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veyancing Attended to.

Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., Oct. 26, 1886. Notice is hereby given
that the following named settler has filed notice
of his claim and secure final entry thereof, viz:
Iver Johnson, D. S. No. 1588, for the west 1/4, sec.
12, and west 1/4 of sec. 24, tp. 14 N., r. 59 W., and
names the following as his witnesses, viz: Adolph
Hegre, Tobias Thune, Arne Thompson and Ole S.
Moen, all of Cooperstown P. O., Griggs county,
D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be
taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the dis-
trict court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.,
on Tuesday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1886,
at his office.
MICHAEL F. BATELLE, Register.
J. O. Oitz, Attorney.

THE COURIER.

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Official Paper of Griggs County

Commissioners' Proceedings.

Convened Oct. 16th, 1886, at 1 p. m.,
in accordance with adjournment.
Present, Comrs. Cooper, Hogenson
and Halvorson.
Comrs. Cooper presiding.
Minutes of last meeting were read
and approved.
Upon motion ordered that the follow-
ing election expense bills be allowed
viz:

PRECINCT NO. 1.
Geo. W. Barnard, judge, \$2 00
M. F. Washburn, judge and mak-
ing returns, 2 10
C. P. Balkan, judge, 2 00
Byron L. Gardner, clerk, 2 00
C. P. Balkan, clerk, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 2.
O. P. Balkan, judge, 2 00
C. H. Frost, judge and making re-
turns, 2 80
Dubois Newell, judge, 2 00
Daniel Ehreswan, clerk, 2 00
W. W. Newell, clerk, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 3.
J. M. Freer, judge, 2 00
Carl Skarie, judge, 2 00
John O. Strome, judge, 2 00
W. A. Baker, clerk and making re-
turns, 3 10
James Spencer, Jr., clerk, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 4.
D. Bloom, judge and making re-
turns, \$2 75
John S. Byington, judge, 2 00
Nicolai Swenson, judge, 2 00
John Michaels, clerk, 2 00
R. Greene, clerk, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 5.
A. B. Richardson, judge, 2 00
L. W. Lewis, judge, 2 00
J. P. VanVoorhis, judge and mak-
ing returns, 2 50
H. A. Femer, clerk, 2 00
Wm. Hawden, clerk, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 6.
O. C. Ford, judge, 3 00
J. Syverson, judge, 3 00
Joe Allen, judge, 3 00
Al Wanderich, clerk, 3 00
Chas. P. Miller, clerk, 3 00

PRECINCT NO. 7.
Mark Sutherland, judge and mak-
ing returns, \$3 60
Rolley Johnson, judge, 3 00
A. V. Johnson, judge, 3 00
A. M. Cameron, clerk, 3 00
R. H. Belden, clerk, 3 00
Rolley Johnson, cleaning school
house after election, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 8.
Harry Clarke, judge, \$2 00
E. S. Hamilton, judge and making
returns, 4 00
E. W. Hagerty, judge, 2 00
Geo. Lenhart, clerk, 2 00
A. D. Ellis, clerk, 2 00
Red Willow school board, for clean-
ing school house, 2 00

PRECINCT NO. 9.
O. E. Thorn, judge, \$2 00
A. H. Overby, judge, 2 00
W. T. McCulloch, judge and mak-
ing returns, 2 60
K. Melby, clerk, 2 00
T. Dahl, clerk, 2 00

Upon motion ordered that report of
John K. Olson, supervisor of road dis-
trict No. 3, be approved, and that he be
allowed \$48.50, as per said report.
Upon motion ordered that the follow-
ing bills be allowed, viz:
Anton Enger, mdse. for bridges
etc., as per bill, \$66 81
John K. Olson, use of horse in
road dis. No. 3, 7 50
R. H. Larson, road work in dist.
No. 12, 2 25
Geo. B. Clark, fees comr. insan-
ity, case of Mary T. Rogne, 8 55
De Forest Conant, commissioner
elect for district No. 5, having qualified,
appeared and took part at this point.
The following proposition was presen-
ted by F. H. Adams, viz:
To print all commissioners' proceed-
ings at fifty cents per folio.
To do all job printing at the prices
heretofore paid, less the amount added

for the depreciated value of county
orders.

To furnish printed letter-heads at \$4
per 500.
To furnish printed note heads at \$3.50
per 500.

To furnish printed envelopes at \$3.25
to \$3.50 per 500, and other job work in
proportion.

The above proposition if accepted to
be good for one year from date hereof.
Upon motion ordered that the forego-
ing proposition made by F. H. Adams
be accepted.

Upon motion ordered that the follow-
ing resolution be adopted:
Whereas, The County of Griggs is of
sufficient area and sufficiently populated
for a term of court to be held within
and for Griggs county; and

Whereas, The said Griggs county
has the necessary buildings for holding
court within said county.

It is hereby therefore resolved that it
is the sense of this board of county com-
missioners that the necessary laws for
that purpose be enacted by the coming
legislature; and we hereby most respect-
fully urge upon the Hon. F. H. Adams
and the other legislative representatives
from this district, to use all honorable
means to get such laws enacted as will
insure Griggs county a term of court
during the year 1887, and a term of
court each year thereafter.

Upon motion adjourned to meet Dec.
4th, 1886, at 1 p. m.

ROLLIN C. COOPER,
Chairman.

H. P. SMART, Clerk.

Sullivan vs. Ryan.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 14.—The pavil-
lion contained fully 9000 people last
night, and manager Pat Suedy, said
the receipts would reach \$12,000. After
local and other pugilists, had finished,
there was a long wait. Exactly at four-
teen minutes past eleven, the two stars,
Sullivan and Ryan, made their appear-
ance. As Ryan slipped off his coat, he
was loudly cheered. After shaking
hands, the two men sparred for five sec-
onds, for an opening, when Ryan sud-
denly led out with his right, catching
Sullivan on the right cheek. From this
moment, both fought savagely. Yellow
leaving throughout. Ryan followed up
with another right hander, on the cheek
and attempted to follow up with a
solman blow. The bit was short. For
the first minute, the fighting was so se-
vere, that Ryan began to show signs of
failing wind, and Sullivan took advan-
tage of this, and made a rush at Ryan,
when both clinched, but were quickly
separated. Time.

Second round. Ryan again forced
the fighting, but with less apparent ef-
fect, although he reached Sullivan's face
and body several times, he had lost some
of his power through becoming winded.
Sullivan on noticing this, started to
force the fighting, and leading, reached
Ryan, who countered effectively. Sul-
livan again reached for him, and landed
a body blow, which downed him amid
loud applause. This was repeated
twice. At the end of this round, it was
apparent that Ryan's chance for victory
was gone. The third round was a regu-
lar slugging match. Sullivan being in
better wind, forced the fight from the
start, but both men showed signs of
punishment. After the third pass, Sul-
livan got in a terrible blow on Ryan's
jaw, which sent him spinning to the
ropes, a clear knock down. The blow
rattled Ryan so it was with some diffi-
culty he staggered to his feet. He shook
himself together and in a dazed way led
off with his left for Sullivan's face. The
latter stopped it prettily, and then re-
peated his right hander on Ryan's jaw.
The blow was so violently, and well di-
rected that Ryan went down as if shot
out of a cannon. It was a knock out of
the clearest kind. Ryan laid on the
floor utterly unable to move. The
police rushed in but it was too late. There
was nothing for them to do. The fight
was ended. When time was called, Ry-
an was still on the floor. Sullivan then
stooped down, raised him up and carried
him to his corner. The crowd quickly
dispersed amid shouts for Sullivan.

Notice of Dissolution.
Notice is hereby given, that the co-
partnership heretofore existing between
the undersigned, under the firm name
and style of Cooper Brothers, has ex-
pired by limitation. Either partner is
authorized to settle firm matters, and
the farming, stock and elevator business
lately carried on by said firm, is contin-
ued by Rollin C. Cooper.

Dated, Cooperstown, D. T. Nov. 15th
1886.
ROLLIN C. COOPER,
THOMAS J. COOPER.

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EXCHANGE OF BOOKS.

Arrangements having been completed
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ithmetics now in use in the schools of
the county, may be exchanged for new
Arithmetics (where the old book is of
the same standard as the new,) free un-
til Dec. 1st. After that date all new
books must be bought at regular rates.
It is very desirable that the new Arith-
metic be introduced in all our schools,
to maintain the present uniformity.
It is hoped that school officers will take
pains to inform all patrons of the pro-
posed change.
Theo. F. Kerr,
County Supt.

Notice.

To whom it may concern:
The bank of Cooperstown, Coopers-
town, D. T., Stevens & Pickett, prop-
rietors, having made an assignment to me,
all parties holding valid claims against
above bank, are requested to file such
claims in writing with the undersigned,
within six months from date. Claims
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THEO. DRAZ, Assignee.
St. Paul, May 10, 1886.

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**Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., October 14, 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:
Ole Johnson, H. E. No. 1731, for the west 1/4 of
sec. 12, tp. 14 N., r. 59 W., and names the following
as his witnesses, viz: Carl E. Skarie, John O.
Strommer, Jacob Olson and Einer O. Strommer, all
of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before Hon. W. H.
Francis, judge of the Sixth judicial district, ter-
ritory of Dakota, or in absence before John N.
Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown,
Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of December,
A. D. 1886, at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
IVER JACOBSON, Attorney.

**Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., October 15th, 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:
Nicolai Swenson, H. E. No. 8290, for the north-
east 1/4 of sec. 32, tp. 14 N., r. 60 W., and names
the following as his witnesses, viz: Anton Hal-
vorson, Bert A. Thorgard, Mike M. Solf, M. L.
Michaels, all of Dazey, Barnes county, D. T.

The testimony to be taken before register and
receiver U. S. land office at Fargo, Cass county,
D. T., on the 20th day of November, A. D. 1886,
at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
THOMPSON & KROGH, Attorneys.

**Notice of Final Proof—Land Office at Fargo,
D. T., Oct. 27, 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:
Charley Johnson, D. S. No. 1731, for the west 1/4
of sec. 14, tp. 14 N., r. 59 W., and names the following
as his witnesses, viz: Henry Olsen, Hans H.
Moen, Jon G. Lee and Peder Erikson, all of Ot-
tawa P. O., Griggs county, D. T.

The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be
taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the dis-
trict court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.,
on the 20th day of December, A. D. 1886, at his
office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
JOHN O. OITZ, Attorney.