## THE COURIER.

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Official Paper of Griggs County

### LOCAL LACONICS.

- -The breaking season is virtually over. -Strangers are muchly plentiful in town nowadays.
- $-\mathbf{A}$  dance was given at Jackson's hall on the night of the Fourth.
- a neat office on Burrell avenue.
- —Manly Davis is laying out a "track" in Charlie Cooper's big wheat patch.
- -Dr. Newell is having his store painted in a neat drab tint, with dark trim-
- Bartlett & Stevens can give a big bargain in a business house—centrally located.
- —The surveyors of the S. C. & T. M. Railway have pitched their camp on the
- -Mrs. G. F. Newell is experiencing a little unpleasantness in getting accli-matized to our climate.
- -Mr. Retslaff has named his new place the "Union Hotel," and a new sign decorates the house.
- —Supt. Fernald expects to have the road well ballasted and trains running on regular time by July 20th.
- -The Bald creek bridge was cros se by tracklayers Tuesday, and the music of the spikers now marches this way.
- -Commissioner Rukke has been having a hard siege with rheumatism this week, but is a trifle on the mend, now.

- —R. C. Cooper and Jack N. Brown failed to report for the foot race on the Fourth. It is said "Jack" ate too much dinner to move easy.
- —As a country village the days of Cooperstown are numbered, and they can be enumerated on one's fingers, too. The cars are upon us. Glory!
- -A letter from Chas. Ferguson brings the intelligence that he was held at Kansas City several days by the flood, while enroute to southwestern Missouri.
- —One Martin Olson is on trial to-day before Justice Matthew Davidson for casioned by the delightful (?) music rencasioned by the delightful (?) music rencasioned by the delightful (?) music rencasioned by the delightful (?) absconding with a team of mortgaged horses, without consent of the mort-
- -Supt. Fernald and his clerk, Robert
- —Our citizens are expecting the arrival of a special agent of the interior department whose duty it is to see that the requirements of our land laws are lined up to by settlers.
- —Vice-President N. L. Lenham accompanied by C. E. Ritenhouse, cashier of a prominent St. Paul bank, were refreshed by the pure atmosphere of Cooperstown a few days since.
- —The two ravines this side of Bald creek have been spanned with 150-feet bridges, which in addition to two slough bridges is all of that class of work required between the track and town.

- Our bustling harness dealer, Mr. Hunter, was greatly surprised by the arrival of his mother, who lives in St. Paul, Thursday evening. Mrs. Hunter is decidedly pleased with Cooperstown and will visit with her son a few days.
- -The first dirt thrown on the railroad grade in Cooperstown's borders was kissed by the sun on Monday. Very little more work on the grade remains to be finished, and the track layers are
- a wife in the person of an accomplished Wolverine lady. The indefatigable, level-headed and versatile pencil pusher has the heartiest congratulations in stock

—Mr. C. G. Crane, proprietor of a fine orange grove near Jacksonville, Fla., and an extensive producer of No. 1 Hard at Sanborn, has been spending this week in Cooperstown, assisting his son Maynard to balance the books of the Cooperstown. town Lumber Co. preparatory to their transfer to the Lenham Elevator Co.

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  - —Miss Lina Barnard accompanied by Miss May Crane, Miss Fanny and Miss Plasure. Everybody ate, drank, played, sang, communed, and was merry, and felt it was good to be there.

    To F. M. Rockwell as leader of the week in Cooperstown, being guests at occasion, and the ladies who aided him Fourth and several days of the present week in Cooperstown, being guests at the home of Miss Barnard. It is said that some of our stern bachelors who were fortunate enough to bask in the sunshine of their smiles were quite over- to make the harmony so complete.
  - —Capt. M. Robinson, of the well known Park Avenue Hotel at Mardell, and his two pleasant daughters paid Coopers-town and the COURIER a visit Tuesday. Capt. Robinson is a staunch believer in Griggs county dirt, and talks North Dakota gospel from a conservative, sound and firm standpoint. It is the like of Mr. Robinson that make a vicinity pleas-
- line.

  —Bartlett & Stevens and J. N. Jorgensen have put a conspicuous land officers were cast against the regular caucus candidates, and of course they (the regulars) went in "flying." Knud way.

  —R. C. Company when they are described in the second of th town affords.
  - —Any lady who contemplates the purchase of a sewing machine should by all

  - car load of agricultural implements with him which he will distribute among the farmers of Griggs county. In John the people of Cooperstown will find a young man square dealing and congenial. We are sorry to lose him, and bid him success in his new undertaking. Solves ss in his new undertaking.—Sanborn Enterprise.
- Mr. C. C. Phillippee, the veteran and Mr. C. C. Philippee, the veteran and skilled architect, has purchased of the publisher a desirable business lot on Burrell avenue, which substantiates the fact that he is delighted with Cooperstown as a home. Mr. Phillippee intends erecting a very tasty 20x40 store building which will be occupied by himself as an guired between ....

  Solution N. Jorgensen. Clerk of District Court, will from this date be found in his new office over the dry goods store of Nelson & Langlie, where he will be office, paint store and work room on the ground floor, while the second story will be divided into offices.

  C. Holmes, a learned young man the
- a one-half interest in the Cooperstown of Waterbury, Conn., who has read the Livery and in consideration thereof A. Couriers sent to that place by Post-E. Shue has taken an interest in the business of Mr. Pinkerton. They propose to rush things at a lively pace.

  —Our bustling barness dealer, Mr. Hunter, was greatly surprised by the will engage in business in our midst as he now intends. Dakota is especially desirous of just such citizens as he ap-
  - —F. D. Fenner, living about ten miles southwest of Cooperstown, had the very calamitous misfortune last week to lose
- —Superintendent T. C. Fernald, of the S., C. & T. M. Railway was in town a few days since and in response to the many queries as to when he intends get-ting the cars into Cooperstown he offered has the heartiest congratulations in stock at this office.

  —Mrs. S. Goldthrite recently arrived from her old home in Ottawa, Ont., and joined her husband, Griggs county's well known farmer justice. Mr. Goldthrite had been separated from his better portion two years, and it is needless to add that he is now as delighted as a boy with new copper-toed boots.

  ting the cars into Cooperstown he offered to wear a fine new hat at the expense of any one who doubted his assertion that he will be here with his little engine and train on the evening of July 14. Not a man doubted his word. Supt. Fernald is a thorough-bred, drive-ahead railroader, who hasn't studied the science of building iron highways in vain, and when he savs "git" it means "biz" most emphatically.

—We have been frequently urged to call attention of our postmaster to the fact that the people of Cooperstown, and service between St. Paul and Sanborn must be decidedly "off," and the publisher proposes to find out who is to blame for so many delays.

—We have been frequently urged to call attention of our postmaster to the fact that the people of Cooperstown, and especially the business portion, are not satisfied with the conduct of the office. The complaint is that mail cannot be posted on the morning of a mail's departure unless one happens at the office. posted of the morning of a mail's de-parture unless one happens at the office at the exact moment, which is indefinite. Then, on the Fourth, the mail lay near-ly all day without being opened, and people living at a distance had to return without their mail. We believe Mr. Barnard intends to do his full duty, and only call his attention to the general complaint, because the entire village de--Our talkative townsman J. G. Myers mands it. A letter box would be a great

### The Picnic.

The picnic given by the Cooperstown church society on the Fourth was a success of the greatest magnitude, meteorologically and socially speaking. The oldest inhabitant may safely be challenged to draw on his memory for a more enjoyable day for a right good picnic. Just warm enough to make the shade of a delightful grove desirable and the drinking of lemonade, the eating of —Mr. Andrew Husel, spoken week as being infatuated with the charms of Griggs county, has really succumbed to the irresistible. Mr. Husel will return to Dakota to stay after a brief business trip to his old home in St. Clair, Mich. Thus do the very best men of our nation settle in their country's favour nation settle in the favour nation

both ends tucked in. Immediate friends and relatives were the only guests, and Mr. Chas. Cooper and Miss Husel

or tilm; he will rume. If it. pleat, scolop, braid, bind, hem, seam, or talk on its merits. There is no doubt but that he is handling about the best machine made.

—The advent of the Fourth to many of our citizens was a sleepless night, occasioned by the delightful (?) music rendered by a band of individuals who delighted in such renditions as can only be rendered by the aid of oyster-can-fiddles, cannon crackers, anvils, friends that the blossom that has thus —Supt. Fernald and his cierk, Robert Cowen, represented the Sanborn & Cooperstown railroad at the picnic, Wednesday, while J. M. Burrell did honor for day, while J. M. Burrell did honor for until sharp six a. m. horse-nadies, cannon the boys were bloomed in their lives may never with our wither, but that their's may be an unalloyed career of perfect felicity. Cooperstown will remain their home.

## As a Neighbor Sees Us.

Will F. Warner relates to the Pioneer

is experienced just now on account of the very irregular mail facilities, though the Cooperstown and Turtle Mountain railroad is now completed to within nine miles of the town, and will reach there about the middle of August. Of course we called on Brother Stair of the Courier, who was up to his ears in business and raking in the filthy lucre in good shape.

Through the courtesy of John N. Jorgensen. Esq., clerk of the district court, we were escorted around the village and the courtesy of John N. Jorgensen. we were escorted around the village and made glad at every turn. The law firm of Andrus & Jorgensen. (the copartnership whice was formed while living in Hope, last January) has been dissolved. Mr. Andrus retiring, though the two gentlemen will continue in the land business at that point. As a firm these gentlemen have done a large business in that locality, and we hope that the change may not prove detrimental. Ground is to be broken in a week or two for the foundation of the row court have and formed the state of the row court have and formed the state of the row court have and formed the state of the row court have and formed the state of the row court have a state of the row cour foundation of the new court house and jail, for which bonds to the extent of kissed by the sun on Monday. Very little more work on the grade remains to be finished, and the track layers are closely following the dirt manipulators.

—D. Newell, a wealthy and thorough farmer of Mardell, was in town Wednesdry and reports crops good and farm improvements on the bound. The nice piece of wheat on Mr. Frost's farm is a sample of the kind of farming he believes in.

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- "Golden Seal" tobacco for sale by Whidden Bros.
- The office of Byron Andrus will remain at the old stand where he will be pleased to see his old customers.

### Our Schools.

MR. EDITOR:—An "eagle" preacher born and educated in the farthermost back woods of old Kentucky being in-vited to address a rural "destrict" on the subject of education, rose, after much embarassment, and after wiping the perspiration from his brow exclaimed with tremendous emphasis, "Oh, that I had the voice of the seven poppotictic thunders, I would cry edercate, edercate, edercate the people! The old fellow felt the need of a little brain dicipline and expressed himself honestly and emphatically, though not very elegantly. I meet men every week who tell me that one of the keenest regrets of their lives is that they never had the chance of a thorough, practical, common school edu-cation, such as we now secure in our eastern and western states, and that they feel just like throwing aside work for the winter and take a term in some thor-

ough school.

The people of Cooperstown have not been slow to see that the course of education shall assume a decidedly prominent part in its future history, and to this end the first settlers have taken advanced grounds as to all that is essentially necessary to make this place one of the very first rank in educational matters. The Cooperstown institute building and its appointments are first-building and its appointments. played, sang, communed, and was merry, and felt it was good to be there.

To F. M. Rockwell as leader of the cocasion, and the ladies who aided him (gentleman assistants don't count) is especial credit due for the happy affair.

Twas their zealous efforts that tended to make the harmony so complete.

Hymen's Halter.

WASHBURN—HUSEL.—At the residence of the groom, on Monday, July 2, 1883, by Justice S. Goldthrite, Mr. Millard F. Washburn to Miss Mary Husel, Both of Cooperstown.

Old-fashioned and commonplace as weddings may be, there is no denying but that a good degree of interest perenially attaches to and surrounds them. Events of this character are necessary to mark the true happiness of every man and woman, hence the interest such topics absorb is perfectly in order. Mr. Goldthrite performed the ceremony at the Washburn & Cooper farm residence in an artistic manner that would force upon a stranger the idea that he had never done else but tie silken knots with both ends tucked in. Immediate friends class, and have already caused many to look toward this town as the place where upon a stranger the idea that he had never done else but tie silken knots with both ends tucked in. Immediate friends who must have some place to get a more thorough education than can be secured in the ordinary common school. He has foresight enough to see that this means consult Buchheit Bros. Fred is a professional with a sewing machine and in order to show up the merits of the Household he will stitch cloth, thick or thin; he will ruffle, frill, pleat, scollop, braid, bind, hem, seam, or talk on its merits. There is no doubt but that he is handling about the best machine made.

Mr. Chas. Cooper and Miss Husel (sister of the bride) acted as bridesmaid as bridesmaid in the ordinary common school. He has foresight enough to see that this policy will secure business to the town. We may therefore look for aggresive work on his part. Mr. J. N. Brown is one of the first settlers in this town and a gentleman of ability in all matters which he undertakes. His experience in Colorade and in the Northwest former. years fits him well for the position which he has assumed upon the board. He is an agressive, active farmer and will pursue an active policy in educational mat-ters. Mr. Wm. Glass has been identified with our town since its establishment and is known as a young man of ability and activity. He is enthusiastic in school matters and will not disappoint his constituents in the administration of his constituents in the administration of the affairs of his office. Prof. Z. A. Clough, a gentleman of well known abil-ity has been engaged for the year as the teacher and principal of the Coopers-town institute, and has already entered upon his work for the summer term.

> this place after this friendly manner:
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> "Cooperstown possesses a beautiful location, and contains numerous fine business houses, presenting quite a thrifty appearance. For a town less than nine months old it looms up miracuously. Considerable inconvenience is experienced just now on account of the very irregular mail facilities, though the Cooperstown and Turtle Mountain railroad is now completed to within nine with a spirit which will bring success. with a spirit which will bring success.
> Yours in the Work,
> FRANK M. ROCKWELL.

## The Rushford.

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RUSHFORD. You can not buy a better wagon; you are "liable" to get an inferior one. Call at the Lumber Yard and examine

- Everybody buys those juicy Lemons from Whidden Bros.
- 13 Oxen bought and sold at Odegard & Thompson's. The Bank of Cooperstown is offer-
- ing some No. 1 Land in the immediate vicinity of Cooperstown at big bargains. TA good plow for \$18, \$22 or \$24 at Morrison's, next to Davis' livery.
- the golden Northwest.
- Soda Water and Ice Cream at Odegard & Thompson's.
- If you need a plow go to Morrison. He is selling the best plows made at cost, as he is bound to close out in that line.
- Call and see the celebrated Household Sewing Machines at Buchheit Bros.' Anything in the line of Farm Mahinery at Buchheit Bros.
- GF That Vermont Maple Syrup at Odegard & Thompson's is fine.
- Crockery and Glassware at Whid-

- Examine the "Champion" Binder; he most durable machine made. Hol-
- liday Bros. Kendall's Condition Powders at Whidden Bros.
- A car load of plows must be sold within the next few days by Geo. Morrison, and they are being offered at actual cost. Catch on at once. Next to
- I am now prepared to furnish money on final proofs at the most reasonable rates obtainable. WM. GLASS, Attorney and Loan Agent.

### Celebrated Fargo Flour.

A car load just received at Odegard &

## TO THE PUBLIC.

### Cooperstown Drug Store by Dr. G. F. Newell, Corner Lenham Avenue and Tenth Street.

The Doctor will carry a full line of pure drugs and medicines, will examine and preecribe for patients at his office, and carefully compound other physicians and carefully compound other physicians prescriptions. He would also announce that he has been a practicing physician and surgeon for the past thirty-five years, first graduating at a medical college in New England, also attending a course of lectures at the Chicago medical college three years ago and graduating; that he was a surgeon in the U.S. army during the last war; that he has a full set of surgical instruments—Day's patent splints and dressings for fractures, etc., etc., and that he will make surgery and surgical diseases a specialty.

Respectfully,

Respectfully, G. F. NEWELL.

### Strayed.

There has strayed onto my property, three miles southeast of Cooperstown, one span of ponies which owner can have by calling and proving property.

S. B. LANGFORD.

June 30, 1883.

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## Cooperstown Courier.

By E. D. STAIR.

COOPERSTOWN, GRIGGS CO., DAY.

In the sacred city of Amarpoora, Burmah, Asia, there is said to be a Bo tree, which can claim well a authenticated age of 2,171 years, historical documents keeping a trustworthy record which shows it was planted 288 years before Cbrist. The big trees of California are mere babies beside this...

Statistics show that not quite onethird of our population is foreign born or foreign in the second degree. Of the fifteen millions included in the above computation, about four millions and a half have Irish athers. The number having German fathers is three hundred and fifty thousand larger, showing that the Germans outnumber the Irish in the Union. The Irish are less than a third of the foreign population.

Mrs. Langtry's share of the profits of her seven month season in the United States is \$100,000. This is a large sum for meagre dramatic talent, but in reality it was not paid for that, but was a tribute to her beauty, and if "a thing of beauty is a joy forever" perhaps the amount is not excessive. Half that amounts however, to Oscar Wilde, was foolish in the extreme. He was no "thing of beauty" but quite the reverse, besides being a humbug of the first water. America is now the most fruitful field in the world for lions of all sorts, and foreign notoriety or reputation, savory or otherwise, operates as an open sesame to the pockets of our people.

It is a proverb in the northwest that eorn in the ground by the first of June will mature, but this presupposes three months following, of warm weather, Whether it will come this year is more doubtful than usual. No man is sufficiently weatherwise to hazard anything more than a conjecture one way or the other. But wheat, the great staple, is doing well in most localities, with prospects of an average crop. The old odage "make hay while the sun shines" may be applied to other productions of the soil, and to the general work of the farmer. Industry and adaptation to circumstances may do much to improve the situation, whether favorable or other-

The crowning of the Czar of all the Russias at Moscow in due and ancient form, with magnificent ceremonials, and amidst the obsequious, and it may be presumed, heartfelt worship of his people, is a disappointment to many readers who had been led to believe that the occasion would be signalled by a tragedy. The entire absence of nihilistic demonstration, or any evidence of popular disfavor, may be attributed to measures of discovery and repression which would render such demonstrations fool-hardy in the extreme; but it is a more reasonable supposition that the popular vindictiveness and hatred to the person of the Czar, of which we hear so much, has been greatly exaggerated.

Dr. Tanner, the renowned faster, who now resides at Jamestown, New York, at Washington reports Texas crops as being has just published a long array of recent fifteen days late, but in good condition and cases of suspended animation and premature burial, which is startling, if well authenticated. One of the cases is that of a Miss Mosely; a domestic in a family in West Middlesex, Pa., who died suddenly. Physicians could not diagnose the case, and her death was pronounced very mysterious. Her family, previous to her death, had moved to Missouri, and Miss Mosely was buried. Last week her friends from Missouri arrived to re move the remains, and, upon opening the coffin, a heartrending spectacle was presented. The young lady had been | Henry Villard, Frederick Billings, Edward buried alive, and had turned over on her side and was lying face downward, her hands clenched in her hair, and her distorted features plainly showing the intensity of her suffering.

Sergeant Finley, signal officer at Kansas City, has issued a practical pamphlet on precautions against prairie cyclones. Wherever possible, he advises the excavation of an underground chamber of refuge a short distance from the house. The earth above this chamber should be at least three feet thick, and the roof on a level with the field or open dividend on the capital stock of 4 per cent. space. Cellar dug-outs should be exca- \$800,000 leaves a surplus for the year of vated from the west wall and toward the \$1,067,883. west. If no such retreat has been provided the best place of refuge is in the cellar against the west wall, face forward. A position against the south wall as near the southwest corner as possible, will answer. If one sees the tornado vortex coming while he is in the open field, he must either run to the north or south to get out of the track. If he is near the southern edge of the apparent path he should run south bearing a little to the east. It is fatal to run to the east or northeast. In case there is no time for escape by running, one can only throw himself face downward on the ground with his head to the east, throwing the hands over the head to protect it as far as possible.

The state of Virginia extended more than a million of dollars in 1882 for the support of her common schools. Of these 4,062 are white schools and 1,525 are colored.

## THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

GOSSIP FROM WASHINGTON.

Postmaster General Gresham is about to order an investigation as to the causes of mysterious disappearance of newspapers mysterious disappearance of newspapers mailed by private persons. It was represented to him that through the carelessness of postmasters fully three-tenths of all such newspapers fail to each their destination. It was represented to him that they were often opened and read by postmasters and then thrown away. The postmaster general says that newspapers should be as sacredly regarded as though they were so many letters. He said he would dismiss a postmaster guilty of opening a newspaper as quickly as though he had opened a letter.

The adjustment of salaries of postmasters of the various classes shows a marked increase in postal revenues for the last quarter, and it is thought probable by officials of the postoffice department that the decrease after Oct. 1 will not be more than one-half the amount that has been predicted. Reduced postage on first-class matter is re-mi onsible for the decrease, but not more than a year will suffice, it is thought, to bring the department up to a self-support-

Indian Agent Wilcox has telegraphed from San Carlos, Ariz, to the commissioner of Indian affairs an account of the recent surrender to the military of the Indians belonging to Loco's band. He says they were cut off from the main body of the band by Mexi-can troops. They heard the country was full of seldiers and fled to San Carlos for refuge. He declined to receive them, and they are now being fed by the military.

is reported at the treasury department that the British government is sending paupers to this country by a round about pro-cess. The people are said to be assisted to Belgium, and then again aided to emigrate to the United States. These assisted migra-tions are, of course, from Ireland. It is charged that this plan is adopted to prevent complaint on our part through diplomatic channels.

Col. Bright, sergeant-at-arms of the United States senate publishes a card setting forth that misrepresentations have been published about the removal of H. F. Hayden from the position of chief engineer of the senate, and that he was removed for cause, and the reasons will be furnished if the President of the senate should deem the matter of sufficient impor-

The soldiers are getting ready for a systematic movement upon the next congress with a view of receiving another increase of their pensions and other legislation in their behalf. The president of the Mamied Sol-diers' league is sending out circulars call-ing for contributions to influence legisla-tion in their interest.

The customs receipts, which were expected to pick up during this month from the fact that the new sugar tariff went into effect on the 1st, have not so far undergone so marked a stimulus as was expected. The customs receipts June 3rd, were but \$652,-

Charges of corruption are made against parties prominent in public life in connection with the Southern Pacific land grant. A tell-tale stub book looms athwart the mental vision of susceptible statesmen.

Postmasters commissioned: Iowa-John Frazer, Ruckers; James L. Rhineheart, Slagle. Minnesota—Pierre E. Ward. Post-offices established—Carlton, Dak.; Greshoffices estal

Secretary Chandler says he is expecting a report from the navy yard board very shortly and the restlt will be that some of the navy yards will be closed before the 1st. of

The president said recently he would take up the question of consolidating the internal revenue districts when Secretary Folger returned, and dispose of it at

The reporter for the agricultural bureau ing.

Washington Special: Speaking of the report that a plenary council of the Catholic church for the United States is to be held, Father Chappellock of this city says:

The postmaster general has selected metallic red as the color of the new two-cent postage stamp.

## RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

The St. Paul & Northern Pacific elected the following solid board of directors: D. Adams, E. r. Fabri, T. F. Oakes, George B. Wright, George L. Becker, Alexander Ramsey and Francis R. Adams. Sand and gravel may now fly before the snow. This road was originally the Western Minnesota, and was organized in 1874 by F. R. Delano, P. H. Kelly, P. F. McQuillan, J. J. Hill, N. W. Kittson, C. W. Griggs and L. E. Peed

The annual meeting of the Pennsylvania, company operating lines of the Pennsylvania system west of Pittsburg, was held in Pittsburg recently. The annual report for 1882 showed the net income of the Pennsylvania company proper, after the payment of expenses, interest, rentals, etc., to be \$1,867,883, which, after reducing a

The total land sales of the Northern Pacific for the month of May aggregated 82,512 acres, for which \$328,735 was received; town lots, \$25,922; total receipts, \$384,657. The land sales were divided as follows: Eastern division or district, 44,917 acres, for which \$174,428 was received; western district, 30,926 acres, \$154,249; Montana district, 6,670, \$30,058.

When the Thunder Bay Branch of the Canadian Pacific is in operation the average daily consumption of coal by the syndicate will be 400 tons. Up to this season the coal used has come from Iowa, via St. Paul. It is now brought from Pittsburg to Duluth by the lakes, and thence over the Manitoba to St. Vincent.

Controller Lawrence decides that the Pacific railways are entitled to pay for carrying mail over unsubsidized and leased roads.

The Northern Pacific in May sold 82,517

GENERAL NEWS GOSSIP. Amasa Stone's will is not yet on record

or accessible, but trustworthy information or accessible, but trustworthy information is that he leaves \$100,000 to Adelbert college, making his contribution to that institution \$600,000. He leaves property valued at \$1,000,000 to his widow, and the remainder of his fortune, variously estimated at from \$6,000,000 to \$12,000,000, to his two daughter, Mrs. Col. Hay and Mrs. Samuel Mather, whose husbands are executors of the estate.

The annual meeting of the National Educational association this year takes place at Saratoga, commencing July 5, and continuing six days. The exercises arranged embrace a wide range of thorough-going educational topics. The programme in the department of higher education sets out with an address from President Folwell, of the Minneacta estate university on the president the Minnesota state university, on the present outlook of the higher education.

The tin plate manufacturers of the United States met at Pittsburg Monday and organized the American Tin Plate association by electing officers, William J. Lewis of Pitts-burg president. The object is to intro-duce, foster, and develop the plate, industry, and endeavor to have such laws enacted as will afford adequate protection to the trade.

At a meeting at Springfield, Mo., last night, it was determined to hold a grand reunion of survivors of the battle of Wilson's Creek, on the old battle ground, ten miles west of Springfield, Aug. 8, 10, and 11 next. Survivors of the battle of both Union and confederate armies will be invited.

Capt. John P. Walker of the Third cavalry, whose wild escapades for four or five years have been numerous, is again defying the war department. This time he has left his post and is wandering about New Mexi-co. A medical board will examine him, and probably he will be put in confinement.

George M. Willing, an old resident of St. Louis, backed by lawyers of St. Louis and California, is about to institute proceeding to secure a tract of 2.700 square miles of land lying along the Gila river. The property embraces several mines, and is estimated to be worth \$10,000,000.

Sunday trains on the Housatonic rail road were stopped yesterday by the Massa chusetts authorities. Clergymen of Berkshire county, Mass., presented a petition against running of trains on Sunday, but the railroad company disregarded them.

James R. Grant, who in 1869 killed Rives Pollard, a Richmond editor, for slandering his sister, died Friday in Goochland county, Va. He had been on the minstrel stage some years under the name of James Russel.

In about one month a marble statue of Zachary Taylor will be unveiled at his grave, eight miles from Louisville. All the survivors of the Mexican war are to be invited. Gen. Grant will probably attend.

Mayor O'Brien of St. Paul, created a sensation on Wednesday by ordering the closing of all the gambling dens. The gamblers submitted quietly and will go to other localities or pursue their business in secret.

Christopher O'Brien was inaugurated mayor of St. Paul on Tuesday last. He is expected to warm the gambling fraternity. He appointed John Clark, chief of police in place of Webber.

The Pennsylvania senate yesterday passed the house bill to abolish the contract cus-tom in prisons and reformatory institutions. Gov. Pattison will sign it.

There are about 75,000,000 feet of logs, about one-half of the entire cut tributary to Duluth, hung up, the water in streams being so very low.

The Oregon Iron and Steel works, at Portland, were ordered to construct 500 cottages for the new rolling mills employes. A recent estimate sattes that New York pawnbrokers have \$200,000 worth of pledges

CRIMES AND CRIMINALS.

James H. Langley, alias Dr. Langley alias Henry Langley, known throughout the country as the king of Peter Funks, was arrested in Boston recently. For years he has been operating in leading cities of the east and west as a promoter of stock jebeast and west as a promoter of stock jobbing corporations organized on paper for swindling purposes. One corporation is the United States Construction & Investment company; another is the Limited Live Stock Express company. During the last five years Langley organized a score of bogus concerns. A Bostonian named Worrell, was inveigled into one enterprise and lost fully \$160,000. All of Langley's concerns proved worthless. Dr. Langley is now in jail under nominal bonds of \$10,000, which will proba bly be increased to \$100,000.

will proba bly be increased to \$100,000. John Anderson and Frank Brown, two more of what is known as a gang of Crooked Creek cow boys, got into a shooting affray at Wiota, Iowa, last Saturday night, and both were latally shot by an unknown person. They were carried into a hotel and physicians from Atlanta were summoned by properly train. by special train. Anderson died at 5:20 Sunday morning. At last account Brown was alive, but as there are four bullets through his body, he cannot recover. In April last two others of the same gang were thot and killed by a man named Hallock, whom they were pursuing with revolvers.

John Baily, aged twenty-eight, and Har ry Wimbish, aged thirty, negroes, were ry Wimbish, aged thirty, negroes, were hanged Friday, at Macon, Georgia. Eight thousand people were present, mostly negroes. Baily murdered Pariah Tappan, an old negro, last July, during a dispute over \$1. Wimbish killed Morgan Washington a negro, last June. Wimbish quarreled with Washington and told him to say "sheep," and he would shear him. Washington in the would shear him. "sheep," and he would shear him. Washington said "sheep" and Wimbish killed

The safes of the county treasurer of Van Buren county, Ark., S. Clinton, and of Bradshaw & Thornborough, merchants, were blown open by burglars. The treasurers safe was robbed of about \$7,000 and the Merchants of \$700. Two suspected parties are being tracked by bloodhounds.

Edwin B. Stiles, who has been keeping a butcher shop at Fisher, Polk county, has skipped out for Canada, leaving numerous debts and a sorry partner. He had pur-chased about \$200 worth of meat at Crooks ton on the credit of another, and seems to have forgotten about it in his flight.

In the case of the Joliet (Ill.) prison convict, John Anderson, found dying from knife wounds in his celf, the coroner's jury found that he was murdered by his cell mate, Michael Mooney, who had secretly made a knife from a file to accomplish his

A Galveston News San Antonio special

master, in an elaborate address to the court, will plead guilty of embezzlement of \$5,400, but resists the charge of embezzling \$18,000 he is alleged to have lost.

A child was born to Ben Brookins' un married daughter in Baldwin county, Ga She confessed that York Cooper, a negro was the father. Brookins thereupon killed Cooper, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of justifiable homicide.

Mis. Susan E. Douglass, aged twentyseven, of Cumberland county, Pa., during the absence of her husband, cut the throats of her three children (boys), and then killed herself. Insanity was the cause.

John Randolph, who shot D. L. Sparks, had his preliminary examination before Justice Williams at Aitkin, and was beld for trial before the district court to be held at Brainerd at the September term.

James Dolan, pardoned by Gov. Butler of Massachusetts in a "dying" condition, was arrested recently while breaking into and entering a liquor saloon at Wonsocket. John J. Rosier of Illinois was convicted

and sentenced to five years' imprisonment at Jackson, Mich., on the charge of being too much married, having three wives living.

Anna Beddner, sixteen years old, committed suicide at Limetown, Sunday, by taking strychnine. She had just arrived there from Minneapolis.

### RECORD OF CASUALTIES.

At Hutchinson, Kans., the Hazard Powder company's magazine, containing 1,300 pounds of powder, was struck by lightning, and the consequent explosion broke nearly every glass f ont in the city, wrenched several buildings from their foundations and knocked down plastering, lamps and clocks a mile away. One dwelling, 300 yards away, was completely riddled by flying bricks.

At suspension bridge, N. Y., during the performance of Nathan's circus, the canvas tents were struck by a terrific rain squall and utterly demolished. About 1,500 persons were in the tent, and a terrible panic ensued. A large number of persons were injured, though none fatally.

br. Hoyt of Detroit, Minn., Northern Pacific attorney Ohman of St. Paul, and a man by the name of draves of Chicago, were up-set in Detroit lake during Tuesday's storm and narrowly escaped drowning.

Mrs. Mary Neal, seventy-six years old, on her way to Grafton, Dak., from Canada, fell off the Manitoba train at Kandiyohi and was seriously injured, and probably cannot live.

Mr. John Proud, a former resident of Rochester, now living at Aberdeen Dak, nas recently lost three children from disease caused by the alkali water of that section.

Texas had a violent tornado on Satuaday last and lost much property but only a few

### FOREIGN NEWS NOTES.

The anniversary of the death of Gen. Gar ibaldi was commemorated Saurday night throughout Italy. The syndic of Rome unveiled a bronze bust of Garibaldi in the capitol. A number of persons formed in procession, and marched to the capitol to procession, and marched to the capitol to witness the unveiling ceremony. In passing the Austrian embassies the processionists shouted, "viva oberdank." The chamber of deputies to-day passed a bill providing for the erection of a national monument to Garibaldi on Janiculum hill, the site of Garibaldi's defense of Rome against the French.

The Pall Mall Gazette publishes another portion of the letter from the Russian nihilist, Stepriak, in which he declares that a widespread society exists in the Russian army, composed exclusively of officers, inarmy, composed exclusively of officers, including many colonels of regiments. In regard to the present quiesence of the nihilists, he says it would be foolish to attempt a revolt when the enemy are alert. An attempt to assassinate the czar might still form the beginning of a revolt or coup d'etat, but such attempt of itself, he says, is no longer of importance.

Edward Harrington, M. P., editor of the Kerry Irish Sentinel, and the printer of that paper have each been sentenced to six months' imprisonment on account of publication in the office of the Sentinel of a placard inviting persons who wished to join the Invincibles to attend a meeting. They will appeal from their sentences. Two compositors on the piper pleaded guilty to assisting in the publication of the placard, and each were sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

London Cab: le A novel wager is intreesting London society. Mr. Labourche, wishing to put thought-reading to a practical cest, has staked a £1,000 bank note to £100 that Mr. Bishop, its principal exponent, will not guess the number of a note, which will be placed in the hands of a member of parliament. Opinion is divided upon Mr. Bishop's claims to read thoughts.

McCoan, M. P. for Wicklow, in a letter to Parnell, informing him of his withdrawal from the Parnellite party, says his reason for severing his connection with the party, beside his offense at Parnell's action in his (McCoan's) affair with O'Kelly, is that his aims and methods have long ceased to be those to which he subscribed three years ago.

The dynamite conspirators Dr. Gallager. Bernard Gallagher, Austin, Curtin, Whitehead and Wilson, against whom true bills were found 1 riday, were arraigned in the Oli Bailey Saturday morning before Justice Hawkins, and pleaded not guilty. The trial was fixed for the 11th lust.

Edward Harrington, the editor of the Kerry Sentinel, was arraigned in court at Tralee, recently. He admitted the placard requesting persons who desired to join the invincibles to attend a meeting, was printed in the office of the Sentinel, but declared the work was done without his knowledge.

It is stated that Curren, divisional magistrate of the Dublin police, has arrived in London and is in consultation with the authorities relative to the suspected poisoning in Ireland by invincibles of persons who rendered themselves obnoxious to that or-

Jesse Pomeroy, the boy murderer in Concord, Mass., prison is now a young man. He has been well supplied with books and has studied two or three languages quite thoroughly. His moral sense is as dull as it was when he was murdering little chil-

says Maj. Wasson, the army defaulting pay-

niki Monday to attend a military fete. They were not attended by any escort. The municipal authorities will give a grand dejeuner at Sokolniki to the foreign newspaper correspondents who attended the coro-

The Cuban budget, read in the Spanish chamber of deputies Wednesday, provides for the payment of the remainder of the indemnity of \$494,860 awarded by the Spanish-American commission to Americans who suffered losses during the Cuban revolt.

Owing to the fact that grave imputations have been introduced in questions put in the house of commons on Irish affairs, it is comtemplated to call the attention of Glad-stone to the necessity of modifying the rules relating to the questions.

The prince of Wales wants Henry Irving, the actor, knighted, but the queen objects.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Gen. Horatio G. Wright, chief of engineers, United States Army, passed through St. Paul on a tour of observation throughout the northwest, his principal object was to see for himself what improvements have already been made and what others are necessary to carry out the design of the government in making good harbors and navigable rivers. Gen. Wright will visit Duluth, Superior and the Red River valley and then extend his trip to the Missouri.

Chicago Special: Last Tuesday evening at the residence of the bride's sister were quietly celebrated the nuptials of Mrs. Nelie E. Brigham of this city and Judge Frank Ives of Crookston, Minn. Owing to a re-cent death in the family, only the imme-diate friends and relatives were invited, Judge and Mrs Ives left for Crookston where they will remain for a few weeks, after which they will settle in St. Hilair town.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackey and their pilgrimage to Moscow attract great attention, ane the whole European press is taken up with the magnificence of Mr. Mackey's private car and the fifteen Worth dresses which were contained in Mrs. Mackey's private baggage car. Even at Moscowneither Orientalism nor imperial splendor could throw Mrs. Mackey in the shade.

Rev. Julian Benoit, vicar general of the Catholic diocese of Fort Wayne, Ind., has been named "Monseigneur," and appointed prelate of the papal household at Rome. Father Benoit came from France as a missionary forty years ago, and is the seventh priest in the United States upon whom this honor has been conferred.

The friends of Judge Kelly distrust the report of his hopeful recovery; and say his advanced age is not likely to stand much strain, and a return of the cancerous growth

Hon. Edmund L. Cushing, ex-chief justice of New Hampshire, died in Charlestown, N. H., on Sunday of paralysis. His literary attainments were notable.

Ex-Senator B. K. Bruce, register of the United States treasury, owns two large plantations in Mississippi, worth more than Frank Pendleton, son of the Ohio senator,

is a law partner in New York of Gov. Chamberlain, formerly of South Carolina. At Brattleboro, Vt., James Fisk, Sr.

died at the residence of his son-in-law Col. G. W. Hooker, aged seventy-one. Perry H. Smith, the once crazy Chicago

millionaire, is with his family at a Neenah summer resort to stay a month.

Laura Keyser (Montague) Forepaugh's \$10,000 beauty, has secured a divorce from her husband, Paul Keyser.

## Popular Appreciation of Carey.

A Dublin dispatch says:-James Carey and other informers who testified at the trials of the Phoenix park murderers have been notified by the government that they must indicate places out of the country to which they wish to be sent. Carey protested he would remain in Dublin, but the authorities pointed out that he would receive no police protection, and that on no condition would he be allowed to remain in Ireland. It is inferred from this action that the extradition proceedings in the cases of Walsh, Sheridan and Tynan are collapsing.

## Discipline for Postmasters.

Washington Special .- One of the good results of the order of the postmaster general directing postmasters to the higher grades to give personal attention to their official duties and forbidding absence out permission of the department will be that postmasters will have to quit running to Washington for pleasure and politics, as is the custom of many. The present attor-ney general when he came into office issued an order similar to that just promulgated by the postmaster general in reference to United States district attorneys and marshals. Not long since a United States marshal from one of the Western States, a power in local politics, came here in violation of the order, and was pretty severely rebuk-ed by his superior officer.

## The Latest New Patents.

E. G. Beebe, Wiota, Wis., vehicle brake: A. S. Burnham, Parkersburg, Iowa, sofa bed; F. C. Dexter, Des Moines, Iowa, paperfeeding machine; E. G. Durant, Racine, Wis., folding seat; Max Goldberg, Milwau-kee, apparatus for administering medical vapors; William D. Gray, Milwaukee, flour-dressing machine; E. G. Hastings, Nevada, Iowa, grinding mil; William Honlick, Ra-cine, Wis., granulated food for infants and process of preparing the same: A. S. Hughes cine, Wis., granulated food for infants and process of preparing the same; A. S. Hughes, Jackson, Iowa, combined road scraper, cart and dump; O. F. Lowe, Hampton, Iowa, equalizer for spring carriages; F. Meineicke, Milwaukee, folding sleigh; S. M. Michelson, Milwaukee, trunk tray; W. E. Richardson, Marinette, Wis., traction engine; M. Rideout, Lakeside, Minn., harvester; G. T. Stillman, Madison, Wis., micrometer calipers; S. Thompson, Masonville, Iowa, car signal: S. Thompson, Masonville, Iowa, car signal; William E. Varney, Daytonville, Iowa, woodworking machine; Oscar H. Wood-ward, Clinton Junction, Wis., lock.

## One Way to Get Rid of Him.

The grand jury at Falls City, Omaha, recently indicted Mary Ferron, living theer miles north of Rulo, for the deliberate murder of her husband, Frank Ferron, on the 10th of April last. It is a most horrible case as stated in the indictment. It is sta-ted that Mrs. Ferron poured coal oil upon her husband while he was asleep and set fire to his clothing, her object being to dispose of him that she might marry another man. The woman was arrested and lodged in jail at Falls City. She is badly broken up and her own admissions tend to crimin-

### BISMARCK'S NEW BOOM.

It Is Derived from the Final Decision of the Dakota Capital Commission.

Bismarck Gets a Majority of Five, and the Choice is Then Gracefully Made Unanimous.

Interesting Outline of the Last Meeting and Crowning Act of the Commission.

Other Aspiring Towns of the Territory Accept the Result with a Show of Cheerfulness.

> THE DOINGS AT FARGO, THE BALLOTS IN DETAIL.

From the Pioneer Press

Fargo, Special Telegram, June 2 .- The interest here was intense this morning and all last night on the capital question. Canvassing continued all night. Gov. Ordway and other prominent men from all parts of the Territory were on hand watching and waiting and taking part in the business. Sometimes it seemed as if one place, other times another, was ahead, according to the wishes of the man who was talk-ing. The commissioners met in Rooms 25 and 26 of the Headquarters hotel this morning, all the members being present, and Alexander Hughes in the chair. After the call to order, the chairman directed the secretary to call the roll for balloting. Seven ballots were taken, all with the same re-

Aughes and Spaulding for Radfield, Belding and De Long for Pierre, Matthews for Huron and Thompson for Mitchell.

After the fifth ballot, Thompson, with

9 o'clock. Myers, Belding, Spaulding and Fhompson voted yes; Scott, De Long, Hughes, Mathews and McKenzie voted no, and the motion was declared lost. At the end of the seventh ballot Thompson renewed his motion to adjourn, Myers seconding him. Myers, Belding, Hughes, Spaulding and Thompson voted yes; Scott, De Long, Matthews, and lowing is the vote:

Scott, Belding, De Long and McKenzie voted for Bismarck, Matthews for Huron, Thompson for Huron, Thompson for Mitchell, Myers, Spaulding, and Hughes for Redfield. No choice.

Hughes, Scott, McKenzie, Belding and De Long for Bismarck; Spalding and Myers for Redfield;

80 west, and the north half of the north half of section 9, town 138, north of range 80 west. It declares the first piece mentioned as the place on which the capitel shall be built, and says:

seat of government of said Territory.

Resoived, That the tract of ground this day se-

Resolved, That the committee on grounds be authorized to engage the services of a competent surveyor and of such assistants as may be necessary to do the work of laying out the said tract of ground, and the compensation of such surveyor and assistants shall be paid out of the funds

prepared and laid before this commission with all

anteed to the Territory on behalf of the place selected as the seat of government.

McKenzie, Belding and Thompson are appointed a building committee and are authorized and architects asking for plans and specifications for the capitol building, and take such action as may be necessary to secure plans for said building

ews, DeLong, Myers, Scott and Hughes to plat and lay out the land as the law provides. The resolutions were adopted by a vote of eigh to one, Myers voting no. On motion of Mr. Mathews, the salary of Secretary Wheelock was made the same as that of the commissioners-\$6 a day and all expenses. The com mission adjourned to meet at the call of the chairman. Most of them go homeward to-

PRESIDENT HUGHES' BEASONS. Alexander Hughes, president of the capital commission, and one of the most influential members of that body, in a private conversation with your correspondent said he would answer for his own purity of motives, and be lieved in the integrity of the other members. Bismarck is, in his opinion, incontestably the The question of best place for the capital. division of the Territory is dead for years a least. The Democrats will have control of congress for years, and their chances for supremacy in the entire machinery of the government seem excellent. If division is out of the question, he further reasons, none of the towns suggested can compare with Bismarck for a moment. It is within forty miles of the

'They could well afford to make it," continued Hughes, "for I believe Bismarck will be and Omaha. I know the Milwaukee and Northsecond Omaha. I know the Milwaukee and North-western both intend to reach it forthwith, and peo-ple don't half appreciate what a paradise the Heart River valley—which lies opposite the town—is; but they have only to see it to do so. Now, look at the other towns. The site offered at Huron was in nowise desirable. The land is low, or most of it is, and I doubt if \$100,000 could have been squeezed

out of it. The offering of Pierre was cut up into different lots, only two of which were in any way desirable or likely to prove profitable. To have secured the \$100,000, which the law makes requisite, would have required the most careful kind of financiering. Mitchell is a good town, but it is too far south, and about the same objections are valid against it which apply to Yankton. None of the commissioners dare seriously to vote for Ordway. It would be

POLITICAL AND MORAL DEATH.

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The Chicago syndicate, who have bought up thousands of acres there, would be credited with the purchase of every one of us—body, mind and soul. Ordway, too, is comparatively close to the 46th parallel, though, as I said, I don't think the question of division need enter—division is dead for years to come. The law under which we are working is clearly explicit—I should know, as I framed it—and directs that a site should be chosen with reference to its eligibility, for the "whole territory" and the readiness with which it can be reached from any part of Dakota. That Bismarck best fulfills these conditions no one can dispute who will dispassionately nd conscientiously examine the may of the territory."

Mr. Hughes was further asked as to what effect the legal proceedings against the commission would have. He laughingly said:

mission would have. He laughingly said:

"You are not so foolish as to believe they will amount to anything, are you? Why, they were instituted by the disgruntled Yanktonians solely to frighten the towns which intended to bid. They hoped the commission would not receive any tangible or desirable offers, and would thus be made ridiculous. The game didn't work, as you have seen. I am proud of the Territory. Why, I have in an envelope in my safe offers aggregating fully \$2,000,000, and, as you what offers of an ot open or consider all the bids. What other Territory of equal age—or older for that matter—could or would make such liberal bids?"

WHAT OTHERS THINK

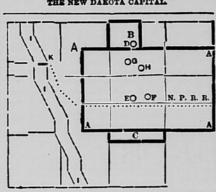
WHAT OTHERS THINK

Aleck McKenzie, who is the hero of the hour, bears his honors meekly and seems rather to dread the ovation which is sure to await him at Bismarck. To his personal influence more than to that of any one man is due the selection of the site. While acknowledging that the result is very gratifying to him personally he insists that when the natural disappointment of unsuccessful towns is abated, the universal verdict will be that Bismarck was the wisest choice possible to make. The selection will put many dol-lars in his pocket, as he is a large holder of realty in Bismarck, a town in which he has had unbounded faith through good and evil report. He insists with much earnestness that everything has been open and above board in the dealings of the commission, and that Bismarck won on its merits.

OPINION IN FARGO. Gov. Ordway does not conceal his satisfaction at the result, and although he may have had other preferences, Pierre or Ordway, for example, his sentiment, "anything to beat my Yrnkton opposers," has received a pleas ant fillip. Roberts, the Fargo capitalist, is not at all tickled, and probably feels as bitterly as Col. Pat Donan, though not as outspoken as the latter who cannot find superlatives strong enough to condemn commissions in toto and in detail. Walsh and La Moure of the upper country declare themselves satisfied since North Dakota came to the front in great shape, as they express it; while W. F. Steele is, of course, jubilant, the proximity of Bismarck to his town site largely enhancing the value of the latter. Wells of Jamestown was not seen. but is understood to be satisfied, and the same is regarded as the feeling of Touner of Larimore. In fact, few who live north of the forty-sixth parallel have anything derogatory to say of the commissioners' action.

GRASPING THE FORELOCK. It is regarded os a stroke of good policy, and credited to Aleck Hughes, to have taken immediate steps toward the preparation of plans and the exact location of the capital. It is said that as the \$100,is immediately available, wise to use some of 000 wise at once, so that the people will the more readily acquiesce. Of course, there are plentiful charges of bribery and corruption, but none are definite as to persons or amounts, and the commissioners preserve an air of innate recti-

GEOGRAPHICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE THE NEW DAKOTA CAPITAL



A A A A—Boundaries of present city as platted.
B—160 acres north, donated to Dakota.
C—160 acres south, donated to Dakota.
D—Proposed capitol site.
E—Railroad depot.
F—Sheridan house.
G—High school.
H—Court house.

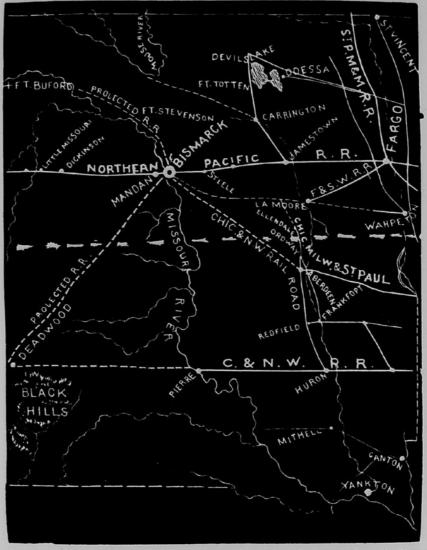
H—Court house.
I I I—Misseuri river.
K—Railroad bridge across the Missourl.

THE LOCATION OF THE CITY. The city of Bismarck is in latitude 46 deg. 18 min. north, longitude 100 deg. 38 min. west. It is on the main line of the Northern Pacific, 469 miles north of west from St. Paul, 447 miles almost due west of Duiuth, 195 miles west of Fargo, 157 miles east of the Montana line, about 450 miles by land north of Yankton, and 223 miles southby land north of latheron, and 225 mines south-aast of Fort Buford also by land. The river distances from the two points last named are considerably greater. Fort A. Lincoln is dis-tant five miles by road and ferry, Fort Yate-fitty-six, and Fort Stevenson seventy-three, to the north. Almost directly opposite on the weetthe north Almost directly opposite on the weetern side of the Missouri is the mouth
of the Heart river, the crookedest
stream to be found and running through one
the most fertile and beautiful valleys on the
continent. The country roundabout does not
differ materially in general characteristics
from that which may be found north on the
Missouries for as Fort Peck and south to differ materially in general characteristics from that which may be found north on the Missourias far as Fort Peck and south to Sioux City or Omaha, though the buttes are more marked than they are further south, and the bottoms and uplands more inviting looking. For more than twenty miles east from the town site the ground gradually undulates, sometimes abruptly, but in general with gradual and readily-cultivatable slopes. It is comparatively well watered, Apple creek, which empties into the Missouri five miles below the city, enriching the adjacent territory, in its winding and fertilizing course. In fact the lay of the land impresses all comers exceedingly favorably, and the rolling billows of ground are sometimes felt as a relief after the dead levels of the farther East. Of surrounding timber there is little, the trees being generally cottonwoods on the river bottoms and erally cottonwoods on the river bottoms and

erally cottonwoods on the river bottoms and small willows on the tributary creeks.

THE TOWN ITSELF.

Bismarck is built on what is known as the second bench of the Missouri, and in the town atte proper, as now platted, there are about three sections of land, of which one is pretty well built over. Scattered buildings are numer-



The above map shows the territorial position of Bismarck, and also sets down the lines of road which the sanguine believe will be completed in the near future. In addition to the Northern Pacific, already in operation, and the proposed routes of the trunk lines (more fully explained below), is the Bismarck & Black Hills proposed route to Deadwood, and the projected line northeasterly to Fort Buford, to connect, it is further proposed, with the Manitoba extension from the Devil's Lake county. The heavy broken line near the center of the map is meant to represent the much-tailed of forty-sixth parallel. The route of the Milwaukee & St. Paul processed extension is not given, but it trends northeast from Ellendale, and lies between the Fargo & Southwestern and the Northwestern extension.

ous on the various lots into which the other sections are divided. The 160 acree, marked B in the diagram, has an altitude of fifty to seventy-five feet greater than that of the railway track at the depot. Within its scope are several rounded knolls upon which public buildings can be erected to command an excellent view of the entire surrounding country, the Missouri and its valley included. It is distant less than three-quarters of a mile from the depot, and the town already reaches with buildings and streets its southern edge. Upon depot, and the town already reaches with buildings and streets its southern edge. Upon twenty acres of this it is probable the capitol building will be located, leaving 140 for sale by the Territory. Land immediately adjacent to this tract was sold last autumn for \$312 per acre, in bulk, subsequently platted and the lots sold at a secretaring \$11000 per acre. It is subsequently platted and the lots sold at a rate aggregating \$1,000 per acre. It is authoritatively stated that there will be no difficulty in realizing from the sale of this 140 acres the \$300,000 gnuranteed the Territory by the Bismarck banks. This being so, Dakota will secure \$400,000 with which to erect public buildings, the added \$100,000 being a cash payment on the part of the city. The 160 acres marked Che about three-fourths of a mile south of the railway depot, in what is known as the first bettom of the Missouri river; in other words the northers grant commands in other words the northors grant commands and overlooked by it. The latter quarter section is, of course, not so valuable as the other, but a low estimate of its value, in the aggregate, is given as \$100 per acre, which would make the plat worth an additional \$10,000 to the Torritory. As previously stated, there are the plat worth an additional \$10,000 to the Territory. As previously stated, there are many handsome brick stores and business blocks in the town, and the court house, which cost \$30,000, was erected in 1880, and is a creditable and handsome structure. The Sheridan house, already referred to, is one of the notable buildings, and the results of the state the new High school, the site of which is given in the diagram, will prove a great adornment. Many of the residences are handsome and commodious. The 3,000 inhabitants have ten hotels, four churches, two banks, two public halls, one daily and two weekly newspapers, an artesian well, a grain elevator, a flour mill, extensive brick yards, large freight depots, both in the town and at the Loat-landing, dis-tant a mile and a half from the center of the The Northern Pacific railway runs to the town from east to west, curv through the town from east to west, curving north when it nears the river, and through a deep cut reaching the magnificent bridge across the Missouri, which was opened for travel last year. It cost nearly \$1,500,000, has four spans of 400 feet each, and two reversed truss spans of 150 feet each. The approaches and piers are triumphs of modern engineering, and the whole structure is regarded as one of the finest of the kind in existence.

STATISTICS OF BUSINESS. As previously stated, Bismarck's early trade was largely with ranchmen, the forts in Dakota and Montana and through steamer unes. In 1877 the Northwestern Transportation company, opened the road to the Black Hills from Bismarck direct to Deadwood, and can dally stages for presengers and tri-weekly wagon trains for freight. In 1879 the company removed its stables and stock to Pierre, and the Deadwood, road from Bismarck, was practically abandoned. Until the completion of the Northern Pacific railway to Glendive, Bismarck was the shipping point on the river for all the supplies destined point on the river for all the supplies destined to the great Northwest Territory, and it still holds its supremacy, in a steamboat way, among the riparian town north of Kansas City. In 1882 a total of 27,481,141 pounds of government and private freight were shipped north from Bismarck, and 14,396,788 from Signy City to Bismarck. The down shipped north from Bismarck, and 14,396,788 from Sioux City to Bismarck. The down stream freight during the year amounted to 3,700,000 pounds, and included wool, buffalo robes, hides, and bullion. The receipts of frieght by rail during the year 1882 were 61,092,302 pounds, and in the same period 17,541 passengers landed in the town. As early as 1877, the listed improvements in the way of buildings focted to the handsome valuation of \$\$140,650\$. The town, as previously stated, is fast becoming an agricultural center. Land is taken up on the east side of the Missouri as far north as Fort Stevenson, and at Painted Woods, about twenty miles and at Painted Woods, about twenty miles and at Painted Woods, about twenty miles north, are thriving settlements of Scandinavians, Russians and not a few Americans. Many of the farmers have large herds of cattle and sheep, but wheat and oats are the staples; and in 1881 Burleigh county, of which Bismarck is the county seat, took the prize at the Minneapolis exposition as the banner wheat-growing county of the Northwest, the quality of the No. 1 hard being especially and favorably commented upon.

E lendale, and the Northwestern at Aberdeen. Neither place is very distant from Bismarck, and both companies will in all probability soon commence work upon their respective extensions. The Milwaukee & St. Paul has already expressed its intention of doing so, and the Northwestern has all along been decided upon entering the capital if it was located anywhere near either its main or branch lines. The Manitoba has at present no road running in the direction of Bismarck, but should the Importance of the city demand it, may be trusted to get there. The Manitoba crosses the Northern Pacific at Wahpeton and Fargo. The forty-three miles of road which the Manitoba graded out from Wahpeton was transferred to the Northern Pacific in the recent large trade made between these roads. The Northern Pacific has ironed this strip, and intend continuing it either to Lisboa or to La Moure. At either place it will reach the Fargo & Southwestern branch, which, as stated, will be continued on into the capital. With the completion of these extensions and new roads, Bismarck will be given rail communication with the whole country, and lay claim to being the railway, as well as the commercial, center of the Territory.

TERRITORIAL OPINIONS.

BISMARCK, Dak., Special Telegram, June 2. -There is great yet undemonstrative rejoicing here to-night over the selection of Bismarck here to-night over the selection of Bismarck for the capital of Dakota. On every side are heard praises for Alexander McKenzie, member of the commission from Bismarck, who is conceded by all to have been the most untiring worker on the commission. The city has been filled with strangers during the past two days, and many capitalists have invested largely. At least \$500,000 worth of property has changed hands in the past forty-eight hours. It seems to be a settled fact that both the Milwaukee & St. Paul and the Northwestern will build to Bismarck this year. Superintendent Prior, of Bismarck this year. Superintendent Prior, of the Milwankee & St. Paul road, is here, and it is it runnored that both roads have secured terminal facilities. The most kindly feeling is expressed for the pioneer line, the Northern expressed for the pioneer line, the Northern Pacific, which the people here regard as a great factor in bringing about this happy result. The future of Bismarck is now unquestioned. Yankron, Dak., June 3.—News of the location of the capital did not reach here until a

late hour last night and was not publicly known until this morning. Great interest was manifested. Groups of men were here and there on the street discussing the matter. The decision is received with much satisfaction as a rule. the second choice of most of South Dakots aspirants for the capital, as this would still leave the question of the capital of South Dakota open. Yankton for the most part shared this feeling, though some express fear that the same influence, as they put it, which caused the selection of Bismarck may also prevent division. Of course, Yankton has been almost unanimous in condemning the removal but the leastion of demning the removal, but the location at Bismarck is considered the best thing that could be now done. When a Yanktonian who has taken great interest in the quo warranto proceedings was asked whether the litigation mouth by steamed he seemed to see the litigation. would be stopped, he replied that he thought not, though the suit would undoubtedly be pressed with less vigor. Another replied that they would be stopped, but such would not be the case had the capital been located in any South Dakota town. Those who have insisted that the removal was a scheme of a syndicate with the governor to locate the capi-

WAHPETON, Dak., Special Telegram, June 3.—The location of the capital at Bismarck, yesterday, is received by our people with almost universal satisfaction. Representative Pyatt of this district says that, next to Wahpeton, Bismarck was his first choice. He thinks that division of the Territory is liable to come sooner, rather than be delayed. J. H. Miller, of the penitentiary board, was in favor of Huron, but thinks Bismarck the next best place.

county of the Northwest, the quanty of the No.

1 hard being especially and favorably commented upon.

THE RAILWAY SYSTEM.

A PROJECTED NET WORE.

The only railroad at present entering Bismark is the Northern Pacific, but it will not be many months before all the Northwestern trunk lines will astend their roads to the new intentions of the news in this city Mayor Benson as nonce wired to Mayor Ray-mond of Bismarck the congratulations of the news in this city Mayor Benson as nonce wired to Mayor Ray-mond of Bismarck the congratulations of the news in this city Mayor Benson as nonce wired to Mayor Ray-mond of Bismarck the congratulations of the news in this city Mayor Benson as nonce wired to Mayor Ray-mond of Bismarck the congratulations of the news in this city Mayor Benson as not wired to Mayor Ray-mond of Bismarck the congratulations of the news in this city Mayor Benson as the capital as Bismarck used to the public point of the news in this city Mayor

—The uncertainty, and delay of news on the balloting of the capital commissioners has kept the people of Mitchell in a state of intense excitement all day. Nothing definite was heard till late this evening, when the selection of Bismarck was announced. The citizens, while really disappointed in regard to our own prospects, are better satisfied with the selection of Bismarck than of anyother place. Pools were selling here to-day with odds in favor of Bismarck. Mitchell did not need the capital anyway and will boom as usual. There is now hope of the capital of Southern Dakota here. Chamberlain, Dak., Special Telegram, June CHAMBERLAIN, Dak., Special Telegram, June 2.—Bismarck will give good satisfaction to people here. Chamberlain was our first choice

and Bismarck next.

ABERDEEN, Dak, June 2.—The location of the capital at Bismarck is the occasion of much the capital at Bismarck is the occasion of much surprise here. It was generally thought that it would go to Ordway. This location is looked at with favor, as the expected location at Ordway would injure Aberdeen, and in the future Aberdeen will have a better chance for the capital of the southern part.

HURON, Dak., Special Telegram, June 2.—As far as can be ascertained this evening, the people seem well satisfied with the decision of the capital commission.

capital commission.

JAMESTOWN, Dak., Special Telegram, June 2.

—The people of Jamestown seem very well satisfied with the decision of the capital com-

mission.

PIERRE, Special Telegram, June 3.—The decision of the capital commission, by which the capital is located at Bismarck, is received by all here with surprise, as it has been understood that North Dakota, in view of the probable division of the Territory, did not ask the capital now. However, the second choice of Pierre was Bismarck, since all believe that the capital should be located on the Missouri river, and the decision just made gives strong indicaand the decision just made gives strong indica tions that the capital for Southern Dakota will be at Pierre.

Canton, Special Telegram, June 3.—Our people will accept the action of the commission without vigorous protest, aithough a South Dakota location would have been preferred.

ferred. Many are disposed to blame the southern members for not uniting upon a scuthern

GRAND FORKS, Special Telegram, June 3.

Only strong advocates of division are dissatisfied with the location of the capital at Bis-

marck. A large number are pleased that North

Dakota Wheat Lands.

Washington Republican: It is a noticeable

act that about six in every ten of the entries

of public lands this year have been made in the

Dakota carried off the prize

cult, as follows:

Scott and McKenzie for Bismarck, Myers,

Spaulding as a second, moved to adjourn until McKenzie, no, carrying the motion. The af-ternoon session was held in Keeney hall, and all were present. The clerk at once called the roll on the ballot for a location, and the fol-

The next vote was:

Mathews for Huron, and Thompson for Mitchell. Bismarck was declared chosen. Mr. Thompson moved, and Spalding seconded him, to make the choice unanimous, and this was carried without dissent. A recess of fifteen minutes was then taken, and after being called to order, Mr. Spalding offered a series of resolutions. The preamble recites the appointment of the commission, their selection of the ground offered by Bismarck for a capital site, namely the northeast quarter of sec-tion 33, town 139, north of range

THE DECIDING RESOLVES. The same is hereby declared to be the site of the

lected as the site of the capitol building of this Territory, be surveyed and laid out as prescribed by act of the legislature, and that of this tract not to exceed twenty acres shall be set apart as the capitol grounds, and the remainder shall be divided into lots and blocks.

under the control of this commission.

Resolved, That the plat of such survey shall be

Resolved, That the chairman of this commission be authorized and directed to take such steps as may be requisite to complete the donations guar-Resolved, That Messrs. Hughes, Spalding

to cause to be issued notice to as provided by the law. The resolution also appoints Messrs. Math.

night, arriving in St. Paul Sunday morning.

geographical center, has a superb agricultural country east, west, north and south of it; is not in embryo, but an actual town and a live one, and its offer to Dakota was a munificent

Territorial capital. The Chicago, Milwaukes & St. Paul's track now stops at E leudale, and the Northwestern at Abordeen. Neither place is very

fact that about six in every ten of the entries of public lands this year have been made in the Territory of Dakota. Reports from that part of the country indicate that within another year very nearly all of the agricultural lands east of the Missouri river will have been taken up by actual settlers. The reasons for this general tendency toward the Dakota country are not generally understood. In spite of climatic disadvantages which make some parts of the Territory disagreeable as places of residence, the Territory is irresistibly attractive to those who want the best and most reliable fields for grain growing. The soil is a rich loam many feet in depth, lying upon a bed of hard clay, which is almost waterproof. During the winter the weather is a constant variation from frost to thaw, so that by spring the soil is filled with a moisture so abundant that wheat will grow and flourish upon it independent of rainfall. Such a thing as a wheat failure has never been known in that part of the country, though frequently since settlement began the summers have been excessively hot and dry. The yield morover is always large, and most of the farmers after a few seasons have so far prospered that they have been able to hold their grain for a high market. These things have served to draw the bulk of immigration that way in a ratio that is increasing so fast that within a very few months only the low grounds and barren spots, which are few, will remain unsettled. Then will come the cutting up of those vast farms which a few vears ago astonished the world by their extent and their extraordinary productiveness. These farms served their purpose in advertising the Territory while yet it was young. Their owners will scarce be able to resist the opportunities that must shortly be offered them to sell at prices which will yield them fabulous profits. The next report of the general land office will show that more than two-thirds of all the sales to actual settlers on the public domain this spring and summer have been in the what lan A Dakota Timber Culture Entry.

The acting commissioner of the general land office to-day rendered a decision in the contested land case of Buell against Connelly and tested land case of Buell against Connelly and Ayers, involving one of the so-called fraudu-lent Cameron timber culture entries in the Huron, Dak., land district. The decision can-cels the entry of Ayers, on the groun that at the time his entry was made the previous contest of Buell against Connelly was pending, and awards the lands to Buell. In reviewing the case, the acting commissioner says:

awarus the lands to Buell. In reviewing the case, the acting commissioner says:

It appears from the evidence taken at the trial in November, 1881, that Connelly had in no particular compiled with the law, and this he virtually admits by filing his relinquishment of the entry dated July 10, 1880; but I also find that long prior to that date Connelly had relinquished his entry, to wit, August 2, 1879, the execution of which is attested by William H. Davenport and George Randall. This relinquishment is executed on the back of the duplicate receipt and only ten days after date of entry. The relinquishment of July 10, 1880, is executed upon a separate printed sheet, which is pasted on the back of the duplicate receipt relinquishment from sight, the existence of which was ascertained by soaking the duplicate receipt and second relinquishment in water, and they came apart. Mr. Ayers, in his context affidavit, dated January 3, 1883, swears positively that Connelly had failed to comply with the law in any particular, and that this entry is one of a series of entries made by John D. Cameron which are all notorionsly fraudulent and illegal. It is conceded by both Mr. Buell and Mr. Ayers, and the testimony and relinquishments establish the fact that Connelly's entry was fraudulent and illegal and that he did not comply with the law. His entry is accordingly canceled.

An appeal will be made by Mr. Ayers to the An appeal will be made by Mr. Ayers to the

secretary of the interior.

Mr. Hinman, commissioner to secure signatures of the Indians to the agreement to cede a portion of the reservaa syndicate with the governor to locate the capital at Ordway, admit their mistake; but, with a shake of the head which is supposed to have a deep meaning, they assert that Alexander Mc-Kenzie is a rustler. Some who have favored the removal look upon the location at Eismarck with a feeling of recret, realizing that, to great mass of Dakota's population, Eismarck is asinaccessible as Yankton.

MANDAN, Dak., June 3.—Gov. Ordway, in Mandan to-night, says the location of the capital in Bismarck is an excellent decision and will benefit Mandan and the Northern Pacific country west of here. In his opinion it is the best place and the most central location on the roat. mission by prejudicing the Indians against the proposed cession of a portion of their territory.

Deadwood Times: We are new satisfied that we will require no assistance from abroad: we can pull out of this difficulty, and hope soon to be good as

new. Lieut. H. M. Creel is postmaster and W. M. Ferris, assistant, of the Creel

Washburn, McLean county, is erecting a \$10,000 flouring mill.

## THE COURIER.

FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1883.

The wheat crop of California is estimated at 56,000,000.

Dakota has 120 newspapers, and others to be established early.

Within nine months 150 postoffices have been established in the territory.

The New York Sun predicts that in the twentieth century Dakota will be the grandest state of the American Union, and the Sun never errs-that is hardly ever.

Dakota has forty-eight money order offices, and the number is constantly in- SANBORN,

The Northern Pacific is now completed eighty miles out from Helena, leaving less than one hundred miles more to build.

According to the latest orders from the powers that be at Washington, postmasters must hereafter handle newspapers as carefully as they ought to letters.

It is estimated that from five to eight million of dollars are annually taken to New Hampshire by summer tourists.

When the attractions of North Dakota as a summer resort are fully known still larger sums will be expended here.—At-

The Indians of the Fort Totten reservation are to have a new school house costing \$68,000. They are highly pleased with this gift from the great father, and they are exuberant in their appreciation of it, offering to furnish the stone, sand, and wood necessary.

It is reported that all the people of Scotland who can get the means to pay their passage, are coming to the United Salt & Canned Fish, States. They are a gentle, honest and industrious people, and will make a valuable addition to the population of the Northwest, where they will engage in agriculture.

The Fargo Republican puts it thusly: Who wouldn't like a slice of a Dakota winter now? More people are known to have died from heat in the United States than have ever died from the cold in the northwest. Who would trade a cool Dakota night and the refreshing sleep 4tf for the hot, sultry, sweltering nights and debilitating days of those sections of the country that some people would not leave to come to Dakota, because it is redeem our hot days, and the beauty of our summers more than balance our cold winters. We are as well off as anybody so far as weather is concerned.

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## Attorney

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 14, 1883. 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 on the 11th day of July, 1883, viz: James Lowe, D S No. 10546, for the southwest 3 of section 18, township 144 n, range 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Byron Quinn, John Roote, Wm. Cochrane and Robert Cochrane, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

HAZEN & Clement. Notice.—U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T. June 14, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by John O. Peterson against Martin Van Horn for abandoning his homestead entry No. 9818 dated March 17 1882, upon the northeast quarter section 14, township 148, range 59, in Griggs county, D. T. with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are summoned to appear at this office on the 3d day of August, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment, E. C. GEAREY, Receiver, Jacobson & Strumgard, Atty's. jn22jy13.

Notice.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T. June 8, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thore J. Odegard against Martin Van Horn for failing to comply with law as to his timber enture entry No. 6606, dated March 17, 1882 upon the n w ½ section 14, township 148, range 59, in Griggs county, D. T. with a view to the cancellation of said entry; alleging that said Martin Van Horn has failed to break or cause to be broken 5 acres on said land during the first year of said entry or at any time since; contrary to the act of June 14, 1878; the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 30th day of July, 1883, at 10 o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish tespmony concerning said alleged abandonment.

HORACE AUSTIN, Begister.

Thompson & Krogh, Atty's. jn15jy20.

Notice of Final Proof. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 15, 1883. 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 on the 31st day of July, 1883, viz: James Kennedy, D. S. No. 10000 for the s w & of section 12, township 146 n. range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Samuel Sansborn, Manly J. Davis, George W. Bathey, Frank Hunter, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before J N Jorgengen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July A D 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Attorney.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land office at Fargo. D. T., May 8, 1883. 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 on the 31st day of July, 1883, viz: John Kennedy, D. S. No. 9564 for the ne ½ of section 14, township 146 n, range 50 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Will H. Carleton, Samuel B. Langford, Charles A. Hunter, William A. Weatherbec, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony herein to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July, A. D 1883 at his office. HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Wm. Glass, Attorney. jn15jy20.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 5, 1883. Notice is bereby 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 on the 1st day of August, 1883, viz: Johan L. Peterson, H. E. No. 10788 for the n w ¾ of sec 3 twp 146 n. range 57 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Anders G. Anderson, August Erickson, Petter O. Anderson, Anders G. Johnson, all of Mardell, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before U. S. Land Office at Fargo, Cass county, D. T., on the 1st day of August, 1883.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Thompson & Krogh, Atty's. jn15jn20.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 5, 1883. 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 on the 1st day of August, 1883, viz: Anders G. Anderson, H. E. No. 9438 for the northeast quarter of section 32, township 146 n. range 57 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Johan L. Petersin, August Erickson, Petter O. Anderson, Anders G. Johnson, all of Mardell, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before U. S. Land Office, at Fargo, Cass county, D. T., on the 1st day of August A. D. 1883.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Thompson & Krogh, Atty's. jn15jy20.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land office at Fargo, D. T., May 25, 1883. 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 on the 25th day of July, 1888, viz: Adolphus G. Lindsey, D. S. No. 12920 for the se & of section 24, township 145 n., range 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Peter Fiero, John W. Fiero, William McDonald, John S. Byington, all of Helena, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before where.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 8, 1883. 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 on the 31st day of July, 1883, viz: John Carlson. H E No. 10229 for the northeast quarter of section 2, township 147 m, range 58 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ole Serumgard, Stene H. Nelson, Christian Omann, of Mardell, D. T., and John Hogensen, of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Ole Serumgard.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 11, 1883. 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 on the 1st day of August, 1883, viz: Gunder Nave, D S No. 10751 for the southeast quarter of section 6, township 148 n, range 55 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ole O. Nave, Halvor S. Klefstadaas, Andrew Iverson, Randie Iverson, all of Lee, Grand Forks county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before Ole Serumgard, a notary public at Cooperstown, Griggs county, Dakota, on the 25th day of July, 1883, and of claimant before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register. Ole Serumgard. in 1996.

Notice of Final Proof. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 15, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed hotice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 2nd day of August, 1883, viz: Augustus Haskell, D. S. No. 1059 for the n w ½ of section 4. township 144 n, range 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: A. E. Shue, Nathan Sifton, H. Sulivan and William Lenham, all of Cooperstown Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgen, sen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

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Iver Jacobson, attorney-at-law. jn8yj18.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., June 25, 1883. 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 on the 15th day of August, 1883, viz: Anna H. Swenson, D. S. No. 8963 for the northwest quarter of section 32, township 144 n. range 60 w, and names the following as her witnesses, viz: Lars Pederson, John Michaelson, E. C. Evenson, and Ole O. Megnuson, all of Helena, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the District Court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office.

Jacobson & Serumgard. Atty's. jy6a10-

Jacobson & Serumgard. Atty's.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo D. T., June 20, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final entry thereof on the 8th day of August, 1883, viz: Charles Weedham, D S No.—for the s w x of section 6, township 145 n, range 60 w, and names the following as his witnessee, viz: Aliac Nicol, J. Nicol, Henry Diner, Erlyn Palmer, of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnessee to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HÖRACE AUSTIN, Register.

C. A. VanWormer, Attorney.—Lund Office at Fargo

C. A. VanWormer, Attorney.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 28, 1883. 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 on the 14th day of August, 1883, viz: George W. Baker, H E No. 9637 for the sek of section 4, township 148 n, range 57 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Harry H. Sonis, Perry Cady, Alfred D. Murrill, George M. Lewis, all of Traill county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 10th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

John N. Jorgensen, Attorney.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T. May 8, 1883. 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 on the 31st day of July, 1883, viz: Christian Omann. Il E. No. 10217 for the southeast quarter of section 2, township 147 n. range 58 w., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ole Serungard, Stene H. Nelson, of Mardell, D. T., and John Hogensen, John Carlson, of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Ole Serungard.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo. D. T., June 4, 1883. 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 on the 10th day of August, 1883, viz: Allen N. Adams, H. E. No. 11335 for the 8 ½ of n. w. 3 and 8 ½ of n. e. 3 of section 18, township 147, range 58 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Joseph Allen, H. O. Hougen, William Allen, Martin A. Hagen, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony herein to be taken before John N. Jorgo nsen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office. And you Ole F. Oppegard who filed D. S. No. 9810 on the 22d day of April. 1883 are hereby notified to be and appear before the U. S., Land Office Fargo. D. T., on the 6th day of August, 1883, and show cause if any you have, why said Allen N. Adams should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Wm. Glass, Attorney.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo. D. T., June 4, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the tollowing named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final entry thereof on the loth day of August, 1883, viz: William D. Allen, H. E. No.—Tor the s w ½ of section 30, township 147, n. range 58 w. and names the following as his witness s. viz: Joseph Allen, Allen N. Adams, Martin A. Hagen, H. O. Hougen, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and wims sees to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, elerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office. And you Wm. G. Collins, who filed D. S. No. 9549 on the 4th day of April, 1882, are hereby notified to be and appear before the U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., on the 6th day of August, 1883, and show cause if any you have why said Wm. D. Allen should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for said land. 

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., june 4, 1883. 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 on the 10th day of August, 1883. viz: Martin A. Hagen, H. E. No. 10290 for then ½ of n w ½ and n ½ of n e ½ of section 18, township 147 n, range 58 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Allen N. Adams, Joseph Allen, H. O. Hougen, William Allen, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before John N., Jørgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office, and of claimant hefore Hon, register or receiver of U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., on the 16th day of August, 1883.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Wm. Glass, Attorney.

Adams, Joseph Allen, H. O. Hougen, William Allen, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office and of claimant hefore Hon. register or receiver of U. S. Land Office at Fargo, D. T., on the Roh day of August, 1883.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, Intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 27th day of July, 1883, vitz. Andrew N. Gilderhus, D. S. No. 5788 for the e ½ of s w ½ see 6, and n ½ of n w ½ of section 7, towhship 148 n. range 58 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz. James Leval of District court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office. Jacobson & Seramgard.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 11, 1883. 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 on the 27th day of July, 1883, viz. Andrew N. Gilderhus, D. S. No. 5788 for the e ½ of s w ½ see 6, and n ½ of n w 2 to the court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. and the following as his witnesses, viz. James T. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen. clerk of the taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of

NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In the matter of Frank L. Axtell deceased. All persons having claims against said Frank L. Axtell deceased, are required to exhibit the same, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned administrator of said estate, at his office at the Park Avenue Hotel in Mardell, in the county of Griggs, territory of Dakota, and that four months have been limited as the time for creditors to present their claims against said estate.

Dated the 30th day of June, 1883.

Dated the 30th day of June, 1883.

J. F. AXTELL

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 31, 1883. 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 on the 9th day of August, 1883, viz: Gustave Gunderson, D. S. No. 11828 for the S ½ of s w ½ and s ½ of s e ½ of section 34, township 144 n. range 60 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Knut Stee. Thos. Stee, Eric Heyerdahl, Welie Hanson, all of Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of August, A. D 1883 at his office. And you, Abraham Gunderson, who filed D. S. 10209. May 22, 1882, on said tract, are hereby required to appear at this office on the 9th day of August, 1883 and show cause why the said Gustave Gunderson should not make his proof.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Scott & Squeirs, Atty's.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., June 5, 1883. 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 on the 10th day of August, 1883, viz: Victor Leclair Jr., H. E. No. 9855 for the see & of section 6, township 148 n. range 59 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ellef Olson, Ezra W. McCrea. Isaac Mille, A. R. Miller, all of Ottawa, Griggs county, D. T., The testimomy of witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court of Griggs county, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office, and that of claimant before register or receiver of said office August 10th, 1883.

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1022)y25. HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., June 12, 1883. Notice is hereey given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final entry thereof on the 27th day of July, 1883, viz; Knute P. Skanien, D. S. No. 1971 for the southwest quarter of section 20, township 147 n. range 58 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz; C. P. Bolkan, John E. Quale, Ole O. Fladeland, John M. Dahl, all of Mardell, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

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Notice of Fnal Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., May 17, 1883. 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 on the 28th day of July, 1883, viz: Paul Scherwin, H E No. 16524 for the n e ½ of sec. 34, township 148 n. range 56 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Andrew K. Johnson, Ole T. Rockney, Henry J. Bauley, John N. Scherwin, all of Newburg, Traill county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before J. N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 19th day of July A. D. 1883 at his office. And you liver H. Melvie, who made pre-emption, D S No. 10154 May 13th 1882, for the above described tract are hereby notified to appear at this office on the 20th day of July, 1883, and show cause if any you have why the said Paul Scherwin should not be allowed to make final proof and payment for his H E No. No. 16524. HORACE HUSTIN, Register. Filttie & Halveson, Attorneys. Jacobson & Serumgard. Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.

D. T., June 12, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention of July, 1883, viz. Henry O. Hougen, D. S. No. 10218 for the northeast quarter of section 30 township 147 n range 58 w. and names the following as his witnessees, viz. Erik Vestern, A. N. Adams. Martin Johnson, Ole Halverson, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register, Jacobson & Serumgard.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., June 6, 1883. 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 on the 1st day
of August. 1883. viz: Ole Olson Nave. D. S. No.
——for the north half of northeast quarter of section 7, township 148 n. range 58 w. and names the
following as his witnesses, viz: Gunder Nave,
Halvor S. Klefstandas Andrew Iverson Randi Iverson, all of Lee, Grand Forks county, D. T. The
testimony of witnesses to be taken before Ole Serumgard a notary public at Cooperstown, Griggs county,
D. T., on the 25th day of July 1883, and of claimant before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district
court at Cooperstown, Griggs county D. T., on the
25th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.
HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Ole Serumgard, Att'y. Notice of Final Phoof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., May H. 1883. 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 on the let day of August, 1883, viz: Randi Iverson, D. S. No. 1885 for the northwest quarter of section 8, township 148 n, range 58 w, and names the following as his winesses, viz: Ole O. Nave. Gunder Nave. Halver S. Klefstadaas, Andrew Iverson, all of Lee, Grand Forks county, D. T. The testimony of winesses to be taken before Ole Serumgard, a notary public at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T on the 25th day of July, 1883, and of claimant before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court, at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. on the 25th day of July, 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T., May 15, 1883. 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 on the 2nd day of August, 1883, viz: Joseph L. Haskell, D. S. No. 11038 for the n. e. ½ of section 4, township 144 n. range 61 w. and names the following as his witnessees, viz: A. E. Shue, Nathan Sifton, H. Sulivan and William Lenham, all of Cooperstown. Griggs county, D. T., on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T. May 29, 1883. Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make final proof in support of his intention to make side in that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make side in that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make side in that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make side in that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his dation and some final proof in s to make said proof and HORACE AUSTIN, Register. jn22jy18.

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HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.

Andrus & Jorgensen. Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 11, 1883. 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 on the 1st day of August, 1883, viz: Halvor S. Klefstadans, D. S. No. 10494 for the southwest quarter of section 8. township 148 n. range 58 w. and names the following as his witnesses, viz: Ole Olson Nave, Gunder Nave, Andrew Iverson, Randi Iverson, all of Lee, Grand Forks county, D. T. The testimony of witnesses to be taken before Ole Serungard, a notary public at Cooperstown, Grigggs county, D. T., on the 25th day of July, 1883, and of claimant before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of district court at Cooperstown, Grigggs county, D. T., on the 25th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN, Register.
Ole Serumgard.

Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., May 21, 1883. 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 on the 25th day of July, 1883, viz: Otto Erickson, D.S. No. 10629 for the n ½ of f & ½, n w ½ of f & e and f & y of f & e and f & e

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo.
D. T. June 9, 1883. 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 on the 14th day of Aug., 1883, viz: Iver Jacobson. D. S. No. 11833 for the northwest quarter of section 8, township 146 n. range 59 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz:
R. T. Pinkerton, A. Secklesteel, Allan Pinkerton and Nate Sifton, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown. Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office.

HORACE AUSTIN. Register.
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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo. D. T. June 9, 1883. 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 on the 14th day of August, 1883, viz: Allan Pinkerton, D. S. Mo—for the northwest quarter of section 6, township 146 n. range 58 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz: D. D. Grant, A. Secklesteel, R. T. Pinkerton, N. Sifton, all of Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T. the testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Griggs county, D. T., on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1883 at his office.

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NOTICE OF FINAL PROOF.—Land Office at Fargo. D. T. June 4 fleet proof in support of his the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and secure final entry thereof on the 14th day of August, 183, viz: Allan Pinkerton, D. S. No. 1883, viz: Allan Pinkerton, D. S. No. 1883, viz: Allan Pinkerton, D. S. Filed of the following named secure final entry thereof on the 14th day of August, 182, viz: Allan Pinkerton, D. S. Filed of the following named secure f

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And wavy tresses gushing from the cap With which the Roman master crowned his When he took off the gyves. A bearded

man, Armed to the teeth, art thou; one mailed

Grasps the broad shield, and one the sword;
thy brow,
Glorious in beauty though it be, is sacred
With tokens of old wars; thy massive limbs
Are strong with struggling.
—Bryant.

### JOHN AND I.

"Come, John," said I cheerfully, "it really is time to go; if you stay any longer I shall be afraid to come down and

lock the door after you."

My visitor rose—a proceeding that always reminded me of the genii emerging from the copper vessel, as he measured six foot three-and stood looking

reproachfully down at me.
"You are in a great hurry to get rid of

me." he said.

Now I didn't agree with him, for he had made his usual call of two hours and a half; having, in country phrase, taken to "sitting up" with me so literally that I was Requently at my wit's end to suppress the yawn that I knew would bring a troop after it.

He was a fine manly looking fellow, this John Cranford, Ald for his age— which was the rather boyish period of twenty-two-and every way worthy of being loved. But I didn't love him. I was seven years his senior; when, instead of letting the worm of concealment press onlinis damask cheek, he ventured to tell his love for my mature self, I re-morsely seized an English prayer book, and pointed sternly to the clause, "A man may not marry his grandmother." That was three years ago, and I added encouragingly:

"Beside, John, you are a child, and

don't know your own mind."
"If a man of 19 doesn't know his mind," remonstrated my lover, "I would like to know who should. But I will

wait for you seven years, if you say so—fourteen—as Jacob did for Rachel."
"You forgot," I replied laughing at his way of mending matters," that a woman does not, like wine, improve with age. But seriously, John, this is absurd; you are a nice boy, and I like you—but my feeling toward you are more those of a mother than a wife."

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The boy's eyes flashed indignantly, and before I could divine his intention he had lifted me from the spot where I stood, and carried me infant fashion to to the sofa, at the other end of the room. "I could almost find it in my heart to shake you!" he muttered, as he set me down with emphasis.

This was rather like the courtship of William of Normandy, and matters promised to be quite exciting.

"Don't do that again," said I with dignity, when I recovered my breath.

"Will you marry me?" asked John, somewhat threateningly.

"Not just at present," I replied.

"The great handsome fellow," I thought as he paced the floor restlessly, "why couldn't he fall in love with some girl of 15, instead of setting his affections on an old maid like me? I don't want the boy on my hands, and won't have him!"

"As to your being 26," pursued John, in answer to my thoughts, "you say it's down in the family Bible, and I suppose it must be so; but no one would believe it; and I don't care if you are 40. You look like a girl of 16, and you are the only woman I shall ever love."

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O John, John! at least five millions of men have said the same thing before in every known language. Nevertheless, when he fairly breaks down and cries, I relent—for I am disgracefully soft-hearted—and weakly promise then and there that I will either keep my own name or

take his.

And John looked radiant at this concession, for love is a very dog in a manger. It was a comfort to know that if he could not gather the flower himself, no one else would.

A sort of family shipwreck had wafted John to my threshold. Our own household was sadly broken up, and I found myself, comparatively young in years, with a half invalid father, a large house, and very little money. What more natural determination than to take boarders? And among the first were Mr. Cranford and his son and sister, who had just been wrecked themselves by the death of the wife and mother in a foreign land—one of those sudden, unexpected deaths, that leave the survicors in a dazed condition, because it is so difficult to imagine the gay wordling who has been welled hence in a source of the second second than the second seco difficult to imagine the gay wordling who has been called hence in another

who has been called hence in another state of being.

Mr. Cranford was one of my admirations from the first. Tall, pale, with dark hair and eyes, he reminded me of Dante, only that he was handsomer; and he had such a general air of knowing everything worth knowing (without the least pedantry, however) that I was quite afraid of him. He was evidently wrapped up in John, and patient with his sister—which was asking quite enough of Christian charity under the sun, for Mrs. Shellgrove was a unmitigated nuisance. Such a talker! babbling of her own and her brother's affairs with equal indiscretion, and treating the latequal indiscretion, and treating the lat-ter as though he were an incapable in-

They stayed with us for three years and during that time I was fairly persecuted about John. Mrs. Shellgrove wrote me a letter on the subject, in which she informed me that the whole which she informed me that the whole family were ready to receive me with open arms—a prospect that I did not find at all alluring. They seemed to have their hearts set upon me as a person peculiarly fitted to train John in the way he should go. Everything, I was told, depended on his getting the right kind of a wife.

A special interview with Mr. Cranford, at his particular request, touched me considerably.

"I hope" said he, "that you will not refuse my boy, Miss Edna. He has set his heart so fully upon you, and you are everything that I could desire in a daughter. I want some one to pet. I feel sadly lonely at times, and I am sure you would fill the vacant niche."

I drew my hand away from his caress, and almost felt like hating John Cranford. Life with him would be one of ease and luxury; but I decided that I had rather keep boarders.

Not long after this the Cranfords concluded to go to housekeeping, and Mrs. Shelligrove was in her glory. She always came to luncheon in her bonnet, and gave minute details of all that had been done and talked of about the house in in the last twenty-four hours.

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"It is really magnificent," said she, lengthening out each syllable. "Brother has such perfect taste. And he is actually furnishing the library, Miss Edna after your suggestion. You see we look upon you quite as one of the family."

"That is very good of you," I replied, shortly; "but I certainly have no expectation of ever belonging to it."

Mrs. Shellgrove laughed as though I had perpetrated an excellent joke.

"Young ladies always deny these things, of course; but John tells a different story."

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I rattled the cups and saucers angrily; and my thoughts floated off, not to John, but to John's father, sitting lonely in the library furnished after my suggestion. Was'nt it, after all my duty to marry the family cenerally?

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The house was finished and moved into, and John spent his evenings with me. I used to get dreadfully tired of him. He was too devoted to be at all interesting, and I had reached that state of feeling which, if summarily ordered to take my choice between him and the gallows, I would have prepared myself for the latter with a sort of cheerful alacrity.

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I tocked the door upon John on the evening in question, when I had finally got rid of him, with these things in full force; and I meditated while undressing on some desperate move that would bring matters to a crisis.

scarcely knew what to make of him. If he would only give me up. I thought; but I felt sure that he would hold me to that weak promise of mine. that I should either become Edna Cranford or remain Edra Carrington.

"Mr. Cranford," was announced one evening and I entered the parlor fully prepared for an overdose of John, but found myself confronted by his father.

He looked very grave, and instantly I imagined all sorts of things, and reproached myself for my coldness.

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"Quite well," was the reply, in such kind tones that I felt sure there was

something wrong.

What it was I cared not, but poured forth my feelings impetuously to my astonished visitor.

"He must not come here again!" I exclaimed. "I do not wish to see him. Tell him so, Mr. Cranford! tell him that I had rather remain Edna Carrington as he made me promise, than to become

very lonely—so lonely that I do not see how I can give her up."

I glanced at him, and the room seemed swimming around—everything was dreadfully unreal. I tried to sit down, and was carried tenderly to a sofa.

"Shall it be Edna Carrington or Edna Cranford?" he whispered. "You need not break your promise to John."

"Edna Cranford," I replied, feeling that I had left the world entirely, and was in another sphere of existence.

If the thought crossed my mind that Mr. Cranford had rather cheerfully supplanted his son, the proceeding was fully justified during the visit which I soon received from that young gentleman. I tried to make it plain to him that I did him no wrong, as I had never professed to love him, though not at all sure that I wouldn't receive the shaking threatened on a previous occasion, and I endeavored to be as tender as possible, for I felt really sorry for him.

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ment. And this was the dreadful news that his father had come to break to me when this narrative was nipped in the bud by my revelations and the interview ended in a far more satisfactory manner than either of us had anticipa-

So I kept my promise to John, after all; and as Miss Rose kept her's, he is now a steady married man, and a very agreeable son-in-law.

The widow of the late Singer, of sew ing machine fame, married a Hollander, who became first Baron D'Estambourg, and has now elevated himself to the title of Duke of Campofelice.

# Truth is Mighty and Must Prevail

Is a good old maxim, but no more reliable than the 'oft repeated verdict of visitors that

## COOPERSTOWN, DAKOTA,

is the Queen City of a magnificent county and the most beautifully located of the many new and prosperous places of North Dakota. It is the

Permanent County Seat of Griggs County,

and, though only a few months old, already has a representation in nearly every branch of business and each man enjoying a profitable trade. Plenty of room for more business houses, mechanics or professional men. Cooperstown is not only the

TERMINUS OF THE S. C. & T. M. R. R., but is also Headquarters thereof. In short, the place is, by virtue of its situation

The Central City of the Central County of North Dakota.

But the boy had become roused at last. He, too, had reflected in the watches of the night; and next day I recieved quite a dignified letter from him, telling me that business called him from the city for two or three weeks, and that possibly on his return I might appreciate his devotion better.

Tinexpressibly felt relieved. It appeared to me the most sensible move that John had made in the whole course of our aquaintance, and I began to breathe with more freedom.

Time flew, however, and the three weeks lengthened to six, without John's return. He wrote to me, but his letters became somewhat constrained; and I searcely knew what to make of him. If he would only give me up, I thought; the Vick terredect agreement to the product of the requirement of the product reputation for business thrift even this early in her history.

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GREAT STRIDES

I had rather remain Edna Carrington as he made me promise, than to become Edna Cranford."

"And he made you promise this?" was the reply. "The selfish fellow! But Edna, what am I to do without the little girl I have been expecting? I am very lonely—so lonely that I do not see how I can give her up."

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To my great surprise John laughed heartily.

"Well, this is jolly!" he exclaimed.

"And I am not a villian, after all. What do you think of her Edna?"
He produced an ivory-type in a rich velvet case—a pretty, little, blue-eyed simpleton, who looked about 17.

"Rose," he continued—"Rose Darling; the name suits her, doesn't it? She was staying at my uncle's in Maryland—that's where I've been visiting, you know, and she's such a dear little confiding thing that a fellow couldn't help falling in love with her. And she thinks no end of me, you see; says she's quite afraid of me and all that."

John knew that I wasn't a bit afraid of him; but I felt an elderly sister sort of interest in his happiness, and had never liked him so well as at that moment. And this was the dreadful news a fact demonstrated by the merchants already established afraid of the wast and the moment. And this was the dreadful news a fact demonstrated by the merchants already established.

a fact demonstrated by the merchants already established and enjoying big trades. Cooperstown is not an experiment but is built on the solid rock of commercial indus-Sound investments can be made in Cooperstown city property or Griggs county farm lands by applying to the cooperstown, D. T.,

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"In the culture of flowers," says Dickens, "there cannot, by there very nature, be anything solitary or exclusive. The wind that blows over the cottage porch sweeps over the grounds of the nobleman, and as the rain descends over the just and the unjust, so it com-municates to all gardens, both rich and poor, an interchange of pleasure and enjayment, and the gardener of the rich man, is developing or enhancing a fruitful flavor or a delightful scent, is, in some sort, the gardener of every-body else."

A new bonanza has been struck in southwestern Missouri. It is a pigeonroost, occupied by thousands of pigeons. roost, occupied by thousands of pigeons. A piece of densely timbered wood, hetween five and six miles in length, is full of these interesting birds, of which thousands are caught daily and shipped to distant cities. One day 5,600 pounds formed the shipment of these birds. The stay of the pigeons is made even more desirable to the locality, because they do no damage, seeking their food at a distance. at a distance.

According to the Syracuse N. Y., Herald, a pine floor laid in a gold worker's shop in ten years becomes worth \$150 per foot. A Syracuse jeweler once bought for less than \$50 some sweepings that gave \$308 worth of gold. A tub in his cellar, into which is blown the dust from a polishing lathe, accumulates \$50 a year. A workingman in his shop carried off on the tips of his moistened finger \$30 of fillings in a few weeks. Workmen sometimes oil their hair and run their fingers through it, leaving a deposit of gold particles, which they afterwards wash out.

Taj Mahal in India, in some respects the most majestic building on earth. Twenty thousand men were twenty years in building it. It costs about \$16,-000,000. The wails are of marble, inlaid with cornelian from Bagdad, and tur-quoise from Thibet, and jasper from Punjab, and amethyst from Persia, and all manner of precious stones. There is around it a garden of tamrind, and ban-yan, and palm, and all theflore stories of the ransacked earth. But that is only a tomb of a dead Empress.

During the past month the American Episcopal church in Paris, of which the Rev. Mr. Morgan is rector, has been the recipient of two valuable gifts from two members of the congregation. One of them is a parish building which will contain a chapel, rooms for the Sundayschool and parish societies, and a study for the rector. The other is a mortuary chapel which will be of stone, hand-somely fitted up inside. As a temporary resting place for the bodies of those whose friends may wish to bring them to this country, this mortuary chapel will prove to be a great accommo-

This little incident is given by the writer to show that some travelers have not sense enough to diagnose a family party when they see one: A traveler saw a woman take a man by the collar, yank him up the steps into a railway car, jam him down into the hot seat next the stove, pile up a valise and two brown baskets with loose covers and long handles at his feet, shove a baby into his lap and say: "Now, sit there until I help Mary Jane on the car, and don't you move until I come back." When the woman reached the car door the traveler said to her, "Is that man your husband?"
"Now-w-w!" roared the woman; "he's
my daughter's husband, and she hasn't spirit enough to say her soul is her own!"

A man offering violence to a woman A man offering violence to the mearest might well be shot down by the nearest might well be shot down by the nearest might will be shown by the nearest might will be sho middle life and by deliberate steps turn away from home and wander off into the outside world, remedy is not a pistol, but divorce. What a fool Ruskin would have been had he shot anybody! What an infinite blockhead would the Rey. Newman Hall have made of himself had he attempted to keep his of nimself had he attempted to keep his domestic affairs all right by means of a few murders! In this city, when a wife recently ran off with another man, the deserted mortal requested the new husband to treat well the stolen wife. Good idea! No bloodshed! No noise and confusion! If A's wife prefer B, she is not worth the powder that would kill B.—Professor Swing in Weekly Magazine.

I Don't Believe It. Said a scabby dyspeptic to a friend who had just told him that Dr. Guysott's Yellow Dock and Sarsaparilla was a permanent cure for dyspepsia—''I don't believe it,' and the crabdyspepsia—
by dyspeptic continues to enjoy the horrible comfort that his dyspepsia gives him. Dr. Gursott's remedy is a permanent cure for dyspepsia. It strengthens the digestive organs most wonderfully.

Thomas Jefferson's Prophecies. What is believed to be the last letter ever written by Thomas Jefferson-to Mayor Weightman, of Washington, declining, because of sickness, an invita-tion to attend the Fourth of July exercises in that city in 1826—has just been found in an old family Bible in Baltinore. Referring to the event about to

be commemorated, it runs as follows:
"May it be to the world what I benieve it will be (to some parts sooner to others later, but finally to all), the signal of arousing men to burst the chains un-der which monkish ignorance and superstition had persuaded them to bind themselves, and to assume the blessings and security of self-government. The form which we have substituted re-stores the free right to the unbounded exercise of reason and freedom of opinion. All eyes are opened or opening to the rights of man. The general spread of the lights of science has already laid open to every view the palatable truth that the mass of mankind has not been born with saddles on their backs, nor a favored few booted and spurred ready to ride them legitimately, by the grace of God. These are grounds of hope for others-for ourselves let the annual re-turn of this day forever refresh our recollections of their rights and an undi-minished devotion to them."

## FROM THE OLD WORLD.

From the great London (Eng.) Times. Among the many specifics introduced to the pub-dic for the cure of dyspepsia, indigestion, derangements of various kinds, and as a general family medicine, none have met with such genuine ap-preciation as Hop Bitters. Introduced to this country but a comparatively short time since, to meet the great demand for a pure, safe and perfec family medicine, they have rapidly increased in favor, until they are, without question, the most popular and valuable medicine known. Its world-wide renown is not due to the advertising it has received: it is famous by reason of its inheren It does all that is claimed for it. charges its curative powers without any of the evi effects of other bitters or medicine, being perfectly safe and harmless for the most frail woman. safe and harmless for the most frail woman, smallest child, and weakest invalid to use. Few are the homes indeed where the great discovery has not already been hailed as a deliverer and welcomed as a friend. It does what others affect to do. Composed of simple materials, it is a marvel of delicare and successful combination. Nothing is wanting. Every ingredient goes straight to the mark at which it is aimed, and never fails. Pleasant to the palate, agreeable to the stomach, and thoroughly effective as a cure, it has won for itself the confidence of all.—Times. London, Eng.

### A Few Unsolicited Letters From Thousands Received.

Feb. 9, 1882. I have tried experiments on myself and others with Hop Bitters, and can easily recommend them as a pleasant and efficacious medicine. I have found them specially useful in cases of congestion of the kidneys, as well as in bilious derangements.

Rev. J. MILNER, M. A.,

Rector to the Duke of Edinburgh.

U. S. Consulate, MANCHESTER, ENG., Nov. 5, 1882.

Gentlemen:—Since writing you of the great benefit I had derived from taking "Hop Bitters." I gave a friend a bottle, who has been suffering much from dyspepsia and sluggish liver, and the change was marvelous; he appeared another being altogether. He had tried several other remedies without any benefit. I could name over a dozen other miraculous cures.

ARTHUR C. HALL,
Consular Clerk.

LONDON. ENG., Sept. 1, 1882.

I am pleased to testify to the good effects of your "Hop Bitters." have been suffering a long time with severe pain in the left side and across the loins, and, having tried a number of so-called remedies without any benefit, I am glad to acknowledge the great relief I have obtained from your medicine.

CHARLES WATSON.

COLCHESTER, ENG., Aug. 18, 1882. Gentlemen:—I was troubled with a very bad form of indigestion for a long time, and tried many things in vain until I got some "Hop Bitters," and on taking was quite cured, and remain so till this time. It is now three months ago since I was bad. F. BELL

From Rev. J. C. BOYCE, M. A. Oct. 30, 1882.
Dear Sirs:—I have lately finished my first bottle of "Hop Bitters." After having for many years suffered acutely from rheumatic gout (inherited)! feel so much better, and can walk so much more freely, should like to continue the use of it. I write to ask how many bottles you will let me have for £1, so that I may always have some in stock.

From Ould Ireland.

Hop Bitters Co., DUBLIN, Nov. 22, 1882. Gentlemen:—You may be interested to learn that one of the most eminent judges on the Irlsh bench (a customer of mine) highly approves of your Hop Bitters, having received great benefit from their use.

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ALEXANDRIA PALACE, LONDON, ENG., April 18, 1882. I find Hop Bitters a most wonderful medical combination, healthful, blood - purifying and strengthening. I can from analysis, as well as from medical knowledge, highly recommend them as a valuable family medicina.

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BARBARA WALLACE GOTHARD, Supt.

London. Eng., Feb. 1, 1882.

Gentlemen:—For years I have been a sufferer from kidney complaint, and from using your Hog Bitters am entirely cured, and can recommend them to all suffering from such disease.

WILLIAM HARRIS.

SHEFFIELD, Eng., June 7, 1882.

Sir:—Having suffered from extreme nervous debility for four years, and having tried all kinds of medicine and change of scene and air without deriving any benefit whatever, I was persuaded by a friend to try Hop Bitters, and the effect, I am happy to say, was most marvelous. Under these circumstances I feel it my duty to give this testimonial for the benefit of others, as I may say I am now entirely well; therefore I can justly and with confidence give personal testimony to any one wishing to call upon me.

Yours truly,

HENRY HALL. SHEFFIELD, Eng., June 7, 1882.

from billiousness, accompanied with sickness and dreadful headache (being greatly fatigued with overwork and long hours at business), I lost all energy, strength and appetite. I was advised by a triend in whom I had seen such beneficial effects to try Hop Bitters, and a few bottles have quite altered and restored me to better health than ever.
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am pleased to add with the like result. Every claim
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From Germany.

KATZENBACHHOF, Germany, Aug. 28, 1881.

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Dear Sirs:—I have taken your most precious essence, Hop Bitters—and I can already, after so short a time, assure you that I feel much better than I have felt for months.

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Yours very truly,

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I am the first who introduced your Hop Bitters in Portugal and Spain, where they are now used very extensively. Yours very truly.

Parcon De FONTE BELLA.

Profession de Chemie et de Pharmacie, Coimbra University, Coimbra, Portugal.



### Breaking a Corner.

In the early days of Michigan, when one dealer was the source of supply for a large territory, a capitalist from the East suddenly bought up all the tobacco and whisky to be got hold of in the state. There was no railroad communication: it was winter, and there was no navigation, and everything promised a big profit on the speculation. Prices began to creep up and settlers to inquire and protest, and the capitalist was rubbing his hands and holding on, when something happened. He was on his way to church one Sunday when he was seized by a band of tough-looking pioneers and carried to the river, where a hole already had been cut in the ice.
"What is the meaning of this?" he

finally asked.
"It means old prices fur whisky and terbacker!" replied the spokes-

man. "How?"

They proceeded to enlighten him. Two of the band gave him a duck into the water, and he was plunged in and hauled out three times before he got his breath and said:

"Gentleman, tobacco hastaken a great

drop!"
"Give him some more!" said the leader, and into the freezing cold water he went again. When they hauled him out blue with cold, and teeth chattering, he

observed:

"And whisky is ten cents a gallon less than the old price!"—[Wall Street News.

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Notice of Final Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, of T. June 20, 1883. 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 on the 7th day of August, 1883, viz. Mary Falcerier, H. E. No. 8885 for the n. w 4.06 section 2, township 148 n. range 56 w, and names the following as her witnesses viz: Nils H. Rersgaarden, Peter J. Ost no Robert Shannon and George Brown, all of N. wburg. Traill county, D. T. The testimony of claimant and witnesses to be taken before J. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court at Cooperstown, Grigge county, D. T., on the 28th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

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Notice of Final, Proof.—Land Office at Fargo, D. T., Jane 15, 1883. 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 on the 1st day of August, 1883. viz. John L. Benson, Griggs county, D. T. H. E. No. 12643 for the n w ½ of section 32, township 145 n, range 61 w, and names the following as his witnesses, viz. James D. Pasey, Ed. Johnson, Loren Syverson, Wm. Syverson, all of Stutsman county, D. T. The testimony to be taken before John N. Jorgensen, clerk of the district court, at Cooperstown, D. T., on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1883 at his office.

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Notice.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., June

Notice.—U. S. Land Office, Fargo, D. T., June 12, 1883. Complaint having been entered at this office by Ole H. Moen against Mathias T. Swickard for abandoning his homestead entry No. 9816, dated March 17, 1882, upon the southeast quarter section 28, township 148 north of range 59 w., in Griggs county, D. T., with a view to the cancellation of said entry; the said parties are summond to appear at this office on the 26th day of July 1883 at ten o'clock a. m., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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