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F. L. Larson  
Administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Niels Larson deceased.  
Dated at Canton, S. D., Sept. 7th 1891.  
A. B. HICKEY,  
Attorney for Administrator.

## WASHINGTON NOTES.

*The News From the National Capital as it Effects the Interests of the Western Farmers.*

*Our Correspondent Tells What Our Officials are Doing in the Capital City.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 10.—*Special Correspondence:* Secretary Foster, who has been credited with having been taken into the Cabinet for the special purpose of taking charge of Mr. Harrison's campaign for renomination, has, if current talk be true, undertaken a very delicate piece of work. He leaves here Wednesday for New York, where he will go aboard of a friend's steam yacht, ostensibly to take a two weeks' cruise for rest and recreation, but, according to the story, in reality to proceed directly to Bar Harbor, where, as Mr. Harrison's personal and confidential representative, he is to confer with Mr. Blaine and endeavor to get a direct answer from that gentleman as to whether he will accept the republican nomination next year if it is tendered him. Should that answer be in the affirmative Mr. Harrison will shortly announce his withdrawal as a candidate for renomination and the administration influence will be used to make Mr. Blaine's nomination unanimous. Should the answer be in the negative Secretary Foster will endeavor to persuade Mr. Blaine to make public his determination not to be a candidate under any circumstances, and his preference for Mr. Harrison. It is noticeable that many prominent republicans who have previously opposed Mr. Blaine's Presidential aspirations are now in favor of his nomination, and that is what has caused Mr. Harrison to think that the time has come when either he or Mr. Blaine should formally announce the position they occupy in the matter. Ordinarily such stories as this are smiled at in Washington, but owing to the source from which this one emanated and other circumstances, it is generally accepted as being nearly or quite true. Should Mr. Blaine decide to accept the nomination his remaining in the Cabinet is problematical and would depend largely upon Mr. Harrison.

The death of ex-Senator Pomeroy, of Kansas was a striking reminder to the old-timers of the ups and downs of political life. For a considerable period Senator Pomeroy was the idol of his party in Kansas, and in those days his party was practically the only one in that State, besides wielding a forceful influence in the national party councils, but there came a dark cloud in the shape of charges of bribery and corruption, which although never proven either in a court of law or before the Senate committee that investigated them, yet resulted in defeating him for re-election to the Senate and in destroying completely his political influence. After serving out his second term in the Senate he settled down in Washington and became known as a lobbyist, whether he actually was a lobbyist is more than your correspondent can say.

Where the flesh pots are there will the hungry gather, and the fragrance of the \$7,500 per annum which goes along with the vacancy in the board of Inter State Commerce Commissioners caused by the recent death of W. L. Bragg, of Alabama, seems to have extended to nearly every State in the Union, for there are candidates from nearly all of them; from some of them a half a dozen. Among the most prominent of the candidates are Congressmen Herbert, of Alabama; and Culbertson of Texas; ex-Senator Reagan of Texas; ex-Attorney General Garland, of Arkansas; Gen. E. S. Bragg, of Wisconsin, and Judge A. H. Morrill, and Col. Shorter of Alabama, all democrats. There was some talk here a few days ago of pushing an Alliance man for this place, but if anything is being done, it is very quietly, and no formal application has been put in. Under the law the place must be filled by a democrat, but it would be an easy matter for Mr. Harrison, if so inclined, to find a democrat who is also an Alliance man, but will he

## do it?

The delegates to the International Congress of Geologists, which finishes a week's session here to-morrow, will on Wednesday start on a six thousand mile excursion tendered them by generous Uncle Sam. Many of the delegates are distinguished foreigners.

Washington turned out Saturday night to see the Union Veterans who had just returned from the annual meeting of the Union, which decided upon this city as its next meeting place, the time to be the same as the G. A. R. Encampment of 1892. Gen. S. S. Yoder, the newly elected Grand Commander of the Union was present.

## WORTHING WAIFS.

A Few Items From Our Regular Correspondent From Worthing.

Weather fine.  
Health good.  
Everybody is happy.  
Town improving fast.  
Forteen carpenters and two masons at work.

All are over the Lake Excursion now. Grain is pouring in by the car load. An enjoyable dance at our new hall last Friday night.

Mrs. Copeland's Cottage is inclosed. Elevator under roof and will be completed in a few days.

Our lumber yard looks sick, impossible to get lumber as fast as they can sell it. Chas. Leavitt will soon leave for Sioux Falls, where he will go into business, with his brother.

Haying is about done.

Frost did but little damage here.

Some of our young men took too much bug juice the night of the dance, which did them no credit in the estimation of the better classes. Beware, young men, of your danger, and save your credit.

Mr. Farmer's father was in town Saturday and took from Hanner's store a melon that was all he could carry, to his buggy, a Sunday feast we predict.

Ed Henry went to Hull this week.

Mr. Christenson of Canton gave us a business call last Saturday.

Our merchants have all they can do these days. Doing up goods.

Miss May Henry is working in the office with her father these days.

The Farmers have a No 1 pair of Fairbank scales in by the front of their house now.

The E. W. Norton letter in the LEADER met with poor belief here. Ed is too old a democrat to reform our people.

It is amusing to hear some of the people arguing in favor of the poor saloons. They seem to think it a curse to enforce our prohibition law. They will see the result sooner or later.

We hope the temperance people will not vote this fall with the whisky ring, as many have heretofore.

Great scheming is now going on to capture our caucus. Keep your eyes on the old schemers, and don't be deceived by their soft talk and cunning smiles.

We predict an independent candidate will be in the field. If so let each one of us stand by him as well as we know there is no difference in the two old parties.

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