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### LENGBY NEWS.

Lengby Minn. Nov. 22.—Good sleighing, and lots of wood is coming in every day.

N. O. Nelson made a business trip to Crookston this week.

Even Aakhus the noted violinist will hold a concert here Monday night at 8 o'clock. Everybody come.

O. M. Olson returned from St. Paul Monday where he has been with a carload of cattle.

W. L. Hilliard is in Crookston on business these days.

Julius Fredrickson has just opened up a soft drink stand and pool room in the Argall building.

Do not forget; the Ladies Aid Society will have an auction sale Thanksgiving day.

N. O. Nelson is doing business in Fosston today.

Mrs. N. O. Nelson is visiting her folks in Brandsvoid this week.

A grand dance and raffle at the hall Saturday night.

Miss Augusta Carlson, of Reynolds N. D. is visiting her uncle Carl Nelson.

Miss Lina Lillo is paying a visit to her home this week.

### Glorious News.

There is no pleasure in life if you dread going to the table to eat and can't rest at night on account of indigestion. Henry Williams, of Boonville, Ind., says he suffered that way for years till he commenced the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, and adds: "Now I can eat anything I like and all I want and sleep soundly every night." Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat.—Ed. Ruud.

A contest alleging abandonment has been commenced by T. P. Hamre of Thief River Falls, against Mrs. Jennie Cunningham. The land involved is a portion of the original claim made by Mrs. Cunningham, who was the second person to file, at the time of the opening in May 1896. After successfully maintaining her right to a portion of land by defending four contests, it is alleged that Mrs. Cunningham has boarded up the windows of her claim shanty and wholly abandoned the place for upwards of six months.

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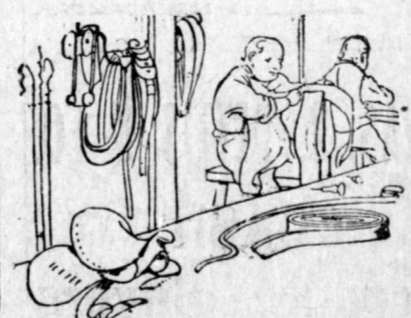
State of Minnesota }  
County of Polk } ss.  
Village of Fosston }

Notice is hereby given, that application has been made in writing to the Common Council of said Village of Fosston and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on December 9th, 1900, and terminating on December 5th, 1901, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively:

John M. Anderson, on the ground floor of the one story frame building situated on lot nine (9), block six (6), townsite of West Fosston in the Village of Fosston, Polk County, Minnesota.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said Common Council of the Village of Fosston at the council room in the village hall in said Village of Fosston, in Polk county and state of Minnesota, on Monday the 3rd day of Dec., A. D. 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m., of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of the Village of Fosston this 14th day of Nov., A. D. 1900.  
W. E. BLACK,  
Village Recorder.



### ARID SOILS.

Their Physical Condition is Favorable to Plant Growth.

Some interesting peculiarities of arid soils have been brought out by the investigations of the California experiment station. It is found that the soils of the arid region are as a rule sandy, silty or pulverulent and rarely contain clay. Kaolinization and the subsequent formation of clay goes on in them to a very limited extent, being partially replaced by the formation of zeolitic compounds. There is practically no difference between soil and subsoil. The "sand" of such soils includes some quartz particles, but is made up largely of particles of other rock minerals. The soils are as a rule richer in plant food than soils of humid regions, this being especially true of lime (12-14 to 1), magnesia and potash (2 to 1). The humus content is small, but the amount of nitrogen is about the same, since the humus of arid soils is from three to five times as rich in nitrogen as that of humid regions. Nitritification is also more active, and the nitrates are not leached out.

The occurrence of "alkali" salts in the soils of the arid regions is independent of either present or former conditions. The salts are the educts of the soil from the weathering process, and in consequence of deficient rainfall have failed of being leached into the subdrainage. They very commonly contain notable amounts of water soluble potash salts, also nitrates and frequently alkali phosphates. Aside from these water soluble ingredients alkali soils always contain large amounts of acid soluble plant food.

The presence of alkali carbonates (usually the sodic salt) acts most injuriously, not only in being directly corrosive of the bark of roots and stems, but also in so defolliculating the soil as to render tillage and drainage impossible. This can be remedied by the transformation of the sodic carbonate into sulphate by means of land plaster in the presence of water. Soils so treated become profusely productive unless overcharged with sodic salts.

Outside of the axes of valleys the alkali salts are usually contained within the first four feet from the surface down. Within this limit they migrate up and down according to the moisture conditions, but are apt to accumulate particularly at the average depth to which the annual rainfall penetrates. We can therefore ascertain by the examination of a four foot column of soil the total amount of salts which under favorable conditions may either accumulate within six inches of the surface or be more or less evenly distributed through the soil column. We can thus determine beforehand the practicability of reclaiming such lands for cultivation under existing economic conditions, taking into consideration the ascertained toleration of the salts by the several crops.

The physical conditions of arid soils are especially favorable to extensive root growth and to the capillary rise of water, thus enabling plants to grow with a limited amount of water in the soil. The alkali salts present also assist in collecting and conserving moisture. The abundant supply of readily available plant food present contributes to the vigorous growth of plants.

**Club Root of Cabbage, Etc.**  
The curious malformation called club root is seen in cabbage, turnips and allied plants and is caused by a parasite of so low an organization that the scientists are in doubt whether to call it a plant or an animal. If this organism is once introduced into the soil, it is almost impossible to eradicate it totally, as it is capable of developing and of living there for some years at least independently of the cabbage or other host plants.

The progress of the disease is so rapid that seedling cabbages grown in infested soil will often be badly clubbed before they are large enough to transplant. Four or five weeks is ample time for the clubbing of every root in a bed.

The germs may be disseminated in manure from feeding clubbed roots to

the soil. Remedial measures include destroying clubbed roots by burning or deeply burying them or boiling before feeding to stock. Deep plowing in autumn, rotation of crops and liming are other preventions. An important measure is the suppression of cruciferous weeds, such as shepherd's purse, kale, wild mustard, pepper grass, false flax, etc., which serve as hosts for the club root parasite.

Witness my hand and seal of the Village of Fosston this 14th day of Nov., A. D. 1900.

W. E. BLACK,  
Village Recorder.

Notice of Expiration of Time of Redemption.

To MRS. HARRIET SEYMOUR.  
You are hereby notified that on the 9th day of May A. D. 1891, in proceedings to enforce the payment of delinquent taxes, pursuant to that certain real estate tax judgment which was entered in the District Court in and for the County of Polk in the Fourteenth Judicial District of the State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1891 the following described piece and parcel of land which is situated in Polk County, in the State of Minnesota, to-wit:  
SW 1/4, Section 1, Town 151, Range 47, was sold to the State to satisfy the amount for which it was adjudged liable in said judgment, interest and costs for the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and Forty-nine cents; that on the 11th day of May 1891 the right of the state acquired by said sale was assigned for the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and Forty-nine cents; that the amount required to redeem said piece and parcel of land from such sale (exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice) is Twenty-two Dollars and forty-nine cents, and interest on said amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said 11th day of May A. D. 1891 until such redemption is made, and that the time for redemption of such piece and 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.  
Witness my hand and seal this 15th day of October, A. D. 1900.

JOHN GLEASON,  
County Auditor, of Polk Co., Minn.  
T. N. A. HOFFER,  
Deputy. (102-23)

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Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 16th 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 January 3rd, 1901, viz:

H. E. 16187, for the ne 1/4, sec. 31, twp. 147 N., R. 39 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
Ole O. Lommen, Ole K. Ringstad, A. K. Brandt, Ole J. Lommen, all of Lengby Minn. (125425) SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Nov. 14th 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 Dec. 26th, 1900, viz:

H. E. No. 16175, for the ne 1/4, sec. 25, twp. 147 N., R. 39 W.  
He names the following witnesses, to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:  
August Edmund, of Lengby, Minn.; Henry Weststrom, Christian Lillifon, Ole A. Nordgaard, of Ebro, Minn. (125425) SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

Statement of the condition of  
FIRST STATE BANK OF FOSSTON,  
Fosston, Minn.,  
at close of business on the 10th day of  
November, 1900.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$22146.58
Overdrafts	465.61
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	29693.60
Revenue stamps	40.50
Cash on hand and in banks	6755.75
Total	\$13143.04
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$10000.00
Surplus Fund	2000.00
Undivided profits, net	328.57
Total Deposits	19044.37
Total	\$13143.04

State of Minnesota } ss.  
County of Polk }

I, O. J. KOLSETH, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

O. J. KOLSETH, Cashier.  
Correct—Attest,  
ANDREW JACOBSON, } Directors.  
E. A. ENGBRETTSON, }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of November, A. D. 1900.

Notarial Seal  
of Polk Co. J. A. HENDRICKS,  
Notary Public.

State of Minnesota } ss.  
County of Polk }

District Court  
14th Judicial District  
Erik Willborg, Plaintiff,

vs.  
Ole Hakanson and his wife Caren Hakanson, also known as Karin Martinsdatter, defendants.

The State of Minnesota to the above named defendants:

Ole Hakanson and his wife Caren Hakanson, his wife and to all persons unknown, having or claiming an interest in the property hereinafter described to wit: The South East Quarter (SE 1/4) Section Twenty six (26) Township One hundred Forty seven (147) North of Range Forty two (42) West of fifth principal meridian, containing One Hundred and sixty acres, in the County of Polk and State of Minnesota.

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the Office of the Clerk of the District Court in the City of Crookston, County of Polk and State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to said complaint on the subscriber at his office in the Village of Fosston, in said County of Polk, within Twenty (20) days after the service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in this action will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, together with his costs and disbursements therein.

Dated Sept. 27th, 1900,  
J. A. HENDRICKS,  
Attorney for Plaintiff,  
Fosston Minn.

State of Minnesota } ss.  
County of Polk }

District Court  
14th Judicial District  
Erik Willborg, Plaintiff,

vs.  
Ole Hakanson and Caren Hakanson his wife, also known as Karin Martinsdatter, and also all other persons or parties unknown, claiming any right, title estate lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein.

D-defendants.

Notice is hereby given that an action has been commenced in this court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants for the purpose of obtaining a decree and judgment of this court excluding said defendants and all of them, and all persons or parties unknown from all right, title estate, lien or interest in the real estate hereinafter described and adjudging the Plaintiff to be the owner in fee thereof, the premises affected by said action are situated in the county of Polk, and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

The South East Quarter (SE 1/4) Section Twenty six (26) Township One Hundred and Forty seven (147) North of Range Forty two (42) West of Fifth principal meridian.

Dated Sept. 27th, 1900,  
J. A. HENDRICKS,  
Plaintiff's Attorney,  
Fosston Minn.

(Oct. 26/20)

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