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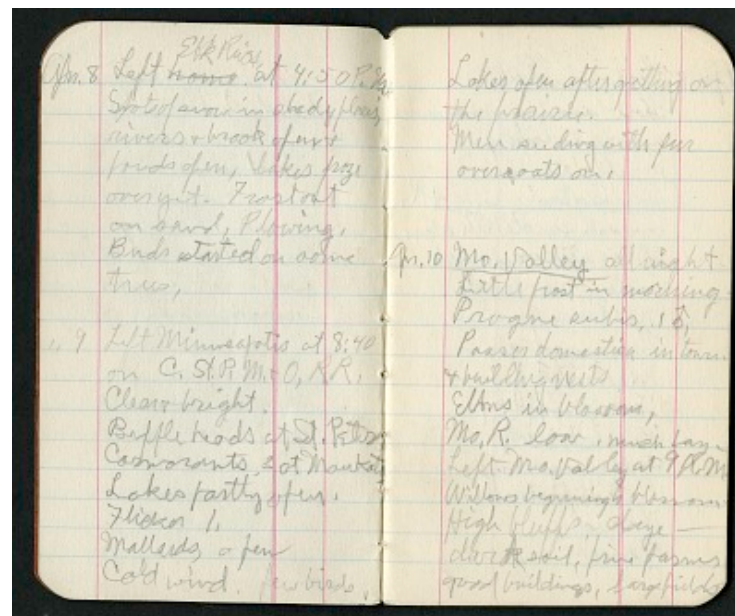
Apr. 8 Left ~~home~~ Elk River at 4:50 P.M.
 Spots of snow in shady places, rivers & brook open & ponds open, lakes
 froze over yet. Frost out on sand, plowing.
 Buds started on some trees,

" ~~[[Ditto for: Apr.]]~~ 9 Left Minneapolis at 8:40 on C. St. P.M. & O. R.R.
 Clear & bright.
 Buffleheads at St. Peters
 Cormorants, 3 at Mankato
 Lakes partly open.
 Flicker 1.
 Mallards, a few
 Cold wind. few birds,

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Lakes open after getting on the prairie.
 Men seeding with fur overcoats on.

Apr. 10 Mo. Valley all night
 Little frost in morning.
 Progne subis, 1 ~~[[male symbol]]~~
 Passer domestica in town. & building nests
 Elders in blossom,
 Mo. R. low, much ~~[[lay?]]~~ -
 Left Mo. Valley at 9. A.M.
 Willows beginning to blossom
 High bluffs, ~~[[claye?]]~~ - dark soil, fine farms, good buildings, large fields.



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