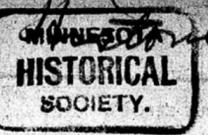


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## Shot Accidentally.

### John Shogren Shoots Himself in the Right Arm While Hunting Sunday.

#### RECEIVES BAD WOUND.

John Shogren and Will Anderson of the Virginia Cash Grocery store, and John Cervery, of N. A. Holmer's tailoring establishment, went hunting for partridge south of the city on Sunday. At about eleven o'clock in the forenoon the boys stopped for a rest a short distance east of the Aetna powder house, all laying their guns down. John laid his gun down across two small logs and after a drink at the spring and a short rest the boys decided to resume their hunt.

Messrs. Anderson and Cervery picked up their guns and started forward and Shogren was about to follow suit and approaching his gun, a double-barreled affair, with the muzzle toward him and was in the act of drawing it toward him with his right hand when it was discharged, the trigger evidently catching in a branch between the logs.

He did not realize at first whose gun had been discharged, he states, so sudden did the accident happen and the numb feeling produced in his arm by the shot caused him to doubt that anything serious had happened, but upon the appearance of a great deal of blood and shattered condition his coat sleeve the story was told.

Mr. Cervery, on seeing what had happened waited for no instructions from his companions but started for medical assistance at Eveleth. By the time he returned with a physician, Dr. More, Shogren and Anderson had started for this city, the shattered arm being bound up to stop the flow of blood, and put himself in the hands of Dr. Lenott, who dressed the injured member. He is now resting as well as can be expected under the circumstances, being comfortably settled in his room over the Virginia Cash Grocery store, where he is receiving the best of care at the hands of his friends and brother Woodmen. He will undoubtedly be laid up many weeks, sufficiently long enough, perhaps, to realize in what great luck he was playing that he was not instantly killed.

The shot entered at the wrist of the right arm and tore away the flesh and muscles from the bone of the fore arm as far as the elbow.

#### ORDINANCE NO. 30.

City Attorney Palmer was instructed by the common council in regular meeting Tuesday evening, to draw up an ordinance pertaining to railroad regulation in the city limits of this city, and our legal officer will no doubt have the new ordinance, No. 30, ready for passage and adoption at the next regular meeting of our city dads Tuesday evening next. It seems that the railroad crossing in the northern portion of the city have been blocked by trains at different times for a longer period than five minutes, which is allowed by law, and on crossings over which a great deal of traffic is going on, thus causing annoyance to the public. The councilmen have taken the new ordinance route to abate the nuisance.

#### TEST-FITTING STATE LEASE.

Messrs. Burke and Krause, of this city, have secured a state lease to lands described as 36, 58-17 and on Tuesday supplies and lumber were taken to the land secured with the intention of erecting a substantial shanty and getting ready for the development of the property. Test-pitting will be the method of ascertaining the earth's secret and this, Mr. Krause says, will be done thoroughly. It has been stated by people who should know what they are talking about that section 36 is well located, it being but a mile from a property where the real thing exists. The lessees may strike something which will make their hearts glad.

Hallow'een couldn't possibly pass by unless the small boy, and large ones, too, set to doing their utmost to turn the city upside down. Virginia cannot be counted as the only place where this universal spasm cropped out, nor was it many years ago when our minds ran in the

#### A MUSICAL TREAT.

The concert and social hop given by the M. W. A. Band at the Opera House Friday evening last, was a most successful event, from a musical standpoint. From a financial view the band does not realize what was expected and expectations were not very large, either. The people of this city should be proud of our band and the estimation in which it is held by musical people of the range and Duluth and should show their appreciation in a substantial way. The program as given below was that used to conduct the affair and every number was a feature. The vocal numbers of Prof. Everson, from his own production, and Rev. J. M. Todd, were well rendered and received. Prof. L. A. Shidlo was the accompanist in both renditions. The violin solo, "Home, Sweet Home," with variations, by George Edwards, was most exquisitely rendered, and the slide trombone solo by Frank Michan was very pleasing. The orchestra work, under the leadership of Mr. Edwards, was as satisfactory to the dancers as that of the city organizations and there is no reason why our people should send out of the city for dance music. The dance was continued for a few hours after the concert and was greatly enjoyed by all who remained to participate. Following was the program:

- March "The Nation's Pride," Scouting M. W. A. Band Song
- "Sweetheart Be True," Everson By the composer
- Fantasia of Sacred Airs "Joy to the World," Barnhouse M. W. A. Band Solo for Violin
- Grand Variations on "Home Sweet Home" Farmer Mr. George Edwards, Descriptive Selection
- "Moonlight on the Levee," Beebe M. W. A. Band Overture
- "The Bridal Party," Schlegel M. W. A. Orchestra, direction of Mr. George Edwards
- Solo for Trombone "Friendship Polka," Harris Mr. Frank Michan Song
- "I Fear No Foe," Blaisdell Mr. James Morillo Todd Potpourri
- "O Fair Dove, O Fond Dove," Schlegel March

#### CLAUDE DURKEE KILLED.

News reached here last night of the death of Claude Durkee, the 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Durkee, who formerly resided here. The mother and children, Claude and Pearl, recently moved from St. Paul to Lardo, B. C., where Mr. Durkee is conductor on a construction train of the Arrowhead & Kootenay road. Shortly after the family had moved to their new home Claude began working with his father and to take up railroading. On Sunday, October 20th, just after making a coupling he stepped back, the heel of his right shoe becoming caught in a track frog and before he could extricate himself the cars forced him to the track, several of them passing over his legs and injured him internally, from the effects of which he died shortly after. Deceased was well known here and a general favorite with everybody. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of their Virginia friends.

#### ALARM SYSTEM GONE WRONG.

R. B. Freedy, manager of the local telephone company, was appointed as superintendent of the fire alarm system by the common council at their regular meeting on Tuesday. His salary has been fixed at \$5.00 per month. The appointment is a good one and quite necessary at this time as the system has gone wrong from neglect, and no one has given it attention since it was completed by Mr. Freedy and accepted by the council two months ago; the matter of the appointment of someone for this position being overlooked at the time. The city certainly needs an experienced line and battery man to take care of our fire alarm system, which was inaugurated at a cost of \$300, the condition in which it is in at the present time arising from the fact that no one has taken care of it. The heat of the boilers at the power house, over which the cells are located, is so intense that the vitrol evaporates and sinks below the top of the zinc casings, thus weakening the battery proper. Mr. Freedy has been instructed to change the location of the cells and will place them in the store room up stairs in the present city building.

## To Strip the Fay.

### Rumors Afloat that Pickands, Mather & Co., have these Intentions.

#### DEAL HANGS FIRE.

C. H. Munger, general manager of the Pickands, Mather Co., iron ore, pig iron and coal firm of Cleveland, was in the city Tuesday, looking after some of the company's interests in this vicinity. It has been the rumor for the past few weeks the above firm, as owners of the Fay mine northeast of this city, had intended stripping the property in the near future and possibly this winter, and upon the Enterprise reporter asking what he could give us in regard to it, Mr. Munger stated that he could not give anything for the present and that the deal was "hanging fire." It has been rumored the first of the week that Gulbranson Bros., had the contract for the stripping of the Fay mine and would commence work today, but the rumor is certainly without foundation, but probably not very far from true. The work will be done, but just when time only tell.

Then, on the head of all these strange noises about the stripping of the Fay comes a little gust of wind from the Hibbing News and it reads like this:

"Winston Bros. & Dear have secured a contract to strip the Fay mine at Virginia, and will remove a portion of their Mahoning outfit to that point."

While of course the News is credited as being absolutely correct, it remains to be seen how near Bro. Atkinson comes to being on the right track.

#### TWO TRAINS DAILY.

The Enterprise is in receipt of the new time card of the Duluth & Iron Range railroad which will take effect today. The present morning train which leaves here at 8:05 for Duluth remains the same, arriving in Duluth at noon. The 3:15 p. m. passenger which leaves Duluth remains the same, arriving here at 7:15. The new train leaves Duluth at 7:30 every morning, except Sunday, and arrives here at 11:25, returning it leaves here at 3:30 p. m., arriving at Duluth at 7:30. This change give Duluth people a few hours on the ranges and return the same day, but as far as the Virginia, or range end, is concerned, it remains the same, with one exception, and that is the giving of better accommodations on the afternoon train into Duluth and the arrival there at 7:30 instead of 9 or 10 o'clock.

#### EVELETH STARS DEFEATED.

The Junior football team of this city again demonstrated the fact that they could defeat any team that Eveleth could produce and did it to the entire satisfaction of a big crowd of spectators on the grounds south of the power house Saturday afternoon, the game resulting in a score of 20 to 0. The Eveleth Stars came over in full force and our boys could scare up but eight of their eleven and the boys from down the county road were about to leave for home, stating that they could get no "game" here, when Capt. Reid quickly filled up his team and had the Stars return. The officials were secured and Eveleth won the toss up. They kicked off and the war was on. The Juniors secured two touchdowns in each half but failed to kick a goal as the wind was too strong from the west. The score does not discourage the Stars in the least and are planning on a return game in the near future. It was a pretty game and full of good plays on both sides. The one bad feature of the game, for the visitors, was the stopping of the timekeeper's watch for twenty minutes, in the last half, after time should have been called.

Mrs. Sarah Young, an aunt of W. E. Hannaford and with whom he made his home after the death of his parents in his infancy, died at her home at Waupun Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Funeral services were held Monday forenoon, Rev. John Rowland, of Ripon, Wis., officiating. Mr. Hannaford attended the funeral.



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