

RAILROAD NEWS.

Ownership of Railroads Hurries Into Hands of a Few.

Politics and Extravagance Precludes Government Control.

POSTAL DEFICIT SHOWS Nearly a Third of Earnings Goes to Railroads.

Vice President Morton's Arguments for a Pooling Law.

Consolidation of all the railway properties of this country in a few hands...

This is the opinion of Paul Morton, second vice president of the Atchafalaya...

Those who dissent from Mr. Morton as to the ultimate result of the pooling...

Many people believe that government ownership of railroads is the only...

The cost of railroad service depends very largely upon the cost of supplies...

NEW RAILROADS BUILT.

Over 4,000 Miles of New Track Laid This Year.

During the year just closing, 4,322 miles of railroad track were laid...

Joins Rock Island Surveyors.

David McCoy, of the Santa Fe engineering department, has been assigned...

FROM WELLINGTON.

C. W. Ryel has been assigned to Brakeman Gilbert's car in Pat Curtis's crew.

Brakeman Clarence Gilbert, of Wellington, has been assigned to a new...

The longest stretch of new track, 142 miles, has been built by the St. Louis & San Francisco...

STRUCK IT RICH.

McGinnis Deserts Truck Gang to Venture on Matrimony.

After a quarter of a century or more of service with the Santa Fe...

A HOT CAMPAIGN Has Been Carried in Northern Portion of Minnesota.

Manilla, Dec. 28.—A pushing campaign has been carried on by the Fortieth...

WANT TO AVOID STRIKE.

Northern Pacific Telegraphers Now Face a Crisis.

St. Paul, Dec. 28.—An evening paper says: Events of the day indicate that...

BOYCOTTS STRIKERS.

Mexican Central Refuses Work to Santa Fe Operators.

[From the El Paso Herald.] The Mexican Central road has boycotted the Santa Fe strikers...

THREE HUNDRED TRANSFERS.

Strike Caused Numerous Changes at Santa Fe Stations.

Through the Santa Fe operators' strike 300 transfers have been made...

Stringing Copper Wire.

A force of workmen began stringing the new copper wire for the Santa Fe...

A DRUGGIST PUNISHED.

Found Guilty of Handling Liquor Too Freely and Is Sentenced to Jail.

Beloit, Dec. 28.—An adjourned term of the Mitchell county district court...

White Pigeon Bank Closed.

Washington, Dec. 28.—The First National bank of White Pigeon, Mich., has been closed...

Huntington's Will.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—The will of Collis P. Huntington was admitted to probate by Judge Coffey today.

Around the Horn in 38 Days.

San Francisco, Dec. 28.—The steamer Sonoma, built for the Oceanic Steamship company, has arrived here...

An Arizona Dick Turpin.

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 28.—A lone highwayman held up the Hot Springs Junction stage near Hot Springs Junction...

Holiday Excursions via Santa Fe.

Tickets on sale to points within 200 miles west of Missouri river...

ROBBED HIS WIFE Then J. W. Tinsley Shot Her and Himself to Death.

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—John W. Tinsley shot and killed his wife, Anna P. Tinsley, on the street today...

HOW PLAYS ARE NAMED.

A Simple Incident Which Suggested "My Lady Dainty."

Few people outside of the dramatic profession have the least idea...

CHARRED BONES.

All That is Left of a Family of Three Children.

Olympia, Wn., Dec. 28.—Three children of Mr. L. Lavender, aged 12, 10 and 8 years...

JOHNSON DEPOSED.

Minister Who Mysteriously Disappeared From a N. Y. Sanitarium.

New York, Dec. 28.—The Tribune prints the following: The fact that the Rev. James Le Baron Johnson...

Theoretical Notes.

Lewis Morrison's complete production of "Faust" will again visit this city...

Joan of Arc is to be made the heroine of a new play...

Joan of Arc is to be made the heroine of a new play, the dramatic architect...

Marie Tempest has come off victorious in her fight with the landlord...

Marie Tempest has come off victorious in her fight with the landlord of the London theater...

The Christmas number of "The Dramatic Mirror" is a handsome issue...

The Christmas number of "The Dramatic Mirror" is a handsome issue, it has an artistic cover page...

The holiday number of the New York Clipper is an enlarged edition...

The holiday number of the New York Clipper is an enlarged edition and enhanced by a large gallery of players...

Belgian Hare Show.

Kansas City, Dec. 28.—The American Crystal Palace thoroughbred poultry and high-class hares...

BRIEF TELEGRAMS.

Washington, Dec. 28.—A. E. Fry, superintendent of education of Cuba...

Washington, Dec. 28.—The president has ordered that the military reservation at Nome, Alaska...

St. John, Dec. 28.—The price paid for the steam whaler Esquimaux by Evelyn B. Baldwin...

Berlin, Dec. 28.—When the attention of the German government was called...

London, Dec. 28.—Richard Croker, who has acted as the former society banker...

San Juan, Dec. 28.—The New York and Porto Rico company's steamer Aracelia...

New York, Dec. 28.—H. A. Seymour of this city has filed a petition...

Chicago, Dec. 28.—John Howard Jones, who from 1883 to 1895 was agent for the Western and California Associated Press...

Shanghai, Dec. 28.—Many Chinese junk laden with stone have been anchored in the Bund...

Dover, Del., Dec. 28.—A certificate of incorporation was filed here today for the Midland Ice company...

New York, Dec. 28.—The exchanges at the New York clearing house yesterday aggregated \$94,917,320...

St. Petersburg, Dec. 28.—The czar and czarina will return to St. Petersburg, near here, about February 2.

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