

State News.

Stephen, Minnesota, has voted \$20,000 bonds for a new school house.

Eveleth, Minn., will pave her streets this year at a cost of from six to ten thousand dollars.

Former Adjutant Libby is said to be slated for superintendent of the new State capitol.

The Cambridge starch factory has consumed about fifty thousand bushels of potatoes this spring.

Attorney General Young has given an opinion that the late appropriation bill is not invalid as some had feared.

The rewards offered for the apprehension of the murderers of Annie Kintop at Little Falls, aggregate \$1,200.

Timothy Mitchell, deputy collector of customs for the district of Minnesota, died at Minneapolis on the 28th of April.

J. H. Burns, who was formerly a member of the State legislature died at his home in Lanesboro, Minn., on April 26.

A commission has been appointed to pass upon all voting machines submitted for adoption in Minnesota, under the late law.

A large shingle mill at Aitkin, belonging to J. J. Walsh & Co., was burned last week. The loss was \$25,000 with no insurance.

The saw mill of the Reed & Sherwood Manufacturing company at Anoka was destroyed by fire on the 27th of April. Loss about \$5,000.

A girl burglar entered the bedroom of Henry Smith at Carver and with a revolver in her hand extracted four dollars from his clothes and made her escape.

The Great Northern railway company will soon abandon its road into Hibbing on account of the work to be commenced on iron mines in that vicinity over which the road runs.

Local labor leaders are preparing a monster demonstration and reception for President Samuel Gompers, of the American Federation of Labor, who will visit Minneapolis May 23.

The Minnesota Pioneer association will meet in the hall of the house of representatives in St. Paul on May 11th, the forty-seventh anniversary of the admission of Minnesota to the Union.

There is to be formed a free employment bureau, to be conducted under State supervision. Theodore H. Laws, a Minneapolis newspaper man, is an applicant for the position of superintendent.

Fred C. Schiffman of St. Paul, former State oil inspector, was married last week. A woman with whom Schiffman has been living claims to be his wife, but has so far failed to substantiate her claims.

Charges of falsifying public accounts have been preferred against Charles Bernick, deputy county treasurer of Stearns county, and an indictment has been asked for at the session of the grand jury this week.

Forty or more young business men of Elk River, will form an athletic association. A temporary organization was effected and a committee named. It is proposed to lease a field and fence it, and build a grand stand.

A little girl three years old, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carlson of Spring Vale, Isanti county, was burned to death recently in a fire which had been built for the purpose of clearing land. Such accidents are frequent.

It is understood that the census bureau will try to get in touch with the business interests of the three cities, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, so that in taking the census all information possible may be obtained without friction.

Forty students of the Anoka high school mutined last week and deserted in a body to attend the murder trial progressing there. Several girls were included in the number. The court officers, backed by the janitor, refused to allow them in the court room, but most of them were able to get by the doorkeeper by stating that they were of legal age.

C. C. Norbeck of Minneapolis has been granted another parole from Stillwater prison and he was let out May 1. He was paroled some time ago, but was sent back because he was accused of getting drunk. Norbeck was a Minneapolis detective under the Ames administration, and he was convicted of connection with the Minneapolis graft.

Another get-rich-quick scheme, namely the Home Co-operative company, which had offices until recently in Minneapolis, has come to grief. A fraud order against the company was issued last week by the postoffice authorities, but it is not thought any large amount of mail will be stopped, as most of it was forwarded to the head offices of the company in New Orleans before the order was issued.

Peter Ziolkowski, the youthful Otter Tail county murderer who killed his father last fall by shooting him through a window of the residence with a shot gun, confessed the crime and has been sentenced to the St.

Cloud reformatory for life. The Fergus Falls Journal states that his confession probably saved the county considerable money as the evidence against him was all circumstantial and none too strong.

Applications for pensions to Indian war survivors as provided for by the last legislature in a \$10,000 appropriation, are pouring in. The intention was to pension the survivors who took part in the war, but, as often happens, a slip was made and many others are included.

Anoka was the scene of another murder on the 26th of April, when Nick Smith stabbed Fred Mathews in Myers & Hynes saloon. Mathews was thirty-one years of age and a resident of Anoka. He died the next morning. Smith claims he was drunk and remembers nothing of the occurrence.

State Auditor Iverson has decided the tax controversy between Carlton and St. Louis counties, regarding the taxing of the property of the Mesabe Southern and Duluth & Northeastern railroads, in favor of Carlton county. Practically all of the property of the railroads, which is assessed at about \$35,000, is in St. Louis county, but the offices of both companies are in Cloquet.

State Auditor Iverson last week sold at public auction his offices at the capitol, 39,000 feet of timber seized by the State from timber trespassers. The timber was illegally cut from section 16, township 51, range 26, and criminal proceedings will be begun at once by the attorney general against the trespasser. The State officials will not give the name of the trespasser, but stated that he will be held for three times the value of the timber, for willful trespass.

A horse owned by Barrett & Zimmerman of Minneapolis, caused wild excitement at Prior and University avenue, late Friday. The horse ran away from George Dean, his driver, and collided with a lamp post, freeing itself from the buggy. It turned and headed for the Brooks building. Entering the front door, it clattered up stairs to the second floor, trotted heavily through the hall to the rear and passed down the back stairs to a small, enclosed yard in the rear, where it was found placidly eating grass by the crowd which its antics collected.

Joseph Glenn, who has been at the Minneapolis city hospital for a year, and in the course of that time has been submitted to six surgical operations, was on April 28, sent to his home in Vincennes, Ind., to die. Glenn, who is about forty years of age, left his home when he was a young man and wandered about for some years. He arrived in Minneapolis last spring without means and suffering from tuberculosis of the shoulder. He was taken to the city hospital and four times he was operated upon for the tuberculous condition. Then as he was regaining his strength it was found that he had developed appendicitis, and that necessitated two more operations.

Stephen Muck, a man convicted at Mankato on the 28th of April for taking a letter out of the postoffice addressed to R. D. Cramer and thereupon sentenced by Judge Lochren to a six month's term in the St. Cloud reformatory gives an interesting history of his family. His father, Stephen Muck, was a blind man, and lived on a farm a few miles from Worthington. He did not have a very good disposition, and one night, Feb. 22, 1904, in a frenzy, he pulled out a revolver and shot his daughter Eva, and then, turning the weapon on his head, he shot himself in the mouth and died in a few minutes. Eva Muck was taken to the Samaritan hospital at Soux City and was treated by the best of doctors. After suffering for over six months, she finally got well. Fred Muck, a brother, is serving a sixteen-year sentence in the State's prison of Missouri, located in Jefferson City, for shooting a man with a revolver. Another brother, Frank, was arrested and convicted at Worthington on the charge of burglary, and is now serving a long term in the St. Cloud reformatory, and now Stephen goes to the St. Cloud reformatory for six months.

An Excellent Suggestion.
Tommy—Oh, but all great men have smoked.

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Saved by Dynamite.
Sometimes, a flaming city is saved by dynamiting a space that the fire can't cross. Sometimes, a cough hangs on so long, you feel as if nothing but dynamite would cure it. Z. T. Gray of Calhoun, Ga., writes: "My wife had a very aggravating cough, which kept her awake nights. Two physicians could not help her; so she took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which eased her cough, gave her sleep, and finally cured her." Strictly scientific cure for bronchitis and la grippe. At C. A. Jack's drug store, price 50 cents and \$1.00; guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

An Ocean Mystery.

It is popularly supposed, and with good reason, that every mile of the ocean has long ago been sailed over by trained hydrographers and every island, reef and shoal in the highways of commerce charted for the information of mariners. It seems, however, that there is in midocean an area of between 20,000 and 30,000 square miles which has never been properly explored and is the subject of much guessing with the possibility of romantic disclosures yet to be made. The mysterious area lies in the direct line between the Hawaiian port of Hilo and the bay of Panama and is included within the meridians of 133 and 138 degrees of longitude west from Greenwich and the fifteenth and twentieth parallels of north latitude, remote from the usual routes of commercial voyages.

Interest in this stretch of unknown sea has been kept alive for half a century by the mystery surrounding the disappearance of the United States man-of-war *Levant* in that vicinity in 1860. The vessel sailed from Hilo for Panama and was never again heard of, but the debris of a wrecked man-of-war was found drifting a year later, and its condition showed that the vessel from which it came had been pounded to pieces. A spar was identified as belonging to the *Levant*.

Previous to the loss of the *Levant* several islands in that region had been reported by voyagers, the last in 1859, one year before the man-of-war came to grief. The existence of these islands has never been verified, but the fact that different navigators have reported them gives ground for the belief that there may be substance to their stories. Should the islands be found the story of the *Levant* may be cleared up and possibly some of her crew discovered "united to squalid savages," like the survivors of the famous mutiny ship *Bounty*, on Pitcairn island.

Abolish Cold Water.

Not the pure and refreshing fluid "from the north side of the well," as the old timers put it, but the stuff which blankets are soaked in when a cheery body's enthusiasm is to be quenched. The pessimist derives happiness from being theoretically right. The unhappiness he causes other people who listen to his tale of threatening woe doesn't bother him. Average mortals are so prone to optimism that they prefer living in a "fool's paradise" and taking chances on a grand tumble some day to being constantly alert for what possibly might happen, yet probably never will.

Easily one-half of the energy of mankind comes from hope, which "springs eternal in the human breast." Abolish hope and nothing remains. Abolish despair, and life is one eternal song. Pessimism has its uses, one of which is to let in the sidelights upon human existence. Nothing is so bad but what it might be worse, and pessimism goes the whole length to picture the worst. Mortals find comfort in knowing that they have escaped the worst and in hoping that they ever will. Fortunately the axioms of pessimism do not adorn copy books for the young or the walls of our houses. The motto, "God Bless Our Home," may look down upon daily contentions, but the spot is home to some one at some time or the motto wouldn't hang there. One sure means of forestalling contention is to strive after the ideal home. And one way to abolish despair and banish its prophets is to hoist the flag of hope and keep it flying.

Women Writers and College Training

Four leading American magazines are running serials by women. It is worthy of note that many of America's women writers have got along in their careers without a college education. Among these are Edith Wharton, Mary E. Wilkins, Louise Imogen Guiney, Mary Johnston, Bertha Runkle, Carolyn Wells and Ellen Glasgow, all of the newer set.

There were fewer colleges in former days to attract aspirants for literary honors, and several noted writers whose books and stories were read by a previous generation and are still active received their training outside of college walls. In this class may be named Kate Douglas Wiggin, Gertrude Atherton, Margaret Deland, Frances Hodgson Burnett and Ruth McEnery Stuart.

Successful writers, as a rule, are persons of strong individuality, and while some natures are developed by college influences still others would find their native powers cramped by the routine of a course of general study.

Carnegie's plan to devote part of his wealth to the aid of small colleges shows an appreciation of American institutions. Out of the small colleges of the past have come great leaders in public life. The narrower the group of students the greater the influence of the minds at the top. If a man cannot attain the highest culture at a small college the universities are open to him for postgraduate work.

There are 22,000 women employed in the railway service in Russia, with an average annual salary of \$65, which is not astonishingly low. Some of them are ticket agents on lines where trains pass only about once a week.

McGhee Must Explain.

A daily paper says: "Judge Bazille of the Ramsey county probate court, has demanded the appearance before him of F. L. McGhee, the St. Paul colored attorney, now defending Kaldewit, the accused murderer at Anoka, on the charge of altering the will of August Prost in May of 1904. Judge Bazille says McGhee inserted these words in the will: "I, Gertrude Prost, widow of the deceased, do hereby agree and consent to the foregoing will and accept the gifts thereunder.—Gertrude Prost."



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Duluth 6:20 a.m.	St. Paul 2:35 p.m.	St. Paul 6:20 a.m.	Minneapolis 3:05 p.m.
Brook Park 9:15 a.m.	Minneapolis 3:05 p.m.	Minneapolis 9:35 a.m.	Anoka 3:45 p.m.
Mora 9:35 a.m.	Elk River 4:07 p.m.	Elk River 9:45 a.m.	Princeton 4:27 p.m.
Milaca 10:20 a.m.	Zimmerman 4:25 p.m.	Zimmerman 10:30 a.m.	Princeton 4:42 p.m.
Pease (T) 10:30 a.m.	Princeton 4:42 p.m.	Princeton 10:40 a.m.	Brickton (T) 4:47 p.m.
L. Siding (T) 10:40 a.m.	Brickton (T) 4:47 p.m.	Brickton (T) 10:45 a.m.	L. Siding (T) 4:51 p.m.
Princeton 10:55 a.m.	Pease (T) 5:01 p.m.	Pease (T) 11:30 a.m.	Milaca 5:30 p.m.
Zimmerman 11:10 a.m.	Milaca 5:30 p.m.	Milaca 11:35 a.m.	Ogilvie 5:45 p.m.
Elk River 11:35 a.m.	Ogilvie 5:45 p.m.	Ogilvie 11:40 a.m.	Mora 6:02 p.m.
Anoka 12:00 a.m.	Mora 6:02 p.m.	Minneapolis 12:40 p.m.	Brook Park 6:25 p.m.
Minneapolis 12:40 p.m.	Brook Park 6:25 p.m.	Ar. St. Paul 1:30 p.m.	Ar. Duluth 6:25 p.m.

ST. CLOUD TRAINS.
GOING WEST.
Le. Milaca 10:18 a.m.
Foreston 10:28 a.m.
Ar. St. Cloud 11:23 a.m.
Le. St. Cloud 4:17 p.m.
Foreston 4:24 p.m.
Ar. Milaca 5:00 p.m.

WAY FREIGHT.
GOING EAST—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
Le. Milaca 10:45 a.m.
Princeton 10:50 p.m.
Elk River 12:30 p.m.
Anoka 5:00 p.m.
GOING WEST—Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
Le. Anoka 5:00 p.m.
Elk River 11:35 a.m.
Princeton 1:40 p.m.
Ar. Milaca 2:50 p.m.

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