

# December Travel Bulletin

**THE PACIFIC COAST.** Inquire about the personally conducted through tourist excursions to Los Angeles, via Denver-Santa Fe Route—a route of sunshine and mild climate. From Omaha and Lincoln every Tuesday night; from Denver Wednesdays.

**WINTER TOURIST TICKETS.** The attractive south-land is claiming its own in winter tourist patronage. From the Missouri Valley the winter excursion fares to southern resorts are extremely favorable and involve but a modest outlay for a tour of the south.

**HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION TICKETS** on the first and third Tuesdays of each month to the Big Horn Basin, the Northwest, West and the South.

**AMERICAN LIVE STOCK MEETING,** Denver, December 12th and 13th, 1911.

**NATIONAL SHEEP SHOW AND WOOL GROWERS' CONVENTION,** Omaha, December 14th to 16th, 1911.



**R. W. CLEMENT, Ticket Agent.**  
**L. W. WAKELY, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb.**

## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lena Weisheit, Deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Herman Luetchens, executor of the estate of Lena Weisheit, deceased, praying for a license to sell the northeast quarter of Section 12, Township 19, Range 19, East of the 6th P. M., in Cass County, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of \$1,200.00, for the payments of debts allowed against said estate and cost of administration and special devices in the will of said decedent, there not being sufficient personal property to pay such debts, expenses and devices.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at my office in the Court House at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 28th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said executor to sell said real estate as above described of said decedent, or as much thereof as may be necessary to pay such debts, expenses and devices.

It is directed that this order be published four weeks prior to said date in the Plattsmouth Journal, a newspaper published semi-weekly at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and of general circulation in said Cass County.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1911.  
HARVEY D. TRAVIS,  
Judge of the District Court.  
D. O. DWYER, Attorney.  
C. S. ALDRICH, Attorney.

## ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CASS COUNTY, NEBRASKA.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Ingram, Deceased.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Edward Ingram, administrator of the estate of Adam Ingram, deceased, praying for a license to sell the west half of the northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter in section 19, township 12, range 12, in Cass County, Nebraska, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of \$150.00, for the payments of debts allowed against said estate and the cost of administration, and also to pay the expenses of these proceedings, there not being sufficient personal property to pay such debts and expenses.

It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at my office in the court house, at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, on the 26th day of January, 1912, at 10 o'clock A. M., to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administrator to sell so much of the above described real estate, or all of the same of said decedent as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

It is further directed that this order be published for four successive weeks prior to said date in the Plattsmouth Semi-Weekly Journal, a newspaper published at Plattsmouth, Nebraska, and of general circulation in said Cass County.

Dated this 4th day of December, 1911.  
HARVEY D. TRAVIS,  
Judge of the District Court.  
D. O. DWYER, Attorney.

## LEGAL NOTICE.

Frank Swoboda will take notice that on the 9th day of November, 1911, M. Archer, a justice of the peace for Cass County, Nebraska, issued an order of attachment for the sum of \$65.35, in an action pending before him, wherein the Omaha Iron Store Company is plaintiff and Frank Swoboda, defendant, that property of the defendant, consisting of wagon tongue, fellows, spokes, rims, singletrees, painted and plain, neckyokes, doubletrees, bolsters, buggy tongues, horseshoes, buggy spokes, plow handles and numerous other articles of merchandise have been attached under said order. Said cause was continued until the 4th day of January, 1912, at 9 o'clock A. M.

Omaha Iron Store Company,  
By D. O. Dwyer,  
Its Attorney.

## For Sale.

Pedigreed Duroc-Jersey male pigs.  
V. E. Perry,  
Mynard, Neb.

# HANDKERCHIEFS!

SALE NOW ON

You will want some of these. They are all of the latest designs. Stock especially selected for the Holiday trade. You will miss it if you fail to see them. We believe we can furnish the best value in Handkerchiefs ever offered in the city.

**ZUCKWEILER & LUTZ**

## FIND SKELETON IN MOUND

Another Murder Mystery of Early Kansas Days Believed to Have Been Unearthed.

Another murder mystery of the early days of Kansas is believed to have been uncovered when workmen leveling what was supposed to be a natural mound on the farm of John Nolan, near Junction City, uncovered a tomb 30 feet in diameter which contained portions of three skeletons believed to be those of white people.

The skulls do not resemble those of Indians, and in one skull a small hole such as could be made by a bullet was found. The forehead bone of each is prominent, like that of the white race. One man was of unusual stature, as is shown by the bones found in a corner of the room.

There is a tradition among the older residents of Junction City that a family of whites disappeared mysteriously years ago and was thought to have been murdered, but this cannot be verified.

When the first white settler came to this section the mound was there. Recently John Nolan decided to level it and use the land. The workmen struck what appeared to be a stone wall. They dug deeper and around it and soon uncovered a tomb 30 feet in diameter with stone walls 10 feet thick. The top, which had been arched over at one time, had caved in. It was 4 feet high.

Entrance was gained to the tomb by a passageway 3 feet wide and a chamber 10 feet long. The tomb had been constructed of natural surface rock.

The tomb contained no trinkets, guns or other articles by which identification could be made possible. The authorities who have taken charge of the find have not yet been able to tell whether any one of the three skeletons is that of a female.

## COUNT HAD OTHER PROSPECTS

Financial Smash-Up of Prospective Father-in-Law Did Not Cause Him to Worry.

Col. Alexander S. Bacon, president of the Men's Equal Suffrage League of Brooklyn, said the other day to a reporter:

"Yes, it's true that you won't find many American peesees enrolled under the suffrage banner. The girl who lets a foreigner marry her for money is, anyways, a rather poor specimen."

Colonel Bacon frowned. "There's a New York man," he said, "whose daughter, during a winter in Nice, got engaged to a certain Count Beau de Beaumont. The New York man was rich at that time, but a few weeks before the date set for the wedding he went to smash."

"My dear Count Beau de Beaumont," he groaned that night, "I'm very sorry for you. You are to marry my daughter—you were to have had \$35,000 a year—but the crash has come. I'm ruined now. How sorry I am, count!"

"But Count Beau de Beaumont gave the New York man a reassuring slap on the back.

"Oh, don't you worry about me, sir," he said, with an easy laugh. "With a title like mine, you know, I can find another heiress tomorrow."

## "Made It So."

At Fort Monroe some time ago (this is an old story), where one of the vessels of the navy was temporarily awaiting orders, a delegation of army officers stationed at the fort came aboard. There is a set naval regulation that nothing can be on board ship until the commanding officer orders it. While the army party were looking over the ship, twelve o'clock arrived. A junior officer approached the captain and said, with a salute: "It is twelve o'clock, sir." "Make it so," responded the captain, and eight bells were struck. The army officers suspected that the navy men wanted them to ask some questions and get sold, or that this was a bit of foolery got up to joke the land warriors. Some time after, a party of the army officers invited the officers of the warship to dine with them. The dinner was progressing when a lieutenant entered and, saluting the senior officer present, said, gravely: "Colonel, the major's blind horse is dead."

"Make it so," responded the colonel, with the greatest gravity, and the dinner proceeded. Nothing was said at the time, but the navy officers tell the story.

## More Pay, More Love.

"New York city school ma'ams are going to be an attractive target for Cupid's shafts in the near future," said a principal the other day. "With salaries ranging from \$1,850 to \$2,400 yearly, even an extravagant spinster will be able to boost the credit side of a savings account. Some of my women teachers already report an increase in the number of suitors, and they say there is an appreciable increase in the fervor of their beaux' protestations of affection."

## An Endless Chain.

"We're kind of irritated in our flat," said the worried-looking man.

"What's the trouble?"

"Our children keep the next-door neighbors awake, so they pass the time by playing the piano; that makes the pet dog next door to them bark, and that keeps the children next door awake, and there's so much noise through the building that there's no chance whatever of our children going to sleep."

## MASTER OF MISSISSIPPI BOAT

Woman Makes Men Rivals Hustle to Retain Their Trade—Husband Has Subordinate Position.

St. Louis.—Mrs. Wyllia Hulett, master and pilot of the good ship Mary, is off up the Illinois river after another cargo of apples after unloading at Alton a thousand barrels for the New Orleans market. Old steamboat men who are eager to haul the same apples are crowding on extra steam to prevent Captain Hulett from getting her share of the business and part of theirs, for Captain Hulett is a hustler and she is out for apples. The only way to keep her from getting them is to beat her to them.

Mrs. Hulett is master and pilot of the Mary because she can tell one color from another and her husband cannot. Incidentally, she is her husband's boss, for he, being color blind, has to be content with the subordinate position of engineer. Besides her husband, Mrs. Hulett is boss of eight other men.

Before she became a steamboat master she was a school teacher in Calhoun county.

Three years ago the elder Hulett retired and leased the Mary to his son. When Hulett applied for a master's and pilot's license it was found that he could not distinguish colors. In river navigation safety hangs upon the ability to distinguish the colored signal lights.

Mrs. Hulett took the examination and passed with a high percentage. The next time the Mary started on a cruise Mrs. Hulett was at the wheel and here was the voice that commanded the engineer and crew. She has been running the boat ever since.

## NEW TERROR FOR AMERICANS

Montmartre Police Discover Counterfeits of Unusual Quality Are Spread by Anarchists.

Paris.—A new terror has been added to the many in store for the unwary American tourist who patronizes the establishments of Montmartre. The police have just discovered that a band of anarchist coiners has put in circulation over 30,000 francs' worth of bad five-franc pieces.

The leader of the syndicate is an anarchist, Maria Llopis, who was condemned to death for her complicity in the revolt in Barcelona which preceded the execution of Ferrer. The proceeds are probably for the anarchist cause.

The coins are of unusually subtle manufacture, composed of practically the same alloy as the genuine ones and such slight defects that only an expert could have detected them; hence the facility with which they were put into circulation.

They were made in Barcelona, two of the company going there every Friday, returning to Paris on Tuesday with a fresh supply, which they delivered to the other four, who hastened to change them by making small purchases.

These four are now safely under lock and key, but the two who brought the goods from Spain either received warning or stopped behind to participate in the recent outbreak, they holding anarchistic opinion like their chief.

## KISSES RETARD A WEDDING

Occulation Nettled Kansas Justice Who Was Performing Ceremony—Bride Was 40 Years Old.

Kansas City, Kan.—William W. Shannon will be known about the courthouse in future as the kissing bridegroom. While he and Minnie I. Stockey, both of Ottawa, Kan., were being married by Justice Cass Welch in the county recorder's office, he kissed his bride five times. After every question the justice asked Mr. Shannon insisted on kissing the bride before the question was answered.

"If you don't cut out the kissing I won't go any further with this ceremony," Justice Welch told the bridegroom. "You not only violate the anti-kissing rules of this office, but interrupt a most solemn ceremony."

"Guess I can wait 32 seconds if you finish up in that time," Mr. Shannon told the justice. He kept his promise. Mr. Shannon is 39 years old and until the ceremony was a bachelor. The bride is 40 years old.

## BOLT RESTORES HER HEARING

Lightning Cures Deafness of Wilkesbarre Woman Afflicted Since Childhood—Cure Permanent.

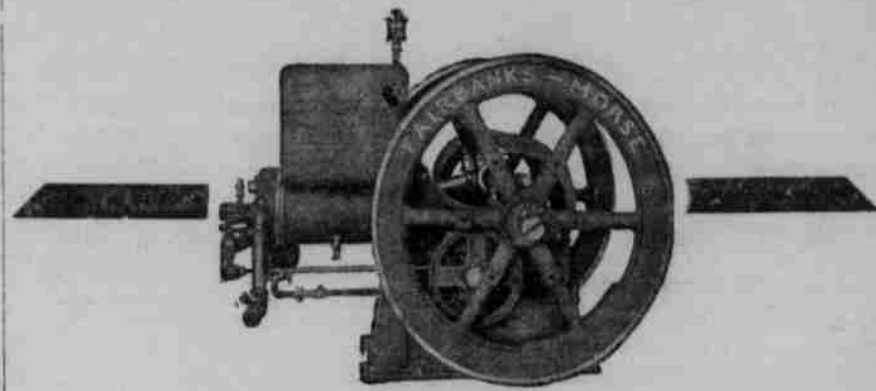
Wilkesbarre, Pa. — Declaring that being shocked by lightning during a recent storm at her home in Canaan, Wayne county, restored her hearing, although she had been deaf since she was a child, Mrs. James Decker, aged sixty-five years, is now blessing the fact that she was struck.

Early in the week at bolt of lightning struck so close to her that she was thrown heavily to the ground and stunned. When, after some hours, she recovered she was surprised to find that she could hear an ordinary conversation. Fearful the change was but temporary she has waited anxiously to see if her deafness has returned. So far it has not.

## Rattlesnakes Aid a Lover.

Cubber, S. D.—Rattlesnakes won for Charles Pringle just as he was about to be rejected by Mary Clark, a pretty school teacher. About to be bitten Mary rescued Charles and they will marry. He killed the snake.

# The Power of the Hour!



Is Very Plainly Seen to Be a Gasoline Engine.

No matter what the work is that you have, whether it be pumping water, sawing wood, grinding feed, making electric lights, etc., the gasoline engine is very rapidly taking the place of any other power for this class of work.

We don't believe there is a person in this community that would send away for an engine, if he didn't think he could save money. You will certainly have no trouble in finding a cheap engine if price is what you are looking for, and if you will look them over carefully, take note of the few pieces that they put on them to operate the mechanism, you can very plainly see why they are cheaper. The fact is, if they put more parts to their engine they certainly would have to get more money. There is no patent on the device of simplicity (as it is so called), on cheap engines. It is just simply making an engine just as cheap as possible in order to undersell his competitor. If you ever have an opportunity just take a look at the machine shops, railroads, large power plants, etc., and see if you can find any cheap grades of engines in their use. They certainly ought to be good judges of engines.

We are agents in this part of the county for Fairbanks-Morse engines and would only be too glad to show you the difference between this engine and any engine of inferior make and cheaper price and show you where they make the difference in price.

This engine can be had in any horse-power from 1 H. P. to 500 H. P., and up light or horizontal, and can also be had to burn any kind of fuel, such as illuminating gas, natural gas, kerosene, naphtha, gasoline, etc.

Before you fully decide to buy you had better see the Fairbanks-Morse and if you don't think it better than the rest, we cannot then expect you to buy this make.

Write or call for a 65-page catalogue and prices.

# JOHN BAUER,

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## High School German Club.

From Friday's Daily.  
The High school German club met with Miss Lillian Cole last evening. The report of the secretary was ready and approved, after which the following program was rendered:

Christmas Story... Anna Heinrich  
Christmas Story... Margaret Albert  
Tannebaum... Vereim  
Christmas in Germany... Vereim  
Fraulein Cole  
Stille Nacht... Vereim

After this program the lights were turned out and the doors to an adjoining room were opened. Upon opening this door the students beheld a most beautiful Christmas tree, all lighted. There was a gift for each one on the tree. During the evening most excellent refreshments were served, which were very much appreciated by the students.

The members of the club present were: Misses Katie Foster, Teressa Droege, Willa Moore, Margaret Albert, Emma Tschiren, Florence Rummel, Anna Heinrich, Anna Wohlfarth, Molly Godwin, Alma Holly; Messrs. Lester Dalton, Guy Wiles, Elmer Frans, Conrad Schlater, Vance Todd, Waldemar Soennichsen and Rue Frans.

Those coming in from Elmwood this morning to attend the will contest in the Brittan estate were: Charles Peck, Elias Peck, A. W. Neihart, William Minford, Sid West, Loran Paniek, Dr. Liston and S. Bogenrief.

## Will Hold Public Sale.

From Friday's Daily.  
Peter Meisinger and son, Baltz, from near Cedar Creek were in the city this morning looking after some business matters, and while here called at the Journal office to order some sale bills, announcing a sale that the senior Mr. Meisinger will hold at the old home place on Tuesday, January 9. Mr. Meisinger intends retiring from the farm in the very near future, and his son, Baltz, will take charge of it. We are pleased to announce that Mr. Meisinger intends moving to Plattsmouth some time in the near future.

## For Sale.

One span of good work horses, weighing 2,300 pounds, -8 and 9 years old. Also wagon and harness. Inquire of A. H. Graves, Murray, Neb.

# Referee's Sale!

THOMAS E. PARMELE, Plaintiff,  
VS  
CHARLES V. BOEDEKER, ET AL.,  
Defendants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an order entered in the foregoing entitled cause by the District Court of Cass County, Nebraska, I, the undersigned, sole Referee, appointed by said Court, will, on the

**10th Day of January, 1912,**

at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the south front door of the Court House, in the city of Plattsmouth, in Cass County, Nebraska, offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described land, to-wit: The S½ of the SW¼ of section 28; the E½ of the NW¼ and the NW¼ of the NW¼ of section 35, all in town 12, north range 11, east of the 6th p. m., in Cass County, Nebraska, excepting the right of way of the Missouri Pacific Railway Company, and known as the Theodore Boedeker farm, lying south of Louisville, in said county, and containing 200 acres, less railway right of way.

Dated: Plattsmouth, Neb., December 11, 1911.

BYRON CLARK AND Wm. A. ROBERTSON, Attorneys. JOHN M. LEYDA, Referee.