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FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING ROOMS 1, 2, 3, 4, 10, 11, 12

10-21

October 18th, 1919.

Attorney General's Office,

Bismarck, N.D.

My Dear Cox:

Attention Mr. Cox.

Just a line to call your attention again to our conversation of the other day with reference to the Ole Skrurud case at Beach.

As I stated to you I am at this time engaged in trial work at Mandan and it is practically impossible for me to get away. You very kindly suggested that while you were not going to Beach that you were satisfied that the State's Attorney of Golden Valley County would make no objection to an arrangement for a continuance of the preliminary examination, and that he was at Bismarck at that time and that you would see him before he got away. As I indicated toyou there probably is no question but what I will waive the examination after you and I have had an opportunity to discuss the evidence that would be introduced at the preliminary examination. As I indicated to you, my theory is that the preliminary examination would simply disclose to us the facts upon whichyou intend to rely for a conviction, and if you will advise me of those facts I am willing to take your word for it and waive the examination, as I understand this is satisfactory to you.

I am dropping you this line, however, for fear that with the rush of your work you may have over-looked the matter.

extended, I wish to remain,

Yours very truly,

JFS-EH

Jno. F. Sulliva

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