/4, sec. 20, tp. 148, range 59, in Griggs county, D. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 8th day of April, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. 7-11 HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Feb. 19, 1886.

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, viz: Horace B. Sorror, D. S. No. 15,074 for the NW 1/4 of sec. 16, tp. 148n, r. 60w, and names the following and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Peter Cameron, Gideon Sheldon, W. C. Jimson, Robert Withero, all of Willow, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, Griggs county, D. T., at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 21 day of April, 1886, at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, atty. 6-11

NOTICE.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., Feb. 10, 1886. Complaint having been entered at this office by Mike Michelson against Michael Melbermott for abandoning his homestead entry No. 11924, dated July 8, 1882, upon the northeast 1/4 of section 8, township 144, range 61, in Griggs county, D. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 6th day of May, 1886, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment. E. C. GEAREY, Receiver 10-1

Thompson & Krogh, atty.