

Woman's World

Pretty Brooklyn Girl Christens New Battleship.



MISS ELSIE CALDER.

Miss Elsie Calder, the pretty daughter of Congressman William M. Calder of New York, had the honor of christening the battleship New York, which was recently launched at the Brooklyn navy yard.

Miss Calder, who is a graceful girl of eighteen, will be one of next season's buds. At present she is a pupil at a finishing school in Greenwich, Conn.

SILHOUETTE FAD.

Even in Furniture Black and White Effects Are Smart.

The attractive and dainty black and white silhouette decoration now becoming popular here had its inspiration in Europe, where it became a widespread fad. By some it is held to be a development of the black and white decoration vogue, which the Hoffman school created; by others, it is a revival of Biedermeier style, and it must be admitted that this last influence is most marked.

The decoration consists of stencil-like black or black and white figures on a white background. The figures are clearly and sharply cut, standing out distinctly in the strong contrast of the dead black and white give the effect that is most dainty. Very decorative variations are obtained by the use of colors—soft dark greens, blues, crimsons, maroons, grays or browns. These are used on white backgrounds in two tones of the same color or with contrasting colors, giving unlimited possibilities to silhouette work even in the hands of the amateur decorator. In fact, home talent is oftener employed in this art, and possibly this fact is not a little responsible for its increasing popularity. The personal touch is given at times by putting the profiles of members of the family, of certain known individuals or of historic characters on some of the figures. Favorite fairy stories, sports and nursery tales are used in decorating the nursery. One's favorite pastime—golf, riding, fishing, whatever it may be—can be artistically incorporated into the silhouette frieze for one's pet room.

While in America the fashion has thus far been confined to wain, picture, curtain and screen decoration. A form of furniture is promised in the near future in black and in natural maple paneled with silhouette decorations.

Just Too Dear For Anything.

A story is told concerning a famous man of letters who visited Washington and appeared at a dinner party. He sat next to a young girl, who rattled away at the famous man. He wanted to talk to his hostess, but hadn't a chance. The girl said to him: "I'm awfully stuck on Shakespeare. Don't you think he's terribly interesting?" Everybody listened to hear the great man's brilliant reply, for as a Shakespearean scholar he has few peers. "Yes," he said solemnly, "I do think he is interesting. I think he is more than that. I think Shakespeare is just simply too dear for anything!"

Big Sisters in New York.

Mrs. Madeline W. Evans, a thoroughly experienced court inspector, has been engaged by the Big Sister organization in New York, founded by Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt. Mrs. Willard Straight, who was Miss Dorothy Whitney, before her marriage, is very much interested with Mrs. Vanderbilt in the movement. Mrs. Evans knows all about the girls helped and finds places for them.

Thirty-third Degree For Women.

For many years the privileges and secrets of Freemasonry have been denied to women. Now, however, several members of the thirty-third, and highest, degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite have obtained charters from the highest authorities in England and Germany to initiate women.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners of Chouteau County, at Their Regular Nov. Session.

Fort Benton, Mont., Nov. 4, 1912. Board met at 10 o'clock a. m. Present Commissioners John V. Carroll, H. J. Wackerlin, Geo. L. Overfield and the county clerk. Board took up the auditing of bills as follows:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including Walter Drought, road work, M. A. Jonke, M. Murray, Bert Paradis, Light Co. fixtures, L. S. Brady, posting notices, Oscar Johnston, J. H. Evers, A. Elderman, Ed Fredlund, R. H. Dull, E. Wilson, W. C. Sullivan, refund of taxes, A. B. Billups, E. O. Magness, Milo Hammett, reg voters, R. Imbers, carrying election supplies, Dr. Murphy, prof services, M. Holland, expenses, Henry Wickhorst, labor, Hubbard Abstract Co., certificates, Independent, advertising, A. Barkley, hauling, Geo. Bickie, expenses.

November 6, 1912.

The board met at 10 a. m. with all members present and passed the following resolution:

Whereas, one D. F. Swenson has been arrested on the charge of criminal libel against the county attorney of Chouteau county, therefore it is ordered that the county attorney may employ special counsel to assist or prosecute the said Swenson at the county's expense.

November 7, 1912.

The board met at 10 a. m. with same members present. The following resolution was passed:

Whereas, it appears by duly signed tax receipt this day exhibited that the taxes for year 1903 on the NE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SW 1/4, and lots 3, 5 and 6, sec. 1, T. 21 N., R. 5 E. (212) acres, was duly paid to county treasurer, but through an error a certificate of tax sale for taxes for said year was issued; now therefore, it is ordered that the county treasurer and county clerk cancel said certificate of tax sale on their respective books and records.

The following bills were audited:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including Wm. Cecil, road work, John Kyle, bridge work, J. Whitall, Wm. Beckman, Dayton Thomas, C. A. Numaker, Chas. Kittleson, R. Meyers, H. I. Elliott, H. O. Numaker, John Hagen, R. C. Cruse, Eugene Hammer, R. E. Foster, Phil Buckley, box rent, Frances Harber, deputy, J. M. Murray, posting notices, Geo. Bickie, hauling, Sharp Bros, merchandise, L. Payne, house rent, W. K. Thomas, merchandise, Jack Lee, posting notices, F. Moldenhauer, J. A. Bramble, John Buckland, B. L. Powers, money advanced, Carter Herald, advertising, St. Andrew Lumber Co., lumber, Geo. Murray, road work, Geo. Wackerlin, bridge work.

The board ordered that the county clerk draw warrants on the general fund in payment of the judges and clerks who served at the general election on November 5, 1912, as follows: In all precincts casting less than 100 votes, \$8.00 each; in all precincts casting 100 votes or more, but not less than 200, \$9.00 each; in all precincts casting 200 votes or more \$12.00.

The board then continued the auditing of bills as follows: Long & Davidson, scraper rent, D. W. Avery, road work, Bunyan Hunt, J. Snyder, A. Abernathy, Chas. Schilling, Albert Taylor, Empire Lumber Co., lumber, A. Martin, John Berkdale, W. T. McKee, Joseph Fish, Chas. Strete, E. W. Herrick, blacksmithing, Benton Hardware Co., merchandise, Ed. Fredlund, bridge work, R. L. Ferguson, prof services, Dr. Hamilton, prof services.

November 8, 1912.

The board met at 10 a. m. with all members present and continued the auditing of bills as follows:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including Ted Russell, assisting county surveyor, Ed Bjerring, C. K. McKeandry, expenses, Emma Blankenship, merchandise, J. F. Murphy, election work, P. A. Powers, stenographer work, Ross Elwell, election booths, W. C. Brown, Empire Lumber Co., lumber, T. C. Power, merchandise, F. E. Fisher, road work, E. Fisher, Dan Dupee, C. A. Johnson, grader, C. W. Merrifield, transportation, expenses, Norris Gray, road viewing, Geo. Wackerlin, Fred Wilford, transportation, Opera House, rent, election rent, army, D. W. Flieger, carrying election returns, E. P. Raymond, J. W. Hartman, D. Traynor, Alvan Piercy, election booths, E. H. Cook, publishing notices, H. T. Grimm, cleaning court room, River Press, election supplies, J. H. G. Publishing, Light Co. fixtures, Telephone Co., rent, J. S. Lockwood, merchandise, Shaw & Kridler, engravers, Regimental Band, rent, Jack Crops, road work, Geo. Wackerlin, expenses at state fair.

November 9, 1912.

The board met at 10 a. m. with all members present and directed the county clerk to advertise for the construction of concrete approaches to the north side of the county bridge across the Missouri river at Fort Benton. The following bills were then audited:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including Chouteau House, board of poor, House of Good Shepherd, care of poor, Clara Hospital, expenses, Rogers Completion Co., lumber, J. F. Curtis, road work, W. Billups, George Streit, J. T. Isaacson, H. Nordie, J. G. Dowry, W. E. Wigty, blacksmithing.

The viewers' reports on the following roads were accepted by the board and the same were declared public highways and the road supervisors of the several districts through which they run were instructed to open same to the public, and the county surveyor to survey, plat and file same with the county clerk.

The Gordon road, Geneu road, Nilson road, and Jane's road. Road petition for the Schilling

change was approved and W. F. Wilford, Norris Gray and A. W. Merrifield appointed viewers.

Road petition for Gray road approved and Norris Gray, Oscar Wackerlin and A. W. Merrifield appointed viewers.

Road petition for Clark road examined and A. O. DeLorimer, George Wackerlin and A. W. Merrifield appointed viewers.

Road petition for Genou-Teton county line road examined and A. O. DeLorimer, Geo. Wackerlin and A. W. Merrifield named as viewers.

Road petition for Carter-Tunis road examined and A. O. DeLorimer, Geo. Wackerlin and A. W. Merrifield appointed viewers.

Road petition for the Jeffries change in Fort Benton-Rowe couleuse road and the Sneath road was examined and George Wackerlin, Norris Gray and A. W. Merrifield named as viewers.

November 11, 1912.

The board met at 10 a. m. with all members present and took up the auditing of bills as follows:

Table listing various bills and amounts, including Goodridge Lumber Co., lumber, H. G. Foster, road work, Orine Devine, Earl Hulet, D. B. Phillips, A. L. Foster, M. Schultz, blacksmithing, Dr. Murphy, prof services, R. W. Urton, posting notices, Western Mercantile, election voters.

Road petition for the Osnes road was rejected because right of way could not be secured.

The report of the commission appointed by the district judge to appraise blocks numbered 22, 23, 24, 25, 34, 35, 36, 39, and 41, of Roosevelt's second addition to Fort Benton, was \$10.00 per lot. The board took up the matter of purchasing same for county fair grounds and requested that the streets and alleys through this property be closed by the city before the completion of the sale.

Board adjourned 5:00 p. m. sine die. J. LEE SEDGWICK, County Clerk.

Rams For Sale.

Choice yearling and two-year old half-blood Cotswold rams, in numbers to suit purchasers. These rams are from selected Oregon ewes and pure blood Cotswold rams from the greatest prize winning flock in the west. LONG BROS., Great Falls, Mont.

Stallion For Sale.

One gray stallion, eight years old. Weight 1800 pounds. Very heavy boned. Was bred on the late Marcus Day ranch. Both dam and sire were imported. Judging by his progeny he will be worth \$2000.00—will take \$600.00 if taken soon. Enquire of A. K. PRESCOTT, Helena, Mont., or A. C. GOUGH, Chester, Mont.

For Sale.

Six head of work horses, well broken; have been fed winter and in good condition for spring work. Also a three-hitch wagon, good as new, and one set of harness, cheap. GEO. E. BARKLEY, Fort Benton.

Estray Taken Up.

One horse, weight about 1400 pound, light buckskin with mane roached, and branded as shown on left thigh. Owner please bring writ. OI RAKESTRAW, Clear Lake, Mont.

Reward For Estrays.

One dapple gray gelding, about 1300 pounds, age six years; one bay gelding, about 1300 pounds, has crooked nose, star in forehead and one hind foot white, age three years; one black gray mare, star in forehead, white mark on one hind foot, weight 1600 pounds, age four years—will be paid for on the spot. Fifty dollars reward for each of above animals returned to A. JUNNA, Loma, Mont.

Notice To Contractors.

Notice is hereby given that the board of county commissioners of Chouteau county will receive sealed bids on December 14, 1912, for the building of concrete approaches to the county bridge across the Missouri river at Fort Benton, Montana. Plans and specifications on file in the office of the county surveyor. Bids to be opened at 10 o'clock a. m. on the board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. J. LEE SEDGWICK, County Clerk. November 13, 1912.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.

Notice is hereby given that the chairman of the board of county commissioners of Chouteau county, state of Montana, will sell at public auction the highest bidder on December 16, 1912, all the county's interest in lots 10, 12 and 14, block 1, of the town of Chinook, Montana. Sale will be held at the court door of the courthouse in Fort Benton, Mont., at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. By order of the board. J. LEE SEDGWICK, County Clerk in and for Chouteau County, State of Montana.

Non Coal Land.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that BEULAH E. HALL, of Shonkin, Mont., who, on September 30, 1911, made homestead entry No. 061159, for lots 3 and 4, S 1/4 SW 1/4 section 5, township 20 north, range 10 east, Montana meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 3d day of January, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: Leslie Bishop, August Klav, Charlie Skilling, all of Shonkin, Montana. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that KEIS OLSON, of Teton, Montana, who, on February 21, 1910, made homestead entry No. 010042, for SW 1/4 SE 1/4 SW 1/4 section 27, NW 1/4 NW 1/4 section 24, township 25 north, range 9 east, Montana meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 3d day of January, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: William E. Embleton, Gilbert E. Embleton, of Fort Benton, Montana, William Collins, Lars K. Lundy, of Teton, Mont. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that GEORGE H. STEVENS, of Fort Benton, Montana, who, on May 25, 1909, made homestead entry No. 06171 and additional homestead entries Nos. 06171 and 01237, for lots 2, 3, 4, section 30, township 24 north, range 8 east, SW 1/4 NE 1/4 section 25, township 24 north, range 8 east, Montana meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 4th day of January, 1913. Claimant names as witnesses: Carl Latta, Joseph Thorpe, Julius Turbush, Charles Morrison, all of Fort Benton, Montana. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

The WEEKLY RIVER PRESS is a good newspaper to send a way to your friends in the east. It will save you the trouble of writing letters.

Non Coal Land. Notice for Publication—Isolated Tract.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, October 23, 1912. Notice is hereby given that, as directed by the commissioner of the general land office, under provisions of Act of Congress approved June 27, 1906, 34 Stat. 517, pursuant to the application of Carl E. Lyrach, Fort Benton, Montana, serial No. 02332, we will offer at public sale, to the highest bidder, but at not less than \$1.25 per acre, at 10 o'clock a. m. on the 7th day of December, 1912, at this office, the following described tract of land: NE 1/4 SW 1/4 section 21, township 21 north, range 7 east, Montana meridian. Any persons claiming adversely the above described land are advised to file their claims, or objections, on or before the time designated or set forth in this notice. E. L. BARKLEY, Register. C. A. Wilson, Receiver.

Notice of Contest.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 19, 1912. To Carl E. Ahrendt, of Fort Benton, Montana, contestee.

You are hereby notified that AUGUST E. PETERING, who gives Fort Benton, Montana, as his post-office address, did on October 24, 1912, file in this office his duly corroborated application to contest and secure the cancellation of your homestead entry serial No. 018918, made July 15, 1910, for northwest quarter section 11, township 21 north, range 8 east, Montana meridian, and as grounds for his contest he alleges that said entryman has never established and maintained residence upon said land; that the same has been abandoned for more than six months last past; that no portion of said land has been cultivated in any manner; and that the improvements made thereon consist of an unfinished, uninhabitable and unfurnished building. You are, therefore, further notified that the said allegations will be taken by this office as having been confessed by you, and your said entry will be canceled thereunder without your further right to be heard therein, either before this office or on appeal, if you do not file in this office within twenty days after the FOURTH publication of this notice, as shown below, your oath, under oath, specifically meeting and responding to these allegations of contest, or if you fail within that time to file in this office due proof that you have served a copy of your answer on the said contestant either in person or by registered mail. If this service is made by the delivery of a copy of your answer to the contestant in person, proof of such service must be either the said contestant's written acknowledgment of his receipt of the copy, showing the date of its receipt, or the affidavit of the person by whom the delivery was made stating when and where the copy was delivered; if made by registered mail, proof of such service must consist of the affidavit of the person by whom the copy was mailed stating when and the postoffice to which it was mailed, and this affidavit must be accompanied by the postmaster's receipt for the letter.

You should state in your answer the name of the postoffice to which you desire future notices to be sent to you.

JULIUS C. PETERS, Register. Date of first publication November 22, 1912. Date of second publication November 29, 1912. Date of third publication December 6, 1912. Date of fourth publication December 13, 1912.

Non Coal Land. Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 19, 1912. Notice is hereby given that JULIUS C. HARTFIELD, of Highwood, county of Chouteau, state of Montana, has filed in this office his application to enter under the provisions of Section 2306, revised statutes, United States, the following described land, viz: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 26, township 21 north, range 8 east, Montana meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason to the disposal of applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 28th day of December, 1912. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land. Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 19, 1912. Notice is hereby given that JOHN V. CARROLL, of Fort Benton, county of Chouteau, state of Montana, has filed in this office his application to enter under the provisions of section 2306, revised statutes, United States, the following described land, viz: The southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section nine (9), and the northwest quarter of section 17, township 21 north, range nine (9) east, Montana meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 28th day of December, 1912. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land. Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that JAMES O. PATTERSON, of Fort Benton, county of Chouteau, state of Montana, has filed in this office his application to enter under the provisions of Section 2306, revised statutes, United States, the following described land, viz: The northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 17, township 22 north, range 10 east, Montana meridian.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the lands described, or desiring to object because of the mineral character of the land, or for any other reason, to the disposal of applicant, should file their affidavits of protest in this office, on or before the 28th day of December, 1912. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land. Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Lewistown, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that PER BEHLLUND, of Hawarden, Montana, who, on June 21, 1909, made homestead entry No. 06155, for SE 1/4 section 19, township 21 north, range 13 east, Montana principal meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 30th day of December, 1912.

Claimant names as witnesses: Andrew T. Kyle, Steven Galtner, Waldo E. Painter, William Kitcher, all of Hawarden, Montana. C. E. MCKOIN, Register.

Non Coal Land. Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that FRANK AUGUST LEHMANN, of Fort Benton, Montana, who, on July 1, 1910, made desert land entry No. 01002, for SE 1/4 NW 1/4 SW 1/4 section 19, township 21 north, range 9 east, Montana meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 3d day of January, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jurgen Ensellant, of Hawarden, Montana, William Bryant, Olaf Johnson, Gilbert Jargenson, of Highwood, Montana. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Non Coal Land. Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office at Great Falls, Montana, November 25, 1912. Notice is hereby given that FRANK AUGUST LEHMANN, of Fort Benton, Montana, who, on September 2, 1908, made homestead entry No. 01829, for SE 1/4 section 12, township 21 north, range 8 east, Montana meridian, has filed notice of intention to make three-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Chas. H. Boyle, U. S. commissioner, at Fort Benton, Montana, on the 2d day of January, 1913.

Claimant names as witnesses: Jurgen Ensellant, of Hawarden, Montana, William Bryant, Olaf Johnson, Gilbert Jargenson, of Highwood, Montana. JULIUS C. PETERS, Register.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Joseph Kohler, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Patrick J. Kohler, administrator of the estate of Joseph Kohler, deceased, to the creditors of said all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Patrick J. Kohler, administrator, at the office of H. S. Boyle, Fort Benton, Montana, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the county of Chouteau, Montana. PATRICK J. KOHLER, Administrator of the estate of Joseph Kohler, deceased. Dated October 26, 1912. First publication Oct. 31, 1912.

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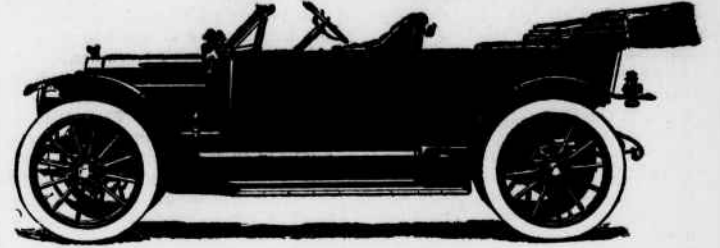
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Atchison, Kansas; Chicago, Ill.; Colorado Springs, Colo.; Council Bluffs, Iowa; Denver, Colo.; Des Moines, Iowa; Duluth, Minn.; Kansas City, Mo.; Leavenworth, Kan.; Milwaukee, Wis.; Minneapolis, Minn.; Omaha, Neb.; Peoria, Ill.; Pueblo, Colo.; Rock Island, Ill.; St. Joseph, Mo.; St. Louis, Mo.; St. Paul, Minn.; Sioux City, Ia.; Superior, Wis. Tickets will also be on sale to St. Paul and Minneapolis on November 9th. Liberal stopover privileges. Final return limit January 31st, 1913; tickets sold December 21st and 23d will bear final return limit of February 28, 1913. Take advantage of these low excursion fares and visit your friends in the East. For tickets and information call on your local agent or J. T. McGAUGHEY, Assistant General Freight & Passenger Agent, HELENA, MONTANA. GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY. National Park Route.