

AS FREE AS THE AIR

F. BICKEL HEARS A JURY SAY NOT GUILTY FOR THE THIRD TIME.

LONG TIME IN AGREEING

BUT FINALLY THE TWELVE MEN REACHED THE VERDICT AS ANNOUNCED.

10 MORE BILLS HANG OVER HIM.

Minnesota Savings Bank Cashier Has Faced and Beaten Nine Indictments.

William F. Bickel is at last as free as the air. The third jury that has had a chance at Mr. Bickel came in yesterday morning with a verdict of "not guilty."

The verdict created no surprise; it was the time the jury consumed in agreeing that caused the comment.

Immediately after the announcement of the acquittal one of the spectators, an old court habitue, remarked in an audible undertone to the gentlemen seated in his vicinity:

"I guess Bickel must have got hold of that rabbit's foot that 'Ginger' used to carry."

The jury did not agree until 11:30 a. m., over eighteen hours of deliberation by the court room. After the arraignment of the indicted persons, Judge Willis sent for the Bickel jury and the clerk asked the foreman, A. P. Hendrickson, whether they had agreed.

Mr. Hendrickson answered that they had not. The court desired to know what the difficulty was. The foreman replied that the jurors were uncertain over the question of Mr. Bickel's intent at the time he handed the Nusser notes over to the bank.

Judge Willis said that the question of intent was peculiarly within the province of the jury to consider.

In order to arrive at the conclusion that the intent was criminal the jury should find that every other hypothesis was inconsistent with the facts.

To the mind of the court there was very little difficulty in the case, and he was surprised that the jury should have found any. The court would keep the jury until 5 o'clock the next day, as it was important that they should come to an agreement.

The jury then retired and in a short time reported that they had arrived at an agreement.

Shortly before 11:30 the court entered the room and summoned the jury.

DULUTH TAXES VALID

General Statutes 1894, section 4348. Appeal dismissed. Mitchell, J.

VICTORY FOR ST. LOUIS COUNTY IN THE SUIT OF THE LAKESIDE LAND COMPANY.

In re estate of Nils Larson, deceased; Joppa Larson et al., appellants, vs. Per Larson et al., respondents.

James G. Marks and Alicia Marks, respondents, vs. G. T. Jones, appellant.

STATE'S CLAIM SUSTAINED.

Justice Mitchell, of the supreme court, handed down eight decisions, in two of which the lower court is reversed.

On a Ruling Which is of Interest to All Owners of Mortgaged Property.

The decision is in the suit brought by the taxing officers of St. Louis county to enforce the collection of taxes against the Lake Side Land company, of Duluth.

The tax collected from the mining companies which, at the time the suit was brought, were paying 1 per cent per ton on the ore mined from their lands in lieu of all other taxation.

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HEIRS CANNOT AGREE.

Stutzman Estate Makes a Row Among the Relatives.

August Stutzman, Mary Triebold and Caroline Triebold, the step-children of Catherine Stutzman, her step-brother, and the son of Catherine Stutzman, for an accounting between the defendant and the plaintiffs.

LOFTUS GETS \$750.

Judge Bonn Orders Judgment Against Lieut. Babe.

In the suit of George S. Loftus against Lieut. Babe, respondent, vs. Frank C. Mosher et al., defendants; Frank C. Mosher, respondent.

Cut Down a Tree.

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POLICEMAN PAYS THE FINE.

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North Dakota's Senatorial Fight.

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Co-operative Elevator Company.

Special to the Globe.

MILBANK, Jan. 21.—The success of the elevator has been so gratifying to the farmers that they have organized a co-operative Farmers' Elevator company of directors was an enthusiastic meeting today.

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FOR RENT.

ELEVENTH ST., 95 EAST—Apartment 5—two rooms, connecting, furnished or unfurnished, steam heat, gas, bath.

INSTRUCTION.

WILLIAM H. BAKER, Teacher of Dancing, Little Hall—Beginner's class for children will commence Saturday, 22d, 3 o'clock; \$2 for twelve lessons.

MEDICAL.

HORSES AND CARRIAGES.

HORSES! HORSES!—Lumbermen take notice! 200 head of heavy logging horses weighing from 1,000 to 1,500 lbs., at low prices, at Barrett & Zimmermann's stables, Minnesota Transfer, St. Paul, Minn., part time horse and carriage men. Take interurban car from either city.

LOST AND FOUND.

POCKETBOOK LOST—A brown alligator pocketbook Thursday, Jan. 20, containing one \$1 bill, one \$5 bill, one \$10 bill, and also a lock, and sterling silver mountings, with initials A. L. H. Reward if returned to 222 Arundel st. Lost at St. Anthony skating rink.

RELIEF SOCIETY.

EMPLOYMENT REGISTER.

Office, 141 East Ninth st., Telephone, 182. WE HAVE the following worthy persons needing employment:

BOY A good, smart boy, 15, wants work on a farm or in a store.

STENOGRAPHER AND TYPEWRITER—A young woman, the support of an invalid mother, desires employment.

PENMAN—An expert penman to address envelopes or invitations.

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