

LIVED ON BIG FORK

"Shorty" Wesley, Wanted for Dahl Murder, Spent Summer in Woods.

WAS SECRETED IN CABIN OF HOMESTEADERS.

Two Went to Duluth Together Where They Were Separated August 17.

A homesteader who lives on the Big Fork river east of Ripple was in the city yesterday and in an interview with the gentleman it was learned that during the whole summer, from the time of disappearance of the two Dahls, up to the middle of August last, he had harbored within his cabin "Shorty" Wesley, the man who is wanted for complicity in the murder of N. O. Dahl and daughter, August.

The man said that Wesley came to his cabin about the middle of April and asked for food and shelter. He represented that he had traveled far and was hungry and cold and wanted to rest a few days with the homesteader. The latter allowed him to stay for a few days and an acquaintance between the two men sprang up which as it progressed developed into friendship. The homesteader, having lived alone in the woods and being devoid of any company, asked Wesley to stay with him during the summer. This "Shorty" agreed to, promising to help out in the work on the homestead. They lived together thus during the entire summer, and the gentleman says that his guest was always a willing worker and the thought of his being even suspected of a grave crime never entered his mind.

About the middle of August it became necessary for the homesteader to make a trip to Duluth on business connected with his claim, and together the two set out, arriving in that city a few days later. They stayed there for a couple of days but became separated in Superior on August 17, and since that time he has not seen any trace of Wesley.

He was much surprised when he learned that his guest was suspected of being implicated in the murder, and said that nothing in the actions of Wesley would indicate that he was a criminal.

Baudette Case Appealed.
Chas. Loring of Crookston, attorney for Thos. Cathcart in the contest case which involves the townsite of Baudette, has received notice from the department of the interior at Washington that the case has been appealed to the secretary of the interior. Mr. Cathcart received favorable decisions in the land office at Crookston and also from the commissioner of the interior and the townsite company now is making its final effort in the courts. Meanwhile both the company and Cathcart live upon and claim the land.

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CLAIMS GANNON USED A GUN

Sensational Story of Evidence in the Spooner Townsite Case.

Evidence in the Spooner townsite case is being heard at Crookston before the land office officials and the case will be concluded tomorrow. The Crookston Times this morning claims that sensational evidence will be offered before the case closes to show that Mr. Gannon used a gun in enforcing his claims to the disputed land. According to the Times' story Peter Running claims the same land claimed by Matt Gannon and avers that Mr. Gannon simply took possession of it during his absence after he (Running) had lived upon it for five years and improved it to the extent of \$300. Running further alleges that when he came back to his claim to take possession Gannon used a rifle to persuade him to keep away.

WILL INSTALL NOVEL DEVICE

Jeweler E. A. Barker Orders First Set of Chimes in Northern Minnesota.

E. A. Barker will receive in a few days a set of four bells constituting in miniature a complete chime outfit. While the bells will not be as large as those used for town clocks, etc. they will be so large that when they are installed outside over Mr. Barker's store they will be plainly heard all over the business part of town. The chimes are as complete in every detail as the large chimes used in the large cities and their installation here by Mr. Barker will be their first use in any city throughout the northwest. The chimes consist of four bells and will ring every half hour.

The installation of the chimes will be awaited with a great deal of interest.

P. O. RECEIPTS ARE \$9,359.99

Bemidji Postoffice Only Lacks \$640.01 For Free Delivery System.

Postmaster G. E. Carson last night received from the auditor of the postal department at Washington a statement showing the total receipts of the Bemidji postoffice during the fiscal year ending July 31. The amount is \$9,359.99 and lacks only a little over \$600 for a free delivery system to be established in this city. Mr. Carson says the amount is satisfactory and states positively that at the end of the present year Bemidji will have reached beyond the \$10,000 mark, which is required for free delivery.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy Is Pleasant to Take.

The finest quality of granulated loaf sugar is used in the manufacture of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and the roots used in its preparation give it a flavor similar to maple syrup, making it quite pleasant to take. Mr. W. L. Roderick, of Poolesville, Md., in speaking of this remedy, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with my children for several years and can truthfully say it is the best preparation of the kind I know of. The children like to take it and it has no injurious after effect. For sale by Barker's Drug store."

New Society Organized.
Fourteen young gentlemen of the city assembled last evening and effected the organization of the "Pikers' Club," with officers as follows: President, Joe Young; vice-president, John Strong; secretary, G. N. Christie; treasurer, M. Shea; sergeant-at-arms, Geo. Rogers. The evening was spent in pleasant diversions and an oyster supper was served.

Jerrard Here.
James R. Jerrard, manager of the St. Cloud Journal-Press, was in the city today on business. Mr. Jerrard is one of the oldest employees of the Journal-Press company and as manager has built up the present metropolitan newspaper. He returned home this afternoon.

A Runaway Bicycle.
Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and remedies for four years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, skin eruptions and piles. 25c at all drug stores.

WHERE IS NINTH AT?

Speakership Fight Arouses General Interest Throughout State.

NINTH DISTRICT MEMBERS LIE LOW.

Understood that an Effort is Being Made to Swing the District to Frank Clague.

The contest for speaker of the house of representatives is arousing general interest throughout the state. The leading candidates are N. F. Hugo of Duluth and Frank Clague of Lamberton, while W. B. Anderson of Winona, W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow and R. J. Wells of Breckenridge are prominently mentioned.

Where is the ninth congressional district in the fight? The Pioneer has reliable information to the effect that an organized attempt is being made to obtain the support of the district for Frank Clague, to whom the old members of the house for the ninth district are disposed to give their support. It is said that if the matter could be left to a vote of the old members the ninth district would be pledged to Clague within 48 hours.

N. F. Hugo of Duluth, who is perhaps the leading candidate throughout the state for the place, has warm supporters in the ninth district however among whom Representative Simons is said to be one and it is probable that the vote will be quite evenly divided between Hugo and Clague. Representative Wells of Breckenridge some time ago declared that he would be a candidate. It does not appear at present that he can muster enough strength to make his election at all probable, but should he determine to stick as a candidate he would doubtless be accorded at least a complimentary vote of the ninth district members.

The ninth congressional district embraces the 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63rd legislative districts and has thirteen members in the house of representatives.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.—ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of One Hundred Dollars for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

—Frank J. Cheney.
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Will Not Log in Canada.

M. E. Thurston has returned from Manitoba, where he has been for the past month looking over the timber interests of Thurston and Farley. The firm intended to establish camps and cut a large amount of pine this winter, but owing to the lateness of the season they have decided to postpone the operations until next winter. Mr. Thurston is at Tenstrike now where he is completing arrangements for logging a tract of pine in that vicinity.

From South Africa.—New Way of Using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. Arthur Chapman writing from Durban, Natal, South Africa, says: "As a proof that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a cure suitable for old and young, I pen you the following: A neighbor of mine had a child just over two months old. It had a very bad cough and the parents did not know what to give it. I suggested that if they would get a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and put some upon the dummy teat the baby was sucking it would no doubt cure the child. This they did and brought about a quick relief and cured the baby." This remedy is for sale by Barker's Drug store.

Funeral Held Today.

The funeral over the remains of E. H. Gallagher was held from Lahr's undertaking establishment this morning. Only two relatives of the deceased were present, Mrs. Yates of Osakis, who is a sister, and a cousin who lives at Juneau, Wis.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

WANTED—Dining room girl at the City restaurant.

MOE GETS BAIL FIXED AT \$6000

John Moe Who Shot Nels Orvik at Beltrami is Released

Yesterday an order was issued by Judge Watts releasing John Moe from the Polk county jail. Pioneer readers will remember the shooting of Nels Orvik at Beltrami some weeks since by Moe, who is well known in Bemidji. Orvik was running amuck in the village and Moe shot him in self defense. He was held to the petit jury at his examination because he admitted in the preliminary examination that he could have gotten away from Orvik without shooting him. Judge Watts committed him to bail in the sum of \$6,000. Yesterday the signatures of several substantial business men of Crookston were secured on the bond and Judge Watts issued the order for his release.

He will at once resume his old position as assistant to Engineer George A. Ralph. Moe has spent most of his time during the past two years with Mr. Ralph and he has never tended bar except a day or two to accommodate friends. He believes that the grand jury will not convict him and that he will be entirely exonerated as he is in the village of Beltrami when the facts are known.

INDIANS MUST HAVE LICENSE

Commissioner Jones of Indian Affairs Says Indian Privileges Are Limited.

Commissioner Jones, Indian agent at Washington, has issued instructions to Sam Fullerton, head of the game and fish commission of the state of Minnesota, that all Indians who intend to hunt off the reservation upon which they live must secure a regular game licence the same as any white resident, and if they are caught off the reservation without complying to the laws regarding big game hunting they are subject to the same fine and imprisonment. Acting upon the advice of Commissioner Jones, Mr. Fullerton has issued instructions to game wardens throughout the state to arrest any Indians hunting without a license outside the boundaries of their reservation and deal with them as with white men.

CALL ANOTHER FOR MONDAY

Meeting of the Business Men Set for Monday Evening.

The meeting of the Business Men's Club last evening to confer with the city council in regard to finances for securing the right of way for the Red Lake Minnesota & Manitoba railway was attended by all the members of the council but by a bare half dozen of the business men of the city. No business could be done under such conditions and after an informal discussion of the whole matter it was decided to hold another meeting Monday evening at 8:30. The matter is one in which every business man in the city is vitally interested and it is expected that every man will be present next Monday evening.

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The Bazaar Department Store.

The foot ball dance to be given this evening by the local team at the city hall promises to be one of the most successful social functions of the season. A large crowd will be present and already many tickets have been sold by members of the team. The usual precautions for the exclusion of obnoxious characters will be taken and the floor will be managed in the best possible manner. The Bemidji orchestra, which have been engaged to furnish music, have recently received a large amount of the latest music available, and will undoubtedly give good satisfaction.

K. A. Rasmussen, E. C. Mills, O. Hodgdon and F. L. Stockings are a party of investors who are in the city and will go through the county to look over the land with a view of buying. The gentleman are from Hutchinson, Minn., and say that Beltrami county soil compares very favorably with that of southern Minnesota.

Bemidji Commercial College is now in a position to teach any and all subjects taught by that school for \$1.00 per week nights, and \$1.50 per week days, straight. All subjects.

P. J. CONWAY, Principal.
Box 744, 108 Sixth Street, between Bemidji and Beltrami Avenues.

Thieves Make Small Haul.

Yesterday afternoon when Misses Annie Aaberg and Randa Winnevoid, two young ladies employed at the Bemidji Steam laundry, returned to their rooms over the Bazaar store they found that during their absence thieves had entered the rooms, opened their trunk and taken seven dollars in money. Several jars of preserves owned by Miss Nettie Rogers, who also rooms in the building, had also been taken.

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