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MUCH DAMAGE IS DONE BY CYCLONE

Genuine Twister Hits Loup City and Does Thousands of Dollars of Damage in City and County—Usual Number of Freak Stunts Happen.

A cyclone of no small proportions struck Loup City Saturday morning at about four o'clock, doing considerable damage and frightening a number of our citizens who were awakened by the noise of the storm. The storm was only of a few minutes duration and the twister went through the northern edge of town, it appearing from the damage done that the twister would strike the ground and then raise for some distance, traveling from the northwest to the southeast. A heavy rain fell at the same time, over an inch of water falling in about an hour.

The first place struck by the cyclone was the Hansel farm on the north edge of town, occupied by Dan Garner and family. Here the shingles were torn off the roof of the house, the barn was carried off the foundation and the roof partly demolished, and all other buildings literally torn to pieces and the wreckage scattered all over the place. The windmill was also blown down. Mrs. Garner lost 400 chickens at the same time.

A large, fine barn at James Bartunek's place was carried about half a block and left lying bottom side up. The barn stood between a large stack of alfalfa and a chicken house, neither of which was touched. No other damage was done at this place.

Walter Thornton's barn was blown to pieces, the wreckage being scattered all over the block. Four glass windows were carried nearly a block and were left unbroken on the ground. A team that was in the barn were left standing, a chain which held one and a halter the other being broken as if cut by knife. The house was slightly damaged.

Mrs. Joseph Zaworski's large barn was carried some distance

and left bottom side up. A team that was in the barn at the time was unharmed. Several other buildings here were also damaged.

At Edward Zakrzewski's place a barn was torn to pieces and the wreckage scattered. Another barn and several other buildings close by were not touched. Everything was insured except the barn that was blown down. Several trees were almost torn up by the roots. The house was not damaged, probably being saved by the large grove of trees that is around it.

A porch was torn off the new home of W. G. McNulty.

A barn at the Schlote place was carried across the alley and neatly set between two buildings on the next lot.

Several large trees at the C. D. Hansen place were broken off, and a large tree deposited on the roof of the house. House damaged slightly.

William Rowe's carpenter shop was taken off the foundation. At numerous other places in the north part of town big trees were broken down and a large number of limbs being broken off, the cyclone evidently having almost spent its fury further east as the only damage being done was to the trees. A large number of smaller buildings were demolished, wagons and hayracks blown away and broken to pieces.

Jenner's Park was flooded and the park bridges carried away. Several animals were drowned, but will be replaced by others at once. It will take about two weeks of hard work to put the park back to its normal state. Work is progressing now and we will venture to say that it will be a prettier flooded last year much worse than this time, but Mr. Jenner is very optimistic, and misfortunes only spur him on to greater things; he

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park than ever. The park was does not give up as many would, hence we feel safe in making the prediction that this latest misfortune will react and be in the nature of a boost, after all.

In addition to the above damage done in Loup City, many farms were hit by the storm and considerable loss sustained throughout the country. The D.L. Garner farm probably suffered the heaviest loss, improvements on Harry Obermiller's farm near Schaupps were badly damaged, as also were the improvements on C. W. Fletcher's fine farm near the cemetery. A large barn on August Jaeschke's farm was blown off the foundation. Joseph Stobbe, Wm. Lewandowski, Winifred Hughes, Clarence Burt, W. D. Clipson and many others suffered minor damages.

The railroads were hit hard by the storm, throughout this section of the country. Heavy washouts occurred on the B. & M. at Farewell and Schaupps. The Union Pacific tracks were covered with water at Dannebrog and train service on both roads were delayed for several hours, the B. & M. being the hardest hit, their Saturday trains not getting through until late Sunday afternoon.

THAT SALOON PETITION.

The board of supervisors met Monday afternoon to hear the remonstrance against issuing a saloon license to Edward Oltman at Schaupps. It appearing that no short hand reporter could be obtained to take notes of the case, until Tuesday, the board postponed the hearing until two p. m. Tuesday. Remonstrators objected, but were overruled.

Board met at two p.m. Tuesday, and as a stenographer was present to take down the notes of the case, the hearing of the remonstrance against said petition was begun. It was a long tedious process. The board was in session Tuesday evening and all day Wednesday. A number of witnesses were called by both sides, and at times the tilts between the lawyers were very lively.

The list of freeholders signing the petition was gone over carefully and a number were challenged, both sides agreeing upon about seventy-five of the signers as being all right before the hearing begun. Last arguments were made by attorneys Wednesday evening and after a few minutes deliberation the board decided that as the applicant, Edward Oltman, had the required number of freeholders on his petition, and as the notice had been published and circulated according to law, the prayer for an issuance of a saloon license at Schaupps was granted. License fee was fixed at \$500.

Remonstrators excepted, and have ten days in which to file an appeal to the district court if they wish to do so.

Born—On Saturday, June the 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Coley, a boy.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Burr Robbins, on Monday, June 21, an 11 pound girl.

Mrs. Harry Miller and children returned to their home at Scotia yesterday noon after spending the past week here with Mrs. Miller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Daily.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

May God open our eyes to our responsibility to our girls! Let us realize that we are training the mothers of the future and making the homes of the coming age.

Richardson County got 3721 pledge signers in one day, the result of thoroughly organized work. And yet some people tell us they do not believe in organized Sunday school work.

Teach a child to see himself in relation to the universe, not the universe in relation to himself.

55,000 people attended the County Sunday School Conventions in Nebraska the past year.

You have not taught a lesson until the pupil has lived your teaching. The Sunday School is the biggest educational institution in all the world. It touches all ages of life, the Cradle Roll, Beginners, Primary, Adults. There are over 180,000 officers and teachers in North America, and over 20,000,000 pupils enrolled in classes.

A rut is the grave with the ends knocked out.

There was on exhibition at Broken Bow an old rooster dutifully raising his second flock of little chickens. A sign on the pen said: "Ma's gone to the Suffrage Club." Truly this is a wonderful age in which we live!

Imagination is the power to put one's self in the place of another and view life from his standpoint. Parents and teachers should use

CASH STORE

On and after July 1st this store will be strictly cash. We are convinced that we can save our customers money by the cash system.

We trust that by the reduced prices we will be able to make by selling for cash, we will retain all our old customers and make many new ones.

Produce will be paid for in cash.

William Lewandowski

their imagination frequently and get the child's viewpoint. It will help the child's viewpoint. It will help unravel many a knotty problem.

Sherman County had the honor of winning the Conquest Flag for having the largest number of delegates at the State Convention outside of Custer County. There were thirty-five Sherman county delegates and we were mighty proud of them even if there were only nine from Loup City district. Get the vision.

Mrs. A. R. Willard, of Chicago, Illinois, and Mrs. Ben Castellini, of Livingston Montana, sisters of Mrs. Viola Odendahl, arrived here Tuesday evening for a visit at the Frederick hotel. Miss Irene Comer arrived here last evening from Hastings, having finished her studies there.

W. J. Fisher and daughter Blanche, went to Rockville this morning on a pleasure and business trip.

Miss Mable Barnes went to Lincoln this morning for a short visit with friends.

W. S. Waite was a business visitor to Palmer and Erickson, Nebraska, this morning.

Henry Christensen left this morning for Torrington Wyoming where he goes to look after his homestead.

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

The spirit of brotherly love is not dead in this community was ably demonstrated Monday.

A citizen of ours who has spent much time and money in creating a place of beauty for the people to enjoy and take pride in, has met with considerable misfortune at various times, when the results of his money and labor were carried away in a single night. The latest misfortune occurred last Saturday morning, during the terrible storm which did so much damage in town and country. Flood waters rushed through the beautiful little park leaving it in a bad condition and doing considerable damage.

A number of citizens got together, and decided that as the work of getting the park back into shape, was of such nature that it has practically all got to be done by the builder himself, as the artistic effect can not be achieved by one who does not understand the work. So it was agreed to take up a collection, J. D. O'Bryan taking the paper around and in a very short time collecting \$110.00 which he turned over to Mr. Jenner that day. That Mr. Jenner was surprised is putting it mildly. It was not the money so much as the good fellowship and good will that the gift expresses.

A man has accomplished great things without aid of any kind, meeting reverse after reverse and this little help comes in a time when it will help the most, especially showing that the efforts of a builder is appreciated.

Several citizens are also trying to devise a way to help Mr. Jenner to control the flood waters of the little stream that flows through the park, so that it will in the future be free from the danger of flooding after the heavy rains that occasionally visit this section of the country. Let the good work go on.

BOND ELECTION NEXT TUESDAY

Whether Loup City Builds New School Building or Not to be Decided on that Day. Little Interest Manifested. Report of Annual School Meeting.

The legal voters of this school districts are called upon to vote upon a bond proposition on Tuesday, June 29th. The publishers of the Northwestern have heard many arguments both for and against the proposition of voting \$30,000 for the construction of a new school building, and we are in no position to advise the voters one way or the other on the proposition. Some claim that this district cannot support a building to cost that sum, while others make the claim that the amount of the bonds asked for are very reasonable and that many towns much smaller than this have school buildings that cost a great deal more than \$30,000. A few announce that they are going to vote one way or the other through spite, but we do not care to discuss this way of voting. The fact remains that something must be done, and done very soon, for the school building will not begin to accommodate all the pupils and two buildings were rented for school purposes the past year, besides housing a number of youngsters in a poorly lighted basement, a condition that should not be tolerated. Some want to expend \$12,000 or \$15,000 in building an addition to the old building, while others claim that to spend this sum of money for that purpose would be worse than useless, for an old building remodeled this way would not be satisfactory. So there you are. We have tried to give the arguments as we have them. One fact remains, however, and that is something must be done to remedy conditions mentioned above. It is up to the people to see that the children who go to school here in the future get the privileges and benefits that they are entitled to, and all should vote next Tuesday

regardless as to how they stand on the bond question, so that the school board can determine upon what method to pursue to alleviate the conditions here.

The report of the annual school meeting that was held on Monday, June 14th, was crowded out of last week's Northwestern, so we publish it this week. The terms of E. G. Taylor and S. N. Sweetland had expired, and Mr. Taylor was re-elected, J. B. O'Bryan succeeding Mr. Sweetland. The term of school was fixed at nine months, to begin the first week in September. The first, or primary grade was divided into morning and afternoon classes, as the grade has too many to conveniently house and take care of at one time. The last of the bonded indebtedness was paid off, a small levy being made out of the general fund for that purpose. A balance of \$4,000 was reported in the treasury. It was voted to raise \$8,000 for the coming year's expenses. The report of the treasurer is as follows: Paid teachers salaries.....\$7,200.00 Repairs..... 241.45 Fuel..... 634.31 School supplies..... 587.31 New desks..... 139.97 Janitor..... 550.00 Officers salary..... 110.00 Other general expense..... 879.48 Total..... 10,333.68 Balance in treasury at beginning of year..... 8,147.91 Received as tuition..... 453.00 Taxes..... 4,500.00 Total..... 13,100.91

NOTICE.

Parties dumping rubbish along the highways leading into Loup City will hereafter be prosecuted and fined according to law.—Lou Schwaner, Township Clerk.

Some men are men, while others travel around in men's clothes.

Prices for Comparison

We have the Sears, Roebuck & Co. catalog for April and May, and in it we have looked up prices for comparison, and below we give you some of their prices with the freight added and opposite you will find our prices:

Sears Roebuck & Co.	Loup City Merc. Co.
Vermicelli—Revera Brand—3 1-pound packages vermicelli for 24c	3 1-pound packages of Skinner's vermicelli..... 25c
Add freight to Loup City..... 2	6 1-pound packages vermicelli..... 45c
Cost you..... 26c	
6 1-pound packages vermicelli..... 47c	
Freight to Loup City..... 4	
51c	
Sears Roebuck & Co.	Loup City Merc. Co.
Early June canned peas—Montclare brand—3 cans June peas at Chicago..... 32c	Early June canned peas—Overland brand—3 cans early June peas..... 35c
Freight to Loup City..... 5	6 cans early June peas..... 65c
37c	
6 cans early June peas..... 63c	
Freight to Loup City..... 10	
73c	
Kingston brand corn syrup—1 gallon corn syrup at Chicago..... 42c	Council Oak brand corn syrup 1 gallon Council Oak brand corn syrup..... 50c
Freight to Loup City..... 9	
51c	
Corn starch at Chicago—3 packages corn starch..... 15c	Corn starch at Loup City—3 1-pound packages corn starch..... 15c
Freight to Loup City..... 2	
17c	
Family Flour.	
Montclare brand—1 sack family flour at Chicago..... 1.93	Bakers choice flour Loup City—1 sack Bakers choice..... \$1.60
Freight to Loup City..... 38	
2.31	
Revera brand oatmeal at Chicago 1 4 pound package oatmeal..... 21c	1 4-pound first prize package oatmeal..... 25c
Freight to Loup City..... 3	
24c	

We also buy your produce and pay the highest market price. Try us.

Loup City Merc. Co.

Celebrate July 4th

AT

Arcadia

ON

Saturday, July 3rd

Deposits in this bank have the additional security of the Depositors Guarantee Fund of the State of Nebraska.

ARE YOU ONE?

Some people think banks are solely for the use and benefit of those having a large income. It is true that people having comfortable incomes use banks for the safety and protection afforded, but isn't the safety and protection of your income just as vital to you as the safety and protection of the larger sum is to those having larger incomes? Come in and let us show you in what ways the use of this bank will help you.

LOUP CITY STATE BANK

Loup City, Nebraska.

We pay 5 percent interest on time deposits