

## WHEAT.

Today's prices are as follows:

No 1 Northern	63 1/2c
No 2 Northern	62 1/2c
No 3 Northern	57 1/2c
Rejected	52c
Flax, 1 hard	\$1.52
Flax, Rejected	15c to 50c below 1 N
Flax, no grade	82c

This is the season when mothers are alarmed on account of croup. It is quickly cured by One Minute Cough Cure, which children like to take—Ed. Ruud.

J. L. Bush was down from Equality last Monday.

W. V. Davis came down from Sherwin yesterday afternoon.

\$1.50 for Cabinet Photographs, at A. H. Indrelee's, Fosston.

Frank Mageau, of Crookston, was a visitor here last Sunday.

A new floor was laid in the waiting room of the depot this week.

Dr. E. A. Unland paid a professional visit to Bemidji last Monday.

Martin Hippe, the Sherwin liveryman, was in Fosston early this week.

Rev. Simon Lampe will hold mass at the home of S. Lavoie on Sunday, Oct. 14th.

Miss Millie Amber returned this morning from a visit with Crookston friends.

For a good 5 cent smoke, the "County Tavern" is a favorite. Sold by all dealers.

Dr. M. McKinnon made a journey east last Wednesday, returning in the afternoon.

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Chas. F. Garbush was east as far as Ferris last Monday looking after a logging contract for the coming winter.

It is well to know that De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will heal a burn and stop the pain at once. It will cure eczema and skin diseases and ugly sores and sores. It is a certain cure for piles. Counterfeits may be offered. See that you get the original De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve.—Ed. Ruud.

Al. Berg, manager of the Fosston Woolen Mill, returned from a business trip to several Norman county towns on Tuesday.

Free car fare to any one who enters the Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. You should get one of their catalogues.

H. W. Barker's Iron Compound. Nature's remedy. Makes weak people strong. 50c. at P. M. Mark's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. How and Mrs. Jordan of Redlake were guests of the Commercial last evening, returning home this morning.

Capt. L. S. Nelson and Attorney B. S. Jennett addressed a large and enthusiastic republican meeting at Lengby Wednesday night.

Feelings of safety pervade the household that uses One Minute Cough Cure, the only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. It is infallible for coughs, colds, croup and all throat and lung troubles. It will prevent consumption.—Ed. Ruud.

Bernt Leervig, who had the mock ranges at the fair, is going to leave a few at this office to be distributed among his friends.

F. C. Nicolai went east Wednesday morning to visit a few of the lively towns along the line and sell a few millions of his popular cigars.

The "Golden Belle" cigar. Take a few at 25 home for an after-supper smoke. Sold by all dealers.

The Northwestern loggers, at a meeting of their Association held in Duluth recently, decided to be more strict in the woods than last year. In order to keep their men with them a reasonable length of time, they will engage them under contract to work a stated time at certain specified wages. Another interesting feature of the proposed changes dealing with woodmen is that they will be paid a specified salary and charged a certain amount each week or their board. It has also been agreed upon to charge persons who seek accommodations at the camp.

## At Congregational Church.

Rev. H. B. Bartel, of Brainerd, Minn., will preach in this church Sunday, Oct. 14th. He is said to be an excellent preacher and a large congregation is looked for at this service.

You little knew when first we met That some-day you would be The lucky fellow I'd choose to let, Pay for my Rocky Mountain Tea.—P. M. Mark.

Albert Kaiser, of the Bank of Fosston, left last Saturday upon a trip to St. Paul, Chicago, and other points.

Mrs. John Lohn arrived here from New Richland last Tuesday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Lohn will remain guests of the Commercial Hotel for the present.

Trying to run business without advertising is like throwing kisses at a pretty girl in the dark—you may know what you are doing but the girl doesn't.

Senator Knute Nelson at Fosston opera house, Oct. 20, 1 P. M.

The New England supper given by the Ladies Wednesday evening was very successful, financially, a large number being present and enjoying an exceptionally fine repast.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church meets with Mrs. Hanstrom next Wednesday, at 2 p. m. Important business is to be transacted and a large attendance is requested.

**Stop the Cough and Works off the Cold**  
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, no Pay. Price 25 cents.

The republican headquarters has become more conspicuous by the raising of a flag over the front and the stretching of a banner across the street. The officers of the local McKinley and Roosevelt Club are not doing any of their works by halves. The banner is a handsome piece of work.

Death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Trygstad last Sunday and brought sorrow upon the family by taking away their two weeks' old boy baby, which was afflicted with spinal meningitis. The funeral took place from the Synod church Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Trygstad have much sympathy in their time of trouble.

Capt. L. S. Nelson held a rousing meeting at Winger last evening. Tonight he speaks at Maple Bay. During his stay in eastern Polk county the captain has done some excellent work and proved himself to be an able man in every way. He leaves many new friends behind when he leaves today.

The Francis case was brought up before Justice Houghtaling last Monday and continued for two weeks owing to the complaining witness not appearing. The doctors have twice endeavored to extract the bullet from Carver's leg, but without success, although a number of pieces of broken bone have been removed from the wound. The bullet evidently lodged in the bone and the injury is more serious than at first expected.

## Bryan Headquarters.

The Bryan, Lind and Daly Club has secured the building on Harrison avenue, recently occupied by Johnson & Rickansrud's furniture store, for headquarters, and have decorated it with bunting and quantities of their campaign literature. Mr. Erick Hagen is expected tomorrow evening to be there and address the club and their friends.

## Crookston College.

Will open its fall term Sept. 10. Board and room furnished and taken care of in private family or hotel for \$2.50 to \$3 per week. Send for catalogue. Address, J. C. SATHRE, Crookston, Minn.

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## Telephone No. 17

When you want to engage a dray for any purpose, just telephone No. 17 for Nicolai's dray. Prompt and efficient service and charges reasonable. Save yourself steps and time by using the telephone.

## Strayed Sheep.

Strayed from my premises, Sec. 3, town of Sletten, eight heard of sheep. One black, and seven white with some black on head and feet. Three of them wore bells. Finder will be rewarded upon returning them to owner, or notifying him of their whereabouts.

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## PINELAKE PLUMS.

Many from around here went to Crookston to hear Bryan.

A man came pretty near being killed by a bear the other day: this is how it happened. He was out hunting deer, and towards noon, while walking along he came upon a bear. Not being possessed with a great quantity of courage he turned and fled, but found by looking back that the bear was close behind. The race continued until finally the hunter dropped exhausted. The bear now walked up and rubbed his nose on his back and finally walked to a tree and sat down with a sorrowful face. The man having regained some of his lost courage looked up to see where the bear was, and noticing the sorrowful face then he went over to see if it really was a bear, which he found to be true but was surprised to find the bear so inoffensive and soon discovered that he owned his escape to a brown mackinaw jacket manufactured by the Fosston Woolen Mills and sold by A. P. Byhre & Co. The bear undoubtedly mistook him for one of his own race.

John Rude is now wasting twine and paper at the Sand Prairie store.

The roads are in poor condition and the crossing at Lost River is impassable. The town should do something to remedy it.

Senator Knute Nelson at Fosston opera house Oct. 20, 1 P. M.

Ole Aason will put in a planer this fall.

Mr. Movold, of Olga, visited friends at Pinelake last week.

C. J. Grue went to the town of Holst last Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lindberg—we are unable to tell whether it is a boy or a girl.

Mr. Bjerke was down to hear Bryan.

Ole Aason has sold his threshing rig to A. F. Larson and Wm. Lindberg.

A. P. Byhre went south Sunday morning. "Wonder where."

Barney Olson returned Monday from Grand Forks, where he has been visiting.

Mr. Sjonnerdu, was around the first part of the week. I. C. U.

[Received too late for publication last week.]

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
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## 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 Buckler's America Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Boils, Felons, Corns, Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25 cts. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by P. M. Mark, Druggist.

## Trade Stock for House and Lot.

3 good horses, 3 splendid milch cows, 1 yearling bull, 1 nine months old steer, and 3 spring steer calves. Will trade the above for a small house and lot in Fosston. Apply at this office for further particulars.

The Grand Forks College will open October 15th. Thorough courses are offered in the academic, college preparatory, normal, and commercial branches and in music. The building is solid brick, in thorough repair, with steam heat, filtered city water, bathrooms, and modern furnishings. It is the intention to make it one of the best schools of its kind in the West. Expenses will be made as low as possible. Good board will be furnished at actual cost. Write for catalogue to K. A. Kasberg, principal, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

## Another Word to the Ladies.

THE THIRTEEN TOWNS understands there are still a few ladies in Fosston and vicinity who did not take advantage of our recent offer to send an elegant silverplated sugar shell absolutely free of charge to any married lady who would simply ask for it, so we will renew the offer for a short time only. We sell these shells regularly at forty cents each. Retail jewelers ask fifty to seventy-five cents for such goods. They are exquisitely beautiful creations in high grade silver plate. To further advertise our ware we will send one, postpaid to every married lady who has not received one. This announcement should be cut out and returned to us with your request. (This is important.) Also please enclose a stamp or two to help pay cost of mailing. Quaker Valley Mfg. Co., Morgan and Harrison Sts., Chicago.

Work upon the hospital foundations is being pushed rapidly forward this week.

The fine weather of the past few days has given everyone pleasure and better feeling.

No other pills can equal DeWitt's Little Early Risers for promptness, certainly and efficiency.—Ed. Ruud.

Senator Ryder speaks in Brandsvold this evening and a number of local republicans accompany him to the meeting.

C. H. Lien, of Winsor, fusion candidate for superintendent of schools, was here today on his way to Crookston on business. C. H. is an old Polk county pedagogue.

The best method of cleansing the liver is the use of the famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Easy to take. Never gripe.—Ed. Ruud.

Gunder Krostue, G. A. E. Finlayson, Ed. Sullivan and O. O. Osmundson are among the republican candidates who have been making friends in this part of the country this week.

Congressman Chas. E. Littlefield, of Maine, delivered a stirring address at the Crookston opera house, Wednesday evening. He is reputed to be the most fluent orator in the national house of congress.

H. M. Helleson, the McIntosh lumber dealer, passed through this afternoon on his way home from Norway where he went last May. He was accompanied by his bride whom he married in Norway. They visited the world's fair at Paris before leaving for home.

## REPUBLICAN TICKETS.

### National.

President—WILLIAM MCKINLEY, of Ohio.  
Vice President—THEODORE ROOSEVELT, of New York.

### State.

United States Senator—KNUTE NELSON, of Alexandria.  
Governor—SAMUEL R. VAN SANT, of Winona.  
Lieutenant Governor—LYDON A. SMITH, of Montevideo.  
Secretary of State—PETER E. HANSON, of Litchfield.  
State Treasurer—JULIUS H. BLOCK, of St. Peter.  
Attorney General—WALLACE B. DOUGLAS, of Moorhead.  
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court—THOMAS M. STARK, of Rochester.  
Associate Justice of the Supreme Court—LORIN W. COLLINS, of St. Cloud.  
Railroad Commissioner, 4-year term—JOSEPH G. MILLEL, of Two Harbors.  
Railroad Commissioner, 4-year term—IRA B. MILLS, of Moorhead.  
Railroad Commissioner, 2-year term—CHARLES F. STAPLES, of West St. Paul.  
Congressman from Seventh District—FRANK M. EDDY, of Greenwood.

### County.

Auditor—JOHN PETERSON, of McIntosh.  
Treasurer—O. OSMUNDSON, of Mallory.  
Register of Deeds—O. O. CHRISTIANSON, of Crookston.  
County Attorney—G. A. E. FINLAYSON, of Crookston.  
Judge of Probate—E. O. BARNES, of Fosston.  
Sheriff—E. J. SULLIVAN, of East Grand Forks.  
Surveyor—ALEXANDER M. GRAY.  
Superintendent of Schools—THOMAS CASEY, of Fisher.  
Court Commissioner—WM. MARIN, of Crookston.  
Representatives—ANDREW OEHME, of Fertile.  
Commissioners—GUNDER KROSTUE, of Fisher.  
First Dist.—HANS CARLSON, of Badger.  
Second Dist.—M. E. KRISCH, of Crookston.  
Third Dist.—T. M. MORKEN, of Northland.  
Coroner—G. S. CHESTERMAN.

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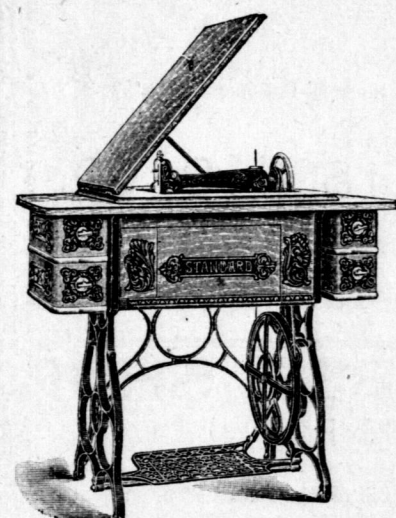
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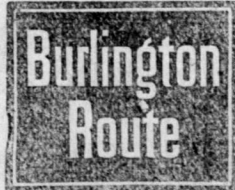
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