

**GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY**  
**THE COMFORTABLE WAY**  
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**DAILY TRAINS.**  
 "Fargo Sound Express" Dep  
 7:00 p. m. No. 3 To  
 Fargo... 7:00 p. m.  
 6:50 p. m. No. 4 To St. Paul  
 7:00 p. m. Night Passenger, main line.  
 11:27 p. m. No. 9 To Grand  
 Forks and Minn. 11:37 p. m.  
 4:00 a. m. No. 10 To St. Paul  
 4:05 a. m. Night Passenger, main line.  
 3:50 a. m. No. 11 Arrives at Willmar.  
 No. 12 To Yorkton  
 and Sioux City 7:15 a. m.  
**DAILY, EXCEPT SUNDAY.**  
 1:25 p. m. No. 13 St. Paul  
 to Fargo... 2:25 p. m.  
 1:40 p. m. No. 14 Fargo  
 to St. Paul... 2:30 p. m.  
 1:35 p. m. No. 31 Duluth  
 to Sioux City 1:50 p. m.  
 1:55 p. m. No. 32 Sioux City  
 to Duluth 2:35 p. m.  
 Accommodation-Daily exc. Sunday, Dep  
 No. 572 Going East to  
 Minneapolis 7:45 a. m.  
 No. 587 Going West to  
 Breckenridge 5:30 a. m.  
 No. 575 Going South to  
 Garrettsville... 5:00 a. m.  
 No. 18 Going North to  
 Willmar 8:30 a. m.; arrives 9:30 p. m.  
 No. 229 Willmar to Watertown  
 leaves 8:30 a. m.; arrives 9:30 p. m.

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**GREATER WILLMAR.**  
 Various enterprises looking  
 towards the development of Will-  
 mar in lines of manufacture are  
 under way. The enlarged sash  
 and door factory is assured, the  
 N. H. Nelson Manufacturing  
 Company will soon be shipping  
 their newly patented stackers,  
 manure loaders and grain eleva-  
 tors to dealers all over the north-  
 west who are waiting for them,  
 and the Willmar Peat Company is  
 pushing their work and are ex-  
 pecting to produce some of the  
 new fuel within a few weeks.

It is in these inexhaustible  
 beds of the finest quality of peat  
 where the future of Willmar as a  
 manufacturing center depends.  
 Without cheap fuel it is useless  
 to hope for a great development  
 along this line. With these  
 great stores of fuel in the im-  
 mediate vicinity the item of trans-  
 portation of fuel is done away with.

The projected stowboard com-  
 pany presents, in our humble  
 opinion, one of the greatest pos-  
 sibilities in the manufacturing  
 line that was ever offered Will-  
 mar. With this factory, employ-  
 ing not less than forty men and  
 turning out a product of a gross  
 value of \$150,000 a year (with the  
 chance to double the capacity  
 without change of building or  
 power plant) and using Willmar  
 peat only as fuel, the entire feasi-  
 bility and economy of peat fuel  
 for steam will be established.  
 With the immense prairie mar-  
 kets, north, west and south, easily  
 accessible from Willmar, there  
 is practically no limit to the  
 industries which could be  
 advantageously located here.

The strawboard mill would use  
 a raw material which is now  
 largely going to waste through-  
 out this western country. The  
 project is bearing up well under  
 investigation. Like every new  
 thing this proposition is meeting  
 with the opposition of skeptical  
 conservatives, and if it will not  
 stand the closest investigation of  
 careful men it would not deserve  
 consideration. But at the same  
 time as prudence is exercised  
 there should not be any snap  
 judgment taken and cold water  
 thrown simply because it is a  
 new project in this country.

While the work of proper in-  
 vestigation is going on by a tem-  
 porary organization, an attempt  
 is being made to raise the re-  
 quired amount of capital by a  
 conditional popular subscription.  
 If the project goes ahead at all  
 it will prove a great thing for  
 the community and a good invest-  
 ment to the stockholders. The  
 success attending the beginning  
 of the work indicates that the  
 required money can be raised by  
 a united pull of all those who  
 desire to lend their time and means  
 to the upbuilding of the commu-  
 nity.

If the village people and farm-  
 ers of Holland can erect and  
 make a success of co-operative  
 paper mills where the straw  
 costs ten dollars a ton, there ap-  
 pears no good reason why a pro-  
 gressive community like Kandi-  
 yohi county and vicinity, where  
 the co-operative idea has been  
 proven successful in dozens of  
 enterprises on a smaller scale,  
 should not be able to accomplish  
 as much with many advantages in  
 regard to raw material and mar-  
 kets. Let the loyal people of  
 Willmar and Kandi-yohi County  
 do their best to properly encour-  
 age this project and not permit  
 it to be lost for a lack of interest  
 on their part. The possibilities  
 of the idea are so great for the  
 future of the city and surround-  
 ing community that it ought to  
 be worth anyone's time to listen  
 to the project.

**CITY AFFAIRS.**  
 Next Monday evening is the  
 time set for the hearing upon the  
 applications for saloon licenses,  
 and while it is quite generally  
 conceded that the present coun-  
 cil will stand true to their con-  
 viction and the principles they  
 represent, there continues a lin-  
 gering hope in the hearts of those  
 who wish for license to prey upon

the deprived appetites of their  
 fellows that in some way they  
 may yet carry their point. The  
 wiser heads among the liquor  
 crowd also realize the vast im-  
 portance of the action of the  
 council for the future, and will  
 probably stop at no effort in try-  
 ing to induce the no-license ma-  
 jority to weaken. They know  
 that with this no-license majority  
 rests the future of the temper-  
 ance movement of Willmar. If  
 they stand, the cause is firmly  
 planted for the future. If they  
 should fall the cause would suffer  
 and the movement be disrupted  
 and disorganized, and nothing  
 higher is desired by the pushers  
 of this business that now hangs  
 threatening to flood the city with  
 its hellish fumes and damning  
 influence. Is it any wonder then  
 that the actual result of next  
 Monday evening's meeting will  
 be eagerly watched for by all  
 concerned?

And not least concerned are  
 the farmers all around who  
 have to stand the evil consequen-  
 ces of a saloon policy but by un-  
 just laws are deprived of a vote  
 on the question. The TRIBUNE  
 is informed that petitions are  
 coming in to the aldermen to  
 stand firm against the license  
 evil. The goodwill of the farm-  
 ers is worth more to the city than  
 that of the brewers and distillers.  
 And the council has the right to  
 take that into consideration if  
 they choose to do so. The Min-  
 nesota statutes leaves the matter  
 of granting license or not un-  
 equivocally to the aldermen.

Aldermen Nelson and Severin-  
 son wrote for the opinion of  
 Attorney General Young in re-  
 gard to whether the aldermen  
 could be forced to grant license  
 in the present status of affairs at  
 Willmar. The Attorney General  
 very promptly replied to the in-  
 quiry. He reviewed the matter  
 at some length but concluded  
 that all Minnesota decisions in  
 the matter give the council or  
 county commissioners the right  
 of exercising the option given by  
 the law. We quote from the letter:

"In this state, however, the  
 Supreme Court, in 60 Minn., 510,  
 has held that when a board ar-  
 bitrarily refuses a license to a  
 qualified applicant the courts will  
 not interfere. Our supreme  
 court has not, in the opinion re-  
 ferred to, given any reason why  
 the rule which prevails in other  
 states should not be followed here,  
 but simply declares that the court

in this state will not entertain  
 mandamus proceedings to com-  
 pel the issuance of a license."  
 The Attorney General closes  
 his opinion with this definite  
 statement:  
 "I am constrained to believe  
 that you would be safe from any  
 proceedings in court should you  
 refuse to grant license, even  
 though the applicant was un-  
 objectionable."

The council may also feel that  
 in refusing to grant license it is  
 backed by the best half of the  
 citizens of the city. No unpreju-  
 diced person will hesitate to ad-  
 mit that more than twice eigh-  
 teen of transient voters with  
 no home ties nor a dollar of ma-  
 terial interest in the city helped  
 to swell the vote for license at  
 the last election. With eighteen  
 voters who did not vote on the  
 question, the majority for license  
 was by no means so decisive as  
 it might seem on the face of the  
 returns. By every reason of  
 good logic and conscience the al-  
 dermen are justified in remain-  
 ing at their posts and continuing  
 the policy of clean city govern-  
 ment for to carry out which they  
 accepted the positions and which  
 every intelligent voter knew that  
 the aldermen stood for when  
 they were elected.

**QUOTATIONS**  
 Selected for the TRIBUNE by  
 MARTIN A. ANDERSON.

Good books are to the young mind  
 what the warming and refreshing rain  
 of spring is to the seeds which have  
 lain dormant in the frosts of winter.  
 Horace Mann.

A natural turn for reading and in-  
 tellectual pursuits preserved me  
 from the moral shipwrecks so apt  
 to befall those who are deprived in  
 early life of their parental pilotage.  
 My books kept me from the ring,  
 the dog-pit, the tavern and the saloon.  
 The close associates of Pope and Addi-  
 son, the mind accustomed to the noble  
 but silent discourse of Shakespeare  
 and Milton, will hardly seek or put  
 up with that sort of company.—Thom-  
 as Hood.

Read not to contradict and refute,  
 nor to believe and take for granted,  
 nor to find fault and discourse, but to  
 weigh and consider.—Francis Bacon.

To read many books produceth con-  
 fusion. Read a few books often.  
 Luther.

In my boyish days there were two  
 things I dearly loved, namely, read-  
 ing and playing; passions that did not  
 cease to struggle when boyhood was  
 over. We had so few books that to  
 read them once was nothing; we thought

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and vote for 'em. If you do, "Old Glory" is  
 safe and our country as solid as a rock.  
 It weren't my intention anyhow to start  
 out and write a regular sermon, but seems  
 like when I get a thinkin' my mind runs that  
 way naturally. I reckon I have made the mis-  
 take of my life in not studin' for the ministry.  
 And after I seed that letter in the Fergus  
 Falls Journal by that man Pole Angus as  
 how "Willmar is to day an open scandal  
 and a stain in the nostrils of decent law-  
 abiding citizens," I felt most as if I have to  
 rig myself up and do some missionary work  
 right in my own county. Well sir, when I  
 read his letter it made me most shiver and I  
 was glad I lived in a clean moral place like  
 Chicago where the liquor traffic is "regu-  
 lated." I got to a thinkin' as how that poor  
 man must have suffered from the stench  
 when in Willmar and as how the Fergus  
 Falls nurses ought to be censured for lettin'  
 him out without furnishing him with one of  
 them clamp clothes-pins for his nose.  
 Well, spring is on in Illinois. The kids are  
 playin' marbles and the steamers are begin-  
 nin' to toot on Lake Michigan. I reckon you  
 must about have spring in Minnesota too,  
 for I see as how farmers are seedin' and the  
 city editor of the Tribune got married.  
 Well, I jest feel on me that the fish are  
 runnin' in the creeks and I have a hankerin'



to be a standing with wet feet and shiverin'  
 legs on the bank of Crow river again. Its  
 rough but it's honest.  
 Yours as ever,  
 UCLER SILAS.

In San Francisco the police  
 entered every saloon and corner  
 grocery and poured all spirituous  
 and malt liquor into the streets.  
 The welfare of the people in the  
 stricken city demanded such  
 action. Why should it require  
 an earthquake to bring people to  
 their senses?

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 digestion, Obesity, Interrupted Nutrition,  
 Slow Growth in Children, and all wasting  
 diseases in adults. Many cases of Deafness,  
 Ringing in the Ears, Loss of Eyesight, Cata-  
 ract, Cross Eyes, etc., that have been im-  
 properly treated can be easily restored. De-  
 prived of their eyesight, but have been im-  
 print quite a number every day—I don't see  
 nothin' else much in the sheet exceptin' about  
 graft and corruption, vice and crime, divorce  
 and suicide, etc., etc. And then I get to a  
 thinkin' as how it didn't used to be that  
 way in our day. And when I sinncer the  
 whole thing down I come to the conclusion  
 that's bussin' away all our old simple and  
 homely ideals that we learnt at mothers'  
 knee. But I reckon there are things that  
 ought to be above mere dollars and cents. If  
 there haint, what is the use of livin'? Rocky-  
 feller haint no happy man, nohow.  
 Now boys, if you want to have a word of  
 wisdom from yer old Uncle Si, let it be this:  
 Put yer ideals high, and then stand by 'em

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 Daniel Webster.

The future has its rewards for the  
 boy who spends his evenings in read-  
 ing and study; but it holds only blanks  
 for the lad who spends his time in a  
 beer shop.—Christian Cynosure.

Good literature is as necessary to  
 the growth of the soul as good air is  
 to the growth of the body, and it is  
 just as bad to put weak thoughts into  
 a child's mind as it is to shut it up in  
 an unventilated room.—C. D. Warner.

With books as with companions, it  
 is of more consequence to know which  
 to avoid than which to choose; for  
 good books are as scarce as good  
 companions.—Colton.

Dr. H. F. Porter, Skandinavisk  
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Chicago, Ill. Apr. 10, 1906.  
 Mr. Editor—Well sir, do ye know, when I  
 seed in the county papers as how a bigger  
 portion of them fellers as voted at the city  
 election last week decided that they prefer  
 the open dram shop in Willmar I jest got  
 started to do some tall thinking. I been  
 livin' here in this town for a short spell and  
 I found that it don't take no Pinkertonian  
 to discover that the whiskey business is a  
 down right curse to this place. And when I  
 seed as how Willmar went wet I got to  
 a thinkin'.

Now to a feller at this distance it seems  
 as there couldn't have been no choice between  
 saloons and blind pigs for I judged the lid  
 was down about as tight as any sane man  
 could expect. It surely weren't nohow  
 because anyone thought that the town was  
 a losin' trade, for all the towns around  
 except one were on the dry list. It weren't  
 hardly because anyone believed that the  
 saloon traffic was to be a pecuniary benefit  
 for the community for I reckon it is well  
 known that booze is the cause of more  
 poverty than any other human frailty, and  
 the Lord knows we got a lot of 'em. I

reckon it weren't because anyone had the  
 notion that the saloon will be a benefit to  
 their sons and daughters either morally or  
 otherwise, for it is quite generally conceded  
 that the booze shop is the waterin' place for  
 jest such specimens of the human family as  
 struck Kandyohi station the other night.  
 What then was the underlyin' reason for  
 the backward step taken by the voters at  
 Willmar or any other town as sanctious  
 saloons? Well fellers, I don't know as I can  
 say, but most seems to me that, seen' as  
 how it were a straight question between  
 right and wrong and no choice between two  
 evils, most of the voters voted for the  
 wrong. And that is all there was to it. It  
 is a good deal of truth, 'm a ferrar', in

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