

**PERSONALS and LOCAL HAPPENINGS.**

Remember the oyster supper. Eat oysters next Thursday night. W. B. Sheffield was here yesterday. Dancing at the Opera house tonight. O. A. Nosen was over from Bagley today. L. C. Quam, of Teckla, was in town last Saturday. Jos. Kronenberg is at Crookston on court business. Editor Kaiser came down from Bemidji this afternoon. W. E. Black has been slightly "under the weather" the past week. Nokoline Mykelson and Ole Smeby, of the town of Winger, were recently married. Conductor Steve Withey spent the time between trains last Saturday in Fosston on business. Axel Anderson returned last Tuesday from his visit made to relatives in the southern part of this state. Martin Haley was in town last Tuesday for the first time in several months, having been confined to the house for some time past with rheumatism. For a clear skin, clear all the way through, transparent enough to let sunshine, rosy cheeks show through—take Rocky Mountain Tea.—Ask your druggist. The case of I. L. Lamm Company, vs. Gust Holt as constable, was settled today by stipulation. Defendant surrendering the goods and paying to plaintiff \$9.63 costs.

O. K. Ringstad was over from Lengby last Sunday. Edw. Ast was down from Winsor on Wednesday. O. L. Dokken, was over from Bagley last Tuesday. John Curnyn is back to Fosston again for a short stay. O. Berglund was down from Winsor on Wednesday of this week. Oysters, raw or stewed, at Opera house next Thursday night, 6 o'clock. J. H. Ferris, of Bagley, was registered at the Central hotel Wednesday. Nels S. Nelson was over from Lengby yesterday, returning home today. A. H. Indrelee is putting out some fine samples of the photographers' art of late. Attorney D. H. Fisk spent several days at the district court at Crookston this week. A. J. Lund, of the firm of Christianson & Lund, the well known horse dealers, is visiting his cousin, August Nordus, this week. C. Ryan, who went to Grand Forks for medical treatment and was brought back a few days ago, died here Wednesday before he could reach home. The funeral took place from Paster Sater's home today, with services at the King church. He was a resident of Brands-void. Mr. Gus Mackey, representing the well known H. Parmelee Library Co., of Chicago, is in our town interviewing our citizens in regard to making this place a station of this great institution. We hope that all who appreciate the privileges and benefits of a fresh up-to-date library, brought to their doors every three months, will not let this opportunity pass. If secured, it will be one of the best investments our citizens could make.

**WHEAT.**

Today's prices are as follows:  
No. 1 Hard.....52 1/2c  
No. 1 Northern.....51 1/2c  
No. 2 Northern.....48 1/2c  
Flax.....\$1.31c  
Potatoes.....25 to 30c  
Butter.....16c to 18c  
Eggs.....18c to 20c  
Hay.....\$4.00 to \$4.50  
Oats.....22 to 23c

**THE JUMBO HAS APPEARED AGAIN.**

In this case it is not an elephant, but a newly constructed Grain Cleaner capable of separating cockle, tame or wild oats and all kinds of foul seeds from the wheat, leaving it perfectly clean for seed. You know the stubborn fact, "What you sow you shall reap," and if you are careless in seeding you know the damage to your land in the next crop to come. Come and see this machine work and I am convinced you will say it is the best grain cleaner you ever saw.

**Pioneers.**

The 30th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Tice was fittingly celebrated at their residence in the town of Grove Park, January 11th, writes a Crookston Times correspondent. Mr. and Mrs. Tice were united in wedlock at North Pelham, Ont., Jan. 11th, 1870, and resided there until 1879 when they came to Polk county, being among the first to settle in Grove Park and their oldest daughter, Mrs. Compton, was the second child born in the town. The guests present were also the pioneers of the towns of Grove Park and Godfrey and there was an electric spark of friendship in the hand-shaking not experienced every day.

**The Best of Whiskeys, Brandies and Alcohol for the price of cheaper brands, at KRONENBERG'S.**

Even Nelson is here from Erskine visiting his brother at the Fosston hospital.

Mrs. Jessie Campbell, of Grand Forks, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Cameron.

A. F. Cronquist and wife, of Erskine, were registered at the Commercial on Wednesday.

Attorney B. S. Bennett had been in Crookston nearly all this week on district court business.

Dr. M. McKinnon drove to Erskine yesterday on professional business, accompanied by Rev. Yarrow.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Underwood came down from Solway last Saturday, Mr. Underwood returning the following morning.

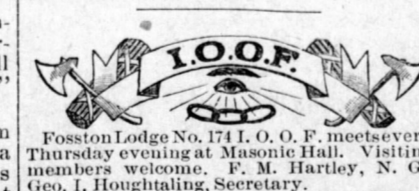
Mrs. A. B. Halvorson, who was recently brought from Crookston in a very low state of health, died here Tuesday night, the funeral taking place yesterday from the Synod church. It was a sad case, her husband, who has a claim in town of Eden having practically deserted his wife, to whom he was married last spring. Deceased leaves an infant baby. She had been working at the Northwestern hotel in Crookston.

It has been demonstrated repeatedly in every state in the Union and in many foreign countries that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain preventive and cure for croup. It has become the universal remedy for that disease. M. V. Fisher of Liberty, W. Va., only repeats what has been said around the globe when he writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for several years and always with perfect success. We believe that it is not only the best cough remedy, but that it is a sure cure for croup. It saved the lives of our children a number of times." This remedy is for sale by P. M. Mark.

The marriage of Miss Ellen Thomas and John Lafayette Prophet was celebrated in St. John's Church, on Monday evening, January 1st, Rev. Francis Willis officiating. The bride a pretty brunette was becomingly gowned in white silk. The groom in regulation black. Mrs. Funk, bridesmaid, was attired in a pretty creation of mauve taffeta and point lace. The bride was given away by Supt. Hughes. After the ceremony the guests repaired to the school building where a sumptuous wedding supper was prepared covers being laid for twenty. The gifts were numerous and beautiful. After supper games were introduced, all joining and having a merry time until the small hours. We wish the young couple a happy and prosperous future. Knox.

**Threatened With Consumption.**

C. Younger, 212 Maple St. Champain Ill., writes: I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it cured me and I have not been troubled since.—Ed. Ruud.



Fosston Lodge No. 174 I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening at Masonic Hall. Visiting members welcome. F. M. Hartley, N. G., Geo. I. Houghtaling, Secretary.

**How to Look Good.**

Good looks are really more than skin deep depending entirely on a healthy condition of the vital organs. If the liver is inactive you have a bilious look; if your stomach is disordered, you have a dyspeptic look; if your kidneys are affected, you have a pinched look. Secure good health, and you will surely have good looks. "Electric Bitters" is as an Alterative and Tonic. Act directly on the stomach, liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, cures pimples, blotches and boils, and gives a good complexion. Every bottle guaranteed. Sold at P. M. Mark's drug store, 50 cents per bottle.

**"The Little Minister."**

On Monday evening, January 22d will be presented at the Grand Opera House, Crookston, Minn., the much talked of play, "The Little Minister." There has been in the past few years a great many successes in the play line, but none that in any way ever equalled that made by this one. It is very doubtful if this success will ever be duplicated. Charles Frohman has produced many plays and had many successes but this one has surpassed anything that he has ever done before. It is hardly necessary to go into details regarding the play, everyone almost is familiar with the story from which it was taken and all will be anxious to witness the performance. Manager Kirsch assures us this will be one of his very best attractions of the season.

**County Division Again.**

A recent number of the Crookston Times contains the following: The people out in Eastern Polk are bringing out that county division cadaver, and preparing to again bisect the territory.

McIntosh is the head center of the movement and after the slacking process is completed and the rib removed it is to be named Columbia county with that village as the seat of government.

Petitions are now being circulated and signed, bearing the names of H. G. Mitchell, Olaf Stardig, Ingebet Larson, L. J. O'Neil and Halvor Off as the first board of county commissioners.

The people out east have all along insisted that no such move was contemplated this year, but while talking in that strain, have gone along with the work of laying plans to compass the end.

The division line is between ranges forty-three and forty-four, and is calculated to include Grove Park, Woodside and Garden in the new bailiwick.

It will now be in order for Fosston to revive the Nelson county project, and secure a county seat there. The Fosstonites will hardly feel like playing second to McIntosh's lead, when the band wagon is on parade.

Garfield county, too, with Fertile as a seat of government is considered quite a lively proposition, and the boomers down that way may decide to galvanize their skeleton into activity. It is not at all likely that McIntosh will be allowed to quietly work off with the east end of the county, and become a metropolis with Fosston and Fertile as mere suburban villages.

By the following simple rules you may determine the length of the days or nights at any time of the year: To ascertain the length of the night, double the time of the raising of the sun; doubling the time of setting will give the length of the day.

W. J. Hilligross was in Crookston last Saturday and informed the Times that he will leave for Cape Nome by the first passenger vessel that goes out in the spring. He will be accompanied by his son, Ralph, and will be preceded by a quantity of lumber, a ten horse power gasoline engine and a centrifugal pump. The lumber will be used to build a scow upon which the engine and pump will be placed, and the plan is to anchor the boat and use the pump for bringing up the beach sand and gravel, from which it is transferred to a "rocker" worked by means of which the gold will be washed.

**State Teachers' Examination.**

Crookston, Jan. 8, 1900. The following is the program for State Teachers' Examinations to be held in Crookston and McIntosh, Feb. 2, 1900:

A. M.—8:00 to 8:15, Spelling.  
8:20 to 9:15, Reading.  
9:20 to 10:20, Arithmetic.  
10:30 to 11:20, Physiology and Hygiene.  
11:30 to 12:30, Grammar.  
P. M.—2:00 to 3:00, Geography.  
3:15 to 4:15, U. S. History.  
4:20 to 5:10, Music or History and Practice.

Examinations for first grade certificates will be held in Crookston Feb 2d and 3rd, 1900. Teachers intending to teach the coming spring who do not hold valid certificates, are requested to take this examination.

I. I. KASSA, Co. Supt. of Schools.

**Fresh Milk Cow Wanted.**

The undersigned wishes to purchase a fresh milk cow at once. Apply to JOHN MITTUN, Fosston.

**La Grippe Can Be Cured.**

Those who are troubled with la grippe or have a troublesome cold will find instant relief and permanent cure in Bunsen's Pine Tar Cough Honey. La Grippe sufferers who have tried other preparations with no good results should try Bunsen's Pine Tar Cough Honey. It never fails to cure.

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When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore take a dose of **Foley's Honey and Tar**, when the soreness will be at once relieved, a warm grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good. IT HITS THE SPOT!" Guaranteed.—Ed. Ruud.

**WOOL WANTED**

at the Fosston Woolen Mills, where you can get cash for it, trade it for made-up goods, or have it carded and spun on shares. The highest market price paid. Bring or ship in your wool.

This Paper One Year. Farm Journal Five Years.

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We want to get 500 subscribers to our paper by New Years, and are going to do it if we can; we therefore continue our arrangement with the Farm Journal by which we can send THE THIRTEEN Towns and the Farm Journal 5 years, both for \$1.00. And we make the same offer to all old subscribers who will pay all arrears and one year in advance. You know what our paper is and the Farm Journal is a gen—practical, progressive—a clean, honest, useful paper—full of gamption, full of sunshine, with an immense circulation among the best people everywhere. YOU OUGHT TO TAKE IT.

**WILDWOOD SHAVINGS.**

Wildwood, Jan. 16.—J. Halvorson is making regular trips to Fosston for goods these days.

Skidding of logs has commenced in real earnest since the last snow came. Some have begun hauling.

Logs are beginning to come in at Monsrud's mill from sec. 37.

The Pine Lake store was burned to the ground last Thursday night. Nothing was saved. Insured partially.

Gonwick & Monsrud have a 45-horse power engine and a 50-horse boiler on the road which are going to put into their mill. They also expect to put in edgers, trimmers, etc.

D. D. Erie is making regular trips to the camps with meat. He is senior partner of a logging firm in this community. David is a hustler and he knows it. He has a horn and he blows it.

John Larson got 45 days county jail, being charged with having carried off some lumber belonging to a settler one dark night, but as there was fresh snow on hand he was soon detected.

John Svendes, of Hill River, was here Friday.

The grist mill at Gully will be running in about two weeks.

Thorbjorn Hall and John E. Pearson intend doing their own farming the coming season and will batch it. Its about time you would be finding some one to cook for you, boys.

Fred Magnus sold his claim and is buying wheat at Mentor.

M. O. Gonwick returned from Iowa, where he has been spending the holidays.

There was a school meeting held in Dist. No. 28 Saturday night and \$500 bonds was voted to build a school house, the building to be situated in the center of sec. 11, 149-28.

Albert Braydock had his foot badly hurt while hauling logs last Saturday.

Box social at C. Gustafson's next Saturday night for the purpose of raising money to build a school house in district No. 33. Girls bring your baskets and boys bring your money. If you can't attend, send your money with a friend.

D. Erie is opening a new logging camp in sec. 27, Leon town.

S. Halvorson is totting from Fosston for Halvorson & Fredensberg this winter.

John Bruen visited with David Erie over Sunday.

Haakon Hall is laid up with a lame back.

August Dahlis head teamster in the logging camp on sec. 27.

S. A. Windon is manufacturing skidding tongs. All loggers would do well to call on him for anything in that line.

Edward Eeak and family visited with Mrs. Synnes Sunday.

H. Ring and Monson are going to start their sawmill this week.

K. J. Svends is erecting the frame for the Gonwick & Monsrud mill and he will soon have it completed. Yon Yossos.

The handsome new city hall at McIntosh is completed.

At Wanke one day last week Andrew Ellegaard and Emma Berg were united in marriage.

It is claimed that "pink eye" is not as prevalent in the logging camps out east as it was a short time ago.

Red Lake county taxpayers will vote Feb. 14th, on a proposition to bond for \$10,000 with which to build a county court house.

W. Woods mistook Edward Berg for a deer last Sunday, shooting him in the head and killing him. The accident occurred near Nary.

Both the McIntosh Times and Red Lake Falls Gazette are carrying on voting contests. Unfortunately for them, these contests have gone out of date and are not patronized very extensively.

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Is sold by all druggists on guarantee first bottle benefits or money back. Book on heart and nerves sent free. Dr. Miles Medical Company, Elkhart, Ind.

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**One Way to Save Money!**

People buying a valuable article, an article that costs a large amount of money, visit each store and find out where they can buy for the lowest possible price. They never stop to think that where they make only one purchase of an expensive article that they buy one hundred small ones, and pay any price asked without considering what MIGHT BE SAVED. The biggest savings may be made on the small purchases. If you can buy an article for 10 cents that you usually pay from 15 to 20 cents for, think of what you can save on a dollar purchase. We give a list of a few things at our FOUNDATION PRICES, but remember that on DRY GOODS, SHOES or anything we handle we will MAKE YOU MONEY if you BUY FROM US.

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| Fancy Comb Case with glass                      | worth \$ .20 | our price \$ .10 |
| Fancy embossed soap dishes                      | " .15        | " .10            |
| 60-ft Clothes Line                              | " .15        | " .10            |
| 3-quart Sauce Pans                              | " .20        | " .10            |
| 4-quart covered Tin Pails                       | " .20        | " .10            |
| Curry Combs                                     | " .20        | " .10            |
| Horse Brushes, fine article                     | " .20        | " .10            |
| Looking Glasses                                 | " .20        | " .10            |
| Whisk Brooms                                    | " .20        | " .10            |
| Egg Beaters                                     | " .20        | " .10            |
| Shelf Brackets per pair                         | " .20        | " .10            |
| Small Hammers                                   | " .15        | " .10            |
| 25-pound Balances                               | " .20        | " .10            |
| Pipes of different kinds                        | " .15        | " .10            |
| Dust Pans                                       | " .15        | " .10            |
| Fire Shovels, long handles well                 | worth .20    | " .10            |
| Files of different kinds                        | " .15        | " .10            |
| 2-foot Folding Measures                         | " .20        | " .10            |
| Towel Racks                                     | " .20        | " .10            |
| Scrubbing Brushes                               | " .15        | " .10            |
| Table Oil Cloth worth per yard                  | " .25        | " .18            |
| Large variety of Pocket Books, worth as high as | .25          | " .10            |
| Clothes Pins, 4 doz. for 5 cents.               |              |                  |

And hundreds of other articles we have not space to mention. REMEMBER, we are making a reduction sale on Mittens, Duck Coats and Mackinaws. We have warm things for cold days, and the value we give is the true test of cheapness. If you are in doubt of the real value of any article call at

**HUME'S And Get Posted.**

Judge Watts rendered a decision in favor of plaintiff in the case of Even L. Odgaard vs I. I. Hillestad and R. Reier-son. J. A. Hendricks appeared as attorney for plaintiff. Parties from Fosston went out of town both east and west last Friday evening on pleasure trips. One lead of Woodmen attended installation of the lodge at Lengby and another company enjoyed the Woodmen's dance at McIntosh. Ole A. Mickelson left last Friday to superintend the construction of Fosston wind stackers at Crookston where 100 will be built this spring. "A young man came into our store yesterday suffering from a severe attack of cramp colic," writes B. F. Hess, miller and general merchant, Dickey's Mountain, Pa. "He had tried various home remedies without relief. As I had used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I gave him a dose of it and it soon brought him out alright. I never saw a fellow so sejoiced." Sold by P. M. Mark.

At the evening services in the Congregational Church, Mrs. Lucy Patterson Fisk will sing and the orchestra will play Flowtow's "Prayer from Stradella."

Martin Nelson, who was brought from Erskine to the Fosston hospital about a week ago, is rapidly recovering and is now able to sit up and eat his meals at the table.

Chas. Richardson and family came down from their Black Duck homestead last Monday. Mrs. Richardson and family will remain here for a time, but Mr. Richardson left this morning for Bemidji.

**Foley's Honey and Tar.** Cough Syrup wherever introduced is considered the most pleasant and effected remedy for all throat and lung complaint. It is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiates, and that can safely be given to children. 25 and 50c.—Ed. Ruud.