

# EXCITING TIME AT HANNAFORD

## THREE CITIZENS ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF TOO MUCH "HOMESPUN"

Hannaford Enterprise: The peaceful drowsiness of Hannaford was interrupted for a few hours Thursday evening when a crowd of about 150 men from the village and surrounding territory gathered for what at first promised to become a serious affair, but which turned into a huge ruckus on the part of parties who had taken the initiative.

The occasion for the would-be tumult was the expected departure from town of its most hated citizen.

The incidents leading up to the affair were certain activities by Sven Boe, whose reputation is of such a shady nature that few people would defend him even from rough treatment at the hands of a mob.

Boe is a local product having grown up in the community, is a man of excellent ability, if used for

the proper purpose, but still it has become necessary at various times for his fellow townspeople to extend a helping hand. And to reward them for these acts of kindness he returned here about two weeks ago accompanied by a couple of U. S. detectives whom he assisted and directed to the homes of his former friends, school-mates and benefactors in search of illegal home-brew establishments, taking advantage of his acquaintance with conditions here, and his knowledge of the failings of various parties.

The result of his activities in that line is that two Hannaford citizens are now lying in jail at Fargo awaiting trial at the fall term of court, while a third party pleaded guilty of misusing raisins and sugar and paid a \$100 fine.

Some indignation was expressed at this, but for a week or ten days he was allowed to continue, as the people who want to see the laws enforced are in the great majority in the community.

As the days passed by, Boe became more bold and an unbearable pest.

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