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**NOXIOUS WEED NOTICE.**

Notice is hereby given to all persons and all corporations that the board of county commissioners of Griggs county, D. T., have prescribed the time for destroying all noxious weeds, known as the Canada thistle, cockle burr, and mustard, in Griggs county, D. T., upon lands occupied by either an individual or corporation, to be between the 15th day of June, 1887, and the 15th day of July, 1887, a refusal or failure to comply with which, any person or corporation will subject themselves to the penalty of Sec. 20 and 21, Chapter 61, Session laws of 1885.  
By order of the board of county commissioners of Griggs county, D. T.  
**ROLF BERO, County Clerk.**  
Dated the 7th day of May, 1887.

**NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo D. T., July 7th, 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:  
Donald Bryant,  
D. S. No. 16361, for the sw 1/4 of Sec. 34, Tp. 147 n. R. 61 w., and names the following as his witnesses viz: Crist Messer, William Leder, Charles Sterner, William Richardson, all of Cooperstown Griggs county, D. T.  
The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Peter E. Nelson, judge and ex-officio clerk of the probate court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on Thursday, the 25th day of August, A. D. 1887, at his office.  
**MICHAEL F. BATTELLE, Register.**  
Bartlett & Glass, Atys. 26-31

**Summons.**

**TERRITORY OF DAKOTA,** ss.  
County of Griggs.  
District Court, Sixth Judicial District.  
Richards Gordon, Paul D. Ferguson, Charles W. Gordon and Charles L. Klueckhohn, Partners as Gordon & Ferguson, Plaintiffs vs. Charles Anderson, Defendant.  
The Territory of Dakota to the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of said court at Cooperstown in said county, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber, at his office in Cooperstown, in said county and Territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you shall fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.  
Dated Cooperstown, June 9, 1887.  
**DAVID BARTLETT,**  
Plaintiff's Attorney, Cooperstown, Dak.  
To Above Named Defendant: Take notice that the complaint herein was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of June 1887.  
26-28 **DAVID BARTLETT,** Plaintiff's Attorney.

**NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., July 18th, 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:  
Osmond Knutson, D. S. No. 17183, for the sw 1/4 Sec. 18, Tp. 148 n., R. 57 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: O. F. Strand, Ole Halverson, Ole O. Groff, Ole Knutson, all of Aneta Postoffice, Nelson county, D. T.  
The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before W. Berry, judge and ex-officio clerk of the probate court at Sherboke, Steele county, D. T., on Wednesday, the 7th day of September A. D. 1887, at his office.  
**MICHAEL F. BATTELLE, Register.**  
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**Recent Ballooning.**

At Quincy, Ill., July 24, Mr. Baldwin, the aeronaut, made a balloon ascension, and when at a height of 5,000 feet, leaped from the basket with a parachute and descended safely to the ground. 3m. 20s. It was an extraordinary performance.  
At Portland, Me., says the N. Y. World, on July 24, Prof. Charles H. Grimley, a well-known aeronaut, and one man made the start from Lincoln Park, in the center of the city, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The wind was from the south and it was expected that the balloon would pass over, a small part of Casco Bay and descend on the mainland of Falmouth, five miles further on.

The balloon rose about two thousand feet and then struck a westerly current, which carried it rapidly toward the open ocean. At the rate it was traveling it would take less than half an hour to cross the bay and be beyond the other islands, where the sea was running high. Prof. Grimley saw the danger, and although he had passed the city limits he determined to descend into the bay. Prof. Grimley said that, no matter at what risk, the balloon must come down and obeying his touch on the valve line, the balloon, at that time sweeping along at a height of over two thousand feet, was made to take a downward course, settling with great speed, while passing over one of the small islands.

Opposite Windward Cove the professor let go the drag rope, and on nearing Clapboard Island he began to hope that the wayward balloon might be stopped by catching in the tops of the tall pine trees, the long cable dragging through the trees, sawing off branches and mowing a path through the twigs and boughs, but not stopping the balloon. A number of men on the island in the direction the balloon was drifting. The drag rope whipped about the trunk of a tree and held fast for a moment, while the men secured it to a large rock. Then the wind rose again, and the balloon bounded upward and strained with wonderful power on the rope, which had been passed around the bowlder and securely fastened. For a second the rope resisted the pressure, and then it parted as if it had been but a cord.

The released balloon went up, stood for a little space, and feeling the influence of the strong wind, went forward and downward into the ocean, and buried the basket completely beneath the waves, and submerging the professor and his companion. The balloon slashed through the water at a terrific rate, and the strain was tremendous. Only a thread was between the two wet, and sorely pounded, men and death. The balloon was soaked and in danger of bursting if this had occurred, the basket would have at once sunk and the outflow of gas would have suffocated the voyagers.

Fortunately, the varying course of the balloon was in the direction of a yacht. The men on board managed to secure the drag rope, and the aeronauts, clearing themselves from the ropes, sprang into the water. Their removal from the car caused the balloon to rise again, and in a moment it was sailing out to sea. The voyagers were picked up by the yachtsmen. The balloon was lost.

**OLEAN, N. Y. July 23.**—Aeronaut Clarage, who fell from his balloon yesterday afternoon, remained unconscious until 1 o'clock, when he died.

**LONDON, N. Y. July 25.**—A Havre dispatch says that the well known aeronaut L'Hoste made an ascension on Sunday afternoon from Dunkirk, France, steering for England. Shortly after midnight, while off the mouth of the Thames, the balloon began to descend, and though ballast was promptly thrown over, he fell into the sea. He was picked up by an English steamer.

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**NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF—Land office at Fargo, D. T., July 18th, 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:  
Charles Kroll, H. E. No. 14522, for the sw 1/4 Sec. 18, Tp. 147, n., r. 57 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Andrew Long, Alex Curry, Thomas Elgie, Andrew Johnson, all of Pickett P. O., Steele county, D. T.  
The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before R. W. Berry, judge of the probate court at Sherboke, Steele county, D. T., on Monday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1887, at his office.  
**MICHAEL F. BATTELLE, Register.**  
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**E. J. McMAHON, atty.**

**Summons.**

**TERRITORY OF DAKOTA,** ss.  
County of Griggs.  
District Court, Sixth Judicial District.  
National German American Bank of St. Paul, Minnesota, Plaintiff, vs. Thomas Knudson, Knud Torkleson and Charles Anderson, defendants.  
The Territory of Dakota to the above named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which is filed in the office of the clerk of the district court of the Sixth Judicial District, in and for the county of Griggs and Territory of Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office in Cooperstown in said county and territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of one thousand dollars and interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the 26th day of November, 1884, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.  
Dated June 11, 1887.  
**DAVID BARTLETT,**  
Plaintiff's Attorney, Cooperstown, Dak.

To the above named defendants: Take notice that the complaint herein was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1887. You are further notified that the above entitled action, which complaint is filed to satisfy said demand: The sw 1/4 of Sec. 28, Township 144 north, Range 59 west; the ne 1/4 of Sec. 22 and the sw 1/4 of Sec. 30, Township 144 north, Range 59 west, and that the plaintiff will apply to the court for judgment against said lands.  
Dated July 8th, 1887.  
**DAVID BARTLETT, Plaintiff's Attorney.**

**Summons.**

**TERRITORY OF DAKOTA,** ss.  
County of Griggs.  
District Court, Sixth Judicial District.  
Richards Gordon, Paul D. Ferguson, Charles W. Gordon and Charles L. Klueckhohn, Partners as Gordon & Ferguson, plaintiffs, vs. Thomas Knudson, Defendant.  
The Territory of Dakota to the above named defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint is filed in the office of the clerk of the district court for said Griggs county at Cooperstown, D. T. and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office in Cooperstown, Griggs county, Dakota within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you exclusive of the day of service and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of four hundred and seven dollars and fifty four cents, with interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the 20th day of December, 1884, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.  
Dated July 4th, 1887.  
**DAVID BARTLETT,** Plaintiff's Attorney, Cooperstown, Dak.

To the above named defendant: Take notice that the complaint herein was filed in the office of the clerk of the above named court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 4th day of June, 1887. You are further notified that the following described lands have been attached to satisfy said demand and the plaintiff will apply to the court for judgment against the same: The east half of section thirty-two (32) in township one hundred and forty four (144) north of range fifty-nine (59) west.  
Dated July 4th, 1887.  
**DAVID BARTLETT,** Plaintiff's Attorney, Cooperstown, Dak.

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