

COST OF MAKING RAILROAD

Burlington Says it is Eleven Thousand Dollars Per Mile.

THIS FOR FIRST-CLASS TRACK

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Table showing costs of track and material per mile for various materials like steel rails, ties, ballast, etc.

Table showing returns of assessors for various towns and areas, listing assessed value and returned value.

Big Day for Postmasters

This was the real big day for the postmasters and great interest was taken in the various speeches.

More proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound saves woman from surgical operations.

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Kinkaid Lends Sherman. "He is a man of the highest integrity; of sound judgment; a man who will not swerve one inch from the national republican platform," said Congressman Moses P. Kinkaid, speaking of James Sherman, republican nominee for vice president.

Oil Inspectors Confer. W. M. Wheeler, a deputy oil inspector, was in Lincoln today to confer with the chief inspector, A. B. Allen. Mr. Wheeler with his family left this afternoon for Hastings for the great oil field of the state.

Gov. Morrill Returns. Hon. Charles H. Morrill returned this morning from a three weeks' visit to Minnesota, where he went upon the advice of the state physician, Dr. J. H. Deane.

Two Held for Bootlegging. BEATRICE, Neb., June 24.—(Special Telegram.)—The preliminary hearing of Henry Von Riesen and J. B. Dorfman, charged with bootlegging was held this afternoon before Judge Spafford.

Epworth League Convention. BEATRICE, Neb., June 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Over 100 delegates were present at the second day's session of the Epworth league convention, Rev. Westervelt of Diller conducted a song service, followed by an address on the Bible given by Rev. E. P. Gates of Western.

Man Killed at Cosad. COZAD, Neb., June 24.—(Special Telegram.)—A man was found lying on the railroad track about two blocks west of the depot early today, having evidently been run over by one of the night trains.

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VICAR GENERAL OBLIGED TO YIELD DUTIES TO YOUNGER MAN.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 24.—(Special.)—Vicar General Emanuel Hartig, who has been rector of St. Benedict's Catholic church in this city almost continuously since 1861, has retired on account of old age, and Father Albert Rodriff has been appointed in his stead.

Prof. Aylesworth at Madison. MADISON, Wis., June 24.—(Special Telegram.)—Prof. and Mrs. Leon Aylesworth and Children of the University of Nebraska, will spend the summer here. The professor, who is instructor in political science in Nebraska university, comes to carry on a scientific investigation into the development of commissions in state institutions.

Nebraska News Notes. The company have experienced a number of these robberies of late. BEATRICE.—Frank Fieseler and Miss Katie Heibel, both of whom were married here yesterday by Judge Spafford.

BEATRICE.—The hall room in Clark continues, handsome new residences are being erected by Charles Ward, Frank Dick and George Skutt are rebuilding their homes.

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BEATRICE.—The young son of Art Kramer, while playing with a toy pistol, last evening, was struck in the forehead, his left hand, making an ugly wound.

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GRAND ISLAND, Neb., June 24.—(Special.)—The most severe storm of the season passed over this city Monday night. In fact there were three storms, the first coming from the southwest about 7:30 p. m. accompanied by much wind, the second about 11:30 p. m., and the third, accompanied by a terrific lightning storm, about 2:30 a. m.

WYMORE, Neb., June 24.—(Special.)—A heavy rain fell Monday in this vicinity. Farmers report that it was badly needed. The heavy rain, which fell about 11 o'clock and lasted until midnight.

GREENWOOD, Neb., June 24.—(Special.)—This section of the country was visited by one of the most severe windstorms ever experienced Monday night. It began at 8 o'clock and lasted until midnight.

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HALF MILLION MORE RAISES

Additional Increases Made by County Equalization Board.

District Covered by This Raise is Sixteenth from Jefferson Square to Jackson, Fifteenth to Seventeenth.

RAISES APPROXIMATING \$500,000 were made in the real estate valuations in the retail district by the County Board of Equalization Wednesday morning.

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Our Letter Box

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DEATH STOPS CONVERSATION

Thompson T. Kinkaid Dies While Talking to His Wife at Home.

Thompson T. Kinkaid, died suddenly at his home, 229 North Twenty-seventh avenue, Tuesday night about 11 o'clock of heart failure while talking to his wife. Mr. Kinkaid had just returned from a visit at the home of his friend, Charles Ward, on South Twentieth street, and was telling his wife of the pleasure of his visit, when he suddenly ceased talking and expired.

RIVER AT NINETEEN FEET

Missouri Reaches Highest Stage Since Flood of 1881 and Takes a Rest.

The Missouri river showed a stage of nineteen feet Wednesday morning, which is one-tenth of a foot rise since Tuesday morning and is consequently the record breaker for the last twenty-seven years. It is at present at a standstill at Omaha, with a fall of one-tenth of a foot at St. Louis and is reported falling at that bridge.

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