
Subject: Re: Ongoing Object Graphics Quest

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> I offer it here as maybe the strangest program
> I ever wrote. At least, the strangest program
> I ever wrote when I wasn't drinking too much beer. :-)
>
> It's called Railroad. You can find it here:
>
> <ftp://ftp.dfanning.com/pub/dfanning/outgoing/misc/railroad.p ro>
>
> I'll bet I get more e-mail about this than I
> ever got about PSConfig. :-)
>

David - works great, after I added the obligatory
device,decomposed=0 line....

You DEFINITELY have too much time on your hands - now that your
book is on sale, you should be inspired to get back to work on
that long-overdue Objects book. Or, rather, would you rewrite
the railroad program in object graphics on a 3-D textured
trackball map of the USA with proper perspective and color of
vegetation along the route? Be sure to use the new 5.5 pop-up
menus (anyone tried these yet?) as a user feature? We'll give
you an extra day, considering the Thursday is Thanksgiving.
I'll check back on Friday.

Dick
