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**BELTRAMI COUNTY**  
**ITEMS, Furnished by Correspondents**

**ALIDA ANNOTATION.**  
Elias Larson returned from Fosston on Saturday last. He is now at work in Shevlin.  
Ole Grimstad has gone to Otter Tail county.  
Miss Martha Johnson has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.  
Mrs. Ostby is sick.  
The schools of Districts No. 11 and 14 will close on the same day—Decorations Day.  
Mr. and Mrs. Carlson, of Shevlin town, gave a dance last Saturday evening.  
Messrs. Olson and Ostby were in Shevlin last Sunday.  
Mr. Lindgren, of Itasca, has gone to Otter Tail county.  
The dance at the home of Mr. Bergkvist last Saturday evening was a success, as indeed every undertaking in which Mr. and Mrs. Bergkvist are interested is bound to be.  
The bell for the north school house has been ordered, together with some more blackboards.

**HAGALI NOTES.**  
John Johnson of Medicine Lake, moved his family on his homestead. He was formerly of Thief River Falls.  
Wm. Hines passed here Monday with a fine herd of cattle for his Black Duck farm.  
Harris Omit and Nels Loburg drove to Bemidji Friday.  
John and Dalos Wilcox have been making improvements on their claims.  
Several large fires are reported west of White Fish lake. They are doing a great deal of damage to the timber.  
Knute Mugas and Harris Omit subscribed for the PIONEER last week.  
The people from Nebish expect to picnic at White Fish lake next Sunday.  
George Oslenburger has completed his new house.  
Knute Mugas went to Buena Vista Monday.  
Sam Randel and family moved on their claim Tuesday, but owing to sickness in the family returned to Bemidji Friday.  
Leslie and Theodore Gile had quite an experience with a bear Thursday.

**MAPLE RIDGE.**  
Sam Hose has gone for a drive on the Mississippi.  
Oliver Hill has a guide hired to guide him through the woods.  
James Raveny and Joseph Tisdell have each cleared five acres and seeded the same to timothy.

**Fosston Line.**  
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The vision point of three divisions of the Great Northern railway, the Fosston line being intersected there by a line from St. Paul. The lumbering operations in that vicinity are large. Bemidji, the county seat of Beltrami county, is fifteen miles beyond Cass Lake. Bemidji has grown with wonderful rapidity during the last two years, and is still growing. Besides being on the Fosston line it is at the northern terminus of the Brainerd and Northern Minnesota road, and is the outfitting point for the vast tributary region. The county contains great areas of pine and also much good agricultural land. Lumbering is carried on very extensively. Solway, Shevlin and Bagley are prosperous Beltrami villages beyond Bemidji; and Fosston, in Polk county, is reached at a distance of 222 miles from Superior. It is in the midst of a rich farming country, and is a very prosperous village.  
The unsettled portion of northern Minnesota is very rich in resources, and is now attracting settlers. A large amount of railway construction is expected in the near future.—H. C. Stivers in Superior Inland Ocean.

**State of Minnesota.**  
County of Beltrami, ss. Probate Court.  
Special Term, May 22nd, 1900.  
In the matter of the estate of Fosston T. Vase, deceased.  
On receiving and filing the petition of Peder Vase, of Elbow Lake, Grant County, Minn., representing, among other things, that Fosston T. Vase late of Twp. 16, R. 20, Beltrami Co., Minn. on the 10th day of Jan., A. D. 1900, at the City of Tower, St. Louis County, Minnesota, died intestate, and being a resident of this County at the time of his death, leaving goods, chattels and estate within this County, and that the said petitioner is a brother of said deceased and praying that administration of said estate be to him said Peder Vase granted:  
It is ordered, that said petition be heard before this court on Saturday the 16th day of June, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m., at Bemidji, in said County.  
Ordered further, that notice thereof be given to the heirs of said deceased, and to all persons interested, by publishing this order once in each week, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing, in the Bemidji Pioneer, a weekly newspaper printed and published at Bemidji, in said County.  
Dated at Bemidji, Minn., the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1900.  
By the Court,  
G. M. CARSON,  
Judge of Probate

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U. S. Land Office, Crookston, Minn., March 26, 1900.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by LAWRENCE SWAP, contestant, against Homestead Entry No. 19856, made March 23, 1899, for 5 1/2 ac. sw 1/4, northwest 1/4, southwest 1/4, that such 10 ac. sw 1/4, sec. 22, Twp. 14 N., R. 34 W., by Henry A. Meinert, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said Henry A. Meinert has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months last past and next prior to the date herein; and that said tract is not settled on and cultivated by said party as by law required; and that said tract is not being caused by said entrant's enlistment in the army, navy or marine corps of the U. S. as a private soldier, officer, seaman or sailor during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged.  
Said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 17, 1900, before the Judge of Probate Court at Bemidji, Beltrami Co., Minnesota.  
And that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 24th, 1900, before the register and receiver at the U. S. Land Office in Crookston, Minn.  
The said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed March 12, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

**Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.**  
Notice is hereby given, That default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Russell J. Whipple (an unmarried man) mortgagor, to the Selway Mercantile Company, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the 9th day of February, 1900, with power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Beltrami, State of Minnesota, on the 10th day of February, 1900, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 3 of mortgages, on page 107; which default has continued to the date of this notice, by the failure and neglect of said mortgagor to make payment of the note by said mortgage secured, which by its terms became due and payable on the 9th day of April, 1900.  
The said mortgage and holder of said mortgage has selected and hereby does elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage, and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Seventy-nine dollars with interest thereon at the rate of five percent per annum from the 8th day of April, 1900; and whereas, the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.  
Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, to-wit:  
Lots five and six (5 and 6) in block three (3) in the townsite of Solway, according to the recorded plat thereof in Beltrami county and state of Minnesota, with the houses, outhouses and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Beltrami county at the front door of the court house in the village of Bemidji, in said county and state, on the 15th day of June, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, for cash, to the highest bidder, or for cash, to pay said debt of seventy-nine dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.  
Dated April 12th, A. D. 1900.  
THE SELWAY MERCANTILE COMPANY, Mortgagee.  
STREET & REYNOLDS, Attorneys for Mortgagee. A-11

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**TIME TABLE.**

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" 5:40 p. m.	Navy 7:25 a. m.
Depart 4:42 p. m.	Lakeport 8:02 a. m.
" 4:50 p. m.	Walker 8:45 a. m.
" 5:00 p. m.	Lothrop 9:14 a. m.
" 5:10 p. m.	Buckus 9:45 a. m.
" 5:25 p. m.	Pine River 10:07 a. m.
" 5:31 p. m.	Pequot 10:20 a. m.
" 5:38 p. m.	Brainerd 11:30 a. m. Arrive
Arrive 12:55 p. m.	Brainerd 12:55 p. m. Depart
Depart 11:55 a. m.	Little Falls 1:55 "
" 10:55 "	St. Cloud 3:00 "
" 8:15 "	St. Paul 6:00 " Arrive
Leave 8:05 a. m.	Duluth 4:25 p. m. Arrive
Leave 7:50 a. m.	Fargo 7:50 p. m. Arrive

Ample time is given for dinner at Brainerd and connections are sure.  
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U. S. Land Office, Crookston, Minn., March 12, 1900.  
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by VICTOR LAURENT, contestant, against Homestead entry No. 19728 made December 21, 1898, for lot 4, Sec. 27, Township 16 N., Range 34 W., by James M. McClain, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said James McClain has wholly abandoned said tract for more than six months last past and next prior to the date herein; and that said tract is not settled upon and cultivated by said party as required by law; and that said abandonment is not caused by enlistment in the late war with Spain or the late war with the Philippines and that said alleged absence from the said land was not due to his employment in the Army, Navy or Marine Corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or mariner during the war with Spain or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on May 30, 1900, before the Judge of Probate Court at Bemidji, Beltrami Co., Minnesota, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on June 10th, 1900, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Crookston, Minnesota.  
The said contestant having in a proper affidavit filed March 12, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice cannot be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.  
SYLVESTER PETERSON, Register.

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