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We have reduced our prices on flour. Don't buy your winter supply without getting our prices.  
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In order to make room for a large assortment of heating stoves, I will, for the next 45 days, sell all kinds of cook stoves at from \$3 to \$5 reduction from former prices. Any one in need of a cook stove will find it to their interest to call within the time herein specified.  
ANTON ENGER.  
August 17, 1887. 31

**Notice to Taxpayers.**  
All delinquent taxes on personal property, and poll taxes, must be paid at once to prevent levy for the same. The expense of levy will be considerable and every man who desires to economize should now come forward to my office and square up. These taxes are for 1883, 1884, 1885 and 1886. This notice means business.  
KNUD THOMPSON,  
35 Treasurer of Griggs County.

If you wish, when the time comes, to file on land in the indemnity limit, call on me.  
39tf John O. Oie.

**Fresh Oysters.**  
Oyster Fry; Oyster Stew;  
Oyster Raw at Ward's.

**Horses Shot.**

The following horses were shot at Willow on Saturday, the 11th day of November, 1887, by order of Dr. Thomas Knapp:

One bay horse, nine years old, weight 1230 pounds, with two hind feet and two white spots on the off shoulder, worth one hundred dollars and owned by Sylvester Flick.

One light bay horse, twelve years old, with a white star on forehead and three white spots on the left shoulder; weight 1050 pounds, worth eighty dollars and owned by Sylvester Flick.

One gray horse, with dark mane and tail, nine years old, weight 1100; worth one hundred dollars and owned by Arthur Know.

One roan mare, with some white on left hind foot, named Topsy, weight 1100 pounds, ten years old; worth eighty dollars and owned by Joseph Buchheit.

One light bay horse, about thirteen years old, with two white fore feet and a white strip in the face, weight about 1000 pounds; worth eighty dollars, owned by Wm. Healy.

One black horse with two white hind feet color marks of white hairs on each side of the neck, twelve years old, weight 1050 pounds; worth thirty dollars and owned by Wm. Healy.

The above are all American horses.  
C. H. JOHNSON,  
Justice of the Peace.

By order of the Board of Health of Griggs county, D. T.

**To Our Readers.**

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**NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.**—Land Office at Fargo, D.T., Nov. 23, 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 thereof, viz:

Andrew Hansen, H. E. No. 9981, for the SW 1/4 of Sec. 22, Tp. 148 n., R. 28 w., and names the following as his witnesses viz: Belle Johnson, Ole O. Groff, both of Otawa P. O., Griggs county, D. T., and Martin Johnson, Louis Anderson, both of Romness P. O., Griggs county, D. T.  
The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before Peter E. Nelson, judge of the probate court at Cooperstown, Griggs county D. T., on Wednesday, the 11th day of January, A. D., 1888 at his office.  
MICHAEL F. BARTLETT, Register.  
Andrew Johnson, agt. 35-39

J. S. PIABURX, President.

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