

THIEVES ENTER STORE AT MOSE

**Safe Was Blown and \$33 Taken
—Burglars Did Not
Get All.**

Burglars entered the store at Mose last Friday night and secured \$33 in cash from the safe. \$1.00 of this was postoffice funds, \$14.00 of it belonged to Hans Aarrestad and the balance to Henry Peterson. Another drawer in the safe contained \$30, but this was overlooked. As near as can be ascertained that was the extent of the "haul," with the exception of some store accounts, which are of no value to the thieves.

Nitro-glycerine was used to blow the safe, and the explosion occurred at 12:20. The exact time is borne out by the fact that the pendulum was blown off the clock by the explosion. The door of the safe was wrecked and nearby fixtures were shattered, which will entail a loss much greater than the amount stolen.

Alfred Rorvig, who is employed in the store, had been to Binford Friday evening in company with E. P. Rorvig and on their return to Mose about 11:00 o'clock, they found the doors of the store wide open. This was nothing unusual, as they thought Mr. Aarrestad, who has his sleeping apartments up-stairs, had returned and left the doors open for a short time, as he had done on several occasions. They made no investigations, but locked the doors and went home to bed. The robbers evidently were in the store at the time the boys returned, as Mr. Aarrestad knew nothing of the affair until he reached Binford Saturday from a business trip out on the Great Northern.

The burglars are not likely to be apprehended as there is not the slightest clue to work on. No suspicious looking characters had been seen around the town, and it is not known what means of conveyance they had, if any.