Jennie,

Yeah, I'm going to order the book. I'm sure you know that Borre Dahl was the brother of your great great grandfather Simon Dahl.  You probably also read the stuff at http://www.webfamilytree.com/memoirs.htm on Mrs. Wick, or Doctor Gamla.

I was glad that you mentioned that Mr. Almklov's first name was Severin.  All the documents around here call him S. Almklov and I searched quite a while for his first name.  One place called him Syver, but now I can do a new search on Severin.  We have quite a few of his "secret potions" at the museum and quite a bit on how he advertised all over the US and Canada to make sales.

Let me know whenever you find any information.  I'm not sure if you subscribe to the local paper the Griggs County Courier, but others and I have started writing a weekly column called Historical Highlights.  You can see all of the articles at http://www.griggscountyhistoricalsociety.com/museumblog/.  I'm always looking forward to getting your next email.

Ron