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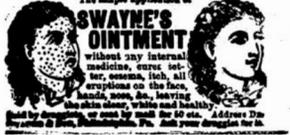
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**PIERZ, MINN.**

**NEWS IN MINNESOTA**

Mormon missionaries are at work in Winona.

Fire destroyed \$5,000 worth of Duluth Herald property.

The postoffice at Monticello will be made presidential April 1.

A postoffice has been established at Dorothy, Red Lake county.

A Sunday school superintendents' union is to be formed at Winona.

The Dunn-Day senatorial contest has been revived in the Anderson tax law appeal.

A party of 16 prospectors has gone from Dawson this state, to the Copper river country.

The senate committee on public buildings favors the enlargement of the St. Paul building.

Companies of the Minnesota national guard will be inspected the last half of April and first of May.

Judge Vanderburgh, the veteran Minnesota jurist, is dead. He had been on district and supreme benches 35 years.

Special Commissioner Dar Hall has gone to the Mille Lacs reservation to induce the Indians to remove to White Earth.

Fire destroyed the building owned by the Young Men's Investment company at Mankato. The building cost \$34,000 and was insured for \$18,500.

The Winona Trade Council has decided to draw up a memorial for presentation to the city council requesting the establishment of free public baths.

Henry T. Welles, one of Minneapolis' oldest and most respected citizens, is dead, after an illness of several years. The trouble which finally resulted in his death was heart failure.

Mrs. Ellen R. Mendenhall of Duluth has been granted a divorce from Luther Mendenhall, on the ground of desertion. Mr. Mendenhall filed an affidavit admitting the truth of the charge.

Winona lumbermen report rather a light cut in the pines this winter. The Empire Lumber company has put in about 10,000,000 feet of logs and the Laird-Norton company 20,000,000 feet.

The Omaha road has put in a through tariff on flour with the trunk lines from Minneapolis to New York of 21 cents on flour to New York for export, and 23 cents to New York on flour for domestic sale.

A new disease has broken out in the lumber camps among the horses, and so general has it become and so fatal is it in its effects that steps have been taken to investigate it. A slight scratch develops into a festering sore, and the animal soon dies.

The capitol commissioners held their regular monthly meeting at St. Paul and passed estimates for contractors, who take charge of the erection now. The Butler-Ryan company has begun at the top of the foundation and the capitol site has assumed a busy appearance.

Fire destroyed the large flour mill of Cargill & Fall at Houston. The capacity of the mill was 750 barrels daily. A large quantity of wheat, flour and other millstuffs was destroyed and several Milwaukee cars on the track were burned. The loss is estimated at \$75,000; insured for half.

Five St. Paul retail houses, Field, Schlick & Co., Mannheim Bros., Schueman & Evans, the Plymouth and the Golden Rule have refused to pay the personal property taxes assessed against them on the ground that the increases in the assessments made by the local board of equalization were arbitrary and unfair.

State Auditor Dunn is now at work on the selection of state lands to be sold this year. He expects to dispose of a large amount of state lands in the spring and summer, especially in the western, northwestern and southwestern portions of the state. He has not yet fixed the dates of the sales or decided on the counties in which the lands will be sold.

It has been definitely decided that Luther seminary, whose buildings at Robbinsdale, in Minneapolis, were destroyed by fire some time ago, will be moved to Hamline, President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railway having delivered to the synod, for the Norwegian Evangelical Lutheran church in America, a warranty deed to four acres on Snelling avenue near the Hamline university buildings.

The state encampment of the G. A. R. elected the following officers: Commander, E. W. Mortimer, Minneapolis; senior vice commander, D. B. Searles, St. Cloud; junior vice commander, Daniel A. Morrison, Rochester; chaplain, John A. Henry, Anoka. The council of administration was re-elected. The Woman's Relief Corps selected Mrs. Mary A. Silloway of Minneapolis for president for the ensuing year, and the Ladies of the G. A. R. named Mrs. Julia Lobdell, also of Minneapolis, for presiding officer of their organization.

Governor Clough is having prepared a statement showing the cost of carrying on the government of Minnesota since 1857. The information is for Governor Scofield of Wisconsin, who is compiling statistics relative to the cost of the Wisconsin government and wishes to compare the cost of running his state with that in other states. The list that is being prepared for the governor shows the cost to have been as follows:

1857	\$2,782,979.15
1858	2,383,491.31
1859	3,537,785.53
1860	3,439,618.45
1861	4,068,526.94
1862	4,128,361.77
1863	4,128,361.77
1864	5,424,150.91
1865	5,470,909.73
1866	4,991,418.09
1867	5,042,846.56

The showing is said to compare well with other states.

**NEWS CONDENSATIONS.**

**Wednesday, March 2.**

De Lome was hung in effigy at Troy, N. Y.

The public debt decreased \$1,597,122 in February.

A successful test of the Holland submarine boat has been made.

A man claiming to represent the Spanish government is buying horses in Minnesota.

The property of the Portland Consolidated Mining company, Black Hills, has been sold on foreclosure.

Marine insurance men at Sound ports have decided to advance the rates on all vessels bound for Alaska.

Karditza and Georgii, charged with the attempted assassination of King George of Greece, have confessed.

Committees of the American Maize association, a national organization to boom corn, are at work in Philadelphia.

The boilers in Clark & Ackers' shingle mill at Wetmore, Mich., exploded, killing two men and seriously injuring several others.

**Thursday, March 3.**

John Wilde, the actor, is dead.

Kid McCoy has accepted Joe Choynski's challenge.

The steamship Paris, from New York for Europe, took out 235,000 ounces of silver.

Retired Chief Engineer William H. Rutherford, U. S. N., is dead at Harrisburg, Pa.

The Russian steamer St. Petersburg has passed through the Bosphorus with 1,530 recruits bound for Vladivostok.

Fifty head of pure bred Hereford cattle, sold at Sunny Slope farm, Emporia, Kan., brought prices averaging over \$400 per head.

George D. Cragin, ex-president of the New York Produce Exchange and one of the founders of the packing business of that city and Chicago, is dead.

Augustus St. Gaudens has deserted America for Europe. His studio in New York, which he has occupied for 18 years, is for rent, and in the future the famous sculptor will make his home in Paris or Florence.

**Friday, March 4.**

The new torpedo boat Talbot, on her trial trip, developed a speed of 22 knots an hour.

General Weyler declares upon his honor as a soldier that he never placed mines in the harbor at Havana.

The China Gazette says Great Britain will occupy Wei-Hai-Wei in the event of Japan withdrawing from that port.

The executive committee of the Republican congressional committee has been appointed. Mr. McCleary of Minnesota will have charge of the literary department.

Beginning next Monday the Carpenter steel works at Reading, Pa., will go on double turn working on projectiles for the government and employing 350 instead of 235 hands.

**Saturday, March 5.**

The Missouri penitentiary is now earning \$5,000 per annum above expenses.

The Nicaragua canal commission reckons the probable cost of the canal at \$100,000,000.

Argentine Republic will send a special military commission to Europe to purchase armaments in the near future.

A concert at New York for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the men killed in the Maine netted about \$2,500.

Ali Ferouk Bey, the newly appointed Turkish minister to the United States, has started for his post at Washington.

Judge John Newton Heuren, the last treasurer of the Southern Confederacy, is critically ill at his residence near Staunton, Va.

It is announced that the czarina, who is said to have been suffering from slight inflammation of the lungs, following an attack of measles, is improving.

**Monday, March 7.**

Dr. Klebs of Chicago is said to have discovered the cause of yellow fever.

Three members of the Chicago civil service commission have been indicted.

James H. Carpenter, inventor of the Carpenter projectile, is dead at Reading, Pa.

The government's February crop report indicates that winter wheat is progressing very well.

The floating debt of Spain was augmented by 13,226,681 pesetas during the month of February.

Attorney Ellsworth is to be prosecuted as a result of the recent investigation at the Wisconsin state prison.

The senate committee on military affairs has recommended a resolution to sell the Klondike and supplies purchased for the Klondike relief expedition.

**Tuesday, March 8.**

General Nelson B. Sweetzer, U. S. A., retired, is dead at Washington.

Count von Thun Hohenstein has constructed a new Austrian cabinet.

Hon. Theodore Davis, chief justice and ex-premier of British Columbia, is dead at Victoria.

The steamship Oregon has sailed for Southeastern Alaska with 200 passengers and 100 head of live stock.

John Howard Parnell, brother of the late Charles Stewart Parnell, has been elected city marshal of Dublin.

Reuben Black, a well known business man of Lancaster, Wis., was accidentally killed while cleaning a rifle.

Frank G. Lacy and Joseph Short of Ananda, Mon., are dead and two companions are in a critical condition at Moose Lake from the effects of drinking wood alcohol.

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