

PROPOSITION TO DEEPEN THE ERIE CANAL CAUSES MUCH INTEREST

NEW YORK ANXIOUS ABOUT IT
The Cost of Increasing the Depth of the Canal Would Be Greater Than the State of New York Would Care to Expend—What the President of the Produce Exchange Says About the Question.

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Western shippers of grain are much interested in the proposition to deepen the Erie canal. The city of New York is very anxious to have the canal deepened, because when the railroads are in full control of the freight situation New York loses business, and other ports gain. Railroad traffic officials now say that the canal must carry grain from Buffalo to New York for a cent a bushel if it is to be an important factor in future business. In order to run boats with sufficient carrying capacity to make a rate of a cent a bushel profitable the canal would have to be deepened, in the opinion of experts, to a depth of about fifteen feet, or more than the present depth. The cost of increasing the depth of the canal would be so great that it is generally believed the state of New York would decide to abandon the canal rather than make the suggested improvement.

Inspecting the Omaha.
W. A. Scott, general manager of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha, left for Omaha yesterday to inspect the Eastern division of the road. He will visit all principal points and make a general inspection of the road, and better the operation of the road and its general condition during the year. Mr. Scott is accompanied and will be absent for two weeks.

Must Build Coal Sheds.
The Great Western will issue orders to coal merchants at points on its line, ordering that coal storage sheds be erected for the reception of shipments made over the line. The company is responsible for last fall's loss of coal, and since in previous years and during last fall, merchants ordering coal were in the habit of using cars for storage purposes. This process renders many unavailable for service.

Moses Folsom's Change.
The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has shown the line of its prosperous times in an order issued this week, calling in income sinking fund certificates. The circular states that interest on the purchase will be made at once.

Division Passenger Agent.
William J. Dutch, city passenger agent of the Great Northern, has been made division passenger agent of the road. The circular states that the appointment is effective Jan. 1, but was not made public until yesterday. Mr. Dutch will remain city agent of the road and will combine the duties of the two positions.

Wisconsin Central Officials.
A Wisconsin Central special car brought President H. F. Whitcomb and General Superintendent S. J. Collins up from Milwaukee yesterday afternoon and will spend a day in St. Paul and Minneapolis, inspecting conditions and planning improvements for the year.

Richard Eva, general agent of the Northern Pacific at Duluth, was in St. Paul yesterday.
Geo. D. R. chief clerk to General Western Traffic Manager Blabon, of the Great Northern, is in St. Paul.

More Valuable in Some Parts of Italy Than the Grape Output.
In some districts of Italy the alfalfa crop is said to rival in commercial importance the output of the vine. These delicious nuts are grown on bushes planted in groups that are from fifteen feet to twenty-five feet apart, so as to insure the access of plenty of light and air. They thrive best in the sunny soil and the planting in Italy takes place in November and December of slips from the mother plant. The bushes fruit in the third year. They are pruned annually, and are found nearly 100 years old and the bushes in good health. The alfalfa is not liable to disease like many other crops, but it suffers severely from hailstorms and cold winds.

Revolution in Bellmaking.
A revolution in bellmaking is at hand. Bells hereafter will be tubular. A tubular bell of two and three-quarter inches diameter and with a range of one mile weighs 150 pounds, while an old-fashioned bell of the same range would weigh 60,000 pounds.

Wisconsin Central R'y Terminal at Chicago.
Patron please take notice! The Wisconsin Central now uses the Central Passenger Station, Park Row and 12th St., at Chicago. Freight will be handled at the Commercial Union Station, 12th and Illinois Central Rys., Foot of South Water street.

Proceedings in Bankruptcy.
DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES, District of Minnesota, Third Division.
In the Matter of Edward Bonquet, in Bankruptcy.
Bankrupt's Discharge.
The Honorable William C. Foster, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the said Edward Bonquet, last past, was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy, and that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property and has complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the order of the court touching his bankruptcy.

CLAIRVOYANTS.
DON'T FAIL TO CALL and consult the plain natural Hunga and Gonsell, the Oriental seeress who reads your life only on questions, without asking questions, the tell what you call for, gives never-failing advice on business, speculation, mines, investments, journeys, marriages, tells when you marry and give name of person; if in trouble or in doubt, in spending a few dollars, call and see her. What are you fitted for? Don't you know? She will tell you what trade, business or profession you are adapted for, through phrenology. Call early at her gymnasium, 14 East Seventh St., from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m., Sundays included.

ALICE M'BAIN, clairvoyant, tells past, present and future. 61 East Seventh St., second floor, room 10.

CLAIRVOYANT, thirty-five years' experience. Pitsworth, 153 Wabasha St. Paul, Globe, a newspaper printed in said District, and that all known creditors of the said bankrupt should appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the petition of the said petitioner should not be granted.

And it is ordered by the Court that the Clerk of said District Court should cause copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence, to be mailed to the Honorable William C. Foster, Judge of said Court, and to the Honorable Charles L. Spencer, Clerk of said Court, on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1900.

FAST MAIL SERVICE.
The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul has changed the time of its fast mail train, arriving formerly at the end of its run in Minneapolis at 2:55. The arriving train at St. Paul was 2:30. Owing to the hour of arrival in Minneapolis Chicago mail came in too late for the afternoon delivery, and considerable inconvenience

POPULAR WANTS

ST. PAUL BRANCH OFFICES.
Advertisements for the want columns may be left at any drug store in the city at the same rates as charged at the main office. Below is a partial list:
ST. ANTHONY HILL.
Conger Bros., Druggists, 404 Seby av. Campbell Bros., Druggists, 555 Seby av. Emil Buhl, Druggist, Grand and St. Albans.
Conger Bros., Druggists, Seby and St. Albans.
A. T. Guernsey, Sr., Druggist, Seby and Dale.
Rettick & Co., Druggists, Seby and Western.
W. A. Frost & Co., Druggists, Seby and Western.
Conger Bros., Druggists, Seby and Macdonald.
Strait Bros., Druggists, Groto and Rond.
E. B. Rollins, Druggist, 225 West Seventh.
R. C. Trudgeon & Co., 1028 West Seventh.
Lyons Pharmacy, Dale and University.
W. S. Sprague, Druggist, University and Rice.

LOWER TOWN.
The Buckingham, Smith av. and Ninth.
W. K. Collier, Druggist, Sibley and East Seventh.
C. T. Heller, Druggist, Tenth and St. Peter.
M. D. Merrill, News Dealer, 422 Broadway, near East Seventh.
Conger Bros., Druggists, 294 University.
Schumaker, Druggist, 49 West Seventh.
R. Campbell, Druggist, Rice at A. A. Campbell, Druggist, Louis and Rond.
Reeves, Druggist, Third and Seventh.
M. Courtney, 468 Wabasha St.
W. E. Lowe, Druggist, Twelfth and Robert.

DAYTON'S BLUFF.
S. Westby, Druggist, Third and Maria.
People's Pharmacy, 788 East Seventh.
C. M. Marlett, Druggist, Bedford and Decatur.
John Bodin & Co., Druggists, 558 Payne Avenue.
A. A. Johnson, News Dealer, 548 Lafayette Avenue.
A. & S. Schumacher, Druggists, 554 Payne Avenue.
H. W. Hickman, Druggist, Faulquier and East Seventh.

WEST ST. PAUL.
Hall & Kraft, Druggists, South Wabasha and Isabel.
West Side Pharmacy, South Wabasha and Fairfield.
Hans Madison, State and Concord.
Eclipse Drug Company, 118 South Robert.

MACALESTER.
George M. Ray, Grocer, 1633 Grand av.

SOUTH ST. PAUL.
J. F. Munns, Druggist and News Dealer. Or leave at your nearest drug store at the same rates as charged at publication office.

AGENTS AND AGENCIES.
ACTIVE AGENTS to sell groceries at wholesale direct to the consumers; farm and ranch produce; goods guaranteed; agents can understand stores at a good profit. Address: Winler Wright, 1023 Wabasha, Chicago, Ill.

BANKERS' LIFE ASSOCIATION Assets, \$50,000; largest strongest, best Minnesota life company; wants capable agents; gives producers every assistance. Address Douglas Putnam, Secretary, St. Paul.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALES.
Anybody out of work in St. Paul or Minneapolis may insert an advertisement under this heading free of charge.

A GOOD, competent young man of nineteen desires a position of some kind; has two years' experience in book binding; can read and write; no other special qualifications. Address 438 Cedar St., St. Paul, Minn.

A GOOD, honest young man of twenty years of age would like work of some kind. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

A YOUNG man of eighteen would like to work for room, board and small wages. Address Harry Williams, General Delivery.

A GOOD, trusty young man wishes to get in some kind of steady employment; good references furnished. Address No. 29 West Summit St., St. Paul.

SIXTY six years old wants job at any kind of house or office work. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

CLERK—A high school graduate wants a place as clerk or any office work. Address 30 North Snelling av., city.

COOK and baker, first-class, wants situation in hotel or restaurant, city or country. Address 222 Cedar St., Minneapolis.

HOTEL STOREKEEPER—Wanted, position as hotel storekeeper; eight years' experience in hotel and restaurant. Address J. O. B., 705 Park av., St. Paul.

JANITOR—Married man wishes position as janitor or porter; can do all kinds of house or office work. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

OFFICE WORK—A gentleman who wants steady employment in general office work, or any clean work of any description. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

PORTER—Colored young man is willing to work as porter or do some work of any kind; can furnish good references. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

WANTED—By married man with family, work of any kind; willing to do anything. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

WANTED—By married man with family, work of any kind; ten years' experience in railroad commercial office; willing to work. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

WANTED—Work of any kind, by man thirty-three years old. Address 225 Nash.

WORK FOR BOARD—If in need of a young man to do some work for board and room while attending school, please call and see or address H. Wm. Hoiger, 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

WORK FOR BOARD—A farmer's boy now attending school would like to get something to do. Krieger, 43 West Seventh St., St. Paul.

YOUNG man attending school wants to work for board and room. Please call or address 55 Baltimore, Seventh and Jackson.

YOUNG MAN wants work in office or factory. Address 126 1/2 Grand St., St. Paul.

POPULAR WANTS

HELP WANTED—MALES.
ACTIVE men and women everywhere to take orders for "Life or Moody," the great evangelist. Sells at sight. Sample copies sent free. Write to J. W. Moody, daily by mail free on request. Address Globe Bible Pub'g Co., 723 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

HELP WANTED—FEMALES.
WANTED—Will pay a good salary for general housework; small family; good wages. 94 Laurel av., between Milton and Chalmers av. St. Paul.

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WOMAN WOULD like any kind of day work; washing or ironing or house cleaning. Call or address 468 Cedar St., St. Paul.

WASHING—Wanted, work by the day washing or ironing or housecleaning; also cleaning offices. Address C. 123 West Sixth St., Room 47.

WASHING—A lady wants plain washing and cleaning. 621 Mississippi st. in the basement.

WASHWOMAN—A good washwoman would like washing by the day or laundry work. Call 126 1/2 Grand St.

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FINANCIAL.
LOANS TO SUIT.
If you are a salaried employee holding a permanent position you will loan your money to the State of Minnesota. WITHOUT MORTGAGE, ENDORSER OR SECURITY OF ANY KIND other than your name at lowest rates. You can repay in small weekly or monthly payments. All applications treated confidentially. Call and see us and you will receive as courteous treatment as your employer does at his bank. St. Paul Finance Co., Room 301, New York Life Bldg.

MONEY loaned, salaried people holding permanent positions with reliable concerns; to others, loans made on household furniture, pianos, etc., without removal from residence of owner. Call for terms and plan of loaning. Free closing loan elsewhere. Payments made weekly, or monthly, to suit borrower. All inquiries and business confidential. Private offices. Our twenty years' business record speaks for itself. Minnesota Mortgage Loan Co., No. 316-317 Pioneer Press Bldg.

ON furniture, pianos, household goods, etc., without removal. Loans can be paid in installments, reducing cost accordingly. Promptness, privacy and lowest rates. Guaranty Loan Company, 201 Manhattan Building, Robert and Fifth.

MONEY LOANED on life policies; on stocks; on bonds; on real estate. Building, Minneapolis.

SHORT LOANS on personal property, payable in monthly installments; low rates; business confidential. 730 Globe Bldg.

4 1/2 to 6 PER CENT MONEY, with "on or before" privilege, to loan on improved property in St. Paul and Minneapolis. Call on M. N. Sargent & Son, Pioneer Press Bldg., St. Paul.

5 AND 6 PER CENT MONEY to loan on improved property in St. Paul and Minneapolis. V. C. Gilman, New York Life Bldg.

ROOMS FOR RENT.
ROOMS—At Hotel "Elm" corner Cedar and Seventh, furnished rooms by the day or week; steam heat and bath; transient trade. Call 126 1/2 Grand St.

MINNESOTA, 345, NEAR FOURTH—Rooms, week or month; small room very cheap; heat and bath; also nice large rooms; transient trade. Call 126 1/2 Grand St.

DR. STELLA FREMONT, massage, steam, vapor and medicated baths; electric and magnetic treatments. 41 Hennepin av., Minneapolis.

ELITE BATH AND MASSAGE by a French lady at 320 St. Peter St. Telephone, 1935-3.

HATTIE SMITH, magnetic massage and reading. 621 Mississippi st., room 10.

MADAME LAURETTA'S massage, bath parlors; sweetest in Twin Cities. 201 Hennepin av., Minneapolis.

MASSAGE parlors at 17 East Seventh, Room 9, by Miss Wilson and assistants.

Notice of Mortgage Sale.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, J. W. Rawle, Trustee, for the mortgagee, do hereby give notice that the mortgage dated the 1st day of April, 1899, which said mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Ramsey, Minnesota, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 28th day of April, 1899, in Book 217 of Mortgages, pages 143 to 146.

That the said mortgage was by said Dwellers Improvement Company, a corporation, duly sold and assigned to the undersigned, J. W. Rawle, Trustee, for the mortgagee, by an assignment in writing dated the 15th day of November, A. D. 1899, and which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Ramsey County, Minnesota, at four o'clock and forty minutes (4:40 p. m.) on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1899, in Book V of assignments, pages 146 and 147.

That thereafter said mortgage was by said Dwellers Improvement Company, a corporation, duly sold and assigned to the undersigned, J. W. Rawle, Trustee, for the mortgagee, by an assignment in writing dated the 15th day of November, A. D. 1899, and which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Ramsey County, Minnesota, at four o'clock and forty minutes (4:40 p. m.) on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1899, in Book V of assignments, pages 146 and 147.

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HOUSES FOR RENT.
FOR RENT—A very pretty home; modern improvements; first-class condition; owner leaving the city. 553 Marshall av.

Amended Articles of Incorporation of the Duluth Terminal Railway Company.
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That the undersigned persons do hereby associate themselves together and become a body corporate under the provisions of title 1 of chapter 31 of the General Statutes of the State of Minnesota, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to that end do adopt and sign the following:

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.
First—The name of said corporation shall be the Duluth Terminal Railway Company, and its principal office shall be the building, operating and maintaining of a line or lines of railway connecting Duluth, Minnesota, with Bay and St. Louis Bay, in the County of St. Louis and State of Minnesota, and such lines as may be determined upon by its Board of Directors, from any point on its main line to any point or points on any other line of railway, and to erect and maintain telegraph lines and other lines of communication, and to erect and maintain all needful sidetracks, switches, turnouts, engine and car shops, and all other buildings, and all machine shops incident to said line of railway and its business. The principal place of business of said corporation shall be the City of Duluth, St. Louis County, Minnesota.

Second—The time of commencement of said corporation shall be on the 31st day of August, 1897, and the period of its continuance shall be fifty years.

Third—The amount of capital stock of said corporation shall be two million dollars, divided into shares of ten dollars each, and to be issued upon such terms as the Board of Directors may determine, and may be prescribed by the by-laws.

Fourth—The highest amount of indebtedness of said corporation shall be two million dollars.

Fifth—The names of the first Board of Directors shall be the said R. S. Munger, J. D. En