

29 PERSONS KILLED IN ZEPPELIN RAID

MILLER IS FOUND GUILTY BY JURY ON A CHARGE OF TIMBER TRESPASS

Kelliher Man Who Operated "Flying Dutchman" Accused of Cutting State Timber.

MILL SEIZED BY STATE AUTHORITIES

Case Against Michael Haley on Similar Charge Being Taken Up by the Court.

John G. Miller, who operated the "Flying Dutchman," a portable sawmill near Kelliher, was found guilty by a jury in the district court last night on a charge of cutting timber on state lands. The jury was out for several hours. The portable mill was seized by state authorities last spring. Attorney Charles W. Scrutchin represented Mr. Miller in court and County Attorney Graham M. Torrance presented the case for the state. Miller is one of the first to be found guilty of state timber trespass charges since recent investigations made by the state auditor's office. A similar charge against Michael Haley is being taken up in the district court before Judge C. W. Stanton today. Haley is charged with taking timber from state lands near Kelliher. Attorney P. J. Russell is appearing for him in court. Only nine jurors were secured up to noon.

NYMORE NEWS

Louis Soder of Kelliher arrived here Saturday morning to visit for some time as a guest of his brother, Ole Soder, and family.

Andrew Moskau left Saturday evening for his home at Sandesund, Norway, after spending the past three years in Nymore.

The Scandinavian Ladies Aid society of Nymore will serve supper at the Salvation Army hall this evening, beginning at 5 o'clock. The supper will cost 25 cents.

Miss Hilma Johnson returned to Swenson Lake Sunday morning to take up her duties at the school there after spending a few days here visiting as a guest of her parents.

Miss Izetta Fisher returned Monday morning to Frohn after spending Saturday and Sunday here visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Tony Harrison of Calgary, Canada, arrived in Nymore Monday afternoon to visit for some time as a guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Attridge.

Miss Susana Baker, who is employed at Solway, spent Saturday and Sunday here visiting friends.

Misses Myrtle McCulloch and Leona Schmidt spent Sunday visiting with friends at Cass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bloomstrum, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloomstrum and John Saltee, mother and sister, Lettie, of Brainerd motored to Nymore Saturday afternoon. They returned Monday morning.

TO SECURE PASTOR FOR EPISCOPAL CHURCH

At a service held by Bishop Morrison at St. Bartholomew's Episcopal church last evening arrangements were made for the appointment of committees to secure a pastor for the church.

BRINKMAN HOTEL NOW THE JEFFERSON

The name of the Brinkman hotel has been changed to the Jefferson hotel. The hotel has been remodeled and special quarters have been arranged for bachelors.

Mrs. Kathryn McCreedy is proprietor of the hotel.

FUNERAL OF INFANT DAUGHTER IS HELD

The funeral of the nine months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Neumann was held this morning from St. Philip's church. Interment was made in the Holy Cross cemetery. The daughter died Sunday after an illness of three weeks.

EFFORTS TO FIND TEACHER'S ASSAILANT FAIL; MAN RELEASED

Number of Searchers Return to Their Homes; Still About 100 on Man Hunt; John Croupa is Released After Examination by Itasca County Deputy Sheriff; Girl Continues to Recover.

All efforts to locate the fiend who assaulted and then shot pretty Olga Dahl, the 22-year-old school teacher at the Round Lake school in Itasca county, have failed and a number of the "man hunters" have returned to their homes. Sheriff Gunderson and about 100 men are continuing the search. There is very little hope that the fugitive will be captured. John Croupa who was arrested yesterday after attempting to hug a Wilton school teacher, was ordered released after an investigation by Deputy Erskine of Itasca county. Croupa, it is believed, was in no way connected with the assault. Miss Dahl continues to improve at the Henry Korpi home and it is believed that her recovery is certain. Several of the men who have returned from the "man hunt" are of the opinion that the fiend killed himself and that either wolves destroyed the body or that the man killed himself in a swamp and his body has been covered up.

LLANO GRANDO, TEX., AT GOPHER UNIVERSITY

(By United Press) Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 26.—Llano Grando, Tex., was formally and unanimously placed on the University of Minnesota campus today. When the University militia battery returned from the border they brought along the town. When they got there, they said, the "town" consisted of a sign post. So when the boys left for Gopherland they brought along the sign post as a souvenir.

VILLISTAS TAKE SAMALUYUCA AND SLAUGHTER MEN REFUSING TO AID

Garrison Surrenders and Majority of Men Join Bandits, Say Juarez Reports.

ROVING BANDS ARE OPERATING NEAR BORDER

Three Hundred Men Reported in Villa's Band; Wounded Soldiers at Juarez.

(By United Press) Juarez, Mex., Sept. 26.—Roving bands of Mexican bandits are reported to be operating within 50 miles of the international border. Several wounded soldiers arrived here this morning and reported a battle at Samaluyuca, 42 miles south of this city. It is reported that 30 bandits, believed to have been Villistas, fell upon the garrison of 60 de facto soldiers at Samaluyuca. Part of the garrison surrendered and joined the bandits. Those who refused to join the bandits and aid them were slaughtered.

SHALL THE PEENILESS BE ADMITTED TO HOSPITALS?

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—Whether penniless laborers who have suffered accidents in factories or elsewhere shall be accepted in dispensaries, and where the money is coming from to pay for their treatment if they are accepted, is one of the subjects for discussion at the annual convention of the American Hospital association which began here today.

DANISH SISTERHOOD HOLDS CONVENTION

(By United Press) St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—Two hundred delegates of the Danish Sisterhood of America are in session here today. Election of officers of the grand lodge will be held Saturday. The convention lasts one week.

BROTHER OF MRS. WILCOX IS DEAD

Word was received in Bemidji Monday of the death of John Vaver of Nevada, a brother of Mrs. John Wilcox. He died September 21 and is survived by a wife and four children. He was 45 years of age.

BORDER COUNTY TO SUE FOR \$200,000 ILLEGAL EXPENSES OF COUNTY OFFICIALS

Attorney in St. Paul Says Effort Will Be Made to Recover Questioned Expenditures.

ACTION AGAINST AUDITOR AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Complaint is in Hands of Sheriff, Says Attorney; Has Conference With Governor.

St. Paul, Sept. 26.—Koochiching county is suing for partial recovery on allegations of irregular expenditures of more than \$200,000 of its funds as contained in a recent report of the state public examiner which resulted in suspensions of the auditor and five county commissioners by the governor pending investigations, according to N. B. Arnold, a Duluth attorney, representing the county in the new civil actions. Mr. Arnold arrived in St. Paul to consult Governor Burnquist on the proposed suspension of the remaining board of Koochiching county commissioners on charges of malfeasance. Fraud allegations, the attorney explained, are the basis of the civil action brought in an effort toward recovery by Koochiching county against former County Auditor J. H. Slocum, former Commissioner R. S. McDonald, George A. Elder and J. A. Duffy, the last two individually and as agents of the Commercial Investment company and the Farmers' National bank, formerly the State Bank of Red Lake Falls, respectively, which organizations are also defendants.

FORMER LE SUEUR AUDITOR IN OFFICE

(By United Press) St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—John Kaiserant, former county auditor of Le Sueur county is today chief voucher clerk in the state auditor's office, succeeding P. M. Bigg, who went to Helena, Mont., to practice law.

STATE EXHIBIT AT PEORIA EXPOSITION

(By United Press) St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—F. D. Sherman, state immigration commissioner, is at Peoria, Ill., today to show Minnesota's resources at the district fair. From there he will go to Waterloo, Ia., to show the exhibit ten days at the National Dairy Cattle congress.

STATE HAS RECEIVED \$316,892.383 SINCE BIRTH

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—Minnesota has received \$316,892,383 and disbursed \$311,435,434.48 since it became a state Jan. 1, 1858, the state treasurer's office estimated today.

COST JUDGE QUINN \$1,045 FOR NOMINATION

(By United Press) St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 26.—It cost Judge James H. Quinn, Fairmont, Minn., \$1,045.77 to be nominated for associate justice of the state supreme court over Justice Albert Schaller, according to his campaign statement on file today.

MISSING GIRL IN ROCHESTER A SUICIDE

(By United Press) Rochester, Minn., Sept. 26.—Miss Edna Lundberg, 21, pretty society girl, reported missing yesterday, committed suicide. Her body was found in a creek near here. It is believed that she committed suicide because her sweetheart, Willard Steven, left for Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is a student at the university.

HUGHES GIVES TALKS IN OHIO CAMPAIGN

(By United Press) Toledo, O., Sept. 26.—Charles E. Hughes today began his second day of campaigning in Ohio. His voice is firm after a two days' rest and he delivered five speeches this morning.

BAND TO GIVE FREE CONCERT AND DANCE

The Bemidji band will give a free concert at the city hall Friday evening, beginning at eight o'clock. After the concert a dance will be given at which the admission charge will be 75 cents. Invitations are being issued for the dance.

DRESS-UP WEEK BEGINS SATURDAY
"The apparel oft proclaims the man."
"Fine feathers make fine birds."
"Fine cloth is never out of fashion."
Bemidji Dress-Up Week, Sept. 30 to Oct. 7.

SAYS CRIMINALS HAVE CAUSED MURDER CHARGE

(By United Press) St. Joseph, Mo., Sept. 26.—Prosecuting Attorney Oscar McDaniel, in a cell today, charged with the murder of his wife, said that criminals that he had prosecuted had framed a huge political trap to get him.

BANKERS CELEBRATE 100TH YEAR OF SAVINGS

(By United Press) Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 26.—Just one hundred years ago it was that American bankers began to reach out for small and large savings accounts; and the 4,000 American Bankers association bankers attending their annual convention here today are celebrating the fact.

SIX LOST WHEN STEAMER SINKS

(By United Press) Oswego, N. Y., Sept. 26.—The steamer Robertvol, bound from Ottawa to Oswego, was sunk five miles out this morning. Six members of the crew were drowned. Three were saved.

SOLONS TO ATTEMPT TO AVERT STRIKE

New York, Sept. 26.—With labor leaders continuing their efforts to bring about a general suspension of work as an aid to the striking carmen in this city, members of the state legislature at a meeting late yesterday decided to urge Governor Whitman to convene the legislature in extraordinary session to deal with the strike situation. Nearly 40 per cent of the 800,000 union workers in New York and vicinity have vowed their intention of quitting their places next Wednesday, according to Hugh Frayne, organizer of the American Federation of Labor.

COURT UPHOLDS ACTS OF STATE'S ATTORNEY

Chicago, Sept. 26.—Judge LaBuy in the municipal court late yesterday declined to issue warrants for the arrest of McClay Hoyne, state's attorney, and five of his aids, charged by Charles E. Erbstein with having kidnapped his client, Mrs. Helen Evers, alleged decoy of a blackmailers' trust, and seeking to force confessions from her by third degree methods.

WILSON CASTS 13TH VOTE AT PRIMARIES

(By United Press) Princeton, N. J., Sept. 13.—President Wilson today cast a vote in the Democratic primaries here. He was the 13th person to vote and but few persons greeted him.

HIGHER PRICES FOR BINDER TWINE IN 1917

Minneapolis, Sept. 26.—Minnesota farmers will have to pay at least 10 cents per pound for sisal twine for binding next year's crop, according to members of the state board of control, who said today that at 8 1/2 cents the state has sold twine too cheaply. In fact, the state now is unable to buy any twine at all from the "Reguladors," as the Yucatan sisal trust is called, and has been forced to stock up to an unusual extent with the higher priced manilla fiber.

JUNIOR COMMERCIAL CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY

The Junior Commercial club will meet at the club rooms Friday night. Officers will be elected and plans will be made for the winter season.

LEGISLATIVE CANDIDATE VISITS IN BEMIDJI
Charles S. Carter of Hines, candidate for representative to the legislature from this district, is a visitor in Bemidji today.

AIR CRAFT MAKES SECOND RAID ON ENGLISH TOWNS INSIDE 48 HOURS

British Enter Combes, Overcoming Enemy Resistance; Advances on Somme Front.

400 WINNIPEG YOUTHS KILLED AT COURCELLETTE

French Capture Fregicourt; New Crisis Reported in Athens, Greece.

(By United Press) London, Sept. 26.—The official statement today says that 29 persons were killed last night in a Zeppelin raid on England. This was the second raid with 48 hours. Some small houses were wrecked. The raiders were driven from the industrial centers and no damage was done to military establishments.

Take Combes. London, Sept. 26.—The official statement today says that the British have entered Combes, overcoming enemy resistance. Three thousand Germans at Combes have been surrounded. General Haig's men made a most wonderful advance on the whole Somme front. The villages of Desbueff and Morval were taken while the French took Rancourt.

Paris, Sept. 26.—The French last night captured Fregicourt, a mile from Combes, and are closing a noose around the German garrison at Combes.

400 are Killed. Winnipeg, Sept. 26.—Four hundred Winnipeg youths paid for capturing Courcellette in France with their lives, the Canadian casualty list shows.

Berlin, Sept. 26.—It is officially admitted that the allies have captured towns on Gueudon court-Bouchavesnes line. This seemingly admits that the allies have captured Combes.

Athens, Sept. 26.—Veireelos' sudden departure for the island of Crete which the revolutionists hold, has created a nervous crisis here. King Constantine motored to Athens this morning to consult the prime minister and a few hours later General Moschouli, chief of the general staff, resigned.

Gerard to U. S. Berlin, Sept. 26. Ambassador Gerard is scheduled to leave for Copenhagen this afternoon to take passage to the United States, may change his plans and remain in Berlin. Several Danish ministers called on him and then Foreign Secretary von Jagow called. Finally Gerard said that he might decide not to go to America now.

London, Sept. 26.—A copy-reader in a London paper today wrote a headline, "Our Homely Queen," over an article about Queen Mary. He wrote it in English, not American. The article referred to the queen's home activities at Windsor castle.

CLOSING HOURS—Want Ads to be classified properly in the Pioneer want column must be in before 11 o'clock. Ads received later will appear on another page that day.

Among the visitors at Itasca Park Sunday were Dr. G. M. Palmer and family, A. E. Palmer of Grand Forks, Dr. J. T. Tuomy and family, E. N. Ebert and family, Frank Koors, Miss Mae Koors, Elmer Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luebeck, Miss Beatrice Mills, Ralph Gracie, Miss Ida Virginia Brown and Mr. and Mrs. W. Z. Robinson.

S. A. Wilson and Lafe Young of Independence, Ia., and Harry Neal of Cedar Rapids, Ia., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Palmer Sunday. They are land men and are contemplating a 16,000 acre land deal in this vicinity.