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### Every Day Service

THERE are possibilities in banking service of which neither you nor we have yet dreamed. Every year brings new ideas and improvements which enable the banker to extend a fuller service to his patrons. We want you to know from your own experience to what extent we can help you.

### "Nat Failure, But Low Aim, is Crime"

That is a part of our banking creed. Accordingly, we aim high, and endeavor to give each customer the fullest returns possible.

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## First National Bank of Loup City, Neb.

### Electrified Homes

Electricity is now fast superceding old methods in many departments of the home. The modern home—the COMFORTABLE home—now has

Electric Heaters  
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Electric Lights

and many other labor saving and cost saving appliances. It is the ideal force—no danger, no annoyance, no failure. You are losing half the enjoyment of life if your home is not electrified. Let us wire your house for lights.

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LIGHT AND POWER CO.

### A Timely Hint

If you are going to buy harness, now is the time, before further advances will be made. Come in and talk it over with us.

### Bring in Your Harness

For repairing and oiling—bring in one or two sets at a time and avoid the rush.

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Your Hardware and Harness Man

### WELCOME MEWS FOR YELLOWSTONE PARK TOURISTS

Commencing this Summer all tourist transportation within Yellowstone Park will be by automobile. The White ten-passenger cars that were so serviceable during 1916 over the Cody Scenic Road will be used throughout the Park. Park tickets will cover a complete five-day tour, in and out the same gateway, or in one gateway and out the other, whether via Cody, Gardiner or Yellowstone. All Park tourist, whether patrons of the hotels or the permanent camps, will be carried in automobiles. Touring the Yellowstone Wonderland by automobile will, indeed, be a combination of efficiency and luxury. Nothing in the travel world could be more scenic and satisfying than touring Yellowstone by automobile in connection with the Cody scenic route.

This early news is given to the public that has long waited for it. Illustrated publications will later be furnished on request by the undersigned.

L. W. WAKELEY, GENERAL PASSENGER AGENT.  
1004 Farnam Street, Omaha, Nebraska.

Daily sells for less.

Try Chase's first—it pays.

E. G. Taylor was a caller at St. Paul Monday morning.

An extra fine line of wall paper is on display at Swanson's.

Harry Hinman was a business caller at Rockville last Friday.

T. W. O. Wolfe made a business trip to Comstock, Tuesday evening.

For sale—Pure Bred S. C. Rhode Red setting eggs.—O. L. Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCall, of Austin, were shopping in our city last Saturday.

Wm. Simpson was a business caller at St. Paul last Friday, returning in the evening.

Good four year old bay gelding for sale, wt. 1400, sound. Robert Fullerton, Phone No. 9720. 11-2\*

Mrs. Frank Tapolski and children visited with relatives and friends at Ashton last Friday.

Ed. Wilson was a business passenger to Grand Island last Friday, returning in the evening.

Farmers bring in your plows and discs now and be ready for spring work.—Emil J. Schoening. 7 tf

W. D. Zimmerman was a business passenger to St. Paul, Tuesday morning, returning the same day.

Wm. Lewandowski was a business passenger to Grand Island Monday morning, returning in the evening.

C. R. Sweetland returned home last Friday from Lincoln, where he had been for several days on business.

Mrs. J. H. Lee left Monday noon for an extended visit with her mother Mrs. Fairbairn, at Whiting, Kansas.

Mrs. Marvin Lee and little daughter Marvia, left Monday for a two week's visit with relatives in Rosendale, Mo.

L. A. Bangs returned to Aurora on last Friday where he is working, after spending a few days with home folks.

Mrs. Wm. Graefe was a passenger to Grand Island last Friday to spend several days visiting with her parents and friends.

Miss Jennie Sutton returned home last Friday from her trip to the western coast. She reports a most enjoyable visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hiddleton were callers at Austin and Rockville last Saturday morning to spend several days visiting.

George Lause and family were passengers to Rockville last Friday and visited until Saturday, returning on the evening train.

Mrs. H. S. Conger returned to her home at Arcadia, Monday evening, after spending the day visiting at the S. E. Gallaway home.

For Sale.—All kinds of lumber for sale at Schaupp's. Off the old E. G. Talor elevator. Prices reasonable.—See T. A. Gzchovich. 10-1

Clyde Chisholm and wife returned home Tuesday evening from Grand Island, where they had been on business and pleasure combined.

C. J. Tracy was a westbound passenger to Omaha, Tuesday morning to attend the Mid-west Cement Dealers' association held there this week.

Mrs. V. E. Cunningham and daughter, Lettie, were Grand Island callers last Friday morning to spend the day shopping. They returned in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sheridan, who have been here visiting at the Charles Briggs home for the past week, returned to their home in Columbus last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McMichael of Arcadia, spent last Thursday visiting here with their son, Ray McMichael, and wife, returning again on the evening passenger.

Miss Edna Lewandowski returned to St. Paul Monday, where she is attending the St. Paul college, after a short visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Lewandowski.

Miss Sadie Woten came up from her home at Rockville last Saturday to do some shopping and visit with her friend, Miss Frieda Dieterich. She returned home the same day.

Mrs. R. M. Hiddleton was an east-bound passenger to Hastings last Friday morning to spend a few days visiting with her son, Lee, who is attending school at that place. She returned on Monday evening.

Miss Carrie Johnson, who has been here employed at the central office left last Saturday evening for Arcadia, where she will visit a few days with relatives and friends. From there she will go to York, Central City, and several other places and visit before returning to her home in Grand Island.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Thompson entertained a few couples at their country home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wise, of Colorado. A fine supper was served and a very pleasant evening was spent by all. Those who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Beushausen, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Beushausen, J. W. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Romeo Conger, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Leininger, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Johansen, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Steen, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Outhouse, Mrs. W. T. Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Depew, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Collpriest.

Try Chase's first—it pays.

Henry M. Elsner for glasses.

Ed. Kilpatrick was a passenger to Grand Island, Monday.

Pratt's Poultry and Animal Regulators are sold at Swanson's.

Ronald Rowe was a passenger to St. Paul, Tuesday noon, returning in the evening.

For Sale—New four room house Water, electric lights—Hansen Lumber Co.

E. A. Miner returned home, Monday evening from a business trip, to St. Paul and Wolbach.

L. H. Spahr cleans and repairs all kinds of sewing machines at Jas. Bartunek's. Call at once.

Wm. Jacobs came up from Rockville last Friday and transacted business here between trains.

Raymond Oltman was an eastbound passenger to Omaha last Friday. He returned home Monday.

Wm. Aufrecht returned to his home at Big Springs Saturday after a short stay here visiting relatives.

For Sale.—Five room house and seven lots in Loup City for sale.—Enquire at Jung's restaurant.

Wm. Aufrecht returned to his home at Big Springs, Saturday, after a short stay here visiting with relatives.

Gus Lorentz and little son were passengers to Grand Island last Thursday morning returning in the evening.

Mrs. J. J. Jezewski left Monday morning for Kansas City, Mo., to visit with her mother a short while.

Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching. 50c per 15. Two-blocks west of the old Dr. Jones place.—Mrs. Henry Miller. 12-4

A. F. Elsner returned home Tuesday evening from Omaha, where he had been in attendance at the auto show.

Miss Clara Polski came up from her home at Ashton last Friday and visited with her brother, L. B. Polski, and family.

For Sale.—Ford car in good condition. Has been run about 10,000 miles. For information call at The Northwestern office.

Miss Waunetta Conger, of Arcadia, spent a few days visiting in our city last week, returning to her home on Friday evening.

Wm. Dolling and Henry Schuman returned home last Thursday from Omaha, where they had been in attendance at the auto show.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Slominski and children were eastbound passengers to Omaha Monday morning on business and pleasure combined.

Miss Ruth Levy, who has been here for some time past in charge of the Pizer & Co. store, left Monday noon for her home in Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Goodell left Tuesday morning for Bladen, for a short visit with the former's sister, who is reported as being quite ill.

Miss Marie Ohlsen was a westbound passenger to Arcadia last Thursday evening to spend several days visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jess Marvel.

Mrs. Victor Johnson, who has been here visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McLaughlin, returned to her home in York, last Saturday morning.

Irvin Rowe and Lew Cole were east-bound passengers to Hastings, last Saturday, where Irvin was initiated into the bricklayers' union. Irvin returned Monday.

Mrs. Stanley Sonnefeldt and children passed through our city last Thursday, enroute to Sargent, where they expect to make their future home. They were formerly of Ashton.

Henry Brandt and Walter Scott autoed up from Hamilton county last Thursday for a visit with the former's brother, Wm. Brandt, and family. They returned home Tuesday.

Lost—Automobile number 9276\* on the road between Rockville and my place two miles west of the Austin bridge. Finder please leave at Henken's garage at Rockville. — Wm. Knoepfel.

After visiting several herds of Pure Bred Hereford cattle in both Sherman and Valley counties and attending the Grand Island sale, Henry Obermiller purchased an eight months old bull of John Howe, paying \$200.00.

Harvey O'Bryan, who has been braking on the Union Pacific here for some time, with his family, will move to Kearney in the near future, where he will brake for his brother, Dick, on the run between Kearney and Hastings.

320 acres all in native grass. 275 acres can be broke out easily if not more. All under fence except 160 rods on west side. 1-4 of mile to school. Located in good neighborhood. Seven miles from Loup City. For sale cheap. Inquire of August Jaeschka. 12-14

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wise and family arrived in our city last Friday from Pleasanton, where they have been for some time visiting with relatives and friends. For a short visit here with many friends. From here they will go to Arcadia and Ruskin, to visit with relatives and from there to Ord, before returning to their home in Colorado. Mr. Wise was formerly pastor of the M. E. Church at this place.

Daily sells for less.

Henry M. Elsner for glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Wrights Condensed Smoke and Ham Pickle is sold at Swanson's.

Rev. Smithberg was a westbound passenger to Comstock last Saturday evening.

For eaves trough, tin work, soldering and all kind of repair work call on L. H. Spahr.

M. Levy returned to Hastings last Friday morning after closing out the Pizer & Co. store here.

If you need prairie hay call at Taylor's elevator. We are shipping in choice hay.—E. G. Taylor.

Mrs. Kate Stellmoch visited with relatives and friends at Ashton last Friday, returning in the evening.

For Sale Cheap—One horse, set of single harness, buggy as good as new, boy's saddle. Inquire of Henry Dolling. 12-14

Mrs. George Ware, who has been here visiting at the J. N. Fisher home, returned to her home at St. Paul on Monday morning.

Mrs. J. F. Viges returned to her home at Pierce, Monday morning after a short visit here with her mother, Mrs. Dan Bauman.

Fritz Johansen returned home, Monday evening from Omaha, where he has been for some time visiting with his two daughters and other relatives.

Halsey Hansel came up from St. Paul last Saturday evening to spend Sunday with his mother, Mrs. A. H. Hansel. He returned to school Monday morning.

Mrs. C. H. Ryan and son, Frank, returned home Monday evening from Gresham, where they had been the past ten days visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bond.

Charles Bass returned home last Saturday from Rockville, Hazard, Ravenna and Grand Island, where he had been for the past week on business and pleasure combined.

Mrs. C. U. Bitner and baby returned home last Saturday evening from Hastings, where she has been for some time visiting with relatives, J. R. Bitner, a brother of C. U. Bitner, accompanied her home for a short visit. He returned to his home in Hastings, Monday.

DAIRY COWS NEED MUCH WATER. Dairy farmers often fail to supply their cows enough water during fall and winter months, according to the university department of dairy husbandry. This is especially true of cows giving large amounts of milk. The Missouri Experiment Station has found that two dairy cows used only one-fourth to one-fifth as much water when dry as when in milk. One cow giving over 100 pounds of milk daily used as high as 2,601 pounds of water daily. Cows in milk should not be forced to suffer exposure to obtain a drink of icy water, as they will not drink enough to produce the milk they are capable of yielding under more favorable circumstances. Cows may be induced to drink more water if it is warmed to about 60 degrees F. and if they have access to it at least twice a day.

### CLEAR CREEK SAND.

L. B. Hickman shelled corn Monday. Frank Kuhn shelled corn Wednesday. Frank Kuhn was a Loup City visitor, Tuesday.

O. A. Clark is under the weather with a heavy cold.

F. T. Richmond got back from his trip to Illinois, Wednesday.

G. A. Williams of Macomb, Ill., is working for F. T. Richmond.

Grant Stickney drove some cattle and hogs to Litchfield, Monday.

John Heapy purchased a new Ford car from G. W. Lang, Saturday.

Robert Stouffer did the auctioneering of the boxes at the school house. John Kuhn and sister, Mable, and Ros Hager attended the box social in Dist. No. 25.

Thomas Parsley is moving his household goods to his house and lots in Litchfield.

Warren Edison has been confined to the house for the past week the results of a fall.

I. A. Bowzer had the misfortune to get one of his horses badly cut in the wire fence last week.

Ivan Mendenhall went to Palmer to see his sister who is visiting relatives in that part of the country.

F. T. Richmond, W. O. Brown and W. T. Gibson were in Scott township appraising some school land.

Mrs. C. D. Brookshier returned Saturday from her trip to Missouri. She reports her mother as improving.

Ira Williamson moved a piano out to the farm of Mr. Zimman, who have just moved into their new house.

Mrs. L. L. Smith went to Ravenna, Tuesday to see her grandson, Wm. Albers, who is sick with lung fever.

Boyd Hill came home from Broken Bow high school to visit with home folks and take in the box social.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ellinger went to Ravenna to see Wm. Albers' little son who is sick. Carl Smith drove them over in his car.

Rev. W. G. Arnold of Aurora, preached at Beulah Chapel and Cleora last Sunday as Rev. Wagner is still under the weather.

The programme and box social held at the Clear Creek high school was a success. The weather was not very favorable but a good crowd was present. The boxes netted \$52.25. The teachers, Garra Hill and Retta Gastever, were commented for their entertainment.



### We Offer Hearty Greetings to Our New Neighbors

The Loup City State Bank offers greetings and a hearty hand-clasp of good fellowship to those who are just now taking up their work and making their homes in and about Loup City.

You will find this community full of helpful neighbors and among them we wish to assure you this bank stands ready to assist and serve you in any way open to us.

We have a service fitted for every legitimate line of business and your account at his bank will receive the courteous and considerate attention of our officers in person.

We will welcome an opportunity to meet you—Come in and see us.

## Loup City State Bank

Loup City, Nebraska

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- Good Santos Coffee, per lb.....22c
- 1 Gal. Karo Corn Syrup.....55c
- 1/2 Gal. Karo Corn Syrup.....30c
- 1 Gal. Karo White Syrup.....60c
- 1/2 Gal. Karo White Syrup.....35c
- 4 Boxes Corn Flakes.....25c
- California Dried Peaches, per lb.....11c
- Atlas Oatmeal.....25c
- Saxson Oatmeal.....20c
- 10 lb Kegs Herring.....1.00
- Santa Clara Prunes.....12 1/2c
- Pancake flour, 5 lb. size.....22c

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