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## THE NORTHWESTERN

### A Few Market Quotations.

Corn, per bu.	48 @ .50
Wheat, per bu.	.86
Oats, per bu.	.38 @ .40
Rye, per bu.	.40
Butter, per lb.	.17 @ .20
Eggs, per doz.	.20
Hens, per lb.	.05
Spring chickens, per lb.	.05

### Local News.

#### Notice to Our Readers.

According to a recent ruling of the postoffice department, all subscriptions to weekly newspapers must not be in arrears more than one year to entitle the publisher to the second class rate of postage on his paper. This being the case, all subscriptions to the Northwestern may hereafter be dropped when the payment is one or more years in arrears. We dislike very much to have to do this, but if we allow subscriptions to run longer unpaid, we must, according to the autocrats of the department, affix a one-cent stamp to any such subscription each week, which of course cannot be afforded at the low rate of one dollar per year. Hence, if you do not receive your copy of the Northwestern hereafter you may know you are in arrears for one year or more, and this is a courteous request for any such to come and pay up, if they wish the paper, and all in arrears are urged to settle their back subscription, whether they continue as readers or not. Please do not blame us in this matter, as it is the only course we may pursue.

3 on 62, Ashley Conger, the drayman. Get him.

Loans on Real Estate, call on John W. Long.

Dried peas 5c per pound, at Loup City Mercantile Co.

Phone A. T. Conger, 3 on 62, when in need of a drayman.

Revival meetings are now in progress at the M. E. church.

New York apples \$1.75 per bushel at Loup City Mercantile Co.

Lyman and Earl Pray went back to school at Lincoln last Thursday.

If you want to buy or sell real estate, call on John W. Long.

Does your piano need tuning, or do you want to take violin lessons? See Max Jeffords.

Get your hard and soft coal now, before prices advance, at the Leininger Lumber Co.

Chas. Bennett left for Clarks, Neb., last Saturday to take a position in a drug store at that place.

Ask your flour dealer for a sack of Loup City flour, best grade \$1.40. Every sack guaranteed.

Everybody, and then some, are afflicted with the prevailing colds or la grippe or influenza, or anything you may wish to call the trouble.

When you buy flour, buy the best. The Loup City Mercantile Co. handles the Schuyler and Loup City flour. Every sack is guaranteed.

C. L. Arnett and O. A. Clark, two of the bright young farmers west of town, were pleasant callers at Northwestern headquarters last Saturday.

Ask your grocer or flour dealer for a 5-pound sack (T) Breakfast Food, only 4 cents per pound. Manufactured by Loup City Mill & Light Co.

Mrs. T. M. Reed returned from Litchfield Sunday evening, where she was called a few days since by the serious illness of her friend, Mrs. Betts.

Farmers, we give more pounds of flour per bushel for wheat than any mill near here and every sack guaranteed.

LOUP CITY MILL & LIGHT CO.

Ward VerValin is having strenuous times these days, as his entire family, including his good mother, are and have been on the sick roll for a number of days.

Try German-American coffee once at the Loup City Mercantile Co. Buy this coffee direct from the growers, you save the middleman's profit. Price, 20c, 25c and 40c per pound.

## Compare and Save Freight

Best Schuyler Flour	1.40
Granulated Sugar, 18 pounds	1.00
Dried Peas, per pound	.06
Best Navy Beans, 5 pounds	.25
Two Cans Alaska Red Salmon	.25
Three Cans Alaska Pink Salmon	.25
Five Pounds of Rice for	.25
Three Cans of Corn for	.25
Two Cans of Tomatoes for	.25
Three Packages of Cornflake for	.25
Three Packages Dr. Price's Food	.25
Three Packages Egg-O-See	.25
Eight Bars of Good Laundry Soap	.25
Wisconsin Cheese	.18
Standard Oil	.15
Best Rosine Coal Oil	.23
Potatoes	.85
German-American Coffee	.20 to .40

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## Loup City Mercantile Co.

Don't forget the Curry sale Jan. 29. The sale of the season at Geo. A. Curry's, Jan. 49th.

Miss Lela Chase returned to the State University Monday.

Mrs. E. G. Taylor and children returned home from David City Friday.

A. Sundstrom of Logan township is a new reader of the Northwestern. Thanks.

Miss Zua Reed is visiting friends at Broken Bow, and will be absent perhaps a month.

Fred P. King orders the Northwestern sent to him at Esterbrook, Wyo., for another year. Thanks.

G. O. Toulouse, the popular motorman of the U. P., is a new reader of the Northwestern. Thanks.

Mrs. W. R. Waite and children are down from Valley county, visiting Grandpa and Grandma Grow.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mulick at Ogden, Utah, Monday, Jan. 6th, 1908.

Lee Bros., the popular butchers, are prepared to smoke meats for the farmers. Bring in your orders.

Harry Wokey left this morning for Butte, Montana, to visit his parents, on his way home to Minneapolis.

Farmers, bring in your meats and let Lee Bros. smoke them for you. Best of service will be rendered you.

The usual services will be held at the Presbyterian church next Sunday, both morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

A large number of invitations are out for a reception and entertainment given by the P. E. O.'s at the residence of Mrs. J. T. Hale this afternoon.

The old county board meets today to finish last year's business and make settlement with the county treasurer. The new board meets next Tuesday, the 14th.

Owing to lower prices at the mine, I will sell what Sheridan Lump and egg coal we have on hand at 50c per ton reduction. Call up and buy a ton while it lasts. E. G. TAYLOR.

The terms of district court for this county during the year 1908 are fixed by Judge B. O. Hostetler as follows: February 25, equity term; May 19, jury term; October 27, equity term.

Last Sunday morning was communion service at the Presbyterian church, at which time five new members united on confession of faith, namely: Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Robbins, and Messrs. Chris. Christensen and Ray and Archie Kearns.

The K. of P. boys had a glorious time last night. There was installation of officers, followed by putting Dr. Longacre through the mysteries of the rank of esquire, and later an oyster supper was served. An unusually large number of Sir Knights were present.

The Loup City Mill & Light Co., shipped another car of flour yesterday, this car going to the merchants at Palmer. The mills are running up to midnight of each twenty-four hours, these days, and the number of orders are increasing daily and testing the capacity of the mills to fill them fast enough. Good enough.

Word was received here Sunday last that Mr. C. P. Halbelson of Harrison township, had died that morning of blood poisoning at a sanitarium in Lincoln. We have heard no further particulars. Mr. Halbelson is one of the most prominent, substantial and well-to-do citizens of the west side and leaves a family.

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## Chris Rasmussen Insane

Chris Rasmussen, a farmer living near Hazard, in Scott township, was brought to Loup City, Tuesday morning, by Sheriff Williams, on a complaint made the day previous by his family, represented by his son, Carl Rasmussen, that the father was of unsound mind, and the family wished him brought before the board of insanity. At a hearing Tuesday afternoon, from his actions and from witnesses, he was adjudged insane and yesterday morning was taken to Hastings by the sheriff and two assistants. The previous night at the hotel he was quite boisterous, though not dangerous. His dementia, principally, takes the form that he has been ordained by God to emancipate the laboring man from the oppression of the money power. When taken by the sheriff at Hazard, he had ridden into the village on horseback, at the top of the animal's speed, his reckless riding seeming to be aimless, and when caught by the sheriff tried to ride the horse over that officer, but finally submitted to be taken in charge. He had cunningly escaped from his home before daylight, where he was in charge of several men who were keeping him awaiting the arrival of the sheriff. It is hoped a few months at Hastings will restore his mind. The patient is a well-to-do Danish farmer, with a wife and family of eight children. The evidence given was to the effect that he has been subject to certain illusions noticeable for the past four or five years.

## A Rural Route South.

It is now morally certain that the rural route south from Loup City will be established by the government at a near day. Postmaster Owens has received communication from the department regarding the same and certain matters to be attended to before further consideration of the matter. The same provisions will have to be fulfilled as with the route north, that of 75 families pledged to furnish approved mail boxes and the further fact that on the proposed south route there are five gates on winding road in sections 11, 10, 9 and 4, which will have to be made automatic or removed before said establishment. The proposed route covers the following territory: Starting at the postoffice the carrier will go west to city limits at center of east side of section 13, south to center of east side of section 36, three and a half miles; southeast to southwest corner of section 5, one and three-fourths miles; east 1-2, south 1, east 1-2, south 1, west 1, to southwest corner of section 17, four miles; south 1-2, west 1, south 1-2, west 1, to southwest corner of section 25, four miles; north 2, east 1, north 1, west 1, to southwest corner of section 12, five miles; west, north-west and west to the southwest corner of section 5, four and five-eighths miles; north 1, east 1-2, north 1-2, to center of section 32, two miles; east 1-2, north 1-2, to southwest corner of section 28, one mile; northeast, east on winding road to southwest corner of section 23, four and one-eighth miles; north to center of east side of section 23, one-half mile; east 1, north 1, east 1-2, to Loup City postoffice, two and one-half miles; length of route, thirty-three miles.

Among those receiving late pensions from Uncle Sam, of local interest to our readers, are Clark W. Eaton of Litchfield for \$12, and Wm. Young of Boelus for \$15. You can't give the old soldiers too much of a good thing.

## JOHANSEN'S



## Second Annual Poland China BROOD SOW SALE Thurs., Jan. 16

Johansen's Second Annual Pure-Bred Poland China Brood Sow Sale will be held at the farm, one mile southeast of Loup City on Thursday, Jan. 16, 1908. I will sell at public auction 50 pure-bred Poland China hogs, consisting of forty-one brood sows, one head boar and balance spring boars. Every sow in the sale is guaranteed to be a breeder. If not safe in pig by sale day, they may be returned and re-bred free of charge. I will also sell one brown horse, coming eight years old, weight about 1300 lbs.; seventy-five Plymouth Rock chickens—twenty-five young roosters and fifty hens. Free lunch at farm at noon. Sale begins at 12:30 p. m. sharp.

Terms of Sale—Cash, or bankable note not to exceed eight months, with interest at ten per cent from date until paid. Stock to be shipped will be crated and delivered at depot free of charge. No crates with stock not shipped. H. J. JOHANSEN, Z. S. BRANSON, Owner. JACOB ALBERS, J. S. PEDLER, Auctioneers. Clerk

## Road Notice.

(Hughes Road)  
The commissioner appointed to view and locate a road commencing at the southeast corner of Section six, Township fourteen, Range fourteen and running thence north one mile on section line between Section five and six and running thence west on Section line between Section six, Township fourteen, Range fourteen, and Section 31, thirty-one, township fifteen, Range fourteen, about 18 rods, and terminating at Road No. 178 has reported in favor of the establishment thereof and all claims for damages or objections thereto must be filed in the office of the county clerk of Sherman county on or before noon of the 10th day of March, 1908, or said road will be established without reference to the same.  
Dated this 31st day of December, A. D. 1907.  
C. F. HERRMANN, County Clerk.  
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