

Railway Building in Prospect.

Within the last twenty years over 107,500 miles have been added to the railway system of the United States, giving an average of 5,379 miles a year. Within thirty years the railway system of this country has grown from 33,000 miles to 177,850 miles, and now aggregates nearly half the total mileage of the world. A vast mileage is yet to be built, and an increase of activity in this respect is already on hand. A list of 411 lines is already given, aggregating a proposed length of over 22,500 miles, and representing every one of the 48 states and territories, the speedy construction of which appears to be demanded. How much of this proposed mileage will actually be under construction during the coming year cannot be said, but the hopeful outlook in the business world and the remarkable low price at which material can now be purchased makes it seem probable that the railway construction record of 1894 will show a great improvement over that of its immediate predecessors.—Railway Age.

The Farmers' Advocate has issued a fine engraving showing the prize cattle at the Chicago Exhibition. Out of \$2,035 in prizes awarded, Canadian Ayrshires won \$1,855; United States, \$150.

A fire broke out at Montreal on April 16, in the Singer sewing machine factory at St. Cunegonde, a western suburb of that city. When the firemen arrived the fire had gained considerable headway. The building is an immense three-story brick building and the flames, owing to the inflammable nature of the material, made rapid headway. The contents of the upper sections were totally destroyed and also the cabinet works. The damage is estimated at \$25,000, which is covered by insurance.

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