

CLOSE TO KILLING

Traveling Man Mistakes His Own Daughter for a Deer.

MISSES HER BY ONLY A FEW INCHES.

A Narrow Escape From a Dreadful Tragedy in the North Woods.

A traveling man who spent Thanksgiving Day at the Markham was so thankful that he could not keep the case of it to himself, although he refused to give any name for publication. Only a few days ago, near his own home in Wisconsin, while out deer hunting he had a narrow escape from killing his own daughter. He relates the incident as follows: "My wife, little 12 year old girl and I went out deer hunting about twenty miles from our home the other day and made our headquarters in an old log shanty which was owned by a friend of mine. My wife and daughter remained at the shanty to prepare the midday meal while I shouldered my rifle and started out in pursuit of game. I had been gone something more than an hour and got somewhat turned around, in fact, did not know that I was anywhere in the vicinity of the shack, when suddenly my attention was attracted to a moving object a little distance away. It looked for all the world like a deer and I thoughtlessly blazed away. Instantly I saw the figure stand upright only to discover that it was my little girl who had wandered away from the shack just to see what she could see. Well, now you can imagine that my heart went up in my mouth and that it remained there for some little time. The bullet I ascertained had passed within six inches of her head and split a twig of a tree, squarely in two. Ye gods! I will never get over that shock as long as I live. If that bullet had killed my little girl I believe I would have sent another through my own head. It was certainly a narrow escape and taught me a lesson that will last me for all time to come. I shall never go hunting again. No, I am not very proud of the affair and that is the reason I decline to give my name."

Not a Sick Day Since.
"I was taken severely sick with kidney trouble. I tried all sorts of medicines, none of which relieved me. One day I saw an ad of your Electric Bitters and determined to try that. After taking a few doses I felt relieved and soon thereafter was entirely cured, and have not seen a sick day since. Neighbors of mine have been cured of rheumatism, neuralgia, liver and kidney troubles and general debility." Th's is what B. F. Bass, of Fremont, N. C., writes. Only 50c at all druggists.

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BAZAAR STORE CHANGES HANDS

Messrs. Young and Ives Buy Out the Troppman Interest.

Negotiations have been pending for some time and today were brought to a successful conclusion by which Messrs. J. P. Young and E. H. Ives purchase all the stock of the Troppman, Ives, West company owned by F. G. Troppman of Ferguson Falls and thus become the sole owners of the popular Bazaar store. It is understood that the deal is a cash one and the purchasers have immediate possession.

The business will be continued under the name of the Bazaar store and under the exclusive management of Messrs. Ives and Young will doubtless continue to enjoy a large measure of the prosperity of Bemidji and vicinity. The purchasers have been interested in the business from the first and their ability as hustling young business men is well known and the success of the Bazaar store in their hands is certain.

No change will be made in the character of the business but the new proprietors announce that a grand change of ownership sale will be inaugurated early next week.

FOUND THE WIFE AT BRAINERD

Brother Seeks His Sister Who Had Eloped With a Stranger.

L. H. Steffire, a merchant of La Crosse, Wis., was in Bemidji Thursday to locate his sister, Mrs. D. D. McDonald, of Red Lake, Wis., who he said had eloped with a man named O. N. Madson, Kendall, Wis.

He made a thorough search of the hotels here, but he was not able to locate the pair and Thursday night Steffire went on to Brainerd, and today a word was received from him saying he had found both Mrs. McDonald and Madson at Brainerd. He has sent for his brother and Madson's wife and will have the couple prosecuted.

Madson has been working at Bemidji and had a wife and family at Kendall. Some time ago he wrote his wife sending her a little money and telling her to meet him in Crookston. Shortly before this Mrs. McDonald disappeared and Steffire traced her to Brainerd and then found that they had been traveling over the state as man and wife.

MURDER THEORY NOT PROBABLE

Said That Missing Money Was Found on Dryhaug's Body.

Felix Fournet, the Crookston wholesale liquor dealer, came down from Kelliher this morning. He interviewed the messenger who brought word from Shotley of the finding of Jacob Dryhaug's body and it is claimed by the latter that the body was found on the lake shore with all the money and checks upon it. The messenger claimed that there was a big storm on Red Lake a few days ago which caused the body to be washed up on the shore.

A. M. Siverson of Crookston, brother of the dead man, reached Bemidji this noon on his way to Shotley. It is not expected that Deputy Coroner Marcum can return from Shotley before Monday.

NEGROES ARRIVE AT BLACKDUCK

First Part of Booker T. Washington's Colony Arrives at Their Destination.

Seven negroes passed through the city last night enroute to Blackduck, where it is said they will form the colony that Booker T. Washington, the eminent colored writer, will establish. They all went to the Palace hotel and registered and will remain there as guests until arrangements for the erection of cabins upon the lands which Mr. Washington has secured options are completed. Blackduck people are much surprised at the arrival of the dusky gentlemen but in all probability will not make any attempt to prevent the settlement of the colony.

WOODSMAN HILARIOUS

Inherits Large Sum of Money Then Goes on Big Spree With Friends.

BUYS DRINKS AND REFUSES TO ACCEPT CHANGE.

Strews Money Broadcast Over Bars in Celebrating His Good Fortune.

Otto Schmidt, who has been making Northome his home for some time past, has just completed one of the most elaborate and far-reaching sprees that ever fell to the lot of a woodsman in northern Minnesota, but has the satisfactory feeling of knowing that he has a snug income for the rest of his life.

The spree was the results of Mr. Schmidt's inheritance of a fortune which in all amounted to \$16,000 from a relative who died some time ago in Germany. A few days ago Schmidt received word from the German consul at St. Paul that he had a fortune awaiting him and all that was necessary was for him to prove his identity. This he did very promptly and he received a check for the amount left him by his wealthy relative. Upon receiving the money, Schmidt proceeded to celebrate his good fortune at Northome in a very artistic manner and for several days it was unnecessary for anyone to lay down any money in order to get drinks at the refreshment parlors of that city. "Schmidt pays for this" was a common expression at Northome for a week, and the money Schmidt put up for intoxicating beverages was larger than the bar bill of an ordinary toper. He refused to accept change from a bartender and invariably laid down a bill in payment for "the drinks for the house."

He has sobered up since, however, and says that he will spend no more money unnecessarily. He intends to take a trip to the Fatherland after which he will settle down and enjoy life with the large income which the money will bring him.

DEAD MAN IS IDENTIFIED

Victim of Fatal Accident At Mallory Proves to Be Charles Johnson.

Several days ago the Pioneer contained an account of the killing of an unknown man by the day train bound for Duluth at Mallory about ten miles out of Grand Forks. The man was run down shortly before nine o'clock in the morning and almost ground to pieces. Yesterday the remains were identified by a man who had been working in the Dakota harvest fields as those of Charles Johnson of Des Moines, Iowa. Johnson's father is named Thomas Johnson and the family is well to do. They have been communicated with but no word has been received from them as yet. The remains of the dead man are being held at Crookston.

DOWIE SAYS IT IS A FRAUD

Declares the Proposed Blackduck Colony Has no Connection With Him.

About a week ago the Pioneer published an account of the attempt of Jabe Hines to establish a Dowie colony in Blackduck township and since that time the matter has been given considerable mention in the twin city and Chicago papers.

A despatch to the Pioneer Press yesterday from Waukegan, Ill., says that Dowie at Zion City has declared that he has no connection with the scheme whatever and that the whole thing is a fraud so far as he is concerned.

Change in Time.
A number of changes will be made in the Great Northern time table beginning Monday morning. All of these cannot now be ascertained, but the most important as far as concerns Bemidji is the change in time of the west bound passenger from Duluth which will pass Bemidji hereafter about four o'clock instead of at 2:53 as at present.

Mrs. Hattie Wall of Leeds, N. D., and Miss Allie Brannon are the guests of Judge and Mrs. Clark, both ladies being Mrs. Clark's sisters.

A MATTER OF HEALTH



EVANGELISTIC SERVICES

Special Meetings at Baptist Church Will Be Held Beginning Tomorrow.

The Baptist people, having completed their comfortable and commodious church building, have arranged for a series of special meetings to begin tomorrow morning and to continue for an indefinite period. Meetings will be held each evening until further notice.

The work will be in charge of the pastor Rev. Tom Bloomfield assisted by Rev. Fagerstrom, who is the state missionary for the Baptist church of Minnesota. Mr. Fagerstrom is an enthusiastic and earnest worker, a man of genial personality, very popular with both young and old, an excellent speaker and a devout Christian. His coming to Bemidji will doubtless result in working much good and the people of the Baptist church look forward to a fruitful series of meetings.

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.

Broke Up Furniture.

Ira Thatcher, who lives in the north end of town, was sentenced to sixty days in the county jail yesterday by Judge Pendergast. Thatcher had been on a protracted spree and came home to his family in an ugly mood. He became angry at some thing and proceeded to wreak vengeance upon the furniture, dishes and other household effects until the police were called and he was put under arrest.

Winter in Fosston.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Doud will spend the winter at Fosston. Mr. Doud left by train this afternoon and Mrs. Doud will drive to Fosston tomorrow.

WILL WAIT TO SEE TAFT.

Archbishop Aguis Postpones His Departure for the Orient.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Archbishop Falconio, apostolic delegate to the United States, called on Acting Secretary of War Oliver during the day and presented Archbishop Aguis, apostolic delegate to the Philippines, who desired to confer with the officials of the war department before his departure for the archipelago. Archbishop Aguis recently arrived here and announced his intention to remain in this city until Secretary Taft's return from Panama, as he desired particularly to see him regarding church affairs in the Philippines before resuming his trip to the far East.

SIX MILES OF FREIGHT CARS.

Big Blockade on Railroad at Homestead Plant.

Pittsburg, Nov. 26.—Six miles of freight cars, loaded with products of the mill in the lower Monongahela valley, block the yards of the Pittsburg, Virginia and Charleston railroad at the Homestead plant and hundreds of other cars are on tracks at other mills awaiting shipment. While the congestion is not complete the production has reached that point where the railroads are seriously handicapped in the way of motive power. There is also a serious shortage of cars. The same condition exists at the Duquesne plants.

ISSUES PRELIMINARY REPORT.

Census Bureau Tells of the Cotton Industry.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The census bureau has issued a preliminary report on the quantity of cotton ginned to Nov. 14, 1904, in 881 counties from which reports have been received to this date. It shows 26,817 active ginneries against 26,710 for the same period and the same counties in 1903, and a total for the same period in the same counties in 1904 of 8,210,125 running bales against 6,414,658 in 1903.

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MEN PROVE AN ALIBI.

Minneapolis Murder Suspects Will Probably Be Released.

Minneapolis, Nov. 26.—There is little likelihood that Henry Wilson, Henry Brayden and Louis Wilson, the three men arrested at Granby, Minn., Wednesday night on suspicion of being implicated in the hold-up and murder at Columbia Heights Tuesday night, will be held to answer to the charge of murder.

The men claim an alibi, and an investigation of their stories convinces the police they are telling the truth. According to their stories, at the time the murder was committed, they were in a saloon on First avenue south in Minneapolis, where they remained from 8 o'clock to midnight. Then they went to the Dakota hotel, where they remained the rest of the night, and an inspection of the register shows their names were inscribed there.

WITH BROOM ON HER MASTHEAD.

Cruiser Pennsylvania Arrives at Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Nov. 26.—With the traditional broom lashed to the masthead and the figures 22.43 painted on her funnels the new cruiser Pennsylvania came up the Delaware river during the day on her return from her trial trip off the New England coast.

The Pennsylvania, which was anchored off the Delaware breakwater all night, got under way early in the day and proceeded to Cramp's shipyard. The warship was given a racy welcome by the numerous vessels on the river.

Edwin S. Cramp, speaking of the trial trip, said: "I am greatly pleased with the magnificent performance of the Pennsylvania. We did not force the cruiser to the limit by any means, and I am sure she could do twenty-three knots if driven to top speed."

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