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REFUSED TO PARTICIPATE IN TEST FOR ALCOHOL. CONTENT. DAHLBERG
ISSUED TICKET AT SCENE OF ACCIDENT FOR CARELESS DRIVING AND
DRIVING WITHOUT LICENSE IN POSSESSION. ACCORDING TO
THERE WAS CONSEDERABLE ILL FEELING IN AREA BECAUSE OF CIRCUM-
STANCES SURROUNDING ACCIDENT, AND THEREFORD, HE AND OTHER POLICE
OFFOCERS INSISTED HENNEPIN COUNTY RPOSECUTING ATTORNEY CHARGE
DAHLBERG WITH CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE IN CONNECTION WITH DEATH OF
FOUR YOUNG MEN AND PRESENT MATTER TO GRAND JURY. CASE PRESENTED
TO GRAND JURY, HENNEPIN COUNTY, AND #NO BILL" RETURNED.
SAID HE WAS NEVER SATISFIED WITH RESULTS IN THIS
MATTER BECAUSE HE, EVEN THOUGH ON SCENE OF ACCIDENT ALMOST
IMMEDIATELY, WAS NOT CALLED AS WITNESS. DESCRIBED
INVESTIGATION OF THIS ACCIDENT AND RESULTING DISPOSITION ONE
OF MOST FRUSTRATING EVENTS OF CAREER, AS ACCIDENT MOST
SERIOUS HE HAS OBSERVED TO TAKE PLACE AND HE STILL FEETL DAHLBERG
WAS AT FAULT IN CAUSING DEATHS OF FOUR MEN FOR WHICH HE WAS NEVER
HELD ACCOUNTABLE. REVIEWED RECORDS AND DETERMINED
DAHLBERG ON SEPT. ELEVEN, NINETEEN FIFTY THREE, APPEARED JUSTICE
OF PEACE COURT, ENTERED GUILTY PLEA TO CHARGES OF CARELESS
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MP 161-572 DRIVING AND NO DRIVER'S LICENSE IN POSSESSION, FOR WHICH FINES WERE MAXIMUM ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS FISRT CHARGE AND MAXIMUM TEN DOLLARS ON SECOND CHARGE. FINES PAID SAME DATE. DETECTIVE DIVISION, CRYSTAL, MINNESOTA, POLICE DEPARTMENT, ADVISED HE WAS BOTH JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND MEMBER OF CRYSTAL, MINNESOTA, FIRE DEPARTMENT, AUGUST FOURTEEN, NINETEEN FIFTY THREE, WHEN ABOVE -MENTIONED ACCIDENT OCCURRED IN THAT CITY. SAID HE WAS ONE OF FIRST WITNESSES ON SCENE AND FURNISHED SUBSTANTIALLY SAME SAID HE WAS LISTED AS A WITNESS INFORMATION AS FOR GRAND JURY REGARDING ADDIDENT; HOWEVER, NEVER CALLED, AND WAS TOLD "WE NOW HAVE ALL THE WITNESS NECESSARY." SAID TO INDIVIDUALS WHOM EH CANNOT IDENTIFY CONTACTED HIM JUST PRIOR TO SEPT. ELEVEN, NINETEEN FIFTY THREE, AS REPRESENTATIVES FOR MR. DAHLBERG REGARDING THE CARELESS DRIVING CHARGE AND DRIVING WITHOUT A LICENSE IN HIS POSSESSION, WHICH WAS SCHEDULED FOR HIS COURT. HE SAID THEY ATTEMPTED TO INFLUENCE HIM TO DROP THESE CHARGES; HOWEVER, HE REFUSED TO DO SO AND SUGGESTED A SAID DAHLBERG SUBSEQUENTLY PLED GUILTY CHANGE OF VENUE. EEND PAGE TWENTY THREE