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## Corps of Teachers Completed.

The local board of education, at a meeting held last Wednesday evening, completed the list of teachers who will instruct the different departments of the Fosston public school during the ensuing year. They are the following:

Principal, Prof. C. S. Yeager.  
Seventh, Eighth and High School departments, Miss Mable Crosby.

Fifth and Sixth divisions, Miss Dora Dunn.

Third and Fourth divisions, Miss Mary Devany.

Second and Third divisions, Miss Camilla Benson.

First and Second divisions, Mrs. A. Babcock.

As will be seen from the above list, only one change has been made in the faculty, Miss Devany, who is now attending the state training school at Minneapolis, taking the position left vacant by the resignation of Miss Eva Hinney. The efficiency of our schools has been of a superior order in years past and the indications are that their past high standard of excellence will be maintained during the coming year.

## Early Lost His Arm.

Albert Alfson, while at work with the angle trimmer at the Thoen & Davids mill near Bagley on Wednesday, had his left arm caught in the saw and cut the bone just above the elbow. A belt had run off a pulley wheel and he was reaching under the rapidly revolving turning saw to get it when his arm was caught. He wrapped the injured arm in a cloth and came to Fosston, Dr. M. Lund dressing the wound for him as soon as he arrived.

## New Line of Business.

W. P. Hebard, who has been with M. Mark of this place for several years and is known as an industrious and shrewd business man, has gone into business for himself and will conduct the Fosston Distributing Agency, handling a large variety of goods on the wholesale plan from this point, having rented the office on Second street, formerly occupied by S. C. Bagley, for headquarters. Mr. Hebard will travel on the road a considerable part of the time, selling such articles as jewelry, silverware, gloves, mittens, suspenders, cigars, patent medicines and novelties of all kinds, at the office at home will remain open at all times. Remember that the Fosston Distributing Agency will carry on a wholesale business and is prepared to supply merchants and dealers with superior lines of goods at paying prices. THE THIRTEEN TOWNS recommends Mr. Hebard to the business public as an honorable gentleman in all of his dealings and believes that he will give satisfaction to this who patronize him. Before purchasing of foreign salesmen, see that he can offer you.

Life lies in the blood. Strength lies in the iron of the blood. Disease comes from the iron, all fever burns and depletes it. The Urine becomes red or brown from iron which has been dehydrated and secreted from the body through kidneys and disease. Human life is weak and is in a constant struggle to supply the daily needs of iron. Weakness and paleness and as witnesses that the human body is starving for nature's remedy, iron. Doses of H. W. Barker's Iron Compound will supply all the iron needed in three pounds of blood. It is the best remedy known to medical science and recommended by physicians.—P. M. Mark.

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## NOTICE.

The Fosston Elevator & Flouring mill will be closed on Saturday, July 21, for repairs and annual cleaning up. Those who have feed grinding and grist to be done will kindly bring their grain in before that time, and take out their grists they may have left at the mill.

S. S. STADSVOLD,  
Proprietor.

## Teachers' Institute.

Crookston, July 5, 1900.  
You are hereby notified that a Teachers' Institute will be held at the High School Building, in the city of Crookston, beginning July 30th and continuing one week. The regular State Teachers' Convention will be held at the close of the institute on Aug. 6th and 7th.

I. I. KAASA,  
Co. Supt. of Schools.

## Annual School Meeting.

Tomorrow (Saturday) evening, in the high school room of the public school, will be held the local annual school meeting. Two trustees will be elected, Messrs. Lewis Lohn and I. O. Brandt retiring. All interested in the schools should attend.

## Wednesday's Storm.

For over half an hour last Wednesday morning the rain poured down here at a great rate, flooding the streets and fields for a time. Some hail accompanied the downpour, but not enough to do any particular damage about here.

The lightning was not as merciful, however, Mr. C. E. Bjornerud, who lives four miles west of here, losing three young cattle by one stroke. These three yearlings, one of which was a valuable bull, had gone alongside a wire fence about the pasture when the storm approached and the lightning probably followed the wire.

## School Report.

District No. 111, Hansville, Minn. Term commenced April 16th, 1900; closed July 13th, 1900. Number of school days in the term, 60. Number of scholars enrolled for the year, 61. Number entitled to apportionment, 53. No. of scholars attending 60 days during the term, 8. Average daily attendance for the term, 49.

George Wardeberg, teacher.

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## Dwelling For Sale.

The eight room residence on Third street, two story frame building, good water, barn and cellar. For further information, call at the residence or at this office.

A. N. Ness spent Sunday at Maple Bay.

It was expected that the Cass Lake baseball team would come here for two games with our local team this week, but now it is thought they will delay their coming a week or more.

A little six year old boy fell under a wagon carrying a cord of wood and Mat Fisher a few days ago. One of the front wheels passed over the boy's leg, but, strange to say did not break it. The boy's father came out and scolded an older brother and then picked up the little fellow, stood him on his feet and finding he could stand up all right he gave him a good scolding and sent him to the house on a run and the poor boy was too much frightened to even cry.

Andrew Thronsen and family left last Monday for Towner, N. D., near which place they will reside for the coming year, Mr. Thronsen having taken the management of the cattle ranch on Mouse River owned by O. L. Larson. Theodore left on the freight the same day, accompanying a carload of lumber and stock for the ranch. Mr. and Mrs. Thronsen have many friends here who regret their leaving, but wish them every success in their future home. Ole Maurud has purchased Mr. Thronsen's residence here.

Anton Lindem, ex-commissioner of Polk County, and one of the most prominent farmers in the town of Bygland, while driving with his wife and child through East Grand Forks Tuesday met with a serious accident. His horse became frightened at a train and bolted, colliding with a wagon, and then jumping off the end of a culvert. The buggy was demoralized and the occupants thrown to the ground. Mrs. Lindem was cut about the nose and forehead and Mr. Lindem suffered a broken arm. The baby escaped without injury.—Crookston Times.

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## ROSEBUD.

Miss Myra Emery, of Bagley, is visiting Laura Flesch and relatives.

Samuel Hales arrived on Wednesday and is visiting with his sister, Mrs. R. P. Dudley, and brother, Ezra.

Miss Ida Welte is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Lavo.

The dance at Brabander's last Saturday night was a success, and all report a good time.

Born—July 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Norby Beaulieu; a daughter.

Nearly everyone is busy haying these days.

Mrs. Lavo, Miss Ida Welte and Mr. Albert Lavo spent Sunday at McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Luchau were at Lengby Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Noel.

All enjoyed themselves at Miss Lena Eikens' quilting, Wednesday.

Clifford Noel is visiting at Hansville this week.

Mrs. Reed, accompanied by Jessie and George, were visiting in Brandsvold on Monday.

Floyd Martin is spending the week with his aunt, Mrs. J. C. Reed.

Miss Libbie Flesch, who has been visiting her parents here, returned to Solway last Sunday.

[We would be pleased to receive future news letters from our Rosebud correspondent of this week—Ed.]

Along with the raising of ducks, chickens, geese and other tame fowl upon a wholesale basis, Mr. Hall has commenced the "manufacture of" Belgian hares, the new pet. They are claimed to be fine eating and are being introduced throughout the country. These belonging to Mr. Hall are the first ever brought to this locality.

Mr. Claude Neilson, superintendent of the Fosston Woolen Mill, received a letter a few days ago from Nels Stockwick, who at one time worked in the mill here but is now serving Uncle Sam in the Philippines, a member of Co. I, 39th U. S. Volunteers, quartered at Manila. Nels expects to return in about a year, "if the Filipinos do not get his scalp." He has taken part in nine engagements thus far and says that there is much sickness among the soldiers and the death rate is high.

Dr. Rowland Gilmore, who will be remembered as having cared for Dr. McKinnon's practice during a recent absence of the latter, returned to Fosston last Friday and has decided to permanently locate here. With this object in view he has secured office rooms over Ed. Ruud's drug store. These rooms have been painted and prepared already and will now be occupied by Dr. Gilmore, who is an experienced physician and capable in every way to minister to the bodily ills of his patients.

R. H. Hojalmen returned on Wednesday from attending the annual Synod Church meeting held at Willmar this year. He also paid a visit to his former home in Yellow Medicine county and returned to Fosston by way of St. Paul and Duluth. Mr. Hojalmen, like many others have done this summer, found no crops to compare with those of the Thirteen towns in the whole course of his travels. He thought them good in Yellow Medicine county, but says they do not equal the crop about Fosston.

## Prevented A Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George Long, of New Straitsville, Ohio, prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. A frightful cough had long kept her awake every night. She had tried many remedies and doctors but steadily grew worse until urged to try Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle wholly cured her, and she writes this marvelous medicine also cured Mr. Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia. Such cures are positive proof of the matchless merit of this grand remedy for curing all throat, chest and lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at P. M. Mark's Drug Store.

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## BE CITIZENS

By Getting Your Papers of Judge Watts at Fosston on July 25th.

Clerk of Court E. E. Lommen writes THE THIRTEEN TOWNS that Judge Watts and himself will be in Fosston between trains on Wednesday, the 25th day of July, 1900, for the purpose of holding a special term of court for the issuance of citizen papers.

This is an opportunity you should take advantage of if you want a vote this fall, or intend proving up on your claim, and have not yet secured the necessary papers.

Bear in mind the date and tell all your friends and neighbors, who may not take this paper, about it.

July 25th, between trains, at Fosston.

## Some Mexican Proverbs.

New York Herald: He who never ventures will never cross the sea.

There's no gain without pain.

Flies cannot enter a closed mouth. Behind the cross is the devil.

A cat in gloves will never catch rats. A book that is shut makes no scholar. The good laundress washes the shirt first.

No evil will endure a hundred years. When the river is passed the saint is forgotten.

He who has little has little to fear. If the pill were not bitter it would not be gill.

Do not trust your money to those who keep their eyes on the floor (make an outward sign of piety.)

Wind and good luck do not last. Don't take a pawn that must be fed. It is good fishing in troubled waters.

A frugal, rich father and a spendthrift son.

No word is ill spoken if it is not ill understood.

A tongue may inflict a deeper wound than a sword.

It should have been mentioned last week that at the regular monthly meeting of the local fire department \$150 of the \$400 allowed by the village to the department before the tournament, was refunded to the village treasury.

While standing in the doorway of his residence last Tuesday morning watching the storm, Prof. Yeager thought someone struck him on the head with a croquet mallet, but after recovering his senses decided that the lightning had done it. Fortunately he received no injuries from the shock.

## Spent a Good Farm Doctoring.

Mr. A. N. Noell of Asherville, Kansas, says he spent a good farm doctoring himself for chronic diarrhoea but got no relief and was afraid that he must die. He changed to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was permanently cured by it. For sale by P. M. Mark.

## It Saved His Leg.

P. A. Danforth, of LaGrange, Ga., suffered intensely for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg, but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in ten days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Burns, Boils, Pain or Piles it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by P. M. Mark druggist.

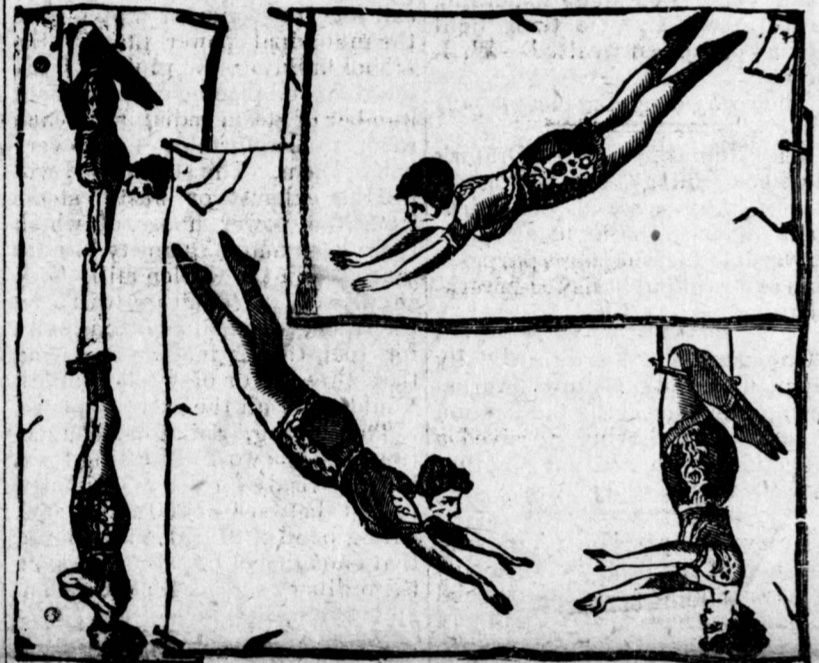
## An Epidemic of Diarrhoea.

Mr. A. Sanders, writing for Cocanut Grove, Fla., says there has been quite an epidemic of diarrhoea there. He had a severe attack and was cured by frugal doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says he also recommended it to others and they say it is the best medicine they ever used. For sale by P. M. Mark.

**I. O. O. F.**  
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