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**CLEAR CREEK SAND.**

Orin Jones is on the sick list.  
Mrs. G. A. Richmond left Monday evening for Omaha.  
E. J. Garnett bought a team of August Hediund, Friday for \$300.  
Cecil Kratzer will do chores for G. A. Richmond while he is away.  
Frank Kuhn and family visited with Warren Edison and family, Friday.  
Mrs. Winnie Garnett visited at the Ray Musselman home, Wednesday.  
A. D. Jones butchered his summer meat, Monday. Lee Wolsey helped him.  
The association of the U. B. Church met with Mrs. Frank Kuhn, Thursday.  
School Dist. No. 25 are preparing for a programme and box social the 23.  
Frank Kusek is putting up a nice residence on his farm north of Litchfield.  
J. E. Rainforth, Ivan Mendenhall and Ed. Harshfield butchered their summer meat.  
Mrs. F. T. Richmond and son's wife, Edna, were passengers to Grand Island on Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Garnett and Mrs. Parsley, were passengers to Omaha, Monday evening.  
G. A. Richmond drove his cattle to Litchfield, Monday to ship to South Omaha, Tuesday.  
G. W. Hager and Arthur Hughes, together shipped a car of fat hogs to the Omaha markets, Tuesday.  
Paul Hickman has been doing chores for Frank Boroff while he and family were visiting at Doniphan, Neb.  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Edison, Friday, Feb. 2, a charming baby girl. Mother and baby doing nicely.  
Many people from Clear Creek attended the last number of the lecture course Monday evening given by Bess Morrison.  
Mrs. G. W. Hager has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Edison, for a few days getting acquainted with her new granddaughter.  
Leo and John Bowzer, Joe and Cecil Kratzer, Jesse and Fred Richmond and Ross Hager went skating on Clear Creek Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. T. C. Chamberlain and son, Wright, were passengers to Grand Island, Wednesday, enroute to Salt Lake City to visit with relatives.  
Albert Heapy and wife accompanied Mrs. Wm. Garnett and Mame Waterbury to Grand Island, Tuesday. They returned on No. 39, Wednesday.

**ROUTE 1, LOUP CITY.**

Anton Dymak was baling some hay this week.  
Roads have been real rough the past three weeks.  
Dwight Chamberlain has been shelling corn for Franzen.  
Clark Reynolds was helping in Arnett's store Saturday.  
Wm. Scharnow will work for Myrl Warrick the coming summer.  
James W. Conger carried mail on route one, Tuesday of last week.  
Andrew Franzen and son were baling hay for Geo. Douglas, Friday.  
Anton Dymak bought a span of fine mules from Walter Grassnicklaus.  
Chris Zwick and Vincent Johns have been trading horses and mules lately.  
J. A. McIlvray and son were out to Toms place also Marvin Lee's place Saturday.  
Tony Johns has rented the place recently vacated by Harry Fletcher, for the coming year.  
Wm. Lubash has rented his father's old place for the coming year and is moving thereon.  
Frank Kusek is putting up a fine new home on his place this spring. It is 50 by 32 and two story.  
Chris Zwick, Sr., shipped a car of fat cattle to the Omaha markets, Monday and has another car to ship later on.  
Stromsburg was hauling a large water tank over to the Dymak place, Friday. He intends to keep some stock there for a while.  
Thomas Parsley was hauling hay to Litchfield, Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Parsley have bought a place in town and will move there in about three weeks.  
Neighbors and friends of Mrs. Geo. Douglas gave her a surprise last Wednesday by going in and spending the day with her. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas are planning to move on a place nine miles south of Litchfield the coming week.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**

A good clean stock of merchandise in Loup City. Will consider land and if necessary will pay difference. This stock must be disposed of this week. Inquire at the Northwestern office.

**ASHTON NEWS.**

R. P. Starr of Loup City was here on business, Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biester of Omaha, arrived here Monday.  
Miss Bridget Goc is at present clerking in the H. W. Toller store.  
Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Polski of Loup City, were visiting here over Saturday and Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Seybeck of Rockville, were here Tuesday and attended the wedding.  
Stanley and John Sawicki of near Farwell, were here Tuesday and attended the dance.  
C. L. Wilson was a passenger for Loup City Monday evening, returning home Tuesday morning.  
John Hansen of Denver, Colo., has been here visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ojendyk.  
Ignatz Weserski is very sick suffering from an acute attack of kidney trouble. He is reported as very low.  
John Janulewicz came down on the passenger, Tuesday morning and spent a few days visiting at the home of his brother, Ed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Oltmann returned home from Omaha, Saturday, where they had been visiting relatives the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Sandberg and Albert Anderstrom returned Saturday from Omaha, where they had been attending the convention.

Frank Trump's father, who lives in the south part of the state, arrived here Monday and will spend several weeks visiting with his son.  
Thomas Jamrog returned Saturday from the hardware convention. Mrs. Jamrog went to Hastings to visit with her daughter who is attending college.  
Mrs. A. E. Wanek left Monday for Crete, Neb., where the Wanek family intend to make their future home. Dr. will remain here for about a month yet.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Stanczyk and daughter, Vernie, and Floyd Janulewicz of Loup City, came down on the passenger Tuesday to attend the Smedra-Kwiatkowski wedding.  
Quite a number of young folks gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kwiatkowski Sunday with a linen shower in the form of a surprise on Miss Vernie, whose wedding to Mr. Smedra took place Tuesday.

The typhoid cases in Ravenna are coming along nicely, and barring relapses all are expected to make recovery. Of course, the fever has to run its course, which in some cases will continue for a week or two yet. No new cases have developed within the past three weeks and the situation that looked so threatening a month ago is now regarded as nearly a closed chapter of local history.—News.

**FOR SALE**

Majestic range with water front and reservoir, also some other articles of household furniture. Call at residence.—E. A. Miner.

**Order of Hearing and Notice on Petition for Settlement of Account.**

In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.  
State of Nebraska, Sherman County, ss.  
To the heirs, legatees, devisees and all persons interested in the estate of Henry Neisner, deceased.  
On reading the petition of Cora M. Neisner, Administratrix praying a final settlement and allowance of her account filed in this court on the 8th day of February, 1917, and for decree of distribution of any remaining personal property and decree of possession of remaining real estate. It is hereby ordered that you and all persons interested in said matter may, and do, appear at the County Court to be held in and for said County on the 9th day of March A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in The Loup City Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said county for three successive weeks prior to day of hearing.  
Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of February, 1917.  
(SEAL) E. A. SMITH, Co. JUDGE.

**GARLAND THEATRE PROGRAM.**

Commencing Thursday, February 15  
THURSDAY NIGHT  
"The Clarion"  
5 reels (World)  
SATURDAY NIGHT  
"The Grasp of Greed"  
5 reels (Bluebird)  
TUESDAY NIGHT  
"Welsch Singer"  
5 reels (Mutual)  
WEDNESDAY NIGHT  
"A Lass of the Lumberlands"  
5 reels (Serial, etc.)  
Feb. 23rd, "An Alien"  
Show starts at 8:00 o'clock.

**FOR RENT.**

FORTY ACRE FARM FOR RENT, 3 miles from Loup City. Inquire of August Jaeschka.

**A LOUP CITY WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE.**

Can you doubt the evidence of this Loup City woman?  
You can verify Loup City endorsement. Read this.  
Mrs. Viola Odendahl, prop. of The Frederick Hotel, Loup City, says: "I think Doan's Kidney Pills are well worthy of praise as a kidney medicine. I have used them only on two occasions and they have brought the best of results. I used to be troubled by my kidneys and at times my feet and ankles swelled up. I also had occasional attacks of backache. I used Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Swanson's Drug store, and I became better. I have had no necessity to use any kidney medicine of late."  
Price 50 cents at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Odendahl had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

There will be a general clean-up or Dukes mixture sale at O. A. Woods' livery and sales barn in Loup City, on Saturday, February 17.  
Sale commencing at 1:30 p. m.

**4 Head of Horses**  
Consisting of a brown horse 4 years old, wt. 1,050; black horse, smooth mouth, wt. 1,100; bay mare, 11 years old, wt. 1,000; gray mare 5 years old, wt. 1,050.

**16 Head of Cattle**  
Consisting of 10 white face cows, all with calves, 1 Registered Durham bull, 3 years old, 3 Durham cows, and some calves.

**Farm Machinery and Household Goods**  
Also several carriages, buggies and sets of harness.

**One Maxwell Car, 1914 Model.**  
Just overhauled and in good condition.

**Terms of Sale**  
All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of 9 months time will be given on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

**O. A. WOODS, Manager.**  
Col. Jack Pageler, Auct.  
C. C. Carlsen, Clerk.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

I will sell at public auction on the old Martin Placek farm 1 mile east and 5 miles north of Loup City, on

**Tuesday, February 20**  
Sale commencing at 12:30 o'clock p. m. The following described property:  
**9 Head of Horses**  
Consisting of sorrel horse, 12 years old, wt. about 1,200; bay mare, 9 years old, wt. about 1,100; gray horse, 5 years old, wt. 1,250; gray mare, 4 years old, wt. 800; bay horse, 4 years old, wt. about 700; black mare colt, 2 years old; suckling mule, bay horse coming 4 years old, wt. about 1,200; 1 bay colt coming 2 years old.

**12 Head of Cattle**  
Consisting of six milch cows coming fresh soon; 4 coming 2-year old steers; 1 heifer coming 2 years old, 1 bull calf.

**30 Head of Hogs**  
12 sows due to farrow about May; 18 shoats average about 125 pounds.

**Farm Machinery**  
Consisting of John Deere riding cultivator, 2 walking cultivators, John Deere 2-row go-devil, Moline 2-row, John Deere lister, Moline mower 5-ft. cut, hay stacker, McCormick mower 5-ft. cut, hay sweep, wagon and rack, 2 lumber wagons, 2 walking plows, one 16-inch and one 14-inch 1 B-sec. harrow, disc, Avery threshing machine and Starr engine, 3 sets work harness, top buggy, 10 bushels potatoes, 3 geese, 1 hen and 2 ganders, some turkeys and other articles.  
Joe Caddy will serve hot lunches on the grounds.

**Terms of Sale**  
All sums of \$10 and under, cash. Over that amount a credit of 8 months time will be given on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

**STEPHEN PLACEK, Owner.**  
COL. E. A. KEELER, Auct.  
W. F. MASON, Clerk.

**PUBLIC SALE.**

I will sell at public auction on southwest quarter of section 23, township 15 and range 16, 7½ miles west and 1 mile south of Loup City and 7 miles north and west of Litchfield, Nebraska, on

**Wednesday, February 21**  
Sale commencing at 1:00 o'clock p. m. promptly.

**5 Head of Horses**  
Consisting of bay mare with foal, 1 years old, wt. about 1400; bay mare with foal, 11 years old, wt. about 1350; black horse, 9 years old, wt. about 1,300; black horse, 8 years old, wt. about 1,100; black horse, 8 years old, wt. about 1,200.

**5 Head of Cattle**  
Consisting of 4 milch cows from 5 to 8 years old, to be fresh soon, 1 roan Durham bull coming 2 years old.

**12 Head of Hogs**  
Six brood sows, 7 shoats.

**Farm Machinery**  
Consisting of Moline walking cultivator, John Deere walking cultivator, Moline disc, Deering rake, 1 3-section harrow, gang plow, hay sweep, Acme mower, Rock Island lister, lumber wagon, spring buggy, Sharples cream separator, 2 sets double work harness. Some household goods, wagon and rack.

Joe Caddy will serve hot lunches on the grounds.

**Terms of Sale**  
All sums of \$10 and under cash. Over that amount a credit of 8 months time will be given on approved notes bearing 10 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

**JOHN WIEZOREK, Owner.**  
COL. E. A. KEELER, Auct.  
W. F. MASON, Clerk.

**NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS.**

All owners of dogs are notified to keep same off my premises. I will shoot any dog found on my place.—H. W. Gustafson. 7-3

**NOTICE.**

The State of Nebraska, Sherman County, ss.  
In the County Court.

In the matter of the Estate of Jennie H. Fuller, Deceased. On reading and filing the petition of Frederic H. Fuller praying that Administration of said Estate may be dispensed with and that the Court may make finding of property owned by said deceased and all heirs-at-law of deceased.

Ordered, That February 23rd, A. D. 1917, at 2 o'clock P. M. is assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said estate may appear at a County Court to be held in and for said County, and show cause why the prayer of petitioner should not be granted; and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Loup City Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said County, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.  
Dated January 25th, 1917.  
E. A. SMITH,  
County Judge.  
(SEAL) 7-3

**PUBLIC SALE.**

Having decided to quit farming, I the undersigned, will sell at public auction on the old Adolph Burman farm, one mile west and one mile north of Rockville, on

**Tuesday, February 20**  
Commencing at 10:00 o'clock A. M. The following described property:  
**5 Head of Horses**  
Including bay mare coming seven years old, wt. about 1,300; bay horse coming five years old, wt. about 1,300; bay mare coming eight years old, wt. about 1,400; black mare, smooth mouth, wt. about 1,150; bay mare coming three years old, wt. about 1,100.

**32 Head of Cattle**  
Including 9 head of milch cows, all coming fresh in the spring, 2 heifers two years old, 20 heifers coming two years old, and one yearling bull calf.

**Farm Machinery, Etc.**  
Including Acme mower, disc, go-devil, riding cultivator, corn planter, walking cultivator, sweep, two-section arrow, John Deere lister, feed grinder, wagon, hay rack and running gear, one-hole corn sheller, top buggy, five-barrel steel water tank, 5 rods cribbing, 2 sets work harness, set fly nets. Also some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

**Free Lunch at Noon**  
**Terms of Sale:** All sums of \$10 and under, cash, over that amount nine months time will be given, on approved security bearing 10 per cent from date of sale. No goods to be removed from the premises until settled for.

**DINES CHRISTENSEN, Owner.**  
HANS SMITH, Auct.  
E. DWEHUS, Clerk.

**HOUSES FOR RENT**

- 4-Room house, with cellar, city water and electric lights.
- 5-Room house in good condition, close to business section.
- 6-Room house in northwest part of town.
- 7-Room house in good condition, reasonable distance out.

These houses are all in good condition and rentals are reasonable. If you are not satisfied with your present location it is a good time to look around for one that is more suitable.

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