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Notice of Final Proof—Land office at Fargo,  
 D. T., April 8th, 1887. 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:  
 Robert C. Busse, H. E. No. 5112, for the north-  
 west quarter of Sec. 30, Tp. 145 n., r. 57 w., and  
 names the following as his witnesses, viz: Lew-  
 ellen Ladbury, Nels R. Peterson, Charles S. Pal-  
 mery, John Jackson, all of Gallatin P. O., Griggs  
 county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and  
 witnesses to be taken before R. W. Berry, judge  
 of the probate court at Sherbrooke, Steele county,  
 D. T., on Tuesday, the 31st day of May, A. D.  
 1887, at his office.  
 MICHAEL F. BATTELLE, Register.  
 Andrew Johnson, Atty. 13-19

THE REV. GEO. H. THAYER, of Bourbois  
 Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives  
 to SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY."  
 A RHEUMATISM MADE miserable by Indigestion,  
 Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow  
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 best policy, and that delays  
 are dangerous.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land office at Fargo,  
 D. T., April 8th, 1887.

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.  
 Lewellen Ladbury, H. E. No. 6599, for the south  
 west quarter of Sec. 30, Tp. 145 n., r. 57 w., and  
 names the following as his witnesses, viz: Nels  
 R. Peterson, R. C. Busse, Charles S. Palmery, John  
 Jackson, all of Gallatin P. O., Griggs county, D.  
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 taken before R. W. Berry, judge of the probate  
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 veyancing Attended to.

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 riage shop.

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 meats—Beef, Mutton, Pork, Sausages and Hams,  
 with fresh fish whenever fish can be procured.

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a full line of Fruits, Confectionery, Im-  
 ported and Domestic Cigars, Soda  
 water, Ginger, Pop, and Sweet  
 Cider.

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**Cooperstown Dray Line.**

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 and am now doing business on my own  
 hook, I respectfully solicit the patronage  
 of the business men of Cooperstown, as  
 well as the public generally, desiring  
 draying done. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Orders left on my slate in the post  
 office will receive prompt attention.

**HARRY WASSAR.**

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COOPERSTOWN DAK.

**ADDITIONAL LOCAL.**

Col. C. E. Blackwell visited Cooperstown, yes-  
 terday.

Ice cream was the attraction at the Baptist  
 church, last Friday. Receipts \$30.

The North Dakota Elevator company's building  
 is about to be converted into a large elevator.

Dr. Atloway, the territorial veterinary, informs  
 us that he has killed seventeen glandered horses  
 in Bismarck, and about the same number in the  
 rest of the territory.

**Diphtheria! Diphtheria!**  
 Fever!! Fever!! Fever!!

Blood poisoning and a host of other bodily ills  
 lie in that pile of filth and garbage outside the kit-  
 ched door. Go out and stir it up a little; don't great  
 clouds of "incense" offend your sense of  
 smell, your sense of cleanliness, your sense of gen-  
 eral decency and neatness?

The warm days that are just now beginning to  
 cheer us, will also bring sorrow and regret if the  
 same is allowed to do its deadly work on these  
 fermenting heaps.

Preserve your health; save your doctor's bills;  
 be clean for the public good if not for your own  
 sake. Haul the stuff away before you are called  
 on by the board of health. B. H.

Attention:

The COURIER subscription list is  
 growing more rapidly than the contents  
 of the subscription department of the  
 cash box. To change this, until further  
 notice the paper will be furnished at  
 \$1.50 per annum, if paid in advance.  
 Otherwise the subscription price, invariably,  
 remains the same. To obtain the  
 benefit of this deal it will be necessary  
 that all arrearages shall be paid up.

Commissioners' Proceedings.

Convened May 7th, 1887, at 10 o'clock a. m.,  
 according to adjournment.

Present Commissioners Conant, Hognenson and  
 Hemmington.

On motion Com. Hognenson was appointed tem-  
 porary chairman.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

On motion made and carried application of  
 Lars Pedersen for abatement of taxes was laid on  
 the table till fall term and is present.

On motion made and carried the official bond  
 of John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court,  
 was accepted.

On motion the following bills were allowed:  
 M. L. Michaels, prisoners' board and washing,  
 jailor's salary, cleaning court house yard, etc.,  
 \$96.75.

J. W. Fiero, making report to commissioner of  
 emigration for 1886, \$32.00.

J. W. Fiero, road work, dist. No. 12, \$4.50.

Iver Jacobson, cash paid out for pauper by or-  
 der of county commissioners, \$81.47.

Geo. D. Barnard, blanks, etc., for clerk of court,  
 \$89.00.

Geo. D. Barnard, assessment books, tax list, etc.,  
 for \$108.10, allowed at \$105.30.

On motion adjourned to 1 p. m.

**JOHN HOGENSEN, Tem. Chairman.**

**ROLLEF BERG, Co. Clerk.**

Convened at 1:30 p. m.

Present Commissioners Cooper, Moseley, Hognen-  
 son and Conant. Commissioner  
 Cooper in the chair.

On motion bill of W. S. Hyde for janitors' sal-  
 ary and drawing ashes, \$39.50 was allowed in  
 two orders to wit: One for \$10.00 and one for  
 \$29.50.

On motion the resignation of Harry Wassar as  
 road overseer in dist. No. 6, was accepted and  
 Henry Retzlaff was appointed to road overseer for  
 said district.

On motion ordered that \$200.00 of the assessed  
 valuation on personal property for 1886 of Lars  
 Pedersen be abated.

Moved by Commissioner Hemmington, seconded  
 by Commissioner Hognenson, that the assess-  
 ment of \$200.00 on personal property for 1886  
 against Andrew Johnson be abated. When the  
 motion was put by the chair the board stood as  
 follows: Commissioners Hemmington and Ho-  
 gensen yes; Commissioners Moseley and Conant,  
 no, being a tie the matter was laid on the table.

The following letter from Mr. W. S. Hyde was  
 accepted by the board and ordered placed on the  
 records:

To the Board of Co. Commissioners:  
 Gentlemen: In view of the fact that an amount  
 of lumber, storm windows, etc., was incorporated  
 in and allowed with fuel bills, and shows on the  
 books as such, I would ask you to incorporate the  
 following statements in your minutes as showing  
 fuel for winter 1886 and 1887:

Egg coal, forty-eight and two-fifths tons.  
 Soft coal, 1,100 pounds.

Wood, one and one half cord.

Cn hand, five tons egg coal.

W. S. HYDE.

On motion the following bills were allowed:  
 Rollef Berg, cash paid for Tp. manual blanks,  
 express, etc., \$7.14.

John Hognenson, services as comr., \$22.00.

DeForest Conant, services as comr., \$23.00.

Nels Hemmington, services as comr., \$22.00, be  
 allowed in two orders, \$10 and \$12.

Theo. F. Kerr, supt. of board of health, \$11.00.

Martin Messing, hauling building material, \$22.00.

The Argus Printing Co., blanks for clerk of  
 court and sheriff, \$12.00.

Duncan Sinclair, \$4.08.

On motion the county clerk was instructed to ob-  
 tain from Hon. A. B. Guptill a list from the  
 United States land office at Fargo, all the land in  
 Griggs county for which final proof payment have  
 been made between April 1st, 1885, and April 1st,  
 1887, as per his proposition of 30th Feb., 1887.

Moved and carried that road petition of Thomas  
 Curtis and others be returned with the request  
 that notices be posted according to law.

On motion taxes of \$2 1/2 of aw 1/2 sec. 27, 146,  
 55, as assessed against unknown, was ordered  
 abated, and taxes of \$2 1/2 of aw 1/2 - sw 1/2 of ne 1/4,  
 e 1/4 sw 1/4 sec 32, 146, 55, were ordered changed to  
 e 1/4 sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 of nw 1/4 sec. 32, 146,  
 55, being an error in the description of same.

On motion the district attorney was instructed to  
 publish notices for the destruction of noxious  
 weeds in both the papers published in the county.

On motion the following resolutions were passed:  
 Whereas, The grey and striped gophers with-  
 in the borders of Griggs county are doing great  
 damages to the crops of the citizens of said Griggs  
 county D. T., and,

Whereas, It is deemed necessary to a bounty for  
 the destruction of said grey and striped gophers.  
 It is, therefore, hereby resolved by board of county  
 commissioners of this Griggs county D. T., that  
 said Griggs county pay to any citizen who is now  
 and who will be in the future, during the existence  
 of this offer, a permanent resident of Griggs coun-  
 ty, a bounty of three dollars (\$3.00) per one hun-  
 dred or any fraction over one hundred at the same  
 time, at the rate of three cents a piece for each  
 gopher tail. The gophers to be killed within the  
 boundaries of Griggs county, D. T., and it is hereby  
 made the duty of the county clerk to receive  
 and file same in quantities not less than one hundred  
 tails, each Saturday between the hours of 2 o'clock  
 and 4 o'clock p. m., and to receipt to the party de-  
 livering the same which receipt to be presented at  
 next meeting of the board of county commission-  
 ers for allowance upon the general fund of Griggs  
 county, but in no case shall the county clerk ac-  
 cept of said gopher tails, or receipt for same, until  
 the party offering them shall have made affidavit  
 and filed same with the county clerk that he is a  
 resident of Griggs county, D. T., and that the go-  
 phers from which the tails were cut, were caught  
 and killed within the border of Griggs county, D.  
 T. The bounty for same shall only be in existence  
 during the months of May and June, 1887.

On motion the application of Iver Jacobson, dis-  
 trict attorney, for raising his salary, was laid on  
 the table.

On motion adjourned to June 14, 1887, at 10 a. m.

**R. C. COOPER, Chairman of Board.**

**ROLLEF BERG, Clerk.**

**1887 GRAND SPRING OPENING, 1887**

—AT—

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