

POINTS OF INTEREST

1

St. James Episcopal Church

Rebuilt in 1922 after the 1919 cyclone, the bell from the original church is believed to reside in Lake Alice.

2

W.A. Lee House

Designed in the Art Moderne style by Fargo architects Foss and Company and built in 1937, Dr. W.A. Lee and his wife Lucy saw to the physical and musical well-being of the community.

3

Cyclone Monument

This marker commemorates the victims of 1919 cyclone, which devastated a large part of the city. Photos of Lake Alice show it completely filled with debris.

4

Cowing House

William Cowing moved to Fergus Falls in 1881 to open a hardware store. Two years later, he began work on this home on Lake Alice.

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Pemberton Law Office Building

The third First National Bank building (the second stands at the corner of Cascade and Lincoln; the first was lost to fire), this 1884 structure included social spaces, street level storerooms, and a basement barber shop.



Exercise station

For more information about these and other historical landmarks in Fergus Falls, please contact the Otter Tail County Historical Society at 218-736-6038 or www.otchs.org.

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