

W. F. MASON, President. L. HANSEN, Cashier.

## The Value of Thrift

National thrift and prosperity depends on individual thrift and prosperity.

This is not only important from the dollar standpoint; that, in one sense, is of minor importance, but in the broader sense—that makes better citizens, that makes better children. It makes character; it means personal efficiency; it means foresight; it means economy in the highest sense. It is far removed from miserliness or stinginess. The very ideals of true economy means higher citizenship in every sense of the word.

## First National Bank

We Pay Five Per Cent Interest on Time Deposits

## Look at These Prices

1 Pound Candy at .....	10c
2 25c-size pkgs. Oatmeal at .....	35c
2 lbs. Coffee at .....	25c
3 Cans Peas at .....	25c
3 Cans Corn at .....	25c
4 Tall Can Salmon at .....	35c
3 Cans Wax Beans at .....	25c
4 Cans Pumpkin at .....	35c
1 Can Muscat Grapes at .....	15c
3 Cans Blackberries at .....	40c
3 Cans Peaches at .....	40c
2 Cans Pears at .....	40c

We have only a limited quantity of some of these bargains. Better come early.

## R. L. ARTHUR

When Looking For a Square Meal Drop In at the

### Ideal Bakery & Restaurant

South Side of Public Square

Meals, Lunches and Short Orders at All Hours

We Also Carry a Full Line of Bakery Goods

Careful Attention Given All Special Orders

## FLANDERS & CONGER

TONSORIAL AND BILLIARD PARLORS  
Tobacco and Soft Drinks

LOUP CITY

NEBRASKA

Daily sells for less.

Try Chase's first—it pays.

Alfalfa hay for sale. Inquire of Burr Robbins.

L. H. Spahr was a Rockville passenger Tuesday.

County supervisors will meet on Tuesday, February 8.

Nelson Smith was a business visitor at St. Paul on Tuesday.

Shoes, tinware, etc., repaired at Grows's Variety store.

D. C. Grow was transacting business at Ashton Tuesday.

Mrs. John Bukowski visited with relatives at Ashton Tuesday.

Eli Fisher was a business passenger to St. Paul on Friday last.

Grandpa Fletcher, of Boelus, visited here between trains Tuesday.

O. F. Peterson and son Chris, were passengers to Omaha Tuesday.

I. C. Smith was a business passenger at Rockville last Thursday.

Floyd Janulewicz was transacting business at Ashton last Thursday.

Frank Gappa was an eastbound passenger for St. Paul last Friday.

Sidney Thrasher was a passenger to Rockville Wednesday noon on business.

Found, a gent's glove. Owner can secure same at the Northwestern office.

Miss Katie Fagan, of Arcadia, is visiting at the Romeo Conger home this week.

Mrs. Thoma Dinsdale of Palmer, is visiting at the W. F. Mason home last Thursday.

Judge Aaron Wall was a legal business passenger to Arcadia last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Lee Bly was a passenger to St. Paul on Tuesday, for a short visit with relatives.

O. F. Peterson and son, C. P. Peterson, were passenger for Omaha Tuesday on business.

C. L. Rein returned to Lincoln Tuesday after a week spent here revising the city ordinances.

Corn Flakes, 6c per package, at The Loup City Cash Store, Wm. Lewandowski, proprietor.

Edwin Ohlsen left last Friday noon for Lincoln to spend a week or two visiting with friends.

Some real winter weather the past week has caused a rush of business for the coal dealers.

Lost—A bunch of keys about Jan. 1st. Finder will please leave at this office and be rewarded.

Walter Sonrenson and son, Stanon, of Arcadia, were visiting in our city, between trains Tuesday.

Herbert Tapolski came up from Schaups last Friday evening and visited with friends, returning Saturday.

Miss Wanunett a Conger, of Arcadia with Miss Fay Galaway last Friday, returning to her home the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Oltmann came up from Schaups last Thursday and visited at the W. D. French home, returning home Friday.

Miss Nellie Stanczyk returned from Rockville last Friday evening where she had been visiting the past week with her sister, Mrs. John Dietz.

Mrs. Herman Rickert and little daughter came up from Grand Island last Friday evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. Bechtold and son.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Doolittle, who visited here the latter part of last week at the V. A. Seamonds home, returned to their home at Woolstock, Iowa, Monday morning.

C. J. and E. E. Tracy left last Saturday morning for their old home in Ghent, New York, where they expect to spend a month, visiting with their father and other relatives.

Mrs. H. M. Mathew entertained the Extra Nous club at the home of Mrs. R. H. Mathew last Friday afternoon. Light refreshments were served and a good time was had by all who were present.

A. C. Ogle received a car of Reo automobiles this week that are on exhibition at his garage. The Reo is one of the best low priced cars on the market and the new model is certainly a beauty.

J. B. O'Bryan went to Grand Island last week and entered a hospital for treatment. Mr. O'Bryan has been in poor health for some time and it is hoped that he will leave the hospital much improved.

Mrs. D. M. Hendrickson, who has been here for some time, visiting at the R. D. Hendrickson home, and with her many friends, returned to her home at Elsmere, Neb., last Friday morning. Mrs. R. D. Hendrickson accompanied her as far as Grand Island.

At the meeting of the Commercial club held last Friday evening the following officers were elected: S. E. Galaway, president; E. M. Steen, vice president; O. F. Peterson, secretary; O. E. Longacre, treasurer. Board of Directors: A. B. Outhouse, O. L. Swanson and Gus Lorentz. The meeting was followed by a banquet.

The Misses Lang entertained the following school teachers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miner last Friday evening: Misses Crut, McFadden, Lena and Ada Smith, Ohlson, Madge and Elnora Holmes, Grierson, Mrs. Owen and Mrs. E. A. Miner and Miss Segrud Rasmussen. Progressive chautier was the game of the evening and refreshments were served.

## VIC SWANSON'S

THE CASH STORE

We want your business. Don't pay more for merchandise when you can save money by trading with us. You realize the fact that merchants doing a credit business must get more money for their goods. Don't pay the other fellow's losses. Trade with us and buy your goods right. I have by far the largest line of groceries in Loup City. Just drop in and see for yourself. I buy in large quantities, pay cash, and you get the benefit. We sell on a very low margin.

## VIC SWANSON'S

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, SHOES

Remember we handle nothing but the best Dry Goods. Our goods will not fade. All fast colors.

Daily sells for less.

Try Chase's first—it pays.

Farm for rent. See W. F. Mason at First National Bank.

Edgar Daddow was up from Rockville, Tuesday, on business.

Henry Elsner will fit you with glasses. Satisfaction is guaranteed.

Mrs. Edgar Foster visited with friends at St. Paul last Saturday, returning in the evening.

Ross Corning visited with his sister, Mrs. Albert Anderstrom, and family, at Ashton last week Thursday.

Paul Magnuson came up from Aurora, Saturday evening, for a visit with his brother, E. Magnuson for several days.

Miss Margaret Wardyn came up from Ashton Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Gappa, and family.

Giam Mrs. Frank Peterson and son, William, returned to their home in Lincoln Saturday morning, after several days' visit here with relatives and friends.

J. C. Pageler, of this place, and William Pageler, of Arcadia, were visiting with their father, Henry Pageler, at Cedar Bluffs, last week, returning home Monday evening.

For Rent, or Sale:—A five room house and six lots, in Loup City, one block from Catholic church. Inquire at Loup City State bank, or of owner, E. E. McCray, Comstock, Nebr.

Mr. and Mrs. Louie Bly were passengers to St. Paul last Friday, being called there on account of the serious illness of a relative. They returned home Monday evening.

Henry Ohlsen has traded his Loup City property for a farm, trading with Golus brothers. Mr. Ohlsen and family expect to soon move to David City to make their home.

Miss Mary Smith, of Fairview, Mo., but who has been here visiting with friends and relatives for the past three months, went to Rockville last Saturday to visit with friends.

R. F. Campbell of Omaha arrived here Monday and accepted a position with the Loup City State bank. Mrs. Campbell will arrive soon and they will make Loup City their home.

Attorney R. P. Starr returned to Loup City last Saturday after an absence of several weeks at Omaha and McCook on legal business. Mr. Starr won two important cases for his clients while at Omaha, and has several more cases to be tried in the courts soon.

The U. P. motor was laid up for repairs for a few days this week, all on account of an accident at St. Paul the other day. The brakes would not hold and the motor crashed into the Ord motor, damaging them both somewhat. The road run a steam train until the motor was ready for service again.

The revised city ordinances were printed by The Northwestern this week. The ordinances made a good sized book and it took a mighty rush to deliver the book on schedule time. In addition to this book, this office printed six sale bills, a twenty-four page hog catalogue and a number of smaller jobs. This accounts for The Northwestern being late this week, but with the addition of more help we hope this will not occur again.

E. A. Keeler returned from Kansas City, Mo., last Saturday. He spent several months there attending the Missouri School of Auctioneering and graduated from that institution. This school is the largest school of its kind in the world, and one who graduates from it is perfectly able and competent to cry general farm and live stock sales. Mr. Keeler has already booked several dates and with the diligent study he has made of his chosen profession success is sure to crown his efforts.

A. C. Ogle has filed for the democratic nomination for sheriff and to date is the only man who has filed for that place on the democratic ticket. Mr. Ogle is well known to most of the people of Sherman county. He has been a resident of Sherman county for a number of years and has been in business in Loup City for the past seven years. We believe Mr. Ogle is amply qualified to hold the position to which he aspires and if he secures the nomination, can be depended upon to make a strong race for election.

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William Schumann was a passenger to Austin Monday.

J. A. Chandler was transacting business at Rockville Monday.

In time, of course, we will read of the high cost of breathing.

Clark Whitaker was a business passenger to Grand Island Monday.

Steve Polski of Ashton, visited with his brother, L. B. Polski, and family over Sunday.

Mrs. Nelson Fisher was a St. Paul passenger, Tuesday, to visit with her parents for several days.

Thomas Dinsdale came up from Palmer Monday evening, on business, returning home Tuesday morning.

A kid on a corner can see more in five minutes than an adult can discover in an hour of rubbernecking.

John Oltman and J. C. Pageler were Ashton visitors Wednesday morning to attend the sale of Mr. Oltman's son, Raymond.

Mrs. Rosa Curtis was a passenger to Rockville last Saturday to visit with her daughter, Mrs. Etta Hartwell, for several days.

J. W. Long returned home last week Wednesday from Lincoln where he has been the past several weeks on business, and visiting with friends.

And soon, now, the long haired, spindle shanked, short trousered, eye glazed city youth will be out on the farm again telling dad how to make a million out of a penny.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jamrog came up from Ashton Saturday evening and spent Sunday visiting at the Floyd Janulewicz and L. B. Polski homes. They returned home Monday morning.

Miss Minnie Woods was an eastbound passenger for St. Paul, Wednesday morning, to visit several days with Miss Florence Nelson. From there she will go to Hastings to visit with Miss Marcia Ver Valin.

Lottie Wharton celebrated her ninth birthday on Friday, January 28, being agreeably surprised by a number of her little schoolmates, who got up a party to help her celebrate the occasion. All the youngsters had a great time.

Mrs. O. Benschoter is reported as being very ill. She was taken to St. Paul a few weeks ago for treatment and was brought back home Monday. Mrs. Benschoter has not improved to any extent at this writing, but it is hoped that loving care and attention will see her convalescent soon.

William Lewandowski left for Chicago Monday morning. He will spend about two weeks at Chicago and Milwaukee and will attend a merchant's association meeting while at Chicago. Mr. Lewandowski will also purchase new stock for his store on this trip and expects to have a new and complete line of spring goods on display in a very short time.

Lamont L. Stephens has filed for the democratic nomination for County Attorney and the chances are that he will have no opposition for the nomination or at the general election. Mr. Stephens is a candidate for a second term, has filed the office in a creditable manner and is an obliging and efficient county official.

The road west of town is reported to be in bad condition and when the spring thaw comes it will probably be one vast mud hole. Ice has clogged up the river at the head of the old mill race and as a consequence the road and land adjoining has been flooded from the water that was diverted from the river and through the race. It is a field of ice, which makes good skating, but may cause trouble later on.

One of our solid and substantial citizens, T. H. Elsner has filed for the democratic nomination for County Treasurer at the April primary election. Mr. Elsner has been a resident of Loup City for a good many years and has a wide acquaintance all over the county. He has been a successful business man and has all the qualifications necessary to hold the office he seeks. If nominated he will be a strong candidate at the election.

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Hewett's High Class Novelty entertainers showed at Loup City Wednesday evening to an appreciative audience. This is the best show that has been here this season. They will hold the boards at the opera house again this evening and will, no doubt, have a packed house. This show has two big features, the Five Musical Hewett's and Adolph and Raymond, athletes, supported by a strong company. From here the Hewett's go to Sargent to fill a return date.

Among the political announcements in The Northwestern this week is that of Miss Pearle Needham, announcing that she is a candidate for the democratic nomination for county treasurer at the coming primary election. Miss Needham has held the position of deputy treasurer for nine years, which is evidence enough to convince anyone that she is perfectly capable of handling the affairs of the office. It is believed that Miss Needham will be a strong candidate for the nomination.

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L. A. Williams has filed for the republican nomination for sheriff. Mr. Williams has held the office of sheriff for several terms and at the last election was re-elected by an overwhelming majority. He has handled the affairs of the office in the past in a manner that has pleased the voters and tax payers of the county and makes the race again for re-nomination and re-election upon his past record. During his term of office Mr. Williams has formed a large acquaintance all over the county, which makes him a strong man in the race.



GIRLS DO NOT WANT A LIFE OF POVERTY; THEY PREFER MEN WITH MONEY. YOU CAN'T BLAME THEM.

THE BOY WHO HAS BANK BOOK NOW IS LIKELY TO ALWAYS HAVE ONE. PARENTS KNOW THIS AND WELCOME INTO THEIR HOMES THE CAREFUL YOUNG MAN WHO IS THRIFTY.

WHY DON'T YOU START A BANK ACCOUNT, OR INCREASE YOUR BALANCE IF YOU HAVE ONE.

BANK WITH US.

## Loup City State Bank

## If You Should Die Tomorrow How About the Family?

Perhaps you owe some money—perhaps there's a mortgage on the farm. The children must be educated; you don't want your wife and little ones to come to want. Why not carry some life insurance? If anything happens to you the family will be provided for; the mortgage paid; the children educated.

Drop in and let us tell you how little it will cost.

## First Trust Company

Loup City, Nebraska

## Meat and Brains

The brainiest people of the world are meat eaters. Brainy people make the money because they have more than the usual allotment of brains.

This exceptional brain development is due in great part to the eating of the right kind of meat—GOOD meat.

Eat Meat and Buy It Here

## Pioneer Meat Market

O. L. TOCKEY, Proprietor



We Carry Coal

that gives absolute satisfaction, coal that is clean and leaves no clinkers, in short, coal that is satisfactory in every respect.

## KEYSTONE LUMBER CO.

Yards at Loup City, Ashton, Rockville, Schaups and Arcadia