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A Clear Case. The people of Nebraska will await with great interest the decision of the supreme court in the case brought before it to test the title of James I. Mitchell, now acting as additional judge in the second district, under appointment of Gov. Dawes. The judiciary of this state is the creature of the constitution, and can only act in conformity therewith.

The Neglected Flats. The condemnation of rights of way for railroad purposes and projected plans for additional manufacturing enterprises, to be located between the river bank and the bluff, marks the continuation of a settlement which before many years will utilize the greater portion of the flats which line the river on the Nebraska side in Omaha and beyond.

Cardinal McCloskey. The first American prelate who has worn the red hat, is lying at death's door. In case of his death, Archbishop Gibbons of Baltimore, is prominently mentioned as his probable successor.

Western News. Dakota. Crow by the thousand are destroying the corn crop along the Missouri river in Potter county.

With the increase of city additions, Omaha town lots are likely to be sold in the near future somewhere east of Fremont. The czar of Russia continues to keep himself under lock and key.

Mr. Mitchell's appointment by the governor, under this act, is even more unpardonable. There might have been some excuse, amid the rush of legislative business, for the governor's approval of a bill that received a two-thirds vote but there was ample time after the legislature adjourned, for him to have rectified his blunder by refusing to make an unconstitutional appointment.

When the ordinance submitting the question whether the people desire the erection of a \$300,000 city hall on upper Farnam street, came up for a third reading, four members of the council voted against the usual suspension of the rules.

It seems to be a very difficult thing for some of our policemen to keep sober. The city council ought to pass an ordinance for the prevention of drunkenness among the police, by compelling them to pay for their drinks and making it a misdemeanor for saloon-keepers to furnish them with free whisky and beer.

Wisconsin. A substantial brick school house is going up at Madison. A dozen Chinamen have taken out their first naturalization papers in Cheyenne.

There is a general revolt against the telephone in Maine, and all the doctors of Lewiston and Auburn have ordered out their instruments. Probably to perform a surgical operation on the company.

Six years ago when Church Howe was chairman of the senate committee on railroads and Captain Mitchell chairman of the committee of the house on the same title, they together pigeon-holed all matter relating to the subject until the closing days of the session when they submitted a report that Nebraska needed no legislation on railroads to carry out the constitution's mandate.

The Telephone Suits. The most formidable combination which has yet put in an appearance against the Bell Telephone company is that which has recently filed its petition through the attorney general's office in Washington, and which asks for the annulment of the Bell patents.

Another anti-vaccination riot has occurred in Montreal among the French Canadians, in which several officers were injured. A prescription judiciously compounded of school books and lead pills is greatly needed for the ignorant fanatics who are urging on a scourge which is depopulating their city and which nothing but the most stringent quarantine prevents from crossing over our border.

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The California mines, California, have shipped so far this year \$1,500,000 in bullion. The cost of building a large hotel at San Jacinto, San Diego county, is about five-sixths of a million. The houses are all of brick.

Way he brought me to a sense of the state it was in. I realized that I was a very wicked young man but I told Mr. Presson I would never make the least profession to be in any way changed till I could get rid of the habit of using profane language.

Mr. Creighton Pays His Compliments to Mr. Woodman. An interesting confession. OMAHA, Oct. 7, 1885. [To the Editor.] In view of the fact that Mr. Woodman, a member of the board of public works, has allowed himself to be interviewed by reporters of the local press, and has delivered himself of statements reflecting on myself and others, not directly, it is true, but by innuendo, and otherwise intimating darkly that if his statements are called in question he is in possession of a whole magazine of ammunition which he is prepared to explode at the proper time, and in a manner that will annihilate those with whom he has served on the board, together with other parties engaged (as he intimates), in an alleged conspiracy to defraud the city and its people out of something mysterious and intangible, I deem it proper that this truly good man should be presented to this community in a full glare of light, which may be shed on his real character (not by me) but by himself in an open confession in his own handwriting and over his own signature. I desire to present below a letter written by Mr. Woodman in 1876 to J. W. Gannett, and in it he makes a statement which is tantamount to a confession of his participation in a conspiracy to defraud the city of Omaha.

His career was short and wonderful. He rose from almost nothing and became the president of several great railroads. Suddenly his doctors commanded him to retire from business, if he would save his life. Overwork did it. He was a workaholic.

Up Hill Work in New York. New York Herald: We do not believe Mr. Hill can be elected. His nomination is the effort of reactionaries, Bourbon, the opponents of all progress and reform in the democratic party to regain the control which they lost in the nomination and election of Mr. Cleveland. We believe there are intelligence and wisdom enough in the democratic ranks to defeat this attempt that they contain a multitude of voters who will see that the success of this reactionary effort would threaten the disastrous defeat of their party next year.

Two Sleepy for Sentiment. "And now, as I'm about to press my good-night kiss upon your sweet lips, I want to tell you that this is the happiest moment of my life," gaspingly remarked the State street dude as he stood at Jacob's doorway holding fast the hand of Miss Lulu at 2 o'clock this morning.

Keely's Motor. Mr. Keely recently informed the directors of his motor company that he expects to complete his motor in a few days. The large 250-horse power engine will be ready, it is thought, by Dec. 1. Then he will have completed his great task, providing the liberator is strong enough to hold the new power which the inventor hopes he will create.

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