

MANY SETS OF HEIRS

Johann Mueller's Range Land Is Claimed by Persons in Far Away Bohemia.

Every State East of the Mississippi Wants a Slice—Duluth Cases Next Month.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 28.—The Mueller case, a phase of which has developed in Prague, Bohemia, is one of the most important ever tried in northern Minnesota.

Four years ago Johann Mueller died, leaving a claim on the Mesaba range enclosed by two mortgages, one of which was held by Father Kosmick of the German Catholic church in this city.

In the meantime depositions of one set of heirs near Prague, Bohemia, are being taken and four attorneys, including C. A. Beverance of St. Paul, are over there on the work.

The land is located in the richest part of the Mesaba range, and while it has never been developed, it is believed to be very rich, even richer than the Mesaba all the way from \$100,000 to \$5,000,000.

While only about twenty heirs have entered the case, letters have been received from Mueller's in every state east of the Mississippi.

NORTHWEST WEDDINGS

ANOKA, MINN.—The marriage of Miss Ethel Rankin and Roy E. Rumery of Coon Creek took place in this city yesterday.

The bride is a resident of this city. Miss Edith Mahoney was bridesmaid and Mr. Haley best man.

PLAINVIEW, MINN.—Dr. Lyman C. Steinkamp of St. Louis and Miss Nellie Vahler of this city were married yesterday at high noon by Dr. C. H. Stocking, the father of the bride, of Youngstown, O.

Both young people are graduates of Hamline university. The bride has been a successful teacher in the public schools of Elgin, Minn. The bridegroom has opened a practice at St. Cloud, Minn.

FERGUS FALLS, MINN.—Leo J. Kearin and Miss Anna Ness were united in marriage at the bride's home in Battle Lake yesterday.

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HUMBOLDT, IOWA.—Miss Bessie Albee and C. O. Ross were married, Rev. Edwin H. H. H. officiating. It was an outdoor wedding, taking place at high noon.

The bride is a well known young lady of Humboldt and the bridegroom is a graduate of Hamline university.

SPRING VALLEY, MINN.—The following young people were married here: Milo E. Albert and Miss Nettie Crosby, Abraham Thompson and Miss Nettie Edwards, and J. O. Solle and Miss Clara Rose.

MEMONONIE, WIS.—Professor Harry Laube and Miss Maude Kirk of this city were married last evening.

ANOKA GAMBLERS FINED Operators of the Monte Carlo at Columbia Heights Are Assessed Goodly Sums.

George Clark, J. W. Tonquay, George Dargatz, Ira C. Rindquist, and John Pohl were arraigned in the Anoka court yesterday afternoon charged with operating a gambling house at Columbia Heights.

The court found Clark, Dargatz, Rindquist and Pohl guilty and fined \$100 each. Clark and Dargatz were fined \$300 each for operating a gambling house and Tonquay was held \$20 bail for return.

THE SULTAN LOST HIS SHIP. Berlin, Aug. 28.—The managers of Howaldt's shipyard at Kiel refused today to deliver a ship which had been ordered by the Turkish government.

SETTLEMENT OF TRACY REWARD. Barenton, Wash., Aug. 28.—The matter of the settlement of the Tracy reward is about to be settled.

Our Men's 60c and Boys' 30c Canvas Lace Socks, with 10% extra for the Turkey, some broken, Bargain Friday, 25c only.

Our Misses 50c Red Tennis Socks, with 10% extra for the Turkey, only, Bargain Friday, 25c only.

Child's 7c, dark tan, one strap Slippers, sizes 8 to 10, also same for young ladies, sizes 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2, value 8, Bargain Friday, 25c only.

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OVERDOING IT IN STEEL

Too Many Plants in Germany—Forced Into Combination With Morgan and England.

Berlin, Aug. 28.—The combination of American and English steel and iron exporting interests continues to supply fuel for discussion.

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WAS HE A PAL OF FREEMAN

Charles Vroman, Supposed to Be Implicated in Swindles at Menominee, Under Arrest.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—Charles Vroman, one of the three men implicated in the deal by which Rauber & Watson, lumber dealers were swindled out of many thousands of dollars, was arrested in Whatcom, Wis., yesterday by the FBI.

Freeman was arrested at the Briggs Hotel several months ago, just after he had returned from the Pacific coast. Vroman was a lumber inspector in the employ of A. V. Freeman of Menominee, Mich., and is said to have furnished the reports which Freeman used in defrauding Rauber & Watson.

The trail led to London and thence to South Africa, and though it was not temporarily, several times, it finally ended in a little cabin, where the officers found their man just as he was cooking his supper. He interviewed all of the prisoners taken at Bluefields in July without getting any information about Wilson.

DR. WILSON'S AWFUL PERIL The U. S. Consul Tells of His Thrilling Work of Rescue.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Complete and official reports show that Dr. Wilson, who was supposed to have been captured and taken to the interior of the Amazon, never actually captured. This has come to the state department in the shape of a report from Consul Gottschalk at Bluefields.

The consul tells of his earnest efforts to carry out the department's instructions to find the doctor, who was supposed to be a prisoner. After finding at San Juan del Norte one who knew anything of his capture, the consul proceeded to Bluefields, where he found a people equally ignorant.

FILED AT LAST MINUTE New Candidates for Nominations at Stillwater.

Special to the Journal. Stillwater, Minn., Aug. 28.—There were three more names for nominations last night when the auditor was about to close his books.

City officials and their wives, who have been on an excursion to Duluth, returned on the 2:15 train this afternoon. They were entertained at Duluth and report a very pleasant social time.

FAIR WARNING. Philadelphia Press. Mrs. Hilly-Jane, didn't I see you strolling along the avenue last evening with my husband?

POORHOUSE BURNING Bessemer's Fire Department Away From Home When Needed.

Special to the Journal. Bessemer, Mich., Aug. 28.—The Gogebic county poorhouse is burning and the Lake Superior poorhouse is in danger.

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THE CHANNEL WAS COLD. Dorset, England, Aug. 28.—Frank Holmes of Birmingham, who started from Dover this morning in an effort to swim the English Channel, was taken out of the water when a mile from Dover.

SOCIAL BETTERMENT

Practical Results Are Expected to Follow the Employer and Employee Convention.

Secy. Schaper Writes of Some of the Social and Industrial Reforms Already Effected.

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A MATRIMONIAL RECORD

Mrs. Miner Finds Ranev, Wis., a Bit Slow After Life in Chicago.

New York Sun Special Service. Chicago, Aug. 28.—James Miner of Ranev, Wis., and his wife of Chicago, who last February established a new matrimonial record by a courtship, marriage and separation in three days, have settled down to their married life again.

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SINGLE BLESSEDNESS

There Are More Bachelors in This Country Than Spinsters.

6,726,779 AGAINST BUT 4,195,446 In Minnesota the Figures Are 195,520 and 85,224, a Major Majority of 110,305.

Philadelphia Times. The census office has just completed a careful reckoning of the number of men in the various and sundry who are available matrimonially.

In the aggregate, there are 6,726,779 bachelors of 20 years or over, and makes record of the remaining fact that there are at present in the United States 2,500,000 more single men than single women of that age and above.

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MONTANA CATTLE

Low Prices Realized for Second Run of Grassers.

MILES CITY, MONT.—The demoralized market for beef cattle has been further depressed. A sagging market may be expected whenever the second run of grassers sets in from the northwest.

Another shipment, marketed one day earlier, fared even worse, though it should be said the cattle were not as desirable as the first shipment.

The hammering of prices in the Chicago stockyard about this period in the shipping season is not unusual. The more seasoned growers discount this to happen, but it comes somewhat earlier than was expected.

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DEADWOOD, S. D.

Patrick Donnelly, a contractor with many men, horses and wheel scrapers, has arrived in the Hills from Old Mexico, and it is asserted he is here to build an extension of the Elkhorn railroad to Blacktail gulch to Garden City and Carbonate, and thence to Spearfish.

Wayzata, Minn.—A western harvest hand returned Tuesday night from Morris with \$35.50. He visited several saloons with supposed friends and became intoxicated. When he came to he found himself in an alley. His money was gone, also his satchel containing some extra clothing, his hat and even the camp from his feet.

LAKE PRESTON, S. D.—A farewell reception was given by Professor and Mrs. J. C. Lindsey last evening at the Congregational church.

GARDEN CITY, S. D.—Efforts are being made to have a postoffice established here, and John Noland is the agreed candidate.

LEAD, S. D.—Eugene V. Debs is making a tour of the Hills, addressing the various labor organizations, and has spoken at several places.

DES MOINES, IOWA.—At the state convention of the Iowa mail carriers the following officers were elected: President, B. H. Wood, Cherokee; first vice president, J. W. Clever, Hamilton; second vice president, W. H. Diller, Des Moines; secretary, J. B. Gray, Eagle Grove.

LA CROSSE, WIS.—Harvey Derr, one of the oldest residents of this city, dropped dead on a street this morning as he was getting into his buggy. Heart disease was the cause of death. He was 76 years of age and had lived here many years.

DODGE CENTER, MINN.—The men and material are here ready to commence building a gas plant to light streets and buildings. Brick and concrete will be constructed for a power-house.

PRAIRIE DU SAC, WIS.—Mrs. Jacob Buehler, a neat mail carrier, died at a small hickory nut, white and perfectly round. It is worth several hundred dollars.

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Love is unequally yoked with sickness. Labor is lightened by love, but love cannot lighten pain or relieve grief.

WILMOT, S. D.—The Roberts county republican convention was held at Sisseton yesterday. Although farmers are busy with crops and threshing there were 159 delegates present out of a total of 322.

WHITEWOOD, S. D.—The committee in charge of the soldiers reunion, to be held here beginning Sept. 16, has extended an invitation to Confederate veterans and their families.

BLACK RIVER FALLS, WIS.—Special Indian Agent Peterson is here among the Winnebago, doing what he can to get the young men to accept of their annuities are withheld unless they comply with the conditions.

It is to be the boys in blue no longer, but the boys in red. A great, yellowish brown, Syracuse Post-Standard.

Advertisement for 'Mother's Friend' medicine, describing its benefits for various ailments and its popularity among mothers.