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der at Solway.

gain has an awful crime been com-
 mitted within the borders of our neigh-
 boring county on the east. This time
 was the scene of the heinous
 which was committed on Sunday
 at last.

beodore Lofgren, a lumberman, and
 s. Hoy, the manager of a question-
 resort on the outskirts of that town,
 an altercation early in the evening,
 were parted by outsiders and left a
 ain saloon where both had been
 king. Hoy is said to have been
 ding on the sidewalk later, talking
 friend, when Lofgren stole upon
 from the back without being seen
 ther Hoy or his friend and deliber-
 y stabbed the former in the head,
 ctng a deep wound in the brain
 which he died in half an hour, be-
 medical attendance could be
 red.

ofgren escaped from the town, but
 r on was arrested.

oy, the victim, is a cousin of John
 chief of the Minneapolis detective
 e. He was married on the day before
 murder to a Miss Bagley, of Solway.

Bank of Bagley.

re village of Bagley, one of the most
 ressive new municipalities in Bel-
 county, is to have a bank of its
 . On or about Jan. 1st, the Bank
 agley will be opened there for busi-
 . From a list of the officers it will
 en that the promoters of this new
 ing business are gentlemen of well
 n financial standing and
 r positions in the Bank of Bag-
 rganization is as follows:

ndrew Jacobson, president; Tollef
 bson, vice president;
 tier; E. A. Engebretson and K.
 old, directors.

he citizens of Bagley are to be con-
 alated upon securing this important
 ition to the business interests of the
 e. No stronger recommendation
 d be obtained for the place than the
 of capital of this kind being willing
 o into the village. It is a distinct
 ession of faith in the future pros-
 ty of any place of the present size of
 ey.

ROSEBUD

ish you all a happy new year.

rs. M. J. Phibbs, of Bemidji, is
 ding the holidays with relatives,
 r. and Mrs. Asleson spent Christmas
 her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
 l.

P. Dudley made a business trip to
 idji Friday and Saturday.

r. and Mrs. Hartley, of Columbia,
 ed at R. P. Dudley's Christmas.

ery Reed lost a valuable horse.

. F. Luchau left for the woods with
 our horses Thursday.

ie Christmas tree held at the resi-
 e of Wm. Reed was largely atten-
 . All seemed to be well pleased with
 presents from Old Santa.

iss Libbie Flesch left for Solway
 ay.

ura Flesch is spending the holidays
 her friend, Myra Emery, at Bagley.

Wanted.

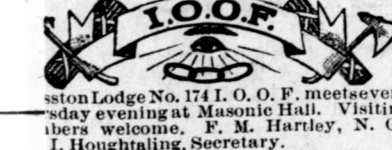
ny man who has a team and rig
 make a good salary selling Mark's
 brated Remedies in Polk and ad-
 ding counties. A fine opportunity
 be long winter months. See P. M.
 k for further particulars.

hen you need a soothing and heal-
 antiseptic application, for any pur-
 use the original DeWitt's Witch
 el Salve, a well known cure for piles
 skin diseases. It heals sores with-
 leaving a scar. Beware of counter.

ce to Bridge Contractors.

aled bids will be received by the
 d and Bridge Committee at Central
 el, Fosston, on January 15th, 1901,
 ne o'clock P. M., for the construc-
 of a pile bridge across the Poplar
 r in section 34, town of Brandsvold,
 rding to plans and specifications
 in the hands of the Road and
 ge Committee.

CHAS. MCCARTY,
 K. O. BRATVOLD, } Committee.
 REMI FORTIER.



hen the stomach is tired out it
 t have a rest, but we can't live with-
 food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digest
 t you eat" so that you can eat all
 good food you want while it is re-
 ng the digestive organs to health.
 the only preparation that digest
 inds of food.

Casey and the Watch.

Fisher Bulletin: The village school
 closed Friday afternoon for the holiday
 vacation, and it also closed Prof. Thomas
 Casey's term as principal. Prof. Casey
 has taught school in Fisher the greater
 part of the time for the past seventeen
 years, and the past year has had for his
 pupils children of children of years ago.
 On the eve of his departure to take the
 position of county superintendent of
 schools, his pupils both present and
 past, "put up a job" on their genial
 teacher and after recess Friday after-
 noon presented him with a handsome
 gold watch, suitably engraved as follows:
 "To Prof. Thomas Casey, from his
 pupils of Fisher, Minn., Dec. 21, 1900."

For once Casey was "not at the bat"
 and was knocked completely off his pins
 but he came up smiling and accepted
 the gift. It was a happy afternoon for
 all, and the only regret was that they
 had lost Prof. Casey, but he set a barrel
 of apples up to the scholars and it was
 the most pleasant election debt he paid.

Will Incorporate in Fargo.

The Fargo Forum of Monday has con-
 siderable space devoted to the Fosston
 Wind Stacker Co., which has secured
 articles of incorporation and will make
 Fargo its manufacturing point. Among
 other things it says: "This news is of
 more than ordinary interest to the peo-
 ple of this city because it is the addition
 of a very important industry to the city
 of Fargo. The Fosston Wind Stacker
 Co. is the owner of certain patents cov-
 ering an improved and successful wind
 stacker for use on threshing machines.
 The blower covered by these patents
 and the one manufactured by the Fos-
 ton Wind Stacker Co., has heretofore
 and in the past season been so success-
 fully tested and applied that the leading
 machine houses of the country have
 given it their full endorsement, as be-
 ing a perfect machine and accomplish-
 ing the desired purpose of wind stackers
 for threshing machines."

Next summer's outlook promises large
 sales. Geo. H. Welton, a wealthy ex-
 Chicagoan, now residing in Fargo and
 rated as being worth a million and a
 quarter, is the organizer and furnishes
 the bulk of the necessary financial back-
 ing, although other Fargo business men
 are taking extensive blocks of stock.

"The Milwaukee round house with all
 of its steam power, machinery and ap-
 purtenances has been secured and lum-
 ber and other material ordered so that
 work may begin at once. It is expected
 to turn out some 250 complete stackers
 for the next season, and this will re-
 quire carpenters, iron workers, painters
 and other help; will, it is expected, add
 a large number of families to Fargo."

The reorganized company will be
 capitalized at \$100,000 and will extend
 its business over the entire country.
 The original members of the company,
 Messrs Mickelson, Larson and Sorensen,
 will retain large interests in the busi-
 ness.

Pneumonia Prevented.

Among the tens of thousands who
 used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for
 colds and la grippe during the past few
 years, to our knowledge, not a single
 case has resulted in pneumonia. Thos.
 Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash avenue,
 Chicago, one of the most prominent re-
 tail druggists in that city, in speaking
 of this says: "We recommend Cham-
 berlain's Cough Remedy for la grippe
 in many cases, as it not only gives
 prompt and complete recovery, but also
 counteracts any tendency of la grippe
 to result in pneumonia." For sale by
 all druggists, Fosston, Minn.

Prize Fight Craze.

Every man who has been in the ring
 within the last ten years seems to have
 suddenly discovered himself a champion.
 Talk about prize fighting as dead, well,
 it doesn't look the part.

There is at least one good feature of
 the craze it emphasizes the fact that
 the man in the most perfect health
 wins. This is just as true in business
 as in fighting, though not quite so ap-
 parent.

If you would have perfect health,
 drink "Golden Grait Belt" beer. It
 will tone you up and give you new vital-
 ity, for it has the strength of pure bar-
 ley malt and hops. Keep a case in your
 cellar and take it as you would
 medicine, regularly. Order of your
 nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex
 Thompson, Crookston.

Baled Hay for Sale.

I have 50 tons of good baled hay for
 sale. If you want some of it, apply at
 once to.

JOSEPH HOPNER,
 Sec. 35, town of Sletten
 or address: Fosston P. O.

Wanted.

Christian man or woman
 to qualify for permanent position in this
 County, as Manager and Correspondent
 —\$800 yearly. Enclose self-addressed
 stamped envelope to O. L. Nelson, Sec-
 retary, Trust Building, Duluth, Minn.

A New Bridge.

Commissioners Remi Fortier of
 Crookston and Chas. McCarty of Mc-
 Intosh were visitors to Fosston yester-
 day. Commissioner Bratvold, the
 other member of the Road and Bridge
 committee met them here. They went
 out to Poplar River bridge in section 31
 of Brandsvold and found that a new
 structure was much needed and upon
 their return to Fosston authorized the
 advertising for bids for the construction
 of a new bridge at that point, which ad-
 vertisement will be found in another
 column.

Before leaving town, Mr. Fortier paid
 a visit to the Fosston Woolen Mill and
 after surveying the different depart-
 ments of that institution expressed him-
 self as well pleased with this important
 local enterprise; with both the workings
 of the mill and the quality of the goods
 produced from its looms.

A Large Load of Stadsvold's "Best"

The largest load of flour that has ever
 been seen going out of Fosston any dis-
 tance by road with a single team was
 that taken from the Fosston Elevator &
 Flouring Mill last Saturday morning by
 Dave Ducette. He had piled upon his
 sleigh 6,500 pounds of the flour manu-
 factured in this mill, about one quarter
 of a carload, and he reached the govern-
 ment schools at Rice River with it before
 night, with an ordinary sized team.
 The government's charges at that school
 are now assured of having good bread
 for some time to come.

Who Has No. 52?

The drawing for that beautiful wax
 doll was postponed until Wednesday
 afternoon. Then the lucky number to
 draw the prize was found to be 52, but
 the holder of it has not yet been heard
 from. If you hold No. 52, go to Mr.
 Mark's and get your doll.

A Change at the Mills.

Fosston is unfortunate in losing a
 family of good citizens this week. Mr.
 and Mrs. Hanstrom have during their
 residence in the town made many friends
 who will regret their leaving, at the
 same time wishing them well in their
 new home, Starbuck, Minn., where Mr.
 Hanstrom has acquired a half interest
 in a profitable roller mill business.
 During the time that Mr. Hanstrom has
 had charge of Mr. Stadsvold's mill he
 has proved himself to be thoroughly
 familiar with the business and an expert
 flour maker. Starbuck is indeed fortunate
 in having so able a man interested in
 their mill. Mrs. Hanstrom left last
 Sunday for Sauk Center to make a short
 visit with relatives before going to their
 new home and Mr. Hanstrom leaves to-
 morrow or Sunday. In his place Mr.
 Stadsvold has secured the services of an
 experienced miller, A. Moline, of Bot-
 tineau, N. D., who comes tomorrow
 to take charge, and will without doubt
 continue to hold the Fosston mill's pre-
 stige to the standard gained by it un-
 der Mr. Hanstrom's supervision.

Indian Payment.

The annual payment of Indian
 annuities are in progress at Red Lake
 this week in charge of chief clerk Mor-
 gan, assisted by Dan Morrison, Capt.
 Mercer having been called to Washing-
 ton. The party was accompanied by a
 guard of 6 Winchester Indians. The
 money to be distributed amounts to
 \$12,000, about \$5 per head. The money
 was all in currency, 800 pounds of silver
 and considerable gold.—Solway Press.

Bids for Mason Work.

Sealed bids will be received by the
 undersigned up to Saturday, Jan. 5th
 1901, at 1 o'clock p. m., for a stone
 foundation to be built under
 the school house in district
 No. 197. Plans and specifications may be
 seen at the home of the undersigned.
 Each contractor is requested to pre-
 sent two separate bids, one for the con-
 struction work only and the other for
 the construction of the foundation com-
 plete with the furnishing of all neces-
 sary material.

JOHN JUVERUD,
 Clerk Dist. No. 197, County of Polk.
 Dated at Fosston, Minn., Dec. 13, 1900.

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N.E. 1/4 Sec. 28, Tp. 149, Rg. 39
 Price, \$1,650.

W. 1/2 N.E. and E. 1/2 N.W. 1/4 Sec. 33, Tp.
 149, Rg. 40 Price, \$800.

Lots 9, 10 and 11, Sec. 33, Tp. 149, Rg. 40
 Price, \$850.

N.E. 1/4 Sec. 30, Tp. 151, Rg. 41
 Price, \$850.

S.W. 1/4 Sec. 6, Tp. 147, Rg. 40
 Price, \$3,000.

Besides the above, I have a number of
 improved farms for sale on easy terms.
 Nearly all of the above listed lands can
 be sold for one half cash, balance at 6
 per cent.

Now is the time to buy land as it is
 increasing in value rapidly.

W. E. BLACK,
 Fosston, Minn.

Judge Hagen Bereaved.

Early Sunday morning Mrs. O. E.
 Hagen, wife of Judge of Probate Hagen,
 after a lingering illness, breathed her
 last, surrounded by her husband and
 family. Heart failure and a complica-
 tion of other ailments are assigned as
 the cause of her death.

The deceased was a model woman, of
 a kind and loving disposition and
 greatly esteemed by those who knew
 her best for her true character.—Crook-
 ston Journal.

The judge will have universal sympa-
 thy throughout the county with him in
 his great sorrow.

Plants Require Plenty of Fresh Air.

"Sometimes plants fail to do well be-
 cause they are not given air enough,"
 writes Eben E. Rexford, in the January
 Ladies' Home Journal. "Plants breathe
 just as human beings do, and unless
 they can have sufficient amount of pure
 oxygen to answer the demands of their
 nature they will not grow, because they
 cannot grow. Make it a rule to admit
 pure, fresh air every pleasant day into
 the rooms in which your plants are
 growing. Very often plants fail to grow
 because they are small, young specimens
 which have been planted in large pots.
 Small plants are injured greatly by this
 treatment—indeed, they are often
 killed by it, because their few young,
 tender roots are not able to appropriate
 the nutriment contained in a large
 amount of earth, and, as a natural con-
 sequence, the tender plants are overfed.
 They cannot digest all the food forced
 upon them, and vegetable dyspepsia re-
 sults. Use small pots for small plants,
 and shift, from time to time, to larger
 sizes as the old pots are filled with roots.

Masquerade Ball.

The lovers of the "light fantastic toe,"
 of Lengby, will celebrate the advent of
 the new year and century by having a
 masquerade ball at Argall hall, Saturday
 evening, Jan. 12th, with good music.
 Tickets are placed at 20 cents and every-
 one is invited.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr.
 John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the
 subject, is narrated by him as follows:
 "I was in a most dreadful condition.
 My skin was almost yellow eyes sunken,
 tongue coated, pain continually in back
 and sides, no appetite—gradually grow-
 ing weaker day by day. Three physici-
 ans had given me up. Fortunately a
 friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters';
 and to my great joy and surprise, the
 first bottle made a decided improve-
 ment. I continued their use for three
 weeks, and am now a well man. I
 know they saved my life and robbed the
 grave of another victim. No one should
 fail to try them. Only 50cts., gauran-
 teed, at P. M. Mark's Drug Store.

Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Dec. 17th,
 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 Crook-
 ston, Minn., on January 30th, 1901, viz:

H. E. 17191, for the s 1/2 n 1/4, and w 1/2 s 1/4,
 sec. 19, twp. 149 n., rg. 39 w.

He names the following witnesses to prove his
 continuous residence upon and cultivation of
 said land, viz:

Hans Sorby, Lindsay, Minn., Paul Hans-
 bagen, Handy, Minn., Bern Olson, Olga, Minn
 and Martin Erickson, Fosston, Minn.
 (d21-j25) SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

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