The Thirteen Towns.

By A. W. FOSS.

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REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION

A Republican Convention for the County of Polk, Minnesota, will be held on Wednesday, May 9, 1900, at 11 o'clock a. m. at the City hall in the city of Crookston of said county, for the purpose of electing fourteen delegates to the Republican State Convention to be held in the City of Minneapolis, on the 16th, day of May A. D. 1900 to elect delegates and alternates to the National Republican Convention to be held in the city of Philedelphia, Pa., on June 16, 1900, and also to nominate nine presidential electors;also to elect fourteen delegates to the seventh district Republican convention to be held in the city of Moorhead on the 15th, day of May, 1900, for the purpose of placing in nomination a congressman to represent said district; to elect two delegates and two alternates to the National Convention to be held in the city of Philadelphia, Pa., on June 19, A. D. 1900.

Delegates from this locality are appointed as follows:
Brandsvold 3, Columbia 3, Chester 2, Eden 2, Fosston 5, Hill River 2, Queen 2, Rosebud 2, Sletten 2, Winger 3.

All primary elections in connection herewith must be held at the usual places in the several elections precincts on Monday, May 7, A. D. 1900, and the polls shall be kept open for one hour from 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock p. m.

Fosston needs a municipal dumping ground for all refuse. As it is now, no one knows where to unload their garbage and it is a great mistake to allow it to be thrown onto lots almost within the limits. Something can be done about this matter at the next council meeting.

Peoples party primaries will be held tonight between 7 and 8 o'clock. County conventions to morrow. State convention, May 2. Congressional convention at Fergus Falls on June 23.

Mayor H. H. Aaker of Moorhead aspires to the populist nomination for congress in this district. He will put up a strong fight in the convention against A. R. Holston of Crookston and others who desire to enter the fight against Frank M. Eddy.

The political pot whose surface has been unruffled throughout the country for a long time now begins to show signs of more or less agitation, and the people are beginning to ask themselves if this or that officer has proved faithful to the pledges made his constituents while soliciting their votes in the last campaign. It is becoming more and more apparent that the tendency to break away from the party lines is increasing and although the average voter is not saying much, he is thinking a good deal and there may be some surprises in store for some of our politicians who imagine they have a "cinch" on their positions.—Fertile Journal.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Atty. J. A. Hendricks was in Bagley Thursday trying a case, and today is attending to legal business at McIntosh.

The Crookston Times is building an addition to its present handsome building in order to accommodate its book bindery.

About the happiest man in town this week is Andrew Olson, who was presented with a son and heir last Monday morning.

The two men held at Brainerd for breaking into the Great Northern depot safe at Bemidji last fall, escaped from jail last Friday.

H. M. Dalholen came up from St. Paul a few days ago and moved with his family onto his farm near Cross Lake, where he will make his future home.

R. Wallace Doig, Graduate Optician. Eyes carefully tested. Glasses reasonable. Odd Fellows Block, Crookston, Minn.

The eight year old son of L. A. Larson of Crookston shot and killed his mother last Saturday by accident while playing with a rifle that was thought to be unloaded.

Jos. Kronenberg left last Monday for Butte, Mont., where he will engage in business with a brother. Mrs. Kronenberg and family will remain in Fosston this summer, however.

See those nobby sailor hats at Misses Bakke and Kent's.

Gus Peterson is now acknowledged to be the best of all Swedish comedians and he is making the hit of his life in the character of Ole in his new comedy "When Ole Joined the Woodmen." Opera house May 5 and 6.

The restaurant in Nordus' block has once more been opened with Wm. Tyndall and John Anderson as proprietors. The place has been thoroughly renovated and these parties intend to conduct a first-class restaurant therein.

A change in the running time of passenger trains along this line were made recently, but all the difference at Fossion station is one minute on the east bound train in the morning. It is now due here at 10:46 in place of 10:45 each day.

Attorney J. A. Hendricks, of Fosston, was a visitor in the city Thursday. By the way rumor has it that Mr. Hendricks would not be adverse to serving his country for the next two years in the capacity of county attorney.—Peoples Press.

Deputy Sheriff Welte brought a man named Henry through here from Bemidji yesterday on the train bound for the Polk county jail at Crookston. He was arrested at Bemidji on the day before for committing rape on a twelve year old girl, and there being numerous threats of lynching the brute, in the absence of the sheriff the deputy decided to bring his man out of that county.

See, young maiden, that thou takest the genuine Rocky Mountain Tea, made by the Madison Medicine Co., if thou likest thy fair face. 35c.—P. M. Mark.

On Wednesday, Admiral Dewey was presented with the handsome gold watch for which upwards of 50,000 Minnesota school children contributed one cent each, through the agency of the Minneapolis Journal. Congressman McCleary made the presentation with an appropriate speech to which the Admiral replied in a happy manner. Numbers of prominent people were present on the occasion which took place at the Admiral's home at Washington.

After an absence of over two years, Johannes Hoiland returned home from Norway last Friday, looking well after his forced stay in the old country. It seems that an effort was made to compel him to serve his time in the army there, the authorities going so far as to arrest him, and even when he showed them his citizen papers from this country it took him a long time to clear himself, being compelled to remain a year and a half longer than he had intended before the matter was straightened out. However he enjoyed the time, being allowed to go wherever he pleased as long as he did not try to leave the country. Mr. Hoiland undoubtedly had good grounds for a damage suit, but did not care to remain away from home longer in order to fight a case.

FATAL delays are caused by experimenting with cough and cold cures. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR will prevent a cold from resulting in PNEUMONIA.—Ed. Ruud.

The worst temper in the world is the unrelenting, hard, unresponsive temper, which plumes itself on never forgetting an injury.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

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There were only five large cities in America in 1800. Philadelphia, with 66,000, was the largest, the seat of government and the centre of wealth and culture. New York was next, with 60,000. Baltimore was third, with 26,500; Boston fourth, with 25,000, and Charleston, South Carolina, fifth, with 19,000 people.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

To Stop a Cold.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Take nothing else.—Ed. Ruud.

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There were 903 post-offices in 1800; today we have 75,000—that is, in America alone. It took a letter sixteen days to go from Philadelphia to Lexington, Kentucky; twenty-two days to Nashville, Tennessee. The cheapest letter postage was eight cents, and to send a letter more than a hundred miles cost a shilling. Three million letters and papers were then sent in a year, at the present time the post-offices handles about 30,000,000 pieces in a single day.—May Ladies' Home Journal.

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Jos Kronenberg, Jr. is engaged with Larson, Carpenter & Co.

John W Carl came down from Bagley this afternoon on business.

Rev T O Wold, of Convoy, S D, is visiting his old home here His mother Mrs Tiederman Wold, is quite ill.

Dr. and Mrs. Tufte will leave Fosston in a few weeks for a Wisconsin city where the former has practiced his profession in past years.

Jack Wilkins dropped into Fosston this afternoon from the camps, where he has been working the past season for S C Bagley.

Miss Millie Amber, assisted by Miss Cora Mark, gave a pleasant surprise party at the home of the former to Miss Lula Lehan last night. A large number of young people attended, notwithstanding the rain and the evening was most agreeably spent by all.

Attorney D H Fisk, for some time past prominently engaged in legal business in Fosston, left last Saturday for Bemidji,where he had received excellent inducements to locate. Mr Fisk is an experienced practioner and worthy gentleman in every way, a prominent church worker and altogether good citizen in every way. We regret his leaving but wish him success in his new location.

W J Hilligoss and son Charles arrived here today, and they left this afternoon for Seattle, where, on May 5th, they will take passage on the steamer G W Dickinson for Cape Nome, says yesterday's Crookston Times. They will spend the summer in the interests of the company composed of Crookston and St Paul capitalists which has incorporated for the purpose of developing the mines and mining properties owned by it and located by Mr Hilligoss.

"This is too much, John, I won't stand it any longer. Tomorrow I leave for my mother's unless you get me more Rocky Mountain Tea." Sensible woman. 35c.—P. M. Mark.

The junior member of the local fire department deserves credit for good work done last Monday afternoon. After the fire had been put under control, he remained behind and with the assistance of some industrious school boys with pails, carried water and put out the remaining fire in smouldering heaps of manure, turning it over with a pitchfork and clearing the ground from any danger. If it had not been attended to,fire might have sprung up there again later.

The local Congregational church is indeed fortunate in having the assistance of Miss Awilda Staples in leading its excellent choir. At the Easter services two weeks ago, at the Odd Fellows service last Sunday afternoon and in fact at all recent special and regular meetings in this church, Miss Staples has materially assisted in the musical part of the services. She has a sweet, yet strong voice, well modulated but of considerable range. It is a voice evidently combining talent and cultivation seldom found, charming its hearers upon every occasion that its owner choses to use her pleasing accomplishment.

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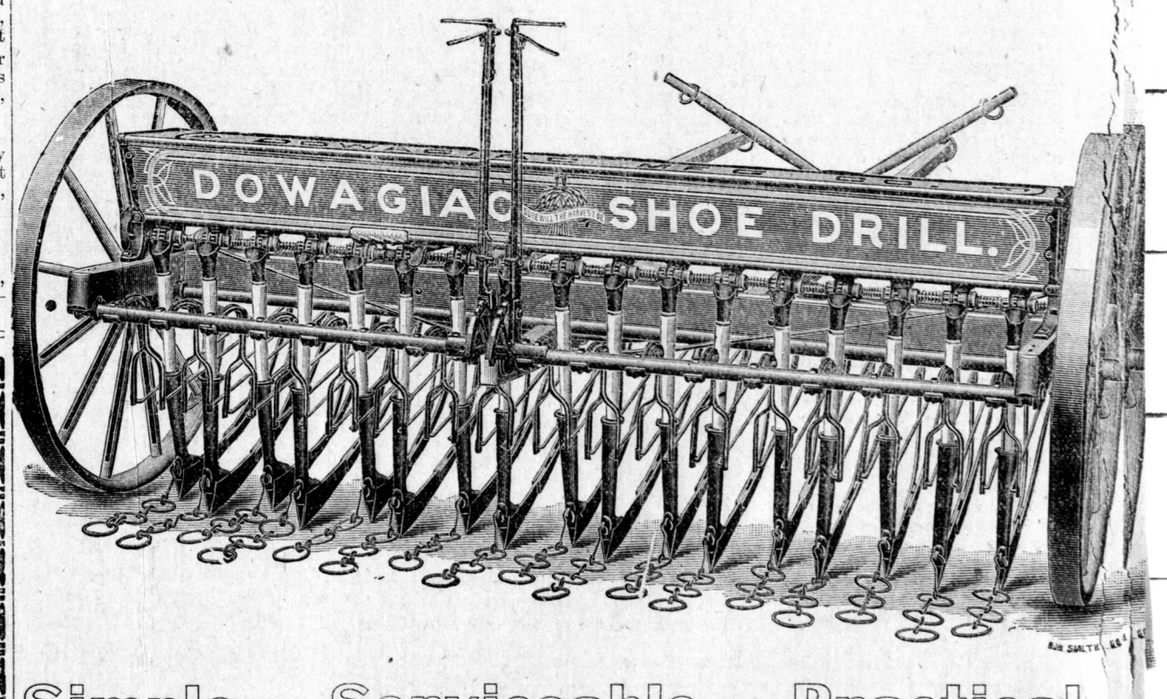

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