

BURLINGTON TIME TABLE.

East-Depart-(Central Time):	
No. 6	11:30 P. M.
16	5:00 A. M.
2	5:50 A. M.
12	6:35 A. M.
14	9:20 P. M.
10	5:05 P. M.
West-Depart-(Mountain Time):	
No. 1	12:20 P. M.
3	11:42 P. M.
5	arrive 8:30 p. m.
13	9:30 A. M.
15	12:30 A. M.
9	6:25 A. M.
Imperial Line-(Mountain Time):	
No. 176 arrives	3:30 P. M.
No. 175 departs	6:45 A. M.

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RAILROAD NEWS ITEMS.

Engine 1984 is in the shop for heavy repairs.

Fireman Ben Crawley is off with a sore knee.

Engine 1748 is down from Brush hill for repairs.

Extensive machinery repairs are being made on the 280.

New lagging and fire brick are being given engine 1950.

Engineer J. R. Frederickson has the Wray local now.

Thomas O'Neill, boiler inspector, was at headquarters Wednesday.

Mrs. Woolridge has gone up to Wagner, this state, on a visit to relatives.

Engine 2705, a resplendent in her war paint, is being given a set of new flues.

Engineer R. C. Cole has 9 and 10 between McCook and Lincoln now.

Repairs are being made on the firebox and driving brasses of No. 1124, this week.

T. Roope, general superintendent of motive power, was out from Lincoln, yesterday.

Repairs are being placed on the south platform of the storehouse and some new weatherboards.

Fireman H. W. Perkins and family are visiting friends over on the Republican City line.

Engines 1061 and 1759 are both over the drop pit for usual repairs, having their wheels dropped, etc.

Firemen William Goodwin and D. E. Cotner have been transferred to Denver, and are running out of that city now.

The railroad employees' picnic committee held a meeting last night in the storehouse to close up the business of the 1911 picnic.

Fireman A. C. Bowers is laying off a few days looking after the estate of his brother Tom, who was one of the victims of the Indianola wreck.

Engineer J. W. Hardy went up to Denver on No. 9, yesterday on an outing of several days. He will go up the Moffat line and enjoy perpetual snow a while.

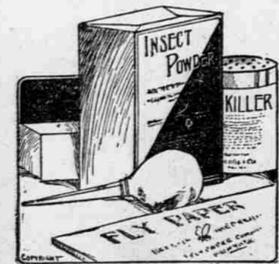
Quite a force of men are engaged in cutting up the large quantity of old ties in the local yard. A big wedge driven by air does the work rapidly.

The steam fitters have a new bench in the west end of the back shop. The boys are doing considerable steam pipe work now, connecting up for using the exhaust steam from the engines in heating the water before it goes to the boilers of the heating and power plant.

The McCook Tribune want ads. 5c line. Most people read them.

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JUST PERSONAL MENTION.

P. J. Morrisey is the new gardener and janitor at the city library.

Mrs. H. A. Beale entertained her bridge whist club, Friday afternoon.

H. W. Keyes of Indianola was in town yesterday on business of the law.

Judge Orr held a special term of district court in Beaver City Monday.

A. L. Cochran of Bartley spent a few hours in the county's capital yesterday.

Miss Emma Perry of Lincoln is visiting in the city, guest of Miss Edna Waite.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Knowland are with Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Hanson at present.

Mrs. Ray Hiler of Lincoln is a guest of her cousin Mrs. L. W. Stayner this week.

D. L. McBride preaches at Enders, Chase county, Thursday and Friday of this week.

C. A. Leach arrived home on Tuesday night from a short visit in Lincoln. His mother is ailing.

Misses Ethel and Gladys Rozell are in Wray, Colorado, this week, visiting their sister, Mrs. Clark.

L. P. Davis, wife and son, who have been visiting in Kearney since the Fourth of July, arrived home Monday.

The Baptist young folks had their social gathering at the home of Mrs. Roy French Tuesday evening of this week.

L. W. Stayner was in Culbertson Monday, reporting the remonstrance case against granting a saloon license in that town.

Mrs. D. L. McBride returned Sunday morning from a visit of six weeks in Illinois, Kansas and the eastern part of Nebraska.

Engineer R. C. Cole and family moved yesterday into their new home on 1st street east, recently purchased of A. L. Knowland.

Miss Doris Dold of Cambridge came up on the 4th and visited the remainder of the week in the home of D. L. McBride, returning home Sunday night last.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weygint will take their departure tomorrow, for Salt Lake City, Utah, to reside for some time with their daughter Mrs. I. J. Starbuck.

Mrs. D. F. Neiswanger and Mrs. J. M. Hollingsworth of Cambridge, and Miss Thompson of Scotland, were guests of Mrs. H. P. Waite between trains yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Freeland of Mount Ayr, Iowa, Mrs. J. N. Freeland and Miss Edna Freeland of Bloekton, Iowa, in a Carter car, arrived in McCook last Saturday, having left Mount Ayr Thursday previous. They left via Imperial, Sunday morning for Denver and the mountains on an outing of a few weeks. They are well known to the Rowell families of our city.

Mrs. J. G. Stokes and Mrs. Walter Stokes entertained the members of the two bridge whist clubs of the city, yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. G. Stokes. The joint affair was in honor of Mrs. John D. Young, of Leavenworth, Kansas, now in the city on a visit to friends. Mrs. Leroy Kleven won the honors. Mrs. Langeman of Springfield, Illinois, was an out of city guest.

E. F. D. No. 3.

G. L. Hawkins was a city pilgrim yesterday.

A half inch of rain fell between Nelson's and Randal's Tuesday afternoon. Between Wilhelm's and Wilcox's ranch there was a heavy rain.

Mrs. F. E. Larson of Broomfield, Colorado, is here visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cratty.

Lee Bennett has gone to Iowa to work, and James Bennett to Columbus, this state.

E. F. D. No. 4.

Clint Hamilton was in town yesterday. He reports about a half inch of rain at his place Tuesday afternoon.

J. L. Hoyt had business in the city yesterday.

Frank Hoyt of route 4 returned last Saturday from Lincoln, with his bride. They are living on 3rd street west. He is employed by the McCook Bottling Works.

The Hastings Chamber of Commerce have engaged Company D of the state militia to act as a guard and to help handle the crowds during their aviation meet July 18th and 19th. General admission will be 50 cents, grand stand 25 cents, automobile boxes 50 cents. The exhibition will begin at 4 p. m. each day.

ODORS AND MOISTURE.

A Scheme That Is Said to Improve the Sense of Smell.

"The most striking fact connected with my school career," said the prep school graduate, "was a peculiar ability on the part of our commandant to detect the faintest odor of smoke in a room on his daily inspection. The school I attended was of the military variety, and smoking was a rather serious offense. No matter how much a room had been aired or fanned with wet towels previous to the inspection, the offender was always caught.

"After I had received my finishing touches and become a citizen I made so bold as to inquire from what peculiar dispensation of providence the ability was given to detect one molecule of smoke in a hundred cubic feet of pure air. The old boy smiled and, binding me to secrecy, imparted the reason of his wonderful ability. Then he took me to a boy's vacated room and told me to wet my finger and rub my nostrils with it and sniff. Lo and behold, where before there seemed no taint in the atmosphere was now detected that smell of old tobacco smoke! Since then I have taught school myself and have used the trick occasionally, entirely for experimental purposes, however.

"I have also sought the scientific explanation, but with little success. It may, however, be somewhat analogous to the process of tasting. You know, it is impossible to taste anything that is not dissolved in water or is not a liquid itself. So the moisture on the nostrils must carry the small particles of smoke in a more or less damp state to the olfactory nerve ends and thus make the smell more apparent. At least this is the only explanation I have ever found for the phenomenon.

"The same thing can also be used for detecting other odors, and I have found it useful on a number of occasions for this purpose, both in analytical chemistry, when only a small particle of a certain material is available for analysis, and in detecting faint perfume from flowers that are ordinarily quite odorless."—Chicago Record-Herald.

COUNTING HEADS.

The First Census Wg Taken by Moses in the Wilderness.

There is a record of a census in China as far back as the year 2042 B. C. and of one in Japan in the last century before Christ. Under the constitution of Solon the citizens of Athens were divided and registered in four classes, according to the amount of their taxable property or income. The Roman census was burdened with more statistics than any of these, however. It had its origin under Servius Tullius, sixth king of Rome, and was an affair of much solemnity. Every citizen had to appear upon the Campus Martius and declare upon oath his name and dwelling and the value of his property under the penalty of having his goods confiscated.

The most ancient statistical record of a census is found in the Bible. The census was taken by Moses in the wilderness, and, as shown by the first chapter of Numbers, the enumeration must have been very simple. "Take ye," says this account, "the sum of all the congregations of the children of Israel, after their families, by the house of their fathers, with the number of their names, every male by their polls; from twenty years old and upward, all that are able to go forth to war in Israel; thou and Aaron shall number them by their armies." This census was an affair that must have been soon over, lasting no longer than one day, being merely a counting of the heads of the fighting men. The women and children and cripples and the old men were not included; "neither were the Levites numbered among them." Those who did stand up to be numbered totaled 603,550.—New York World.

His Bad Break.

"Why on earth do you come to me to borrow money, Billups?" said Harkaway peevishly. "Why don't you go to Jorrocks? He's the prosperous looking member of our set."

"That's just it, Harkaway," said Billups. "Jorrocks looks so very prosperous that I am quite sure he spends every penny he makes, but you, old man—why, you dress like a man who saves his money."

P. S.—He didn't get it.—Harper's Weekly.

It Was His Own.

Shirley Brooks, the famous Punch editor, once met Charles Salamar, the composer. On being introduced to Shirley the composer said:

"I had often and often seen your face, Mr. Brooks, but I never knew to whom it belonged."

"Oh," replied Brooks quickly, "it always belonged to me."

Stronger Than Sympathy.

"I am glad to see, anyhow, that you sympathize with the under dog in this barbarous fight."

"Sympathize with 'im? Gosh, mister, all the money I've got is up on that dawg!"—Chicago Record-Herald.

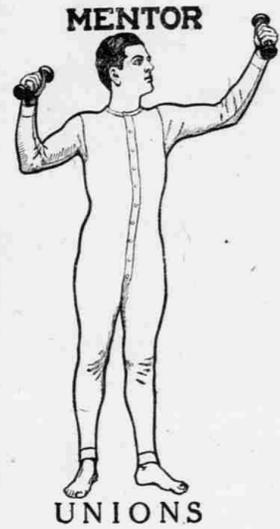
Superlative.

Smith (to member of vested choir)—I hear you've got a new tenor in the choir. What kind of a voice has he—good? Jones—Good? I should say so! It's so good none of the other tenors will speak to him.—Life.

What It May Come To.
Customs Officer—Baby born at home or abroad?
Mother—Abroad.
"Well, ye'll have to pay duty on it."—Life.

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DANBURY.

Wednesday the thermometer registered 112. It being the hottest day known around here.

Ruth and Clyde Leisure returned home Monday from Pawnee City, Neb., where they have been visiting relatives.

Best Thomas and Wayne Hethcote departed overland Monday to get work near the Platte river.

Lloyd Naden and wife left on Saturday for Franklin, Neb., for a visit with Lloyd's brother, they returned home Tuesday night.

Wm. Nutt returned home the first of the week from his claim at Thurman, Colo.

Frank Bussey and family passed through town Wednesday enroute from Cedar Bluffs, Kansas.

Mrs. Joseph Murphy is suffering from a very sore hand caused by getting the end of her index finger cut off while coupling a windmill.

Marion Walters of Lebanon attended the Masonic lodge at this place Wednesday night.

There were 65 tickets sold here for Orleans on the Fourth.

W. H. Kelly and family and Donald Morgan attended the 4th of July picnic at Cambridge.

Miss Retha Puelz visited last week with friends at Bartley.

Cassius Dodge of Wilsonville, was in town a short time Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Spense of Laurel, Neb., are the proud parents of a baby boy born June 25.

Rev. Harvey Anderson and wife are the proud parents of a baby boy born July 7th.

A. E. Boyer and son Ralph, were Indianola pilgrims Friday evening.

Lester Lord left Saturday for Tekamah, north of Omaha, to get work.

We received a little over an inch of rain Saturday night.

Mrs. C. W. Rogers and children spent Sunday at the M. M. Young home.

William Tjarks, the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tjarks was drowned at Beaver Crossing, Nebraska on Sunday and buried at that place Tuesday.

Warning a Serpent.

Down in Bermuda Mark Twain made a speech about snakes to a group of little girls. The speech was great. The only trouble was that the little girls could not appreciate it. It flew over their heads. This was the humorist's conclusion:

"Never warn a serpent in your bosom. It is far easier to warn it by placing it under the pillow of an intimate friend."—Harper's Weekly.

and the colt ran away. Mrs. Phillips had an ankle dislocated and one bone broken. Mr. Phillips was bruised, but not seriously injured.

Lightning struck Mike Esch's windmill Saturday evening, following a wire to the ground and tearing a large hole where it struck the ground, then disappeared into the well. Two of the children were standing near, one was rendered unconscious, the other not hurt any.

W. N. Rogers' grain made a little better than 3 bushels per acre. George Kaufman's made better than 1 1/4 bushels.

Miss Fern Robertson is at home from Lincoln.

Cris Anderson and family, Walt Helm, the Bennett sisters, and C. C. Byfield and family enjoyed the Rogers orchestra music Sunday evening.

The Sara-Kabbah Fashion.

The Sara-Kabbah people of central Africa adopt the hideous fashion of wearing large wooden disks in the lips, the one in the upper lip about three inches in diameter and that in the lower six inches. "These ornaments," says Mr. Karl W. Kumm in "From Hausaland to Egypt," "restrain the wearers from prolonged conversation. One of the chiefs, when I asked him the reason why they disfigured their women, informed me that their forefathers had developed this habit in order that the women might exercise no attractions for the Moslem slave raiders."

Recklessness.

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A Friendly Penguin.

I outbid a friend for a penguin, which became an interesting pet. The friend wanted the bird for its skin. On board ship the bird soon got accustomed to its surroundings and found that the cook was one to keep on good terms with, and it haunted the galley, getting many tidbits. It was always in attendance when the market boat came alongside in the morning and followed the steward as he carried the day's provisions aft. Strange to say, it developed a great liking for lettuce, although its natural food is fish, and another curious trait was that it would never pick up food from the deck or out of water, but would always take it ravenously from the hand. It behaved like a child and would make a whining sound as if begging to be lifted up and would cuddle down and appear to be quite happy when being nursed.—Scotsman.

Union Pacific Buying Right of Way.

Kearney, Neb., May 29.—The Union Pacific has begun the active campaign for the clinching of right of way from Callaway to Gandy and a party of employees of the road left Kearney for Callaway with orders to begin at once making contracts with the owners of land along the proposed route. The men took blank contracts and will make an effort to secure all necessary right of way so that construction work can be started at once.

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