

BURLINGTON TIME TABLE.

Main Line East-Depart-(Central Time):
 No. 6 11:10 P. M.
 16 4:30 A. M.
 2 5:20 A. M.
 12 7:00 A. M.
 14 9:20 P. M.

Main Line West-Depart-(Mountain Time):
 No. 1 12:35 P. M.
 3 11:42 P. M.
 5 arr. 8:30 p. m.

Imperial Line-(Mountain Time):
 No. 176 arrives 3:45 P. M.
 No. 175 departs 6:45 A. M.
 No. 175 departs (Wed.) 6:30 A. M.

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RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

The infant child of Switchman and Mrs. L. W. Meyers was buried in Riverview cemetery Sunday morning.

Engineer J. W. Hasty's new home on north 1st street west is beginning to loom up in generous proportions.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Lane arrived home Wednesday, on No. 13, from an absence of about three weeks visiting in Missouri and Tennessee.

Conductor and Mrs. Thos. McCarl went down to Cambridge Saturday evening on a visit to her folks.

Engineer Jack Henderson writes from San Bernardino, Calif., that they have already had 15 inches of rainfall and more a-comin'. Unusual for Southern California, where he says everything is prosperous at present.

This Was a Record Train.

During the past week the heaviest train ever brought into Lincoln reached here from the east. It came in as Burlington No. 77, reached this terminal on time, and was made up of 3,274 tons, exclusive of engine and caboose, and carried ninety-nine loaded cars. The train was about 4,550 feet in length, more than four-fifths of a mile.

One remarkable thing about this train was that every car carried revenue freight. Every car was air-brake equipped. The train was pulled by one of the new series of freight engines, the 5110.

Longer trains than this have been hauled on Nebraska lines, but none of them have equalled it in the tonnage carried. Trains of 120 cars have been carried in Nebraska in a single train behind a single engine, but nearly all of them have been empties. For a loaded train it is claimed that this breaks the record.—Lincoln Journal.

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Nebraska's legislature has now reached a stage—that of the selection of a sifting committee.

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GIBRALTAR.

The "Key of the Mediterranean" Has Had a Stormy History.

England has been in possession of the rocky promontory of Gibraltar since 1704. From that time to this it has been a crown colony under the administration of a governor. By reason of its important strategic position it is called the "key of the Mediterranean."

Gibraltar has had a stormy history. In 711 the rock was taken by the Arab chief Tarik, who called it Jebel-al-Tarik (Hill of Tarik) and built a fortress on the promontory. Part of these ruins are still extant. In 1309 it was taken by the Castilians, only to be recaptured by the Moors in 1333. It was held by them until 1462. Following the taking and sacking of Gibraltar in 1540 by Barbarossa, extensive military works were built there by order of Charles V.

In 1704 the promontory was captured by a combined force under Sir George Rooke and the Prince of Hesse-Darmstadt, fighting for the Archduke Charles of Austria. The moment it fell into their hands the British admiral threw off the alliance with the Austrians and took complete possession of the works.

British possession since that time has been unbroken, although it was under a Spanish siege for nearly three years and eight months, beginning in 1779. Twice the garrison was on the point of falling because of the starvation of its defenders.

Right on the Job.

At the time Dewey captured the Philippine Islands there was only one lighthouse in operation in the Philippine waters that on Cape Melville, Balabac island, south of the island of Palawan and marking the entrance between the China sea and the Sulu sea. As is the custom in time of war the Spanish authorities had ordered all lighthouses to have their lights extinguished when it was discovered that an attack on Manila was threatened by the American navy. It appears that this order was carried out at all other places except at the lighthouse mentioned above, where the order was never received. The keeper of this light kept his light burning up to June 30, 1899, without assistance, and was paid for his services from May 1, 1899, to that date by the Philippine government.—Philippines Monthly.

Fourierism.

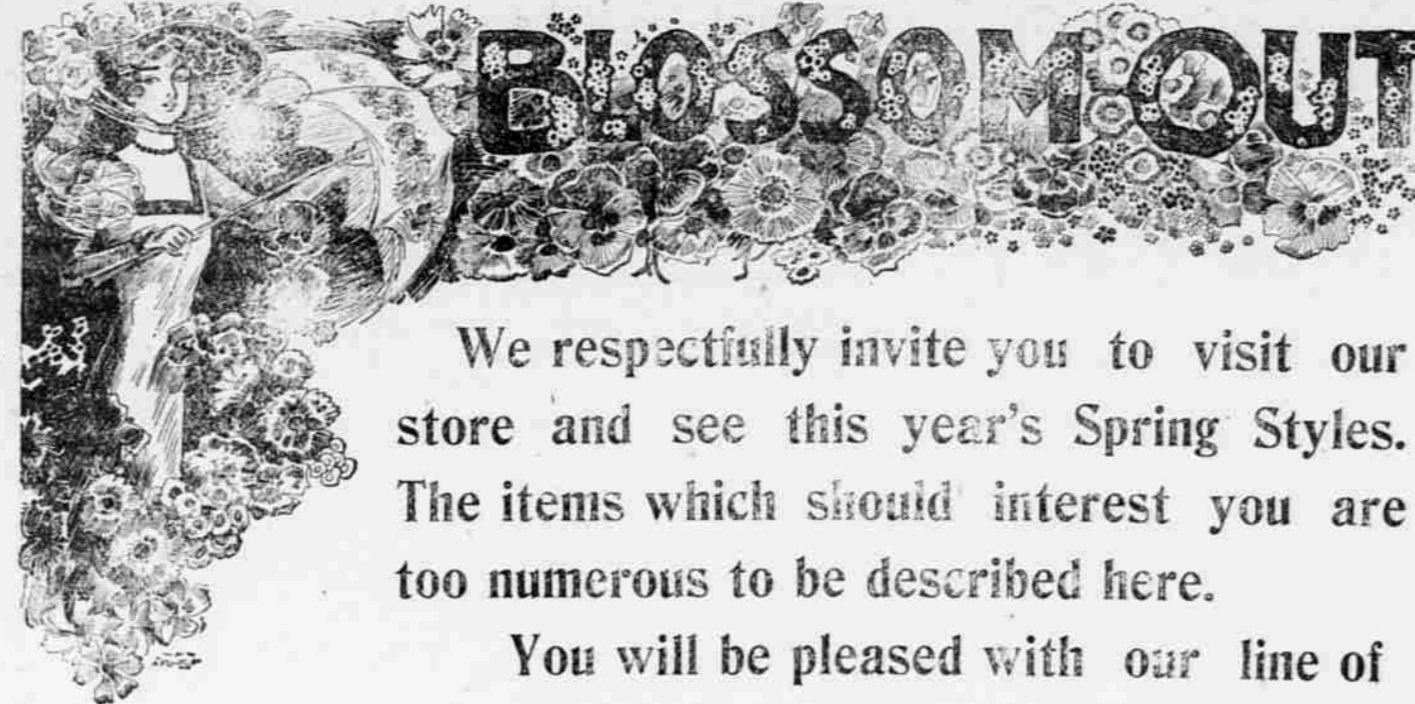
Fourierism was a social system founded by Charles Fourier, born in France 1772, died 1837. Fourier advocated co-operative industrialism, coupled with the idea that society should be organized into "phalanges." The phalange was to number about 1,000 persons, who were to live in a common building, with a certain portion of soil for cultivation. The staple industry was to be agriculture, but the various groups might devote themselves to such as were best suited to their tastes. Several attempts were made to carry out Fourier's theories, but the result in each case was failure.—New York American.

His Motto.

"You go around borrowing money all the time and yet you seem to be prosperous."
 "I am."
 "How do you manage it?"
 "My motto is, 'Always put off till tomorrow those you have done today.'"
 —Toledo Blade.

Lots of Practice.

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 —Chicago Tribune.



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THE GULF STREAM.

No Material Change In Its Course In Modern Times.

Much has been said in recent years in regard to the changing route of the gulf stream. Indeed, the character of this steady, consistent and unswerving body was getting so maligned that the government looked into the matter, with the result that this mysterious current of the ocean was entirely vindicated. Experts declare that there is no change in the course nor has there been for many years.

No other physical feature of the ocean is subject to more persistent misinterpretation than is the gulf stream. All vagaries of climate are laid to its charge. It is a pet theory of many that the temperature of Europe is greatly affected by it, but this idea is held by high authorities to be erroneous. It is not as extensive as is commonly thought. Practically starting at the Florida strait, where its volume is made up by the union of currents, it ceases to be a true current by the time it reaches the southern limit of the Grand banks, where it becomes surface drift, governed by the winds.

The government experts aver that there has been absolutely no material change in the gulf stream's course in modern times.—New York Press.

Young America's English.

"What is the most incorrect sentence any of your children ever get off?" asked a Glenwood schoolteacher recently at the Schoolmen's club.
 "One of mine got this off not long ago," responded a young man who teaches at the Robert Morris school: "It ain't hisn like, but yours."
 "My best," said another teacher, "ran something like this: 'Rare roast beef is meat what there ain't none what's any underdunner.'"
 The best one of the afternoon was furnished by a Germantown teacher. "Here is one," he said, "which has the old classic, 'He seen his duty and done it noble,' beaten forty ways: 'Lewtenant Grant hearn the enemy in his bed, but he snuck up on him and killed him without know'n' who, where or what he was.'"
 —St. Paul Dispatch.

Young Eagles.

An eagle lives from 50 to 100 years. The young birds are driven forth by their savage parents to provide for themselves as soon as they are able to fly. No training is given them by the old bird. That is left to their wild instincts, which hunger and necessity develop. There is no "going back to the old home" for the young eagles. The mother bird tears up every vestige of the nest, and if they emit plaintive shrieks the old birds dart at them and push them off the crags or rocks and thereby make them take to their wings. It takes three years for a young eagle to gain its complete plumage and strength.

The Variable Star Algol.

The most noted variable star in the universe is Algol, which changes its brilliancy so remarkably that it was noted by shepherds of Mesopotamia many years ago. It is now known that Algol is not one star, but a double one. There are two suns revolving around a common center, one of which is blazing like our sun and the other is dead like the earth. Thus when the dark sun partially intervenes between us and the burning Algol much light is cut off.

Reason For Her Opinion.

"Do you think genius and insanity always go together?"
 "Oh, no. I am convinced that my husband is half crazy most of the time, but I've never seen him give the faintest gleam of genius."
 —Chicago Record-Herald.

Hit Hard.

"I flatter myself I've made a hit with this song. Er—by the way, who was the gentleman that was moved to tears and went out?"
 "That was the composer."
 —London Tattler.

Women in a New Field.

Woman has invaded another field that man has heretofore considered as exclusively. A young woman Miss Daisy Ogden, has been made division superintendent of a territory on the Burlington railroad, between Watertown, Ill., and Betterdorf, Iowa. She had to pass a good many men in rising to her position, and did it by superior service. The company must have found that Miss Ogden would make a better division superintendent than any man it had available for the place or it would not have given it to her. So let the men not resent her advancement nor grudgingly give her their best service.—Omaha Bee.

Terms of District Court 1911.

- Chase county: April 24 and November 13.
- Dundy County: March 6 and November 20.
- Frontier county: March 20 and October 2.
- Furnas county: February 20, May 29 and October 23.
- Gosper county: January 30 and September 25.
- Hayes county: March 13 and September 18.
- Hitchcock county: May 1 and November 27.
- Red Willow county: February 6, May 15 and October 9.
- Robert C. Orr, district judge.

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MOVEMENTS OF THE PEOPLE.

Miss Velma Sutton is home on a visit of some length from school in Omaha.
 H. W. Keyes of Indianola transacted legal business in the city yesterday.
 Guy Hughes was in Benkelman, on Wednesday figuring on a big heating and plumbing job.

Clarence Rozell is expected home in a week or two to remain a few days on business.
 Mrs. C. B. Hoag came up from Indianola, yesterday, on a visit to her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Gray.

Miss Jean Bruner, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. A. R. Scott for several months, departed on last Friday. Carlton Rowell was down from Benkelman close of last week, guest of his grandmother, Mrs. S. A. Rowell.
 Miss Weybright has joined her father here and they are keeping house in apartments in Mrs. S. A. Rowell's residence.

Mr. J. G. Schobel and family are now occupying their fine new residence on north 1st street east, just completed.
 Mrs. Geyser of Lincoln spent part of the week in the city trying to interest McCook people in a lecture course for next season.

Mrs. J. O. McArthur and daughter will leave Saturday for Lincoln to join Mr. McArthur, general round house foreman there for the company.
 Miss Louise Donisthorpe has been entertaining her sister, Miss Grace, from Geneva since Friday of last week. She will remain until next Saturday.

Miss Katherine Snyder, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is now some better and slowly improving, he many friends in the city will be pleased to learn.

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