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In the house the capitol removal bill was referred to a special committee of five appointed by the speaker, consisting of Messrs. Southwick, Williams, Miller, Mark Ward and Huntington, four southreners and one northerner. The purpose of this action is said to be to give the council the first opportunity to take final action on the bill. In the council the bill remains in the hands of the committee of the whole, with its amendment, to locate the capitol at Ordway, adopted by that committee. It is thought by the majority of Dakotaians that the bill has been killed or else buried beyond resurrection. But there is a possibility arising that before the season is over the issue may undergo another series of revivication, in which case the members will have received a more thorough inkling of their constituents views. Lincoln county favors a temporary relocation at Yankton, and it now looks as if this was the only way out of the removal difficulty.

There is some talk of removing the machine shops, round house and other division buildings of the Milwaukee railway company to a more convenient western point than Sanborn. In the first place the location at Sanborn was made through the influence of the division superintendent with a like name, since which time the water facilities have proven totally inadequate for the business of the company. Coupled with this difficulty comes the inconvenience of the division being located at such a distance from their Dakota lines, and from the fact that Sanborn is entirely too near the next eastern division. Now this would be of little interest to the people of Canton if it were not for the possibility arising that the company may yet make a change in their permanent location of a passenger and freight division, and that Canton might offer superior inducements in the way of location and subsidies for the establishment of their Dakota headquarters at the gateway to their immense territory. The location is such as would do away with the necessity of the company spending extra money on division buildings for their Sioux City and Dakota and Yankton branches, and this point could easily be made a junction for the centrification of their business in western Iowa and Southern Dakota. The entire railway dining feature of the railroad business should naturally center at Canton, no less than six trains having run into this city daily the past year precisely at noon and at supper time. In short, the natural facilities, location and conveniences for the division point of the Milwaukee company are found in Canton, and should the company at any future time find it their interest to change their location from Sanborn the city of Canton will feel that they have a pretty strong hand to present for recognition.

There is a strong democratic lobby at Washington from Dakota, headed by Barney Caulfield, and working for the division bill now before the house. They express great confidence in effecting a desirable result, which, for them, is to get rid of North Dakota domination. One thing they are especially hopeful of accomplishing, and that is throw doubt on the authority of Bismarck as the capitol of the territory. They claim to have Governor Pierce in sympathy with their expectations, his influence being counted on to tie the hands of North Dakota from opposing the southern part of the territory in the effort for division. A good deal is said about South Dakota becoming democratic, and a Washington correspondent says some credence is given the statement. "South Dakota democratic." All laugh.

Canton protests against the passage of the capitol bill—that is certain residents of Canton do. Canton is the place where the capital commission organized and some of its people "caught on" when the real estate deal promised big results.—Yankton Press.

The Press is right when it states that "certain residents" of Canton oppose removal, but these same gentlemen fail to reflect the sentiments of the nine-tenths majority in Lincoln county. The real truth of the matter, as the case now stands, discloses the fact, however, that all are not satisfied with the Pierre scheme, nor content with a permanent location at this particular time. The more conservative spirits can see at a glance that the removal to Pierre will be injurious to the future solidity of the South Dakota forces, and that the repeal of the old bill and a temporary location at Yankton would prove more harmonious and satisfactory than any other movement at present. For a reopening of the old contentional struggles no more disastrous feature could be inaugurated than another rough and tumble scramble between these rival cities of South Dakota for the permanent location of the seat of government Let it go to Yankton.

The outcome of the trial of Lewis, the Mitchell murderer, is a rank shame and disgrace to the judicial administration of Dakota. Lewis shot down the marshal of Mitchell, in cold blood, was observed by several witnesses who testified that Pierce was doing nothing but engaged in the discharge of his duties, and yet a jury found him not guilty. It certainly seems that a premium is paid on crime out that way.

Vest should read Governor Pierce's last annual report and stop to consider what an incomparable ass he has made of himself. For instance there is a balance of over $218,000 in the territorial treasury, and 1884 was a disastrous year at that. This is about the same balance that the United States had at the close of Buchanan's administration, and there was no war debt to pay either. Just think of it. Dakota, a territory, asking for admission into the union, and refused by a party who had depleted the treasury of the great United States to an interior level with down-trodden Dakota, and the leaders of this great party have the gall to tell the people of Dakota that they are irresponsible, uncultivated and unfit for state government. Where is our boasted educational system when such men as Vest are allowed to run at large.

The removal bill is taking a rest. By a flank movement last Friday North Dakota secured a temporary victory, and for the present the bill is sleeping. Pickler, who first introduced the Pierre bill, offered an amendment last Friday substituting the town of Ordway for that of Pierre. Mr. Huetson, of this county, in voting for the amendment, stated that he favored a removal of the capitol to South Dakota, but not in the manner in which the present removal was contemplated. The bill of two years ago he considered iniquitous, but thought the scheme of to-day still more inquitous, being in the interests of Pettigrew and Prentice to secure a boom for the townsite of Pierre. Mr. Huetson reflected upon the honesty of Mr. Pettigrew, and was answered by the latter gentleman in a short, pointed speech. Mr. Pettigrew stated he would favor removal to Huron, Mitchell, Canton, or even Yankton, and that he was not interested at Pierre to a very great extent. By the votes of Mr. Huetson of Lincoln, Bowdle of Davidson and Wagner of Bon Homme, combined with the solid north the Ordway amendment was carried in the council, which kills the bill as at present constituted. McKenzie claimed to have effected a combination whereby the United States court will be removed from Yankton to Mitchell, and all the capitol removers will be punished. In substantiation of McKenzie's claims as to court removal comes the vote of Mr. Bowdle with the north. In Lincoln county there is a great deal of comment in regard to Mr. Huetson's action, and in the absence of a direct explanation of his course there is a drift of unfavorable sentiment toward the gentleman. THE ADVOCATE believes that Mr. Huetson is acting entirely upon conscientious principles, and that he either believes or knows the Pierre bill to be a townsite booming scheme. In such a case even the most ardent South Dakot supporter would hesitate before removing the capitol without subsidies, and upon deliberation would favor a temporary cessation of the removal discussion. There are too many rival towns in South Dakota each striving for the capitol plum to admit of a permanent location at this particular time, and we believe a temporary location at Yankton the best passible way out of the difficulty. At any rate it is believed that the present bill will not pass.

The worst series of dynamite explosions yet chronicled from England occurred in London last Saturday, the city being shook to its depth by three terriffic explosions. The parliament buildings and Westminster hall were badly shattered, and the London tower suffered from a like cause. Very naturally the dastardly work created intense excitement, and almost indescribable scenes of terror followed the disaster. The question now arises, where is this business going to end. Growing bolder and at the same time more cunning in their diabolism, these Irish conspirators have extended their scope of action until now their strike at the very centre of England's government—the parlimentary hall. If these same insane conspirators would stop to consider the absolute futility of their work, how they are daily injuring the cause of Ireland and completely alienating what sympathy is naturally extended them by the people of England, perhaps they might then come to a realization of their imbecility. In the meantime the true friends of Ireland are powerless, surrounded by a network of suspicion that debars them from doing anything to attempt an alleviation of the suffering of Ireland's people.

The people of Yankton have prepared a memorial to the Dakota legislature asking for a constitutional convention. An array of facts and figures of convincing dimensions are presented, and the signatures attached are among the leading business men and politicians of South Dakota, republicans and democrats alike. There is a growing sentiment favoring this scheme of the legislature calling such a convention, and there seems no successful plan for receiving prompt recognition from congress except through the channel of a constitutional convention. No less than thirteen states adopted this same plan to get into the Union, and why not Dakota.

The Pierre Signal (democratic) has the following to say in regard to the governorship of Dakota:

Governor Pierce has a brother at Buffalo, New York, who is an intimate friend and political supporter of Governor Cleveland. Parties who are expecting to be appointed governor would do well to give this fact a good deal of weight.

D. M. Inman, the energetic chairman of the democratic territorial committee, is informed that the Pennsylvania railroad company has agreed to give Dakota democrats a rate of $20 for round trip tickets from Chicago to Washington and return, tickets to be good from February 28 to March 10 inclusive. Also that the C. M. & St. P. will issue round trip tickets from all principal points on its lines at one and one-fifth fare.

A bill has been introduced in the lower house of the legislature materially cutting down the exemption laws as now existing, and there is a probability of its passage. The bill reduces exemptions to $750, instead of $1500. This is a movement that at present is decidedly premature and inopportune, as to secure its passage it will require the votes of those who have already pledged themselves not to touch the laws. There are a great many features in the development of a new country that necessitate a protective exemption, and the modification of this law at present might prove unusually disastrous. Let these laws be repealed or modified when the issue has been properly made before election.

The Union county grand jury has indicted Geo. Stickney, late treasurer of that county. One indictment was for embezzling public money, and the other for malfeasance in office. The shortage as now figured is $12,405.06.

Division of county lines is occupying a great deal of time in the Dakota legislature. As in all cases of such a nature there is one long howl from certain sections of each county.

Sioux Falls says: "Don't remove the capitol unless we can have it."

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

Completed Report of the Business Transacted at the Last January Session.

JANUARY 9.

The following bills were, on motion, rejected:

James Delve, bill of $25.00 for services as clerk of school district No. 70.

Joseph Fitzer, bill of $25 for services as clerk of school district No. 2.

Wm Brachman, bill of $25.00 for services as treasurer of school district No. 70.

On motion, board adjourned until 9 A. M. next day.

JANUARY 10.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; members all present; minutes of yesterday's proceedings read and approved.

On motion, the liquor license for the year A. D., 1885 was fixed at four hundred dollars.

The following bills were examined and allowed as follows, to-wit:

Carter Bros., printing and stationery,	$44 25
N C Nash, " " "	31 25
Perkins Bros., books " "	$3 10
W E Benedict, for rent of office 5 months from August 1, 1884, to January 1, 1885, at $3 per month,	15 00
O A Rudolph, stove, pipe, etc.,	24 35
J M Dickson, sheriff of Minnehaha county, for boarding Jeremiah McFerson (prisoner from Lincoln county) 28 days, am't claimed $28, am't allowed $21; one suit of clothes $8 50; washing $1; commitment 50 cents, refused; total amount claimed $38; amount allowed,	30 50

It is hereby, on motion, ordered that the room occupied by the Judge of Probate be turned over to the Co. Supt. of schools, to be occupied as an office.

Sheriff North having filed his official bond with Edwin S. Rowley, Thomas W. Hood, and T. J. Fosdick as sureties, was examined and approved.

On motion, Dr. J. I. Taylor was appointed county physician for the year 1885.

Minutes read and approved.

On motion, board adjourned until 10 o'clock A. M., Monday Jan. 12.

JANUARY 12.

Board met pursuant to adjournment, members all present.

After due consideration, the following rules and instructions for the several assessors of Lincoln county, D. T., was, upon motion, adopted, and the several assessors are required and authorized to follow said instructions when taking the assessment for the year, A. D., 1885; said instructions are as follows, to-wit:

Work horses shall be assessed at from $20 to $50; colts over two and under 3 years old, $15 to $30; colts over 1 year and under 2 years old, $10 to $20; mules to be assessed at from $20 to $50; ponies at from $10 to $20; jacks, $25 to $55; genets $25 to $55; stallions, (for service) $75 to $200; work cattle per pair, $25 to $40; cows at from $6 to $12; cattle over 1 and under 2 years, $4 to $8; over 2 and under 3 years, $6 to $12; cattle over 3 and under 4 $10 to $16; sheep over 3 months, 50 cents to $1; swine over 3 months old, 50 cents to $4; carriages, vehicles shall be assessed at their cash value; farming implements, machinery, and all other property not mentioned in the foregoing, and not exempt by law from taxation shall be assessed at their cash value whether paid for or not.

All deeded lands, or lands that have been proved up on, (exempt timber land) shall be assessed at from $2.50 to $10 per acre.

Timber land to be assessed at from $5 to $15 per acre.

Lots in the city of Canton and additions thereto (except Smith & Carpenter's additions) shall be assessed at from $8 to $800 per lot and improvements to be added thereto.

Lots in Smith & Carpenter's additions to the town of Canton shall be assessed at from $2 to $5 per lot and improvements to be added thereto.

Lots in the town of Eden shall be assessed at from $5 to $200 per lot and improvements added thereto.

Lots in the town of Worthing shall be assessed at from $3 to $50 per lot and improvements added.

Lots in the town of Lennox at from $5 to $200 per lot and improvements added thereto.

It is further required and demanded of each and every assessor that he shall ascertain the full and true name of each property owner and give the first and second name in full on their returns, also assess all personal property in the township where kept to the owner thereof.

On motion, board adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M. next day.

JANUARY 13.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; members all present. The following business was then transacted:

On motion, it was ordered that the county printing for the year A. D. 1885 be divided equally between the Canton Advocate and the SIOUX VALLEY NEWS, each to receive one-half legal rates for doing said printing.

The county officers are hereby, on motion, authorized to purchase all books, blanks, stationery, etc. used by the county where the same can be purchased of the best quality and at the lowest rate.

On motion, the salary of the County District Attorney was fixed in the sum of five hundred dollars per year.

On motion, it is hereby ordered that the raise made by the Equalization Board of the city of Canton for the year 1884, on lots 11 and 12, in block 23, in Rudolph's addition, be stricken off for the reason that the building on said lots was assessed to E. Shufelt as personal property, as shown by the affidavit of J. Q. Fitzgerald, the assessor for said year.

On motion, board adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M. next day.

JANUARY 14.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; members all present.

On motion the following bills were examined and allowed:

A Sutton, two cords of wood for county,	$16 00
George Cosper, sawing wood for county,	3 00
Jas Lewis, erasers and pen holders,	75

Bill of Geo. W. Naylor for excessive fees paid A. P. Dixon as sheriff on mortgage sale was, on motion, laid over for further consideration.

On motion, M. E. Rudolph was appointed Commissioner of Insanity for the ensuing two years, ending Jan. 1, 1887.

On motion, Dr. F. P. Smith was appointed Commissioner of Insanity for the ensuing year, ending Jan. 1, 1886.

On the affidavit of Cornelius Fitz Patrick the personal tax assessed against him for the year 1883 was on motion ordered stricken from the tax list for said year.

On motion, board adjourned until 9 o'clock A. M. next day.

JANUARY 15.

Board met pursuant to adjournment; members present were Edgar Dean and Ole Hokenstad.

The penalty and interest on the taxes for the year A. D., 1885, was on motion extended until the first day of April of said year.

Petition of A. J. Harris and others asking for a bridge across the Big Sioux river at Fairview was, on motion, laid over for further consideration.

The following bills were then examined and allowed as follows:

Carter Bros., for stationery,	$24 00
I. N. Menor, for copying proceedings, 10 40; expenses going to Elk Point to canvass the legislative vote, $11 50; postage & express, 2 50; total	24 40
Wm M Cuppet, clerk of the court fees,	4 80
Ole Hokenstad, for services and mileage as commissioner in November session one day and mileage, 3 80; Jan session, 30 80; to 4 days labor on the approach to the bridge at Kruger's mill, 8 00; total	42 60
Edgar Dean, for services as commissioner Jan. session, $31 80; Nov. session, 4 80; total,	36 60
Fred Gerber, for services as commissioner January session,	27 90

Minutes read to date and, on motion, approved.

On motion, the board adjourned *sine die*.

Attest: EDGAR DEAN, Chairman.
I. N. MENOR, Auditor.

The O. K. barber shop has removed two doors west of its old stand. All patronage is earnestly solicited.

O. W. MOORE, Proprietor.

Mrs. McCarthy's Phil y.

An ould tom cat an' a biseekle wul came up fornist ye afore yez beknownst to it, but a haythen Chinase washerman goes beyont yez like a shaddow, he do.

Wan foine nuss girl a ladin' two kids wid the two hands av her wul kape more honest paple behint her on the strate than a funeral wid forty hacks an' a wagonful of swate flowers, so she wul.

The cloods drap their rain an' the sun may hide hisself ahint 'em, but whin the pavin' stones of the strate bees white an'dhry loike there wul bees a picnic the neixt day, or me name isn't Bridget.

Me bye, Danyel, bees a pollytishuner, he bees, an' sez he wul be in fur hevin' an orfis after a bit. I growed him meself an'hev kep him till since, an' divil a thing have he got, barrin' a headache, till yit, an' no loikes av it.

'Tis the last drop av beer is the swatest, an' poor people wid small cans know the taste av it best.

Chairs wid rockers wul do for the rich, but people as works sit down to rest.—*Boston Globe.*

English papers have charged the American press with being sensational and fond of the dark side of life, but London *Truth* says: "One good, bloody murder, from a newspaper point of view, is worth more than anything else that can happen, and a murder in England interests Londoners more than a campaign on the Nile."

"Chicago will go down some day will tumble into the unfathomable gulf which those tireless miners, the rats are digging for her. To think that in this new-looking, first class hotel, one sleeping in the ladies' ordinary can hear rats as large as a poodle dog galloping over the floor and tables and beds all night long!" So writes the editor of the Nashville *World* from Chicago.

St. Bernard dogs are religiously trained. At meal time they sit in a row, each with a tin dish before him containing his repast. Grace is said by one of the monks, the dogs sitting motionless with bowed heads. Not one of them stirs until the "amen" is spoken. If a frisky puppy attempts to sample his meal before the grace is over one of the older dogs growls and gently tugs his ear.

Summons.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, } ss
In Justice's Court—County of Lincoln.

Before Wm. Horn, Justice of the Peace within and for City of Canton, D T.

First National Bank of Canton, D. T., pl'ff, vs H. R. Locke, def't.—Summons.

The Territory of Dakota sends greeting: To H. R. Locke, defendant. You are hereby summoned to appear before me, at my office, in the city of Canton in said county on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1885 at 9 o'clock A. M. to answer to the complaint of the above named plaintiff, who claims to recover of you the sum of Sixty-five Dollars on your certain promissory note for $63, dated August 14, 1884, due September 15, 1884, with 12 per cent. interest and costs of collection, and for costs and $10 attorney's fees.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as above required, said plaintiff will take judgment against you for the said amount of Sixty-five Dollars, together with costs and attorney's fees and interest as above stated.

Given under my hand this 7th day of January, A. D. 1885.

WM. HORN,
Justice of the Peace within and for City of Canton, Lincoln County, D. T.

To the above named Defendant:

Take notice, That the complaint in the action was filed on the 13th day of January, 1885, at 9 o'clock A. M. at the office of said Justice of the Peace in Canton, D. T., and that said cause was at said time continued to the 7th day of March, 1885, at 9 o'clock A. M.

O. S. GIFFORD & W. M. SHELDON,
Attorneys for Pl'ff.

SUMMONS.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, } ss
Fourth Judicial District.

In the district court in and for Lincoln county.

D. P. Dyer, B. D. Lee and Jno. P. Ellis, copartners doing business as Dyer, Lee & Ellis, Plaintiff's, against Isabella M. Smith, Werter S. Smith, L. Beman, Clark W. and A. Moarthur, Ojakosh Lumber company, St. Croix Lumber company, David Donahue, Otto A. Rudolph, Geo. Anderson, Andrew Fletcher & Co., C. S. Marsh, L. D. Gregory, Defendants.

The territory of Dakota sends greeting:—To the above named defendant.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed on the 28th day of November A. D. 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court within and for the county of Lincoln, territory of Dakota, at the court house in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln, D. T., and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at his office on Main street in the city of Canton, Dakota territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to answer the complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated at Canton, D. T., this 28th day of November A. D. 1884.

O. S. GIFFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT: Take notice, that the complaint in this action was filed on the 26th day of November, 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court above described, at the court house in the city of Canton, Dakota.

O. S. GIFFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Summons.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, } ss
Fourth Judicial District.

In the district court in and for Lincoln county.

Julia E. Treat, plaintiff, vs Gibson Dunn, Martha M. Dunn, Izabella Smith, Werter Smith, C. K. Howard, Geo. H. Hollister, Murry Warner & Co. and Fox Bros., defendants.

The territory of Dakota sends greeting:—To the above named defendant.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed on the 8th day of December A. D., 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court within and for the county of Lincoln, territory of Dakota, at the court house in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln, Dakota territory, and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscribers at his office on Main street in the city of Canton, Dakota territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to answer the complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, besides costs.

Dated at Canton, Dakota territory, this 6th day of December A. D. 1884.

O. S. GIFFORD and W. M. SHELDON,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT: Take notice that the complaint in the above entitled action was filed on the 8th day of December, 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court in and for the county of Lincoln, D. T., at the court house in the city of Canton, D. T.

O. S. GIFFORD and W. M. SHELDON,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Summons.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, } ss
Fourth Judicial District

In the district court in and for Lincoln county.

Julia E. Treat, Plaintiff, against Charles L. Berry, Clar. W. Berry and B. Hagaman, defendants.

The territory of Dakota sends greeting:—To the above named defendant.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed on the 8th day of December A. D., 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court within and for the county of Lincoln, territory of Dakota, at the court house in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln D. T., and to serve a copy of your answer on the subscriber at their office on Main street, in the city of Canton, Dakota territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons exclusive of the day of service. If you fail to answer the complaint within that time, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint, besides costs.

Dated at Canton, D. T., this 8th day of December, A. D. 1884.

O. S. GIFFORD and W. M. SHELDON,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT: Take notice that the complaint in the foregoing action was filed on the 8th day of December, 1884, in the office of the clerk of the district court in and for the county of Lincoln, D. T., at the court house in the city of Canton, D. T.

O. S. GIFFORD and W. M. SHELDON,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

Summons.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, } ss
Fourth Judicial District.

In the district court in and for Lincoln county.

Martha Knutson Setre, Elizabeth Osmundson, Lars Olson Setre, Sorena Wilson, Knuta Gunderson and Bertha Osmundson, plaintiffs, vs Anna Brockman, Ellef Olson, Ole K. Strand, Fred Gainer, Rober Andrew, C. B. Kennedy, Michael Nelson, A. N. Grane, N. N. Svensdahl, Bert N. Hundahl and Nekoline N. Fellingfors, defendants.

The Territory of Dakota sends greeting:—To the above named defendants.

You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action which was filed on the first day of December, 1884, in the office of the district court within and for the county of Lincoln, territory of Dakota, at the court house in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln, D. T., and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber at his office on Fifth street in the city of Canton, Dakota territory, within thirty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and if you fail to answer the complaint within that time the plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated at Canton, Dakota territory, this first day of December A. D. 1884.

J. W. TAYLOR, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Notice of Administrator's Sale.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, }
County of Lincoln.

In the Probate court within and for Lincoln county.

In the matter of the estate of Ashael W. Hubbard, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the probate court of the county of Lincoln, Dakota territory, made on the 8th day of January, 1885, in the matter of the estate of Ashael W. Hubbard, deceased, the undersigned will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, and subject to the confirmation by said probate court, on Monday the th day of February, 1885, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day at the front door of the court house in Canton, Lincoln county, D, T., all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Ashael W. Hubbard at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise acquired other than, or in addition to that of the said Ashael W. Hubbard at the time of his death in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situated in Lincoln county, Dakota territory, and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing forty rods east of the center of section thirteen, township ninety-six of range forty-eight, thence east twenty rods, thence south forty rods, thence west twenty rods, thence north forty rods to place of beginning, containing five acres, also lot four in block twenty-one of Eden, Dakota.

Dated January 9, 1885. A. B. WHEELOCK, Administrator of the estate of Ashael W. Hubbard, deceased.

Certificate of True Names.

Territory of Dakota, county of Lincoln.

This is to certify that we whose names are hereunto subscribed are the persons constituting a firm or partnership, doing a general business in merchandise consisting of hardware and farm implements and every business pertaining to such business, under the name and style of Thompson & Wilsen, in the city of Canton, Main street, county of Lincoln, territory of Dakota.

That the firm or partnership of Thompson & Wilson was formed, organized or entered into the 23d day of December, 1884.

B. THOMPSON. I reside in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln, D. T.

LOU E. WILSON. I reside in the city of Canton, county of Lincoln, D. T.

Certificate of True Names.

TERRITORY OF DAKOTA, }
County of Lincoln.

This is to certify that we, whose names are hereto subscribed, are the persons constituting a firm or partnership, doing a general hardware and tinning business under the name and style of Knight & Austin, in the town of Eden, county of Lincoln, Territory of Dakota.

That the firm or partnership of Knight & Austin was formed, organized or entered into the 17th day of October, 1884.

[illegible] Knight, a resident of Lincoln county, D. T.

Peter H. Austin, I reside in Eden, Lincoln county, D. T.

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, default has been made in the payment of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 22d day of August, 1883, executed by John Bowen and Susie Bowen, of the county of Lincoln and territory of Dakota, to F. A. Gale, of Lincoln county, Dakota territory, which said mortgage was duly filed for record on the 22d day of August, 1883, at 4 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in book "O" of mortgages on page 17 in the office of the register of deeds of Lincoln county, D. T.

And whereas, it was stipulated and expressly agreed in said mortgage that in case of default made in any of the payments of the sums secured by said mortgage at the time or times they shall become due, or if a breach be made in any of the covenants or agreements of said mortgage then and in that case the holder thereof may at his option declare the whole amount secured thereby due and payable, and that in such case the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns are authorized and empowered to grant, bargain or sell the premises described in said mortgage at public auction in the manner provided by law and which power of sale was recorded with said mortgage.

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of a portion of the indebtedness due upon and secured by said mortgage, and that there is now due upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the principal sum of $500 principal, together with the further sum of $61.50 interest thereon, making the sum of $561.50, besides the additional sum of $100, attorney's fees, which sum was stipulated and agreed by said mortgagor in said mortgage, to be paid as attorney's fees in case of the foreclosure or commencement of the foreclosure thereof.

And whereas, no suit, actions or proceedings at law has been commenced for the recovery of said mortgage, debt or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that pursuant to the statute in such cases made and provided and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in said mortgage as aforesaid, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, to satisfy the amount secured by said mortgage, with costs, expenses and attorney's fees as aforesaid, by the sheriff of Lincoln county, D. T., or his deputy, at public auction on the 19th day of February, A. D. 1885, at ten o'clock A. M., at the front door of the court house in the city of Canton, Lincoln, county, D. T.

The following is a description of the premises to be sold as aforesaid, as contained in said mortgage, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. 34, and west one-half of the southwest one quarter, and southeast one quarter of southwest quarter of section No. 35, in township No. 97 of range No. 48, containing 160 acres more or less according to government survey.

F. A. GALE,
Mortgagee.

O. S. GIFFORD and W. M. SHELDON,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.

United States Land Office, Yankton, D. T., December 29, 1884. Complaint having been entered at this office by James Killenback against Romanus Maurid for failure to comply with law as to timber-culture entry No. 5115, dated July 7, 1883, upon the N ½ S W ¼, section 18, township 99, range 49, in Lincoln county, Dakota Territory, with a view to the cancellation of said entry; contestant alleging that the said Romanus Maurid has not broke or caused to be broken two and one-half acres of said land during the first of said entry, and that said tract is wholly unimproved at this time, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 25th day of March, 1885, at 9 o'clock A. M. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged failure.

G. A. WETTER, Register.

Land Office at Yankton, Dakota, December 5, 1884.—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 that said proof will be made before Wm. M. Cuppett, clerk of the district court, Lincoln County Dak., at Canton, Dak., on Thursday, February 5, 1885 at 10 A. M., viz: Sondre K. Tuberg for his hd entry No. 8364 for the west ½ south-west ¼ and lots 3 and 4, section 12, twp 96, range 48. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz. Asle Paulson, Peter Sanderson, Herman Hermanson, Ole Torkelson, all of Eden, Lincoln county Dak.

G. A. WETTER, Register.

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G. A. WETTER, Register.

Land office at Yankton, D. T., January 9, 1885.—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 that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Lincoln county, D. T., at Canton, D. T., at 10 o'clock A. M., on Saturday, February 28, 1885, viz: Thos. Falson, for his homestead entry No. 8397, for the southwest qr of section 11, in township 99 of range 49. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: Amos Nettleton, Henry Wood, Worter S. Smith and Charles Stanley, all of Canton, Lincoln county, Dakota.

G. A. WETTER, Register.

Land office at Yankton, D. T., January 9, 1885. 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 said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court of Lincoln county, D. T., at Canton, D. T. on Saturday, February 28, 1885, viz: Ivor K. Hilmen, for his homestead entry No. 8154 for the southwest qr, section 27, township 96, range 51. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ole O. Goksted, Ole A. Goksted, Knudt O. Goksted, Aslack O. Goksted, all of Worthing, Lincoln county, Dakota territory.

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