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ENCOURAGING WORDS

The Herald's Efforts to Serve the People by Giving Information Which They Want Appreciated

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH

We have worked hard to give readers of The Herald announcements and other information which were formerly slighted by the Alliance papers. It is a great encouragement to us to know that our efforts are appreciated. The following from Rev. Titus Lang, pastor of Immanuel's German Evangelical Lutheran church, was not written for

publication, but we are sure it will be of interest to many Herald readers, hence we take the liberty to publish it:

Alliance, Nebr., Jan. 2, 1913.
To the editor of the Alliance Herald.
Dear Sir: Yesterday, Jan. 1, the Immanuel's Lutheran congregation in its annual meeting passed the following resolution:

Resolved, that we express our most heartfelt thanks to the editor of the Alliance Herald for the courtesy shown us in the past year, in printing and publishing free of charge all our church advertisements and all other matters authorized by our pastor. We highly appreciate this kind service and hope that your paper may be blessed with a happy

and progressive future and remain to be as it now is, a true friend, and aid and a safe directory to the public.

Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year we sign,
Yours respectfully,
Immanuel's Luth. Congregation,
By Titus Lang, pastor.

WILSON FAMILY REUNION

A. R. Wilson returned last Friday from Belvidere, Nebr., where he went to spend the holidays with folks at home. A family reunion was held New Year's day at Cedar Hill farm, the old Thayer county homestead on which Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have resided since March, 1871. All of their five children were born on this farm, and they raised the cedars which give the farm its name; and of course a family meeting at that place on the first day of the year was a very enjoyable affair. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Wilson, their three sons, two daughters, two daughters-in-law, and five grandchildren.

OCTOBER RAILWAY TRAFFIC EXCEEDS ALL RECORDS

The receipts and the expenses of the steam railways for the month of October, 1912, are greater than for any other month in their history. Net operating revenue, which is the gross income before anything has been taken out for taxes and rentals, interest on bonds, appropriations for betterments or dividends, averaged \$15.71 per mile of line per day, which contrasts with \$13.74 for October, 1911, an increase of \$1.97. This is an increase per mile of line for the month of \$61.13, or 14.4 per cent.

The monthly summary of the Bureau of Railway Economics, compiled from the reports of railways to the Interstate Commerce Commission, covers for October 229,636 miles of line, or about 90 per cent of all of the steam railway mileage of the United States. The aggregate net operating revenue for this mileage was \$107,440,518, which is greater by \$14,870,125 than that for October, 1911. The increases were due in greatest proportion to the freight traffic, which is always greater in October than in any other month of the year.

Among the number who visited in Alliance during the holidays and whose names we did not secure in time for last week's Herald were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Baker of Henry, Nebr.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Reported by F. E. Reddish, Bonded Abstractor, Box Butte County, Nebraska

Lincoln Land Co. to F. C. Fulmer: Lots 2-3, block 25, Box Butte add. to Alliance 350
C. D. Reed to R. M. Hampton: Lot 7, block 1, Hitchcock, Hills and Snedekers add. to Alliance: 475
United States to Henry J. Winton: SW 1/4 18-26-51 Patent
J. O. Howard to The Occidental Building & Loan Association: Lots 2 and 3, block 9, First add. 1
Robert Kittelmann to Minnie Sulzback: Lots 3-4, and S 1/2 NW 1/4 of 2-27-47 1100
Susie Fletcher to A. C. Bullock: NE 1/4 15-28-48 1500
Sarah E. Jesse to Powell Jesse: SE 1/4 24-25-47 800
Sherman Beck to C. S. Fisk: Lot 7, block 14, Wyo. add. to Alliance 1
Walter G. Fordham to J. O. Howard: Lots 2-3, block 9, 1st addition to Alliance 1
Robert B. Gregg to Jas. Shemek: SE 1/4 26-28-52 225
Sang C. Reck to R. M. Hampton: Lot 10, block 5, Hitchcock, Hills & Snedekers add. to Alliance 1200
United States to Anton Krijlka: SE 1/4 30-27-52 Patent
Oscar O'Bannon to Earl D. Maltery: S 1/2 lot 8, and all lot 9, block 3, Wyoming add. to Alliance 650
Heinrich, Bernhard, Agnes and Maria Lupke to Henry Ratermann, Sr.: SW 1/4 11-28-49 1
Katherina Diekman and Anton Lupke to Henry Ratermann, Sr.: SW 1/4 11-28-49 1
United States to Jas. B. Lelth: W 1/2 SE 1/4 1-24-51 Patent
Isaac Rokey to William C. Manion: E 1/2 30-28-49 6200
John Hickey to Timothy D. Hickey: W 1/2 and SE 1/4 sec. 17, N 1/2 and SE 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 18, NE 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 sec. 18, and SE 1/4 sec. 7, all in twp. 26, range 52 1
United States to Jens Peter Nielson: SW 1/4 11-26-50 Patent
Lincoln Land Co. to St. Agnes Academy: A tract of land 300 feet by 300 feet in SW 1/4 of 25-25-48 1250

COMMISSIONERS' PROCEEDINGS SHERIDAN COUNTY

Rushville, Nebr., Dec. 30, 1912.
Commissioners met in regular adjourned session. Present: P. S. Parker, R. M. Bruce and J. F. McParland. On motion the following bills were rejected:
Roscoe Hunter, refund poll tax 2 50
Fred Beguin, refund school money 5 00
Carl Schmidt, refund part of tax 50 00
Hare & Chambelln, refund part of tax 5 40
J. H. Davis, refund part of tax 15 14
Julia E. Haynor, do. 6 76
Allowed on poor fund:
Katie E. Bennett, caring for Geo. Ruple, claimed \$75, allowed 60 00
P. C. Albright, board Medley King 3 75
G. S. Leninger, coal, Richard Winters 6 25
J. F. McParland, R R fare, Medley King 15 16
Myrtle Barter, board Geo. R. Davidson 55 00
M. I. Asay, mdse., do. 10 10
J. W. Anker, do. 22 00
Mary Chamberlin, board Medley King 22 50
Carl Schmidt, mdse., do. 3 00
H. B. Merrill, dray, Geo. Richardson 25
C. W. Bracken, medicine Geo. Davidson 9.65, King 5.85 15 50
The Fair, mdse., Winters 9 50
The Fair, do. 4 55
The Fair, do. 4 60
The Fair, mdse., Mrs. Counts 5 40
J. O. Elmore, med. serv., Mrs. Charles Arbagast 12 00
Margram & Duerfeldt, coal, Mrs. Lonniger 7 20
G. S. Linniger, coal, Winters, 7 45
Aug. Lowe, refund 13 64
Allowed on Bridge Fund:
Otto Smith, grading at new bridge 150 90
Otto Smith, labor 110 25
Fred Gebbard, do. 3 00
Allowed on General Fund:
L. W. Barnum, mileage, spec. commissioner 3 00
J. W. Burrows, Hay Springs, 8 50
C. L. Mayes, printing 22 45
Amy I. Stewart, court costs 48 85
Amy I. Stewart, expense 10 75
H. F. Grubb, floor compound, 5 00
H. F. Wasmund, sal., expense and freight pd. 176 80
C. C. Ziegler, do. 43 50
C. P. Kelley, sal. and expense, ..

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Nov. and Dec. 211 55	Chris Jungck, do. 37 25
J. H. Crowder, to redeem from tax sale No. 8030 11 75	John Eckman, do. 3 00
J. H. Crowder, do., L. J. Stiehl 28 90	Wm. Child, do. 3 50
Jordan Hdw. Co., mdse. 24 77	Peter Smith, do. 22 50
Klopp & Bartlett Co., supplies 67 94	John Smith, do. 28 00
L. W. Barnum, spec. road commissioner 8 10	Tom Dewing, do. 3 50
J. H. Crowder, office ex. 31 56	A. C. Miller, do. 1 75
Rushville Tel. Co., tolls, do. 5 25	Peter Olson, do. 3 50
Herman Hagel, draying 4 05	Paul Wuther, do. 14 50
A. D. New, sal., bd. of prisoners 192 65	A. D. Lyman, do. 4 60
J. H. Wilson, work 4 05	J. O. Aplin, do. 15 75
J. H. Edmunds, costs, case of James Howell 1 20	Geo. Ross, do. 6 00
Frank Elleberry, refund 4 10	Nines Bros., do. 1 75
University Pub. Co. 7 50	R. C. Stannard, do. 13 00
Perkins Bros., supplies 3 49	Frank Carter, do. 3 50
Allowed on road fund:	I. L. Barker, do. 8 00
Chas. Waldron, road work 3 50	C. A. Thornquist, do. 12 25
Henry Helz, do. 3 50	E. D. Higgins, do. 62 00
Geo. Reiland, do. 5 25	Fred Trinkle, do. 4 50
Wm. Hagadorn, do. 14 00	Chris Mikelson, do. 10 00
Henry Ballard, do. 30 00	Board adjourned to ec. 31, 1912.
Peter Peters, do. 12 00	Approved:
John Clark, do. 12 00	P. S. PARKER, Chairman
Clarence Clark, do. 27 00	Attest:
E. A. Wallace, do. 2 50	H. F. WASMUND Jr., Clerk.
J. E. William, do. 10 50	Rushville, Nebr., Dec. 31, 1912.
C. S. Reeves, do. 1 00	Commissioners met as per adjournment. All members present. The following bills were allowed:
Joe Ketting, do. 44 00	On Poor Fund:
Peter Smith, do. 17 50	Crowell Memo Home 45 00
Arnold Lijens 21 00	Bridge Fund:
M. O. Kieffe, do. 4 00	Mongram & Duerfeldt 20 40
A. Hawkins, do. 15 00	General Fund:
Theo. Dorhorst, do. 50	R. L. Whitte, sal. and ex. 210 65
Ed. Dryer, do. 7 00	Otto Smith, inspecting damage to horse 1 00
Philip Jungck, do. 12 25	M. A. Mart, do. 1 00
W. F. Dorman, do. 3 50	P. S. Parker, sal. 35 00
Al Taggart, do. 10 50	R. M. Bruce, sal. 23 25
Ernest Beguin, do. 3 50	McWilliams, livery 2 00
W. W. Watson, do. 3 50	Allowed on Road Fund:
Lloyd Rucker, do. 3 50	D. Vanbuskirk, road work 17 50
Homer Hawkins, do. 2 50	A. L. Davis, do. 9 00
S. J. Vanbuskirk, do. 3 00	
Dick Hawkins, do. 2 50	On motion resignation of B. F. Ray as Justice of the peace of Rushville precinct was accepted. The following bonds were approved:
C. O. Moss, do. 5 25	Wm. Murray, road overseer road district 41.
John Kubo, do. 7 00	C. H. Townsend, Justice of the peace Extension precinct.
John McNeal, do. 6 00	Eugene Kearns, road overseer road district 23.
John McNeal, do. 1 85	Sam Metcalf, road overseer road district 25.
John Witte, Jr., do. 5 25	Geo. Reiland, road overseer, road district 21.
Henry Witte, do. 8 10	Joe Hulting, road overseer district No. 34.
F. A. Denton, do. 3 50	A. C. Plantz, county attorney.
G. R. Hunter, do. 7 00	On motion the printing and furnishing of envelopes, letterheads and note heads and such legal blanks as are usually bought here and the printing of the commissioners' proceedings for the year 1913 be let to G. M. Cooper, his being the best bid. Board adjourned to Jan. 6th, 1913.
F. T. Friburg, refund 2 00	Approved:
Ed. Garney, do. 2 50	P. S. PARKER, Chairman.
G. M. Cooper, do. 2 00	Attest:
Dan Hill, do. 2 00	H. F. WASMUND Jr., Co. Clerk.
Fred Duerfeldt, do. 2 00	
O. F. Farman, do. 2 00	
Wm. Johnson, road work 7 00	
Ed. Johnson, do. 3 50	
Wm. Hagedorn Jr., do. 7 00	
Wm. H. Peters, do. 52 50	
Jess McWamee, do. 23 00	
Fred Trinkle, do. 4 50	
Fred Roberts, do. 10 00	
C. E. Park, do. 3 50	
Rem Smith, do. 7 00	
Henry Hier, do. 10 50	
Herman Jungck, do. 14 00	