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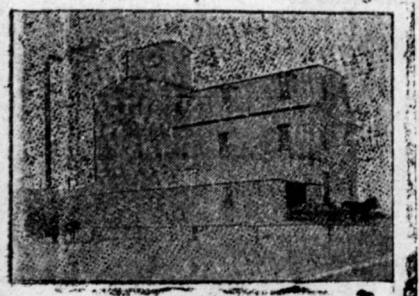
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LENGBY NEWS.

Langby Aug. 23.—Victor Nyman left for Dakota last Monday.

A. J. McRae, the Twoby Mercantile man, was in town Tuesday, looking after his customers here.

Erick Skrin returned from Bemidji Wednesday.

Chas. Grais, the Elbo merchant, was doing business here Wednesday.

N. O. Nelson returned home from his farm in Brandsvold, where he went to thresh his crops. But owing to the big rain Tuesday night, he is compelled to wait until the shocks dry out.

If the weather permits, C. A. Carlson and W. R. Cartwright will start threshing tomorrow.

The Powers Dry Goods Co's man was transacting business with our merchants on Tuesday.

W. L. Hilliard made a business trip to Moose this week.

A new planer has arrived here which will be added to the Lengby sawmill in a few days.

A. J. Olson made a trip to Crookston and Grand Forks looking over the brick yards at those places.

A. McMurphy, the Danham & Eastman grocery man, of Minneapolis, was here today.

Cold Steel or Death.

There is but one small chance to save your life and that is through an operation, was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Luce Ridge, Wis., by her doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvelous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Price 50c at P. M. Mark's drug store.

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What causes paleness and weakness? It is lack of iron in the blood and whenever iron is wanted in the system, weakness is always the result. Now to those who are pale, weak and languid, we say, try H. W. Barker's Iron Compound. It is the strongest and best iron preparation known to medical science. 50 cents at P. M. Mark.

A Night of Terror.

Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, saying it had more than once saved her life, and had cured her from Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her. This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and \$1.00 Trial bottles free at P. M. Mark's drug store.

Gatarrh and Hay Fever.

Are easily cured by Bunsen's Cream Catarrhal, a scientific preparation for catarrh, hay fever and cold in the head. If you have hay fever or catarrh try Bunsen's Cream Catarrhal. It will give instant relief and effect a permanent cure. Every box warranted. Fifty cents per box. Sample free also pamphlet telling how to treat catarrh and hay fever.—Ed. Road.

State of Minnesota, ss.
County of Polk.

In Probate Court, Special term, Aug. 13th, 1900.

In the matter of the estate of Halvor E. Rice, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Halvor E. Rice, deceased, late of the County of Polk and State of Minnesota, being granted to John Stephenson.

It is ordered, that six months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date of this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said County, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks, in THE THIRTEEN TOWNS a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county. Dated at Crookston this 13th day of August, 1900.

By the Court, OLE E. HAGEN, Judge of Probate

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

To RUUD and PETERSON:—You are hereby notified that on the 23rd day of May A. D. 1896, in proceedings to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes amounting to the certain real estate judgment, which was entered in the District Court in and for the County of Polk in the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the State of Minnesota on the 21st day of March A. D. 1896, the following described piece or parcel of land is situated in Polk County, State of Minnesota, to-wit: Lots 23 and 24, Block 7, West Fosston was bid in to the State to satisfy the amount for which it was judged liable in said judgment, interest and costs, for the sum of Twenty-four Dollars and 8 cents, seven Cents; that the above described real estate has become and now is the Absolute Property of the State.

That on the 12th day of May A. D. 1900 the above described real estate was sold by the undersigned County Auditor of Polk County, as directed by the State Auditor, in accordance with Section 101 of Chapter 11 of the General Statutes of 878, and the several amendments thereto, for the sum of One hundred Twenty-nine Dollars and Forty Cents; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land is such sum (exclusive of the costs of such redemption) as the County Auditor of said County, with interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from said 12th day of May A. D. 1900, until such redemption is made, and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from such sale will expire sixty days after the service of this notice, and proof thereof has been filed in the office of the County Auditor of said County.

Witness my hand and official seal this 19th day of August A. D. 1900.

JOHN GLEASON,
County Auditor, Polk County, Minn.
By N. A. HOFFMAN, Deputy. (a24-s14)

FAMINE SHADOWED INDIA.

BY EDWARD S. HUME.

For Twenty-five Years an American Resident of Bombay.

Having just returned from India, I have read the accounts of the famine in American papers, I have seen the pictures, I have seen the conditions in the famine districts, and I can assure you that the actual state of affairs is much more terrible than painted or pictured. And the worst of it is that, even if the June rains are entirely favorable, no relief can be expected till the crop is gathered in October. Famine photographs frequently represent half starved and dying persons lying on the street or in some field. They are poor but self respecting people, who have never been the objects of public charity



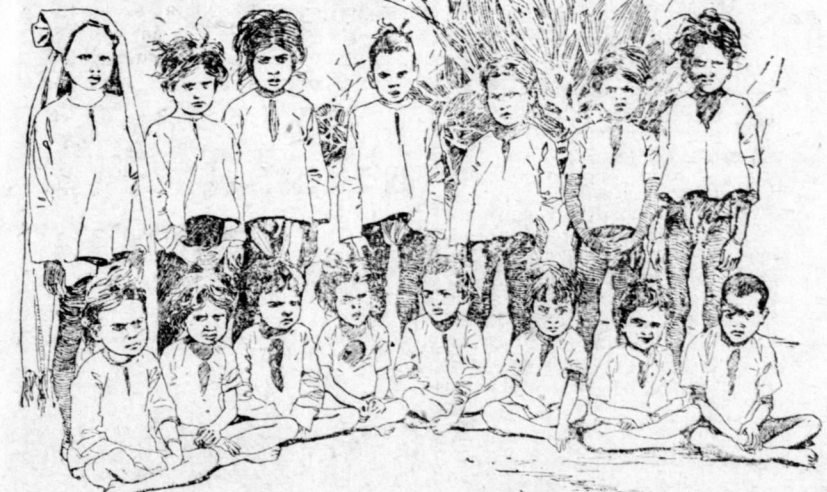
HUNGER KILLED WOMAN.

and have refused to go to famine relief camps until at last death has searched in the face, and unbearable distress has driven them out in search of help. Weary and hungry, they have laid themselves down to rest and have died before waking. Not long before leaving India, while walking with a brother missionary at Ahmedabad, not far from this house, he pointed to a tree at the roadside and said: "The other day I saw the emaciated figure of a man lying, face down, under that tree. On going near and touching the body I found it already stiff and cold. Examining it more carefully, I found one side torn away, evidently eaten by jackals. A couple of rods away lay the dead body of an infant. A little farther on was found a woman, still alive. She was the wife of the man and mother of the child. She, too, poor thing, died before she could reach the poorhouse, which stood within sight and call of the spot where these patient, helpless ones had fallen down to die."



A starving man is devoid of judgment and of most of his natural feelings. In April we received a group of famine girls. Among them was one who, although much emaciated, began to improve from the day she came to us. After a week she rapidly grew worse. In spite of everything that could be done for her she soon died. We learned at last that while she was so ill that we were giving her a few spoonfuls of nourishment at a time, raising her gently, because she seemed unable to make any effort to help herself, and even later, when she seemed unable to see or to speak, she had been dragging herself at intervals, when we were absent, out into the garden, a distance of 50 yards, in order to get some green mangoes to eat. For the poor famine child they were deadly poison. She knew it, but the awful gnawing in her stomach made prudence impossible.

The only effective preventive to the spread of plague that has yet been discovered is inoculation with plague serum. Wherever an outbreak of the disease is imminent, inoculation stations are opened. Doctors are sent to them; serum, instruments and everything needed for efficient work are provided, but the Hindus have not taken kindly to this remedy. All kinds of wild rumors have been spread and have been widely believed to the effect that inoculation is most harmful; that it has been devised by the European doctors to punish the Hindus for supposed disloyalty and as a means for destroying caste. In view of this the government offers two days' wages to every man, woman or child who is inoculated. I know a little fellow 8 years old, whose mother died and whose father is a helpless invalid. Hearing that money was paid to every person who was willing to be inoculated, this poor



RESCUED FAMINE GIRLS.

little lad presented himself at one of the inoculation stations. As soon as his arm was healed he went to another station, and this thing went on until the poor boy had actually been inoculated five times in each arm for the 84 cents he received and with which he supported himself and father for six weeks.

The government has already expended more than \$47,000,000 in the free distribution of food to those who are unable to work and in employing the able-bodied at cash wages in the construction of reservoirs, irrigation ditches and other public works that will mitigate future droughts. In addition, there are generous and splendidly organized systems of private charity, the funds being supplied from every part of the civilized world and managed chiefly by American and European missionaries of long experience in India. It is the duty and privilege of every one to have some share in this sacred work of humanity. Gifts may be sent to Brown Bros. & Co., 59 Wall street, New York, treasurers of the committee of one hundred; William E. Dodge, chairman, and Dr. L. T. Chamberlain, executive director, by whom they will be cabled promptly to the responsible and representative American-Indian relief committee, under the chairmanship of United States Consul William H. Fee, at Bombay, with the veteran missionary, Robert A. Hume, as executive secretary.

The New York committee of one hundred on India famine relief co-operates with committees of the same name in Boston, New Haven, Baltimore, Washington, Indianapolis and other cities, each of which has charge of the work in its own section. The committee states that on receipt of a postal addressed "Committee of One Hundred, 73 Bible House, New York," supplies of illustrated literature are sent without charge and expressage free. The help of individuals, clubs, lodges, labor unions, employers, proprietors of hotels and summer resorts, churches, Sunday schools, young people's societies, King's Daughters, etc., is earnestly sought in distributing this free literature. Many who will lend a hand in this way can aid the cause as much as if they were able to draw a handsome check themselves.

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State of Minnesota, ss.
County of Polk.

In Probate Court, Special term, Aug. 11th 1900.

In the matter of the estate of Iver Johnson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition of Ragnild Anderson, administratrix, of the estate of Iver Johnson, deceased, representing among other things, that she has fully administered said estate and praying that a time and place be fixed for examining, settling and allowing the final account of her administration, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to the parties entitled thereto by law.

It is ordered, that said account be examined, and petition heard by this court, on Monday, the 19th day of September A. D. 1900 at two o'clock P. M., at the Probate Office in Crookston, said County.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all persons interested in publishing a copy of this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in THE THIRTEEN TOWNS a weekly newspaper printed and published at Fosston, said County. Dated at Crookston the 11th day of August A. D. 1900.

By the Court, OLE E. HAGEN, Judge of Probate.

Summons.

State of Minnesota, ss.
County of Polk.

The State of Minnesota, to Knute Thompson, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, on the 19th day of September A. D. 1900 at two o'clock in the forenoon at my office in the Village of Fosston, in said County, to answer to D. A. Ray, in a civil action. Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you, upon the evidence adduced by said D. A. Ray for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this 17th day of August A. D. 1900.

R. A. LEMAND, Justice of the Peace.

J. A. HENDRICKS, Attorney for Plaintiff, Fosston, Minn.

Notice

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Crookston, Minnesota.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of instruction from the Commissioner of the General Land Office, under authority in him vested by Section 2155 U. S. R. S., as amended by the act of February 25, 1895 (28 S. C. 567), we will proceed to offer to public sale or each at this office, on the 23rd day of August, 1900, at ten o'clock A. M. the following tracts of land to-wit: Lot 7, sec. 12, T. 14 N., R. 23 W., 148 N., 28 W.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are advised to file their claims in this office on or before the day above designated for the commencement of the said sale otherwise their rights will be forfeited. Dated July 27th, 1900.

EDWARD ANDERSON, Register.

Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 26th, 1900.

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 Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., on September 13th, 1900, viz: H. E. No. 1812, for the sw 1/4, sec. 19, twp. 148 N., R. 28 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Toalak O. Assmerck, Ole O. Ransat, Martin O. Gudmundson and Even O. Eberg, all of Willberg, Minn. (33-17) SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

Land Office at Crookston, Minn., July 25th, 1900.

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 Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Crookston, Minn., on September 13th, 1900, viz: Tallak O. Assmerck, one of the heirs of Ole Olson Osmark, deceased.

H. E. No. 1808, for the e 1/4, sec. 19, twp. 148 N., R. 28 W. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Edward Anderson, Ole O. Ransat, Martin O. Gudmundson and Even O. Eberg, all of Willberg, Minn. (33-10) SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

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