

BARBER ASSAULTS A YOUNG GIRL

Frank Allen is Arrested for Serious Crime-- His Victim, Miss Murray, Nearly Choked to Death--Caught in Minot Sunday.

Frank Allen, a barber from Balfour, was arrested in this city Sunday afternoon about four o'clock by Officer Kimball. Allen was wanted badly by the sheriff of McHenry county. He is charged with committing rape upon Miss Mae Murray a daughter of a prominent farmer living near Balfour. Allen had always borne a fairly good reputation and Friday evening asked the girl to take a drive. They drove about the country and Allen made indecent proposals to her. Miss Murray endeavored to protect herself but was choked nearly to death and the brute

accomplished his fiendish purpose. He drove within a short distance of the young woman's home, let her out and left the country hurriedly. He went to Towner where he got into trouble with the son of William Pitts over the affair and attacked him. Pitt's son lacerated Allen's fingers with his teeth badly and when he was arrested by Mr. Kimball, his hand was found to be in very bad shape.

Allen worked in one of the barber shops in Minot two years ago and is known here to many. The McHenry county sheriff took him to Towner Monday.

McGraw Buys Plumbing Business

Frank McGraw has purchased from Martin Jacobson his plumbing and steam fitting business together with the outfit and has rented the basement of the big hardware store. Mr. McGraw, for the past year, has superintended this branch of the work for Mr. Jacobson to the satisfaction of all parties concerned, but Mr. Jacobson has so many other interests that he has decided to dispose of this line. Mr. McGraw is eminently fitted for the work. He knows the business from A to Z and when he figures on a job you may be pretty sure that he is going to get it. Recently he figured on six big jobs and got five of them. They are Mrs. Bartholomew's residence, Belle Mendelson's rooming house, Dr. Carr's residence, Mr. Jennejohn's residence, McGulpin's block. The name of the new concern will be McGraw & Co. Mr. McGraw has cut quite a swath in the business since coming to Minot and will continue to do so. He did an especially fine job at the Vanderwarker mine at Tasker last fall.

21 New North Dakota Towns.

Hundreds of people are looking ahead to the opening of the new Soo road into Kenmare, intending to enter into business. The surveyed line touches six towns in North Dakota, Ardoch, Forest River, Conway, Bisbee, Omemee, and Lansford. In addition to these towns there will be 21 new townships established. Between Thief River Falls and the Red river there will be three new towns, one on the east bank of the river in Minnesota, which will probably be the most important in Minnesota. In the establishment of towns along the new Soo extension it seems to be the policy of the company to establish only towns that will begood ones and in order to do that it is expected that the Soo and Great Northern will come to some agreement in the location of towns in order that there may be no conflict that might result in the establishment of towns by both roads that would be better if there was but one, even if the Soo and the Great Northern should divide the business.

A Brutal Sight

B. E. Corey, a Deep River farmer, who has a pack of hounds, purchased a tame wolf which has been in captivity in Glenburn for a year and, for a little sport, turned the wolf loose on the prairie. The wolf had been tamed and was not afraid of the dogs and would not run. The hounds soon had broken the poor animal's leg but could not kill it. The bystanders who could not bear to see such a cruel sight wanted to shoot the wolf to put it out of its misery, but the three-penny sport, Corey, loudly stated that he had paid three dollars for it and wanted his dogs to finish it. The dogs were urged on and on again until the poor wolf lay exhausted on the ground. Bystanders ended its existence. All are of the opinion that Corey's dogs might gobble.

Baptist Church.

The Saturday afternoon exchange held at the New York store is very successful, every Saturday afternoon. The young people of the church are preparing to give a social soon. Some of the ladies of the church are preparing to give a social next week to the gentlemen and ladies of the church. The preparations for the entertainment of the delegates to the Baptist Association June 6th to 9th will be discussed. All are invited to attend the special Easter services next Sunday. The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Resurrection Life"; evening subject, "The Greatest Robbery on Record". Special music in the evening.

J. H. Lewis' Father Dies.

John H. Lewis was called to St. Albans, Vt., Saturday, by the death of his father. The old gentleman has been feeble for a long time. Mrs. Lewis will follow the latter part of the week. Mr. Lewis may be absent for some time, but his work is being looked after in a capable manner by C. B. Bach, of the law department. Mr. Lewis' many friends will sympathize with him in his trouble.

Davis Was Nearly Killed.

J. P. Davis was nearly killed Tuesday morning while coming down a steep hill near the home of Frank Anderson. Davis was on "the water wagon" when the thing began to slide. It was overturned and he was pinned beneath the heavy tank. Rescuers soon extricated him from his perilous position. He is not able to work but can walk with difficulty.

The Eagles Will Go to Rugby.

A special Eagle train will be run from Minot to Rugby Friday afternoon, leaving about 4 o'clock. A lodge will be instituted at Rugby that night. The train is being prepared now. It will be elegantly decorated. There are now 250 Eagles in the Minot Aerie and many will be picked up along the line. The Eagle band will accompany the train.

Another Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Benton, of St. Paul, are in the city. Mrs. Benton, who is at present conducting a large hotel in St. Paul, is contemplating opening one in this city. Her husband is a traveling man. In case their deal goes through, they will put in an up-to-date hotel in this city.

NOTICE WHEN TIME FOR REDEMPTION WILL EXPIRE.
To A. H. WILCOX.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots number one (1), four (4), five (5) and six (6), block number thirty-four (34), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot, were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of one dollar and twenty cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of seven dollars and twenty-four cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 20th day of March A. D., 1900.
Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor Ward county, N. D.

NOTICE WHEN TIME FOR REDEMPTION WILL EXPIRE.

To A. H. WILCOX.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots number one (1), four (4), thirteen (13), fourteen (14) and fourteen (17), block number fifty-four (54), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of three dollars. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ten dollars and forty-five cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 20th day of March A. D., 1900.
Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor of Ward county, N. D.

NOTICE WHEN TIME FOR REDEMPTION WILL EXPIRE.

To A. H. WILCOX.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots number five (5), six (6), seven (7) and eight (8), block number forty-eight (48), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of two dollars and seventy-six cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of eight dollars and thirty-two cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
Dated at Minot, North Dakota this 20th day of March A. D., 1900.
Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor of Ward county, N. D.

Notice When Time for Redemption Will Expire.

To CONRAD DUNWALTER.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots eleven (11) and twelve (12), block number fifty-four (54), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of one dollar and twenty cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of four dollars and eighteen cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 20th day of March A. D., 1900.
Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor of Ward county, N. D.

NOTICE WHEN TIME FOR REDEMPTION WILL EXPIRE.

To L. PAULINE HUBBARD.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3), block number twenty-nine (29), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of one dollar and thirty-eight cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of four dollars and fifteen cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
Dated at Minot, North Dakota, this 20th day of March A. D., 1900.
Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor of Ward county, N. D.

NOTICE WHEN TIME FOR REDEMPTION WILL EXPIRE.

To W. P. VOSHELL.
You are hereby notified that the following described lands and premises, to-wit: Lot number nine (9) block number fifty-four (54), Brooklyn addition to the city of Minot were heretofore and on the seventh day of December A. D., 1897, duly sold for taxes for the sum of sixty cents. That the time when the redemption period will expire for said lands is the seventh day of December A. D., 1900, and that the amount required to redeem said lands, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of two dollars and nine cents. All of said lands being situated in the county of Ward, state of North Dakota.
If you fail to redeem the same within ninety days from the date of this notice, a tax deed for the aforesaid land will be issued and delivered to the holder of the tax certificate.
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Seal. LOUIS A. LARSON, Auditor of Ward county, N. D.

Dr. Thellen formerly of Carpio has took sued Gilbert Ulberg of Carpio for \$17.50 medical services. Some "racy" testimony was brot out in the trial which did not help Ulberg much in the eyes of the public.
The doctor was given a judgment for \$17.50.

See VanTuyt & Tentsch for cement building blocks.
A wonderful spring tonic. Driven out all winter impurities, gives you strength, health and happiness. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. — A. S. Blakey

ALIAS CONTEST NOTICE.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Minot, North Dakota, Mar. 9, 1900.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by J. G. Bernard, contestant, against homestead entry No. 14202, made April 12, 1897, for the NW 1/4 of section 12, Township 12 N., Range 58 W., by J. T. Welch, contestee, in which it is alleged said entryman has wholly abandoned said premises; that he has never established a residence thereon; that he has been absent therefrom for more than six months last past; that he has wholly failed to cultivate or improve said premises in any manner whatever; that said absence was not due to military or naval service during time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock, a. m., on May 2, 1900, before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in Minot, N. D.
The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed March 8, 1900, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given by due and proper publication.
3-15-19 T. E. Fox, Receiver.

Vote For Your Favorite
WITH every 25 cent purchase at my place, you are given one vote on a \$400 Wesley Upright Piano, valued at \$400. These votes are to be cast for the most popular church, school, lodge, organization or lady in Minot or vicinity. It costs you no more to deal with me, in fact I know I can save you money, and you get a chance to help out somebody.
I have Always on Hand a Large Amount of Lignite, Hocking Valley and Nat Coal, Wood, Pine Edgings, Baled Hay and Stems.
Phone 700 and You will be Served Promptly.
R. W. JONES, MINOT, N. D.

CARRIAGES FOR THE BABY!
We have 20 different styles from which to select, and we know we can suit you.
The prices range from **\$3.50 to \$20.00**
We just received the largest and best shipment of carriages in the history of this establishment. They are of the famous Hayward make, and you can't find a better grade. The lot consists of folding and go-carts.
McJANNETT, The Furniture Man. MINOT, N. D.

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We Will Look After Your Final Proofs. Abstracts of Title Made on Short Notice.

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Lots and Houses in the City of Minot.

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A WIFE AND TRUE FRIEND.
One Minute Cough Cure contains not an atom of any harmful drugs, and it has been curing coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough so long that it has proven itself to be a tried and true friend to the many who use it. Sold by McCoy & Co.

ALIAS CONTEST NOTICE.
Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Minot, North Dakota, Mar. 9, 1900.
A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by J. J. Numburger, contestant, against homestead entry No. 14202, made October 17, 1897, for the NW 1/4 of section 12, Township 12 N., Range 58 W., by J. T. Welch, contestee, in which it is alleged said entryman has wholly abandoned said premises; that he has been absent therefrom for more than six months last past; that he has wholly failed to cultivate or improve said premises in any manner whatever; that said absence was not due to military or naval service during time of war; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock, a. m., on May 2, 1900, before the register and receiver at the United States Land Office in Minot, N. D.
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