

DAHL IS FOUND

Body of Homesteader, Supposed to Have Been Murdered, Found Under a Tree.

Owen French and Eugene Colwell Discovered the Body Yesterday Afternoon.

The body of N. O. Dahl, the homesteader who was murdered at his claim near Quiring April 3rd, was discovered under the roots of a balsam tree near his house at four o'clock yesterday afternoon by Eugene Colwell and Owen French, two homesteaders who live a short distance from the Dahl homestead.

Much interest has been manifested in the mysterious disappearance of N. O. Dahl and daughter, Agot, which occurred last spring, and a constant search has been made for the bodies. Rewards have been offered by the state and county, and also by relatives of the missing parties. No clues as to what had become of the pair had been found up to last night, and it looked for some time as if the mystery would forever remain unsolved.

Yesterday afternoon Eugene Colwell, in company with his neighbor, Owen French, went out to search for a cow which had strayed away from Colwell's home and in passing a tree became conscious of a smell of putrid flesh. They immediately became suspicious and commenced a search around the place from which the stench seemed to emanate, and found a human body buried under roots of a balsam tree which had blown down during a storm.

After satisfying themselves that they had discovered a human body they immediately set out for Blackduck, about twenty miles distant, and arrived there at 10 o'clock last night. They notified the authorities in this city of the finding of the body and Deputy Coroner Marcum, Sheriff Bailey and County Attorney Loud left this morning for Quiring, where an inquest will be held.

The finding of the body of Dahl hidden under the roots of a tree clears all doubts that he was murdered aside, and every effort to find the perpetrators of the crime will be made. At present no definite clues have been found that would lead to their discovery, but it is said that several parties are under suspicion. The finding of the body simplifies matters considerably, and arrests are expected to follow in the near future.

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by the fact that the body was found under the roots of a large balsam tree which at some time had blown down. The body being placed under the wall thus made and then the trunk of the tree was chopped off and thus the body was buried.

A message from Tenstrike this afternoon states that the three men are suspected of killing Dahl, but that it is thought there, that the daughter is yet alive. Only one name is given, that of Eugene Colwell, who discovered the body. One of the other men is a Frenchman and is said to be a former convict who served a term at Stillwater and is an all around bad man. It is thought there that this man ran away with the girl and has kept her in custody since the disappearance. An Indian who lives near Quiring says that a short time after the disappearance of the pair he met two men, driving a team of grays and was accompanied by a young woman, who is supposed to have been Miss Dahl. It is claimed that one of these men was Colwell and the other was the Frenchman. The Indian recognized the team as belonging to Colwell. From this it is drawn that Colwell and the Frenchman kidnaped the girl and the Frenchman has ever since that date. Immediately after the disappearance of the Dahls, a man by the name of Westby, more familiarly known in the neighborhood as "Shorty," disappeared, and indications point to his being implicated in the killing.

A large posse, armed to the teeth, and accompanied by Sheriff Bailey and County Attorney Loud, left Teustrike this morning to make the arrest of Colwell and the Frenchman. The men who compose the posse have all been sworn in as deputies, as Sheriff Bailey expects resistance in attempting the arrest of the two men, especially the Frenchman.

FOUR ARRESTS

Proprietor of Rival Place Suspected of Setting Place On Fire.

The arrest of the proprietor of a rival resort, his watchman, bartender, and piano player, for the burning of a building, which caused the death of three parties, is causing considerable comment at Nashauk.

Several days previous to Sunday evening an attempt was made to set the place on fire but this was thwarted by the police of the town. After this a watchman was employed, and at the time of the fire had stepped into an adjoining saloon for a few moments.

The parties arrested are, by the authorities, believed to be the right parties and a strict examination and investigation is being held. The charge of arson is a serious one, but if sufficient evidence can be secured they will be placed under arrest for manslaughter.

SUICIDE

Well Known Merchant of Moorhead Ends His Life at Detroit Lake.

The body of Oscar Freeberg, for a number of years a prominent merchant, of Moorhead was found at Detroit Lake about 11 o'clock Sunday evening. In the afternoon he hired a boat and went out alone and all indications point to suicide.

He was near death's door last winter with inflammatory rheumatism, and this with the recent news of the death of a brother at Manila seems to be the cause of his despondency.

PRINTERS WIN

Take Base Ball Game From Clerks in Interesting Game Last Night.

The ball game last night between the printers and the clerks of the city aroused considerable interest and a large crowd was in attendance at the game. Both teams played fast ball considering the amount of practice each has had, the printers proving a little the stronger and took the game by a score of six to five. L. H. Bailey umpired the game and gave good satisfaction on both sides. The sensational play of the game was a fly caught by Solberg, "The Chipmunk," of the printers, which drew forth rounds of applause from the spectators. The manager of the printers' team feels rather chesty over the victory and is ready to accept a challenge from any team in the city.

STOLE BEER

John Back and Jacob Ungerman Make Way With Half Barrel of Malt Product.

John Back and Jacob Ungerman, two farmers living in the town of Frohn, were arraigned before Judge Pendergast this morning on a charge of stealing a half barrel of beer from the Minnesota & International railway. Back pleaded guilty to the charge and was given an option of either \$15 fine and costs or thirty days in jail, and took the latter. Ungerman plead not guilty and claims that Back represented to him that the beer had been purchased and was taken legitimately. His hearing was set for Saturday afternoon.

Benefit Game.

The business men of the city will take on the regular team tomorrow night in a benefit game of base ball, the proceeds of which will go toward supporting the regular team. The game will occur at the old ball grounds. No admission will be charged to the game, but tickets will be sold to all those who feel like contributing to the support of the fast team which has secured for the season in Bemidji.

Long Winded Case.

Duluth Herald: The case of Herman Lafitte against Thomas Bailey, sheriff of Beltrami county, and M. D. Stoner, has now occupied the attention of Judge Page Morris in federal court for four days. Indications are for trial will extend through today. Lafitte sued Bailey, as sheriff, for attaching his property on an account by Stoner claimed to be due him from Lafitte.

Will Travel on Road.

J. R. Lenox, who has been one of the bookkeepers at the Crookston Lumber company's offices has resigned his position and will hereafter be connected with the sales department of the company. Mr. Lenox has territory assigned him and will make his first trip in the near future. He has many friends in the city who hope for his success in his new position.

Humiliating Defeat.

In a letter received from Leo Brayton, who is now playing second base for the Hurley, Wis., team, supposed to be the fastest team in the northern part of that state, he departs the information that they were defeated last Sunday by the Crystal Falls, Mich., team by a score of 16 0. Their crack pitcher, "Dummy" Sullivan, was hammered all over the lot for a total of sixteen bingles.

The home of Thomas Hall, of Solway, was saddened yesterday afternoon, by the death of his wife, Dr. Blakeslee, of this city was summoned to attend the sick woman but before he arrived she had passed away. She leaves a husband and two small children, the youngest of which was but a few hours old.

C. C. Strander and O. C. Rood of Crookston arrived in the city this morning and proceeded at once to Quiring, where they will take charge of the body of N. O. Dahl, the murdered homesteader. Mr. Dahl is a father-in-law of both the gentlemen.

Should tomorrow's issue be late it will be owing to the fact that we are holding it for late news regarding the Dahl murder at Quiring.

August Kranz, who has been visiting with relatives for some time at Jordan, Minn., returned to this city last night.

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WILL FIX DATE

Gov. Van Sant Was Expected To Return to St. Paul From Iowa Yesterday.

Governor Van Sant was expected back to St. Paul from his trip to Iowa yesterday and one of the duties which will require his attention during this week will be the fixing of a date for the execution of William Chounard, the Cass Lake murderer, whom he recently refused to send to Stillwater for life in lieu of hanging.

The governor has until Friday in which to designate the date of Chounard's execution, which will probably be within a month from July 29, unless an appeal from the verdict of the Cass county jury and the subsequent judgment of the court should be taken by his attorneys. Reports are that the appeal papers are being perfected at Cass Lake.

ACTION IS DEFERRED.

Attorneys and Judge Confer on Northern Securities Injunction.

Wilmington, Del., July 27.—Elliott Root and Maxwell Everett of New York, representing the Northern Securities company, and R. V. Lindabury, F. L. Stetson and Judge Levill, representing Harriman & Co., conferred with Judge Bradford in the United States circuit court here relative to the form of decree granting a preliminary injunction in the Northern Securities case. Action was deferred for a week, when there will be another conference. The decree, which is in course of preparation, is in compliance with the judge's decision in Trenton, granting a preliminary injunction restraining the company from making a pro rata distribution of its assets.

KILLS CHILD AND HERSELF.

Michigan Woman Poisons Her Baby and Commits Suicide.

Pontiac, Mich., July 27.—When Baggageman Blades of the Grand Trunk depot came home at 7 o'clock last night he found the doors fastened. He broke into the house and found his wife and baby on the floor, both dying from the effects of poison administered by the woman. The baby is now dead and the wife cannot live. Despondency is given as the cause.

DYE WORKS DESTROYED.

Fire Wipes Out a Plant Valued at \$200,000.

Providence, R. I., July 27.—The Turkey Red dye works at Bellefont, five miles north of this city, were destroyed by fire this morning. The loss is conservatively estimated at \$200,000.

Fire Destroys Car Shops.

Two Harbors, Minn., July 27.—A fire which started at 4:30 a. m. totally destroyed the car shops and contents of the Duluth and Iron Range Railroad company, entailing a loss of about \$75,000, covered by insurance. The fire started in the pattern department from an unknown cause and spread rapidly among the dry material throughout the building.

Davis Denies Rumored Marriage.

Bedford, Pa., July 27.—Senator Davis emphatically denies the reports that he is to marry the widow of Dr. John Reynolds of Shepardsstown, W. Va. The senator has been receiving telegrams of congratulation all day and is very indignant. He says there is not a word of truth in it.

OFFICIAL CALL ISSUED.

League of Republican Clubs to Meet in October.

Washington, July 27.—J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia, president of the National Republican league, has issued the following call to all Republican state and territorial leagues, delegates and alternates and members of Republican clubs throughout the United States:

"In pursuance of the constitution requiring sixty days' notice and in compliance with the action of the executive committee the regular biennial convention of the National Republican league is hereby called to take place in the city of Indianapolis, Ind., Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 5 and 6, 1904, commencing at 10 o'clock promptly on the morning of the first day.

"Governor Durbin of Indiana will deliver the address of welcome and Senator Fairbanks, Republican nominee for vice president; Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury; Senator Beveridge and other distinguished Republicans will deliver addresses."

WILL MEET IN MINNEAPOLIS.

Minnesota Democrats to Name State Ticket Aug. 30.

Winona, Minn., July 27.—Chairman Buck of the Democratic state central committee said during the day that the executive committee had by correspondence decided to call the Democratic state nominating convention to meet at Exposition hall, Minneapolis, Aug. 30. The official call will be out this week.

The basis of representation will be the same as at the Duluth convention, one delegate for every 150 votes or major fraction cast for Bryan in 1900.

DEWEY GETS PRIZE MONEY.

Fight Ended for Rewards in Battle of Manila Bay.

Washington, July 27.—After a legal battle of several years Admiral Dewey and his men who fought the battle of Manila are to receive their prize money on account of the capture of the Don Juan de Austria and other Spanish property.

The amount of the property captured finally was fixed at \$1,657,355, a sum considerably in excess of what the government claimed to be due. One-half of the amount will be paid to the captors.

BRIEF BITS OF NEWS.

Indications are that the Oregon hop crop will amount to about 90,000 bales, or in the neighborhood of 15,000 bales less than last year.

Colonel D. R. Anthony, the noted Kansas editor and a brother of Miss Susan B. Anthony, the woman suffragist, is dying at his home in Leavenworth.

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Light Summer Ties, delicate stripes or plain effects;	25c	New effects in Havana Brown Hosiery; also moose shades and vertical stripes and neat checks, at	25c	Men's White Wash Vests, sizes 35 to 40; \$1.00 and \$1.50 values, for	50c
New, narrow, inch-width Ties for low collars; in figures and solid shade; here exclusively for	50c	Men's Fancy Satens and Madras, Pajamas, Military collar, frogged fronts, striped and polka dots; \$2.00 values, at	\$1.25	Men's \$5.00 Outing Suits, in homespins, for	\$3.75
Wilson Bros' Spring Needle Lisle and German Mesh Underwear; blue, pinks, stripes; form-fitting; every size; worth \$2.00;	\$1.15	White Yacht Caps, in white, duck, patent leather, visor; 50c caps for	25c	Men's 50c Belts, in black or tan; all sizes;	38c
				Boys' 50c Balbriggan, ribbed Underwear, plain colors, for	23c

Clearance Sale in Boys' Clothing

Sensational Reductions in Boys' and Children's Suits. Every Summer Suit will be sold to make room for magnificent stock of Fall Goods now in transit.