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A DIFFICULT RAILROAD PROBLEM.

Several cases are pending before the State Board of Transportation and in a fair way to get into the courts which involve a very difficult problem of modern railroad.

In one or two other instances small towns along different lines which have been given public aid in the shape of bonds ask that the railroad companies be compelled to reopen and maintain stations which they have recently discontinued.

In all of these cases the railroads reply that they are doing all that the business of the territory will warrant.

The reason why the Kansas City & Northwestern has discontinued running trains into Beatrice, for example, is alleged to be the lack of traffic to justify the expense.

Where railway aid bonds have been voted and delivered the claim is pertinently made that the road is under contract to fulfill its part of the agreement.

The American trader does not want to let any of his European competitors get ahead of him in taking advantage of the return of China and Japan to their respective peace establishments.

The appointment machine in the governor's office in the state house at Lincoln is showing signs of motion that send a thrill of mingled fear and anticipation through the not inconsiderable throng of office seekers.

There is of course no law to prevent active speculators getting options upon lands through which the proposed canal may be constructed.

The grocery contractors for the Soldiers' home think they are doing more for them than they are bound to do.

Everybody who applies for work from the city street sweeping contractor will be expected to affirm that he is a taxpayer of the city.

One thing that Nebraska can congratulate herself on escaping is the avalanche of swollen rivers and floods that is carrying dismay into many quarters of New England and the east.

It is perfectly proper for the city to carry tax cases involving great public interests up to the supreme court.

dented to the British government that it expected no interference with the interests of the United States in the Central American republic.

There does not appear to be any good reason to apprehend that serious complications will grow out of this issue, because the indications are that England proposes to keep well within the requirements of international law.

The memory of professional liars is always defective. If the wretched liberator who conducts the organ of sectarian proscription had any decency or self-respect he would have had no difficulty in remembering that the men who charged E. Rosewater with being a rebel spy were tried in the court of this district and after a full hearing, in which the depositions of the assistant secretary of war, General Eckert, and General Stager, commander of the United States Military Telegraph corps, attested not only to the loyalty but to the honorable discharge of E. Rosewater from service in the union army during the war.

The next time the organ of proscription is afflicted with a lapse of memory it might consult somebody else than swashbucklers who played home guard during the war and traitors who fought with Price's rebel raiders against their own kith and kin in the loyal north.

IMPROVEMENT OF CROP REPORTS. The agricultural interest of the country, more than any other, will appreciate the suggestions to be submitted to the secretary of agriculture having in view more accurate reports, but the matter is one of general interest, for the course of grain prices is largely determined by the reports of crops.

It is a matter of common knowledge that our Agricultural department has not been successful in securing trustworthy data regarding the crops, and particularly as to wheat. Careful investigation has shown that for a number of years the reports of the department have been far from correct, the rule being that the statistics, so far as at least as wheat is concerned, have indicated a supply less than existed.

It may be safely predicted that Dr. Duryea will resign his post on the school board the moment he finds ill-health will prevent further usefulness.

Members of the State Board of Agriculture are growing enthusiastic over the brightening prospect of unprecedented success of this year's state fair.

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What Whistle Blows the Lion's Jaw? The great plains of the Orinoco are so level that the motion of their streams can hardly be detected over an area of 20,000 square miles.

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lution adopted by the two houses called for adjournment. This would be absolutely absurd.

There is not the slightest ground for the contention that the charter bill has become a law. The best thing that can be done by those who take its defeat so sadly to heart is to drop the matter forthwith.

There is less fuss and feathers in railroad passenger circles than formerly, due no doubt to the fact that passenger travel is picking up appreciably.

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The son of Willie Breckinridge, income tax collector in Kentucky, proposes making the "dead game sports" pay a tax on their incomes. Desha is determined that no guilty man shall escape, and he is something of a U. S. sport himself.

Mr. Goff, inquirer of the Lexow committee, will receive \$20,000 for his six months' work. That, together with his salary as recorder for sixteen years, aggregating \$224,000, shows the value of the reform wave at the right time and place.

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CLEVELAND'S LETTER.

Madison Wisconsin: It is clear that the president is girding himself up for a great fight with the numerous silver advocates in his party, particularly in the western and southern states.

Minneapolis Tribune: The president has performed a valuable service to the country in writing this letter. His firm attitude and bold declarations are in striking contrast to the silence or evasion of some of the political trimmers of both parties who are supposed to possess presidential aspirations.

Kansas City Journal: The president's letter is more conservative than his administration has been. The drift on both sides of the financial debate has been toward extremes.

St. Paul Pioneer Press: Whatever we may think of some other public acts of Mr. Cleveland, the letter which he has written in response to the business men of Chicago is a wise and timely utterance.

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OIL'S LOFTY REACH.

Chicago Mail: The advance in crude petroleum will increase the rapidly with which foreign markets will be accepted by Russian oil and new sources of supply developed.

Philadelphia Record: The power possessed by the Standard Oil company to make leaders and producers cautious. It is feared that the present advance may be a shrewd piece of generalship by which the company will show its gratitude by donating a much needed million to the University of Chicago.

Denver News: Oil continues to climb. Whether the advance is caused by decrease of Pennsylvania production or by the manipulations of the Standard company, it is maintained for any length of time, the western producer must feel the benefit.

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Why Not Honor Silver Dollars? If the friends of the free coinage of silver should be in favor of establishing a ratio based upon intrinsic value so that a dollar's worth of silver should be put into the silver dollar which they desire to have coined, while the wisdom of their policy might be doubted, there would be no question as to the honesty of their intentions.

Operation of Economic Laws. The price of meat is going up because the supply is smaller than usual. The drought last year and the small amount of corn crop throughout the west reduced the number of cattle offered for sale.

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NEBRASKA AND NEBRASKANS.

The Dodge county fair will be held at Fremont September 24 to 27. The nation of P. D. Wheeler at Oxford has been closed by the sheriff.

Rev. James H. Davis of Council Bluffs has become the pastor of the Baptist church at Chadron.

Rev. A. J. Fleming, editor and manager of the Nebraska Baptist, has removed from Lincoln to Louisville.

Emerson is to have a new brick yard with a capacity of 25,000 bricks per day. It will be in operation in six weeks.

Mrs. E. A. Marshall, wife of the well known evangelist, died at the home of her father in Pawnee City of consumption.

The Sidney Poirard has changed hands and is now published by Raymond & Moffatt. The former editor has begun the publication of the Western Irrigator at Sidney.

Harlem Life: West-I don't see how a dealer can afford to iron all the silk hats he sells. West-Has to do it; they'd last too long if he didn't.

Atlanta Constitution: Here is Colonel Jinks. He wants you to explain the financial question to Jim. Jinks-What's the matter with you? "Certainly, Colonel. Can you lend me \$10?"

Harper's Bazar: "I don't think your arguments against Wagner are sound." "And I don't think your arguments in their favor are any better." "Well, that's where the committee hung it."

Washington Star: "Do you think that an artist puts his own feelings into his work?" "No, he puts the feelings of the people into it." "That's a very good answer, thoughtfully." "That's a very good answer, thoughtfully." "Well, that's where the committee hung it."

Washington Star: "How did Mr. Gurneek get the reputation of being such a moral man?" "Why, by his superior perception. He can handle a book without finding something improper in it."

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