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IS HELD UP AND SHOT

AFFAIR TAKES PLACE ON MOVING TRAIN NEAR LINCOLN—WOUNDS NOT SERIOUS

Because of a shooting affray which occurred on a special freight train here and Lincoln Wednesday afternoon of which he later confessed to having played the assaulter's part, Chester Dahilton of Lawrence, Mass., is held in the county jail on a charge of manslaughter with intent to kill. Ray Durand of Winconne, Wis., the victim, and his companion, Gustaf Froh, a homesteader from Montana on his way to Clinton, Ia., are the guests of the sheriff and will be the complaining witnesses.

Both Dahilton and Durand were returning from the harvest fields in Dakota when the former, pretending to be a brakeman, demanded fare from the latter. Durand handed him a dollar and a quarter but the quarter dropped and was lost. Dahilton then demanded more money from Durand and when he did not comply with his demand fired at him with a revolver. The first shot glanced off his thumb and took some skin off his abdomen; the other passed through the muscles of his left arm above the elbow. Gustaf Froh says that Dahilton also aimed at him but that he dodged under the shaft of the car for protection. In order to escape further violence at the hands of Dahilton the other two men jumped off of the train just above Randall at a great risk as the train was going at a good rate of speed.

The whole crew and several hoboes were held by the local authorities until the arrival of the complaining witnesses. When Durand and Froh had identified their assailant the others were allowed their liberty.

Durand had his arm dressed at Randall and contrary to the first reports, the wound is not of a serious nature, unless unforeseen complications set in. Durand was enroute to his home in Wisconsin.

The quarter which was given to Dahilton by Durand and which was thought to have been lost was found Thursday morning in one of the prisoner's pockets.

The charge which will be made against Dahilton by the Northern Pacific company is collecting money under false pretences and impersonating an official. The penalty for the above offense is from five to ten years in prison. The hearing will be held Monday morning. It is very probable that the prisoner will be bound over to the March term of the district court. E. A. Kling has been appointed attorney for the defense.

Hub Freisinger, Northern Pacific policeman was up to Randall looking for the revolver with which the shooting was done but although he thinks that it was thrown in the creek just below Randall, he could not find it.

Durand, who was shot through the lead from a 32-calibre bullet up to the office of the county attorney Thursday morning. The bullet was found in his clothing.

MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

VICTIM IS OLAF MALMON OF AUDUBON—ACCIDENT HAPPENED AT RANDALL

Olaf Malmom of Audubon, who was traveling east with a cattle car, was instantly killed at Randall Tuesday when struck by No. 13, east bound, Winnipeg flyer.

Mr. Malmom's cattle car was side tracked at Randall awaiting the passing of No. 13. As the train pulled through the station Malmom stepped from the freight on the track directly in front of the passenger. His skull was crushed and death was instantaneous.

BOARD LOOKS OVER SPECIFICATIONS

Messrs. Buckley of St. Cloud and Kinney of Minneapolis, architects, appeared at an informal meeting of the board of education Wednesday afternoon and submitted plans for a high school building. Both specifications allowed for a large assembly room and also a large gymnasium. The cost of a building according to the specifications of Mr. Buckley was \$50,000 and that according to plans showed and explained by Mr. Kinney was \$62,000.

S. A. D. Malbourne was appointed truant officer with a salary of 25 cents an hour for the time when he is occupied.

PETERSON GETS BRIDGE CONTRACT

Nels Peterson of this city was awarded the contract for repairing the Little Elk bridge. The bridge is in the town of Pike Creek and Mr. Peterson states that work will be begun immediately.

Wm. Goble of Leigh town received a wolf bounty Wednesday.

Hunting licenses were granted to Jos. Sevelkaul of Bowls, Tuesday and to Neil Miller of Randall and C. Malchine of Swanville Thursday.

C. E. Callahan of St. Paul, special agent for the Northern Pacific Railway company, is in the city on business in connection with the shooting which took place between Staples and Little Falls on a special freight, which matter is mentioned in another column.

COMPLETE SETTLEMENT

COUNTY AUDITOR AND COUNTY TREASURER HAVE COMPILED NOVEMBER APPORTIONMENTS

The November settlement has been completed by county auditor, B. Y. McNairy and county treasurer, Frank Renick and has been entered in the county records. The aggregate sum less refunds in the different funds is \$58,896.27. The settlement for a year ago amounted to \$52,987.86. The following apportionment is made in this year's settlement:

State revenue and schools	\$5,645.71
County revenue	7,766.61
County road and bridge	2,729.78
County bonds	2,507.44
County special	5,080.00
Towns	15,866.55
Schools	19,300.18

Little Falls city will receive a total of \$5,639.60 which will be divided into the following funds:

Revenue	\$3,208.25
Roads	382.42
Bonds	930.02
Sinking fund	317.27
Paving	319.38
Library	284.82
Sidewalk	26.40
Sprinkling	172.62

The independent school district of Little Falls is entitled to \$12,354.39. Special tax \$3,268.95. Apportionment \$4,207.50. One mill \$328.03. Interest 99.87. Sinking fund 196.47. Bonds .72. State aid to high school 1,750.00. Miscellaneous state aid 2,506.60. Penalty 4.12.

The independent school district of Royalton will get \$3,367.17 and that of Motley \$1,314.85; while school district No. 2, which includes the village of Swanville, is entitled to \$1,515.86 and Pierz to \$817.99.

SWANSON FURNITURE STOCK SOLD

The Simonet Furniture and Carpet company bought the Swanson furniture stock at the trustee's sale held Wednesday morning for \$1,650.

The store recently went through bankruptcy proceedings, the stock having been turned over to the creditors a few weeks ago. The business was established about a year ago in the Joslin building and opened with an entirely new line of stock. Due to the fact that their permanent place of business is already crowded Mr. Simonet says that they will put on a sale in a short time and close out the stock at retail at the Swanson stand.

A wolf bounty was paid to Frank Van Vinkle on Thursday morning.

Local shippers state that there has been a relief in the car shortage situation this week.

Arthur and Joseph LaFond have closed a deal for a clover hulling machine, which arrived here Thursday. It will be put in operation on the Tim Perry farm for the first time.

Rev. W. H. Jordan of Minneapolis, district superintendent, arrived in the city Wednesday to attend the first quarterly meeting of the Methodist Episcopal church conference. While here he will be the guest of Mrs. Freeman Graham.

Matt Zwilling and son, Bernard of Swanville, left Wednesday for their home. Bernard has been confined in the local hospital for several weeks with blood poisoning and it was necessary to amputate one of his legs.

Sheriff Armstrong received a telegram from Mr. Riley, sheriff of Itasca county, asking him to locate and hold John Brown, county surveyor of Itasca county, who is wanted as an important witness in a case which is set for Nov. 22.

Peter Medved of St. Paul has been visiting with his brother, Jos. Medved of this city, enroute to his home from Brainerd where he has been confined in the Northern Pacific hospital with a broken leg for the last 15 weeks. Mr. Medved broke his leg by jumping off of the freight depot platform in this city some time ago.

DIED

Mrs. Agnes Auer of Buckman town passed away at the local hospital Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. She was brought to the hospital last Wednesday and as her appendix ruptured soon after she entered a night operation was felt necessary. She, however, was unable to withstand the shock.

Mrs. Alfred Strom of Pike Creek died at her home Sunday morning at 8 a. m. of exophthalmic goitre with cardiac insufficiency as a contributory cause. Deceased was 46 years old and leaves a husband and several children. The funeral was held Monday from the Swedish Methodist church.

MARRIED

Ernest Magan and Miss Martha Bryll, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bryll of Belle Prairie, were united in marriage Monday afternoon at Brainerd. Miss Adelle Bryll, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, while E. Magan, brother of the groom, was best man.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Janest. The young couple will make their home in Brainerd after a wedding trip through the west.

COUNTY FATHERS MEET

A FEW PETITIONS GRANTED—LARGE GRIEF OF BILLS ALLOWED

The board of county commissioners met in regular monthly meeting Tuesday with all members present.

A Duplex adding machine was purchased, warrant to be issued July 1, 1913, without interest.

County agreed to pay one half cost of a steel bridge in town of Cullerum between sections 31 and 32. M. J. Viechorek was appointed a committee.

The petition of Geo. Polasik to be set off from district 20 to district 75, was granted a hearing, as was also the petition of Carl E. Peterson to be set off from district 12 to district 117.

Petition for laying out a county road in towns of Buckman and Pierz, committees reported favorably and recommended that petition be granted. After listening to argument for and against said road the board laid the petition over to next meeting.

Petition of Math Miller was rejected.

The county agreed to pay one half cost of a steel bridge across county ditch No. 1, between sections 19 and 30, Green Prairie. Andrew Herum was appointed committee on same.

Application for abatements allowed: Anton Piekarski, H. Landahl, J. Kempenick, M. V. Wetzel.

Bills allowed:

Lud Gaudet, justice witness and jury fees	\$103.96
Phil S. Randall, justice, witness and jury fees	10.90
Louis F. Dow Co., supplies	291.69
Herald Printing Co., primary and general election ballots	493.00
Drellock Ice Co., ice contract for court house and jail	45.00
Security Blank book Co., supplies	6.60
Miller-Davis Printing Co., supplies	2.11
Ben Hall, work at jail	20.15
M. V. Wetzel, supplies	14.05
Maxwell Chemical Co., supplies	6.00
N. W. Telephone Co., tolls	16.75
Transcript Publishing Co., official ballots	136.05
S. P. Brick, express	.75
Monarch Elevator Co., coal	650.45
Wm. Glander, serving papers	1.20
F. J. Moritz, serving papers	1.05
Otto S. Langum, serving papers	1.18
John Wagner, serving papers	1.70
Morrison County Lbr. Co., wood	5.25
Fritz and Cross, expenses	9.45
Board of prisoners	60.42
Olaf Larson, election returns	3.00
Math Zwilling, same	2.96
John F. Pearson, same	5.14
Sam Teiford, same	3.73
Frank Muhlauer, same	1.80
F. Borgstrom, same	3.00
J. C. Burrall, same	1.20
Y. Huegg, same	3.00
C. J. Smith, same	1.20
Anton Korol, same	1.20
Bert Cheeley, same	1.20
Frank Koenen, same	8.00
J. Kelsenberg, same	6.54
N. O. Olson, same	1.20
James A. Dengel, same	2.40
A. R. Longfellow, same	1.50
Matz and Valente, same	3.00
A. Eckblad, same	1.80
Gust Mostrom, same	3.60
C. A. Virnig, same	11.01
A. Rydholm, same	1.00
August Drews, same	1.20
James A. Dengel, same	2.60
Math Mayer, same	4.40
Victor Schallern, same	1.20
Herman Lemnitz, same	2.40
Luther P. Snow, same	5.00
Joe Manka, same	2.60
Aug. Berglund, same	3.00
E. E. Eckerson, same	3.00
J. P. Leigh, same	3.00
John Loidolt, same	3.00
Adolph Gagnon	2.60
E. Kaestner	1.20
John F. Bastien	1.20
V. Pelarski, same	3.00
Joe Picotte, same	2.40
J. Kelsenberg, same	4.54
N. O. Olson, same	1.20
C. O. Dalquist, same	3.00
T. W. O'Neil, same	4.00
Gust. Franzen, same	1.70
Hans Nelson, same	3.71
L. E. Bergman, same	2.94
W. N. Morey, same	1.86
G. W. Mosher, same	2.40
F. B. Logan, same	2.20
J. J. Gross, same	1.20
Jos. Chmarowski, same	1.30
E. Eckblad, same	1.80
L. P. McNairy, taking acknowledgements	1.00
Jacob Nohner, canvassing board	12.00
Lud Gaudet, canvassing board	12.00
Henry Gassert, canvassing board	13.00
B. Y. McNairy, canvassing board	12.00
Hugh Bider, culverts	92.45
Town of Green Prairie, one half cost of bridge	48.11
Town of Darling, one half cost of bridge	270.22
Joe Picotte, election returns	2.40
Henry Bentler, work on state road	12.00
A. Smith, work on state road	17.00
J. W. Crosby, work on state road	12.00
Geo. Nelson, dynamite	23.98
G. B. Fisher, work on county road	75.00
Andrew Herum, mileage and committee work	15.80
F. H. Lakin, same	16.60
D. Rocheleau, same	5.40
M. J. Viechorek, same	8.00
Town of Elm Dale, one half cost of bridge	231.30
Theo. Ortman, work on county road	60.40
E. H. Kerckhoff, publishing notice	1.75
Henry Wells, work on county	

MUST COME ACROSS

ROYALTON VILLAGE MUST GIVE BENTON COUNTY 5 PER CENT OF LICENSE MONEY

It was recently found by the county auditor of Benton county that according to a law passed in 1909 Benton county is entitled to receive 5 per cent of the annual license money from the four Royalton saloons. In accordance with the same law Morrison is also entitled to receive 5 per cent of the license fees annually. The Benton county auditor's demand to Royalton for the amount due since the passage of the law has been complied with by an order from the town for \$350. Thus far the license money has not been paid to the Morrison county officials as it should have been.

The law states that a village shall pay to the county in which it is situated 10 per cent of the money received from licenses. Where a village is located in more than one county the 10 per cent is to be divided pro rata among the different counties.

SCHOOL NOTES

(By Howard Clark)

A very interesting program on current events was given by the first division of freshmen Wednesday morning.

Short talks were given on:

- "Minnesota - Wisconsin Football Game" - Lawrence Longley
- "Thomas Edison and His New Plan to Keep Pupils in School by Motion Pictures" - Gertrude Hopka
- "The Value of the Art Exhibit" - Leora Balsinger
- "Railroad Construction in Alaska" - Cecil Beatie
- "The Value and Efficiency of the Mono Railway" - Ovid Belanger
- Miss Lancaster is giving the English Three and Four class some excellent drilling in debating.

The art exhibit as a whole was quite a success. It is thought that about \$80 will be realized with which to purchase pictures for the school.

Manager Kipp's violin trio gave several excellent selections before the members of the high school Monday noon. He will return at some future date and give a 20 minute program before all of the schools in the city.

N. N. Berghem gave an interesting and instructive talk before the high school Thursday morning.

The juniors are preparing a farce and a few other numbers for the near future when an open literary program will be given for the purpose of securing money with which pictures will be bought for the new high school.

Prospects for a football game between the members of the high school living north and those living south of Broadway are very bright.

BUSTER BROWN

Buster Brown, the comical musical play of comedy and mirth is booked to appear at the Milo on Wednesday, Nov. 27. No other comedy in recent years has achieved greater success than this attraction. For this season's tour the management has engaged a cast far above the average and as pretty, nimble and tuneful a chorus as was ever seen on tour. Buster Brown has been termed a positive hit during the last ten seasons, wherever it has been presented.

GYMNASIUM LOCKERS

The Little Falls Gymnasium has received the one hundred lockers which were ordered some time ago. They all have combination locks and will be installed immediately. All of the lockers are numbered and each person is given the number and combination of his locker.

A wolf bounty was paid to G. W. Miller of Randall Wednesday.

road	36.90
Fred Walke, same	12.15
Casper Thommes, same	19.45
Joseph Brummer, same	46.95
Louis Gassert, same	18.75
John P. Virnig, same	52.65
Frank Zak, work on state road	14.00
Peter Zwalkowski, work on state road	13.00
John Vovskowski, work on state road	12.00
Ben Johnson, work on state road	7.00
Mike Broiling, same	103.00
Ovid Plante, same	4.00
Lars Olson, same	12.00
Carl Berglund, same	10.00
Albert Broiling, same	4.00
Aug. Berglund, same	75.00
Joe Picotte, same	3.00
G. A. Rogers, same	107.02
Christ Faust, same	14.00
Dr. C. F. Holst, witness fees	1.12
Great Northern Bridge company, Swan River bridge	828.50
Sylvester Hagen, judicial road	17.30
Arthur B. Church, same	12.50
S. S. Sargent, same	27.60
Alex Wodarz, same	10.52
Gifford B. Houston, same	10.36
Jans L. Solem, same	10.52
Alfred Belrud, same	17.14
J. A. Houston, same	17.34
One hundred dollars was appropriated to town of Granite.	
One hundred dollars was appropriated to town of Richardson.	
Twenty dollars was appropriated to town of Green Prairie.	
One hundred dollars was appropriated to town of Swan River.	
M. J. Viechorek was appointed committee to meet with town board of Pike Creek to repair bridge on Little Elk river.	
Auditor was authorized to advertise for sealed bids for pipe and posts around court house square.	

HUNTERS RETURNING

LOCAL HUNTERS ARE STRAGGLING IN FROM THE CHASE—SOME SUCCESSFUL

Dura Corbin and Max Corbin returned Tuesday from a hunting trip near Big Thunder lake. Dura Corbin returned with a deer while Max came back with what little consolation there is in the fact that this is the first in five years that he has had to return empty handed from the chase. Mr. Corbin says that John Baker of Big Thunder lake, formerly a resident of Parker town, owned a beautiful white fawn and that he is having it mounted at Brainerd. Several of the hunters around Big Thunder have seen a large white buck.

L. D. Brown and Dr. C. F. Holst of this city and A. D. Gile, a nephew of the latter, of Lake Benton, returned Monday from a ten days' hunting trip in the northern part of the state. Their party together with an other party of three men secured six deer.

Peter Garney returned Wednesday from a very successful hunting trip in the northern part of the state. He brought back a large bull moose and a deer to show for the time spent on the trip.

R. L. Palmer returned Wednesday from the northern part of the state and brought with him one of the fleet footed quadrupeds.

Wm. T. Tourillotte returned Wednesday morning from an unsuccessful trip near Remer.

Sherman Lewis returned Saturday from Remer where he has been on a hunting trip. Mr. Lewis brought back a deer and some 28 partridges.

It is said by local men that because of the absence of snow it is almost impossible to track the wounded deer and many are lost to the hunters.

All of the hunters who have returned report the partridges very tame but that they are not in good condition.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

(By C. H. Easton, Abstractor)

Peter J. Berk and wife to William J. Emerson, lot 30, block 7, Highland out-lots to Little Falls, \$1.

George Hoffman and wife to Louise Muehlbauer, N¹/₂ of SW¹/₄ and SE¹/₄ of SW¹/₄, 26 and SW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄ and N¹/₂ of SE¹/₄, 27-30-32, \$8,800.

Fred Bugh and wife to Emily L. Raymond, lots 7, block 1, Morrill's 2nd addition to Little Falls, \$625.

Clarence B. Buckman and wife to Edward E. Smith, und. 1-6 of NW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄ and S¹/₂ of NE¹/₄, 19-41-31, \$500.

Charles A. Lindbergh and wife to Noah Raymond, E¹/₂ of NW¹/₄ and SW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄, 13-30-32 (Ex. 1/2 minerals) \$3,384.

Noah Raymond, single to Isiah Raymond, SW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄, 13-40-32 (Ex. 1/2 minerals), \$1,128.

Theodore Coenen and wife to Frank J. Kusterman, lot 2 and E 10 acres of SW¹/₄, 32-128-29, 1 etc.

Frank J. Kusterman, single, to Annie Coenen, lot 2 and E 10 acres of SW¹/₄ of NW¹/₄, 32-128-29, \$1.

Melvina Cyr and husband to Eugene I. Rasicot, N. 30 ft. of lot 4, block 16, Clark's addition to Little Falls, \$700.

P. W. Hayes and wife to George Hunt, lots 1 and 10, block 1, Green's addition to Little Falls, \$50.

S. E. Anderson and wife to A. W. Anderson, 26x26 rods in NE corner of SW¹/₄ of SE¹/₄, 4-129-31, \$1.

A. W. Anderson and wife to S. E. Anderson, 26x26 rods in SW corner of NW¹/₄ of SE¹/₄, 4-129-31, \$1 etc.

Mathilda Johnson and husband to Alphonse Dugas, S¹/₂ of lot 8, block 22, Little Falls, \$2,200.

Margaret Blais and husband to Solomon Blais, lots 1, 2 and 3 and NW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄, 18-128-31, \$4,500.

George H. Powers and wife to Charles H. Powers, S¹/₂ of S¹/₂ of NW¹/₄, 24-41 (Ex. 2-3 minerals), \$400.

Weronika Zilka and husband to Paul Karpinski, E¹/₂ of SW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄ and E¹/₂ of SE¹/₄, 13-129-31, \$3,000.

John Erickson and wife to O. H. Hellenson, S¹/₂ of NW¹/₄, 27-40-29, \$1,000.

Paul Karpinski and wife to F. C. Zilka, E¹/₂ of SW¹/₄ of NE¹/₄ and E¹/₂ of SE¹/₄, 13-129-31, \$3,000.

Adolph Peterson and wife to Bert Mattson, N¹/₂ of NW¹/₄, 10-127-31, \$4,200.

Maren Peterson, widow, to Lavina F. and Isabelle Church, lots 5 and 6, block 4, P. A. Green's 1st addition to Royalton, \$650.

Frank Mischke and wife to Clara Mischke, 8x18 rods in SW¹/₄ of SW¹/₄, 4-39-30, \$300.

Elizabeth C. Sams and husband to George Bush, lot 4, section 19-133-31, \$1.

John M. Mansfield and wife to Florence Mansfield, 2 acres in NE corner of SE¹/₄, 34-39-29, \$65.

Otto Alfred Skoog and wife to Otella A. Hoeglund, 4.9 acres of N¹/₂ of SE¹/₄, 13-128-30, \$250.

Emily Lindsey, widow, to Eugene L. Trask, SE¹/_{4</}