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- High grade Canned Tomatoes, worth 2 for 25c, our price 3 for 25c.
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  - Fine sliced Dried Apples, worth 12 cents per lb, our price 8 cents.
  - Jellies in pails, worth 25 cents, our price 18 cents.
  - White Fish, large size, worth 5 cents per lb, our price 4 cents.
  - Herring, fine large size, worth 5 cents per lb, our price 4 cents.
  - Queen Olives in bulk, worth 40 cents per pint, our price 25 cents.
  - Prunes, nice quality, worth 8 cents per lb, our price 6 cents.
  - High grade Coffee, worth 18 cents per lb, our price 13 cents.
  - Calumet Baking Powder, 1 lb cans worth 30 cents, our price 20 cents.
- We shall offer numerous other bargains of first quality goods, at prices that will prove a pleasure to you and will cause you to come again. We shall offer the **Highest Price for Butter and Eggs**. Don't Sell until you know our price.



Ladies' Night Gowns, lace trimmed, worth 75c, our price 60c. Ladies' Night Gowns, lace trimmed, worth \$1.00, our price 80c. Fancy lace trimmed

White Skirts, same with lace and insertion at very low prices.

We are selling a 4 piece Glass Set, Sugar, Spooner, Creamer and Butter Dish, worth 45 cents, our price 30 cents.

Table Glasses, variety of patterns, worth 30c., our price 15c. Fancy Table Dishes in both green and white glass, worth 25 cents, our price 15 cents.

Complete lines of Ladies' and Children's Jackets in latest styles, at prices that will make you our friends.

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Don't send away for a Bicycle when you can buy one from us for \$16.50 We are agents for the famous **CRESCENT WHEELS**.

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# Hume's Store

Old Larson Block

Ole Erickson was over from Bagley last Monday.

J. H. Foster spent Sunday last in Crookston.

John Cunyn came over from Solway on Wednesday afternoon.

A good place to spend an hour—Congregational church, Sunday, 8 p. m.

A license from the city council is required before a man may sell milk in Warren.

Don't forget the social at the Congregational church next Wednesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will meet with Miss Karen Rundloen, Tuesday, May 3. Mrs. O. C. Olson, Sec.

Edwin Randlev had his hand injured quite badly in the planer across the track Tuesday.

A. D. Stephens, of the Merchants National Bank of Crookston, was in Fosston last Wednesday.

Take notice of the advt. for bids for road work in town of Rosebud, published elsewhere in this issue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gorton spent Sunday last in Crookston, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Carpenter.

Axel A. Anderson, the Leon merchant, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday after supplies for the Anderson & Olson store there.

Watch for the free band concert and street parade of North Brothers' Comedians next Monday and Tuesday. Prices 50 and 35 cents; children 25 cents.

The clerk of court at Crookston issued a marriage license early this week for John M. Johnson, of Barron County Wis., to Petrene Mickelson, Winger.

A. R. Holston and M. L. Loney were up from Crookston on Wednesday sizing up their prospects of populist support from here at the conventions to be held later.

Al. Carson, of Bemidji, passed through here Tuesday afternoon on his way to Cape Nome, Alaska, where he will join the army of gold seekers in that promising field.

Don't fail to see Baby P. in "The Roy" Monday night, Tuesday night wonder on the American, Wednesday night "East Lynne," Thursday and 35 cents; children 25 cents.

Dr. Wheeler of Grand Forks removed a tumor from the cheek of a small boy and in doing so discovered a fully developed tooth imbedded in the youngster's cheek, which was undoubtedly the cause of the tumor.

Dist. Deputy Benjamin, accompanied by Dist. Deputy L. N. Chellev, of St. Paul, were here Tuesday and Wednesday conferring with the local lodge of Knights of the Macabees. The former, organizer of this lodge, has concluded his work here and left for McIntosh on Wednesday afternoon to do the same there.

Dr. Morley—Specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Crookston, Minn. (tf)

Mr. Monsrud, the mill man, was in from the east last Tuesday after repairs for the saw mill owned by Monsrud & Gonwick that was partially destroyed by fire recently. Their loss was considerable, but they had fortunately hauled out their lumber that was saved. Other mill men have lost quantities of lumber through these bush fires.

W. J. Campbell, of Bagley, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday, inquiring into the merits of the Fosston Wind Sucker, returning home well satisfied with the results of his trip. Mr. Campbell is owner of a threshing machine in North Dakota, in partnership with a Mr. Birke, of Grafton, and they will probably purchase one of the above named stackers this summer.

Latest designs and neatest styles of millinery, at Misses Bakke and Kent's.

Tomorrow will be a busy day in Fosston. J. E. Campbell, associated with his brother-in-law, N. A. Mott, of Ada, will receive here about 400 head of cattle at his stock yard, for which the cash price will be paid on delivery, thereby putting several thousand dollars into immediate circulation. Andrew Thronson has been doing the buying this spring and the cattle thus secured will be shipped west to the Montana ranges to increase the depleted herds in that country.

C. J. Sather, of Teckla, accompanied by his brother, E. J., also of that vicinity, was in town Monday and stated that they were having considerable trouble with fires in that locality. Two farmers in the town of Holt, south-east of Teckla, were reported to have lost their homes from bush fires last Saturday, and the crew of men employed at the Erickson saw mill near Teckla, had an all night battle to save the mill property from the fiery elements. Much damage is being done to the pine timber in many parts of Beltrami county.

### The Best in the World.

We believe Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best in the world. A few weeks ago we suffered with a severe cold and a troublesome cough, and having read their advertisements in our own and other papers we purchased a bottle to see if it would affect us. It cured us before the bottle was more than half used. It is the best medicine out for colds and coughs.—The Herald, Andersonville, Ind. For sale by P. M. Mark.

Pneumonia is one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases. It always results from a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will quickly cure a cold and perhaps an attack of pneumonia. It is in fact made especially for that ailment and has become famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world. It counteracts any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. Can you afford to neglect your cold when so reliable a remedy can be had for a trifle? For sale by P. M. Mark.

### Barred Plymouth Rocks.

From now on I will occasionally have a few settings of eggs to sell from my Barred Plymouth Rock hens. They are A. C. Hawkins' stock. No better blood in the United States. Price \$1.00 per 13. (in 10) Ed. Ruud.

### McPherson—Eikens.

A happy event at which two estimable young people of this vicinity joined their fortunes for life occurred at the hospitable home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Eikens, last Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. Upwards of 150 relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present to witness the marriage ceremony uniting Miss Rosie Eikens and Mr. Allen McPherson in the hymeneal bonds. Rev. C. F. Blomquist, now of Bagley, but formerly the esteemed pastor of the Fosston Congregational church, performed the ceremony and after the hearty congratulations of the gathering present, an elaborate supper was served to all. A second repast followed at midnight, the dancing and festivities continuing through the greater part of the night. Many handsome and valuable presents were received by the bride.

It is of especial interest to note that the bride was the first girl baby born of white parentage in Rosebud, before the town was organized, and that when the town became organized, it was called Rosebud from her name, Rosie. This accounts for the agreeable name given the town in which Fosston is situated.

Bride and groom are well and favorably known in this locality and the entire community unite in wishing Mr. and Mrs. McPherson a happy and prosperous voyage over life's seas.

Every hat a beauty. No old style. Everything fresh and bright in the way of trimmings, at Misses Bakke and Kent's millinery parlors.

N. A. Mott came over from Ada this morning.

A Norwegian service will be held next Sunday, April 29th, at 4 o'clock P. M., in the Congregational church of Fosston. Subject: "The Second coming of Christ and the Millennium." T. O. Wold, Pastor.

Harvey Warninger has completed his arrangements for opening the restaurant in the rear of E. P. Hoel's and is prepared to cater to the tastes of all who may call upon him in the new quarters. New paint and paper improve the rooms greatly.

E. P. Hoel opened his sample rooms in the "Stone Block," corner of First street and Stephens avenue, last Friday. His son, Alfred, and Amund Torgerson will assist him in his business. The interior and exterior of the building has been greatly improved with paint and paper.

Louis Fontaine was down from Clearwater lake early this week. He is working for Robt. Neving and said that the bush fires were doing considerable damage at and near Red Lake. Halvorson & Richardson have lost a large number of logs and part of their railroad trestle out from the shore of Red Lake.

O. B. Narveson come over from McIntosh yesterday, returning today. During his stop in Fosston he secured the property on the Citizens Bank corner, consisting of two business places, from the owner, S. S. Stadsvoild of this place. Mr. Narveson will go into business there himself shortly.

J. M. Miller, advance agent for the North Brothers' company that appears at the Opera house next Monday and Tuesday evenings, was here Wednesday billing the town. The company promises a treat for its audiences here. There are claimed to be 18 members of the company, including some strong actors. Many choice specialties will be given during the evenings.

North Brothers Comedians will appear at the Fosston Opera House Monday and Tuesday, April 30th and May 1st. This company numbers eighteen people and carry a complete band and orchestra, and give a free street parade and band concert daily at noon. Prices 50 and 35 cents; children, 25 cents. Reserved seats on sale at the usual place. Opening night "Prince Roy," Tuesday "East Lynne."

Improved farms, houses and lots to rent or sell. Apply to BLACK & HOALMEN.

### Farms for Sale.

I have for sale at a bargain one farm 120 acres, 2 1/2 miles from town. Also one farm 3 miles from town. Also unimproved lands in Polk and Beltrami counties that I can sell you at a bargain and on reasonable terms. J. A. HENDRICKS.

H. W. Barker's Iron compound will cure that awful blood disease, coughs, colds and the grippe. 50 cents at P. M. Mark's drug store.

### Notice.

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the undersigned, either in writing or verbally, on or before April 25th, 1900, for the care of C. J. Lindell and wife, an aged and infirm couple, for the period of one year from May 1st, 1900. The lowest responsible bid will be accepted. O. M. OLSON, Town Clerk of Town of Columbia, Lengby P. O., Minn.



Fosston Lodge No. 171 I. O. O. F. meets every Thursday evening at Masonic Hall. Visiting members welcome. F. M. Hartley, N. G., Geo. I. Houghtaling, Secretary.

### Do You Want a Farm?

If you want a rich farm in the timberly with good buildings, meadows, thirty acres broke and soil of extra quality call at THE THIRTEEN TOWNS office. We can offer you a bargain.

### For Sale.

Choice residence lots in Stadsvoild and Lohn's addition.

If you invest in a home what you are paying out in rent, you will soon own a home of your own and instead of paying out so much every year in rent for nothing, invest in some lots and in a short time you will be the owner of your own home. Now is the time to invest before prices advance. And before you make any investment be sure and call on the undersigned and see what bargains he has on some of the finest residence lots in the village. J. A. HENDRICKS.

### Amusements Next Week.

Monday and Tuesday evenings—North Bros. Comedians.

Wednesday—May Social at Congregational church.

Friday and Saturday evenings—Peterson's High Class Entertainers.

### The Fosston Lumber Co.

It came somewhat as a surprise early this week when the announcement was made public that L. W. Larson, our well known lumber dealer had disposed of his yards and business in that line here. Messrs Louis Soderberg and Jos. A. Johnsrud are the purchasers, both well known citizens of the place, and they intend to pay all their attention to the business. Mr Larson's warehouse adjoining the fire hall will be furnished for an office and a glass front put in at once.

The new firm will conduct business under the name of Fosston Lumber Company, with Louis Soderberg as president and J. A. Johnsrud secretary. They will handle all kinds of lumber and building material and invite the patronage of the public generally.

### May Social.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a May Social in the side room of the Congregational church, Wednesday evening, May 24.

Ten cents will admit to all features of the show. Pay at the door. There will be an interesting program of song and instrumental music and reading and charades and other entertaining features.

A grand and realistic reproduction of "The Fall of Manila" and "The Blowing up of the Maine," will be presented by Mr. George I. Houghtaling, the Barnum of the coming century. A menagerie of wonderful animals also.

Refreshments will be served by the ladies. Ten cents covers the bill.

### Big Attraction Coming.

The "Peterson High Class Entertainers" will appear at the Opera House next Friday and Saturday nights, May 4th and 5th. This company is made up of ten specialty artists of national reputation, headed by the favorite Swedish comedian, Gustave Peterson, who will appear in his own comedy "When Ole Joined the Woodmen," the funniest farce comedy produced this season. Ten big specialties will be introduced each evening by the best singers, dancers and comedians on the stage. Don't miss this show. Nothing but mirth and music. Secure your seats early at Mark's drug store. Prices only 15, 25 and 35 cents.

### Left for Cape Nome.

T. P. Hershberger concluded all necessary arrangements last Monday for a summer's absence in the rich gold fields of Cape Nome, Alaska, and left here on the afternoon train, intending to go through to Seattle where he will secure the balance of his outfit and take one of the first boats going out. The steamboat trip to the Cape will occupy about two weeks, and then Mr. Hershberger will go to work with a will to corral all the wealth in sight on his several claims there this season, for when fall comes he intends to dispose of the remainder of his interests in Alaska and return home before winter to stay.

His many friends will wish him all kinds of success.

### I. O. O. F. Services.

Last Sunday afternoon the Congregational church was filled with members of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows and their families from the local lodge and that of McIntosh, from which town there was a large attendance.

Rev. P. W. Yarrow conducted the services, which were very impressive, the sermon being upon the fundamental principles of the order and receiving the earnest attention of all, which it deserved. Miss Staples ably assisted in the services with an exceedingly well rendered solo and by aiding in the singing by the gathering.

The members of the order marched to the church accompanied by the "Rebecas," and after the service all adjourned to the lodge rooms where social intercourse was had and refreshments served by the local branch of the order.

### Eggs to Sell.

Full blooded Plymouth Rock eggs, 50 cents per dozen. Pekin duck eggs, the same price. C. D. HALL, Fosston.

### Red Hot From The Gun.

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman of Newark, Mich., in the Civil war. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklin's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruption. Best Pile cure on earth. 25cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by P. M. Mark, Druggist.

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The busiest and mightiest little thing that was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changes weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, grain-fog into mental power. They are wonderful in gulping up the health. Only 25c per box. Sold by P. M. Mark.

### Why suffer with that awful disease.

Hermetical Wonder will cure you in 3 to 5 days. \$1 at P. M. Mark's, or send direct to the H. W. Barker Medical Co., Elbow Lake, Minn.

If troubled with rheumatism, give Chamberlain's Pain-Balm a trial. It will not cost you a cent if it does no good. One application will relieve the pain. It always cures sprains and bruises in one-third the time required by any other treatment. Cuts, burns, frostbites, quinsy, pain in the side and chest, glandular and other swellings are quickly cured by applying it. Every bottle warranted. Price, 25 and 50cts. P. M. Mark. (30)

For Sale. One horse, weighing about 1100 pounds. J. A. HENDRICKS.

### To Rent.

Two living rooms in the Blomquist dwelling, Fosston, for \$3 or \$3.50 per month, to right parties. Apply at THE THIRTEEN TOWNS office at once.

**A New Discovery for Rheumatism and All Blood Disorders.**

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**ED. RUUD, Druggist, Fosston, Minn.**

### Congregational Church.

Junior Endeavor, 10:15 A. M. Sunday.

Sunday school, 11 A. M.

Evening service at 8 P. M. Miss Staples and the male quartette will sing. Everybody welcome.

Bishop Morrison and the Rev. Mr. Currie conducted an Episcopal service in the church Monday evening. Quite a large congregation was present and much interest was shown.

During the past year the church has been helped greatly by the energy of Mr. D. H. Fisk. He has acted as a trustee and has been the means of raising almost all of the current expenses. Having moved to another location, Mr. Fisk takes with him the best wishes of his many friends.

The Ladies' Aid society turned out in full force at Mrs. Ray's last Wednesday. There being 26 present.

Mr. Frank Soeldner has been elected superintendent of the Junior Endeavor. The Juniors are going to have a fine society when his plans have materialized.

D. H. Bakke went to Bagley this morning to attend to an attachment case.

Miss Maud Tallada and James Bolton were married at Crookston on Wednesday.

Mr. Rone is putting a glass front into his place of business on Stephens avenue and siding the building.

A number of shade trees were received from the Grand Forks nurseries by private parties here early this week.

Rev. N. J. Vernon died at St. Hiliare on Monday. The remains were taken to St. Mary's, Canada, for interment.

List your farms with BLACK & HOALMEN.

### The Department Called Out.

A fire was started in the long grass, weeds and refuse heaps on the south side of the railroad track last Monday that promised at one time to cause considerable trouble. The fire department was called out and succeeded in putting out the fire before any damage was done, but the creamery had a narrow escape.

Another blaze was started, while the department was at work there, further down the track near the oil tank, but others put that blaze out with pails of water before it reached the tank house. With the parched condition of the ground up to last night there has been great danger all about from fire, and this fire that brought out the firemen was probably started from a locomotive on the railroad track.

One thing was brought to the notice of all present at the fire—that the village should have a dumping ground away from all buildings. This matter should be taken up at once and a proper dumping ground provided by the municipality where all refuse must be taken. If it had not been for the manure piles there to hold the fire, the department would not have been needed to put out the flames, but as it was much trouble was experienced in extinguishing all traces of the fire.

### Shorthorn Bull For Sale.

"Chief of Fremont," the thoroughbred registered shorthorn bull, weighing about 2,000 pounds, is for sale. It is a valuable animal, but will be sold reasonably, owing to the fact of my quitting the stock raising business entirely. Apply at once to L. SODERBERG, Fosston.

If you have any cattle for sale, call on us or see Andrew Thronson and get the right price for them. J. E. CAMPBELL, Fosston.

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