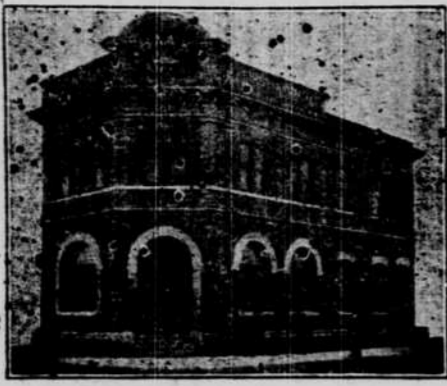


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Wheat, per bu.	.84
Oats, per bu.	.40
Rye, per bu.	.60
Butter, per lb.	.17 @ .20
Eggs, per doz.	.20
Hens, per lb.	.05 1/2
Spring chickens, per lb.	.05 1/2

Local News

Prof. Dale was a victim of la grippe last week.

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

Mrs. Geo. S. Leininger is quite ill with la grippe.

Loans on real estate, call on John W. Long.

Mrs. Betts of Litchfield is a guest of Mrs. T. M. Reed.

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

Sheriff Sutton was down from Ord the first of the week.

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

Miss Beth Zimmerman was quite ill with la grippe the past week.

I will guarantee 27 cents for cream, until further notice.—A. E. CHASE.

If you want to buy or sell Real Estate, call on John W. Long.

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

Banker Titus of Litchfield was doing business in this city on Tuesday of this week.

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

John W. Long is prepared to make all Real Estate Loans on short notice at lowest rates.

Bert Johnson, another one of the enterprising young farmers on the rural route, is a new reader of the Northwestern.

Mrs. Abe Conklin returned to her home at St. Paul last Friday morning, after a few days' visit with Mrs. E. G. Taylor.

Miss Anna Larsen of Aurora arrived last Friday for a week's visit with her brother, Wm. Larsen, of the Loup City Mercantile Co.

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

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.

Some men act on Mondays though the religion they absorbed on Sunday had soured on their stomachs and given them a bad case of spiritual indigestion.

If you employ a traveling piano tuner, you must pay his expenses. I tune pianos for \$2.50. Organs cleaned and repaired at reasonable rates. MAX A. JEFFORDS.

Sam Gallaway was another one of the victims of la grippe last week, but you can't keep a good man down, and he just wore the plaguey thing out, being the best man of the two.

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.

Miss Farm made a good impression in all of her numbers. She has a fine rich voice which she uses to advantage.—Indianapolis News. Recital at the Presbyterian church, Feb. 7th.

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.

A number of the members of our local Masonic lodge went to Sargent Saturday evening last to participate in the funeral obsequies of Mr. Frank Phillips, a member of this lodge, late manager of the Deirks Lumber company of Sargent, who died last week at the sanitarium at Lincoln, the funeral being held Sunday.

Henry Dolling wishes us to state to the patrons of the milk route that he now has plenty of milk to supply all needs. He also states that on and after February 1st, he will sell milk at 3 cents per pint or 5 cents per quart. He also will have cream to supply the demand from this time on.

Compare and

Save Light

Granulated Sugar, 18 pounds for	1.00
Dried Peas, per pound	.05
Best Navy Beans, 5 pounds for	.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

We buy this Coffee direct from the Growers. Cut out the middle man's profit. Try our Coffee.

Loup City Mercantile Co.

Rev. McEwen has been suffering from a severe attack of lumbago.

W. G. McNulty is enjoying a visit from his father, who arrived last Friday from his home in Kansas.

Mrs. Bid Taylor came up from Council Bluffs Monday evening for a few week's visit with her parents.

R. D. Hendrickson is reported quite ill with la grippe, having been confined to his home and bed for several days.

Joe Cording was to leave for Fremont this morning to take charge of the prescription department of a drug store in that city.

Word came from Omaha that Miss Adeline Leininger passed through a very successful operation for appendicitis last Sunday and was doing well.

Herman Johansen returned from Lincoln last Saturday evening reporting most interesting sessions of various breeders' conventions he attended during the week in that city.

That prince of mechanics, Will Criss, did some good work on the Northwestern's big newspaper press last Friday. We may now expect the old Campbell to hump itself in better shape.

Among the great number of shoppers in town from over the county last Saturday, was that big hearted granger from Oak Creek, Peter Hansen. We acknowledge a pleasant call while here.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning, Rev. McEwen will take for his subject, "What the Bible Teaches About a Change of Heart." Evening service as usual. A cordial welcome to all.

At a meeting of the school board on Tuesday evening of this week, the resignation of J. B. O'Bryan, as one of the directors was accepted and E. A. Brown elected to fill out the unexpired term.

W. R. Mellor was unanimously re-elected secretary of the Nebraska State Fair Association at Lincoln last week, with an added \$500 to the yearly salary. Carry the news to the dinky little yellow.

The Ladies' Industrial Society will meet Wednesday, Feb. 5th, at the home of Mrs. Gus Lorentz. At the meeting a new plan will be followed. All the ladies of the congregation are invited to come and enjoy themselves.

Among the good readers who remembered the Northwestern the past few days is Henry Wrehe of Ashton, who sends us \$5 which places him among those who have paid farthest ahead on subscription. Thanks to such earnest friends of this paper, who show their friendship in such a tangible manner.

Our old sailor friend, Benj. Nelson of Washington township, gave us a pleasant call last Saturday. Uncle Ben, with his two score of years plowing the briny deep, is a good weather prognosticator, but in his predictions of last Saturday did not take into consideration that Nebraska weather can not always be told in advance.

Miss Tekla Farm in grand opera has risen in one season. Previous to her connection with the Savage Company last fall Miss Farm was one of Detroit's most prominent church and concert singer's and her sweet, full soprano voice has charmed many local audiences. She is an upper peninsula girl.—Detroit News. At the Presbyterian church, Friday evening, Feb. 7th. Tickets on sale at Conhiser's.

A. M. Robbins was called to Chicago this morning by the sad news of the death of his brother, Burr Robbins, the great showman, who died there yesterday. Burr Robbins was probably one of the greatest showmen of his day, but retired from the circus business in 1886, and since that time has devoted his energies and fortune, which is estimated as high as eight millions, to private financial business enterprises. There are perhaps few of the grown-up people of today but have seen his great circus in its palmiest days.

The following new and old subscribers of the Northwestern have remembered the paper financially since last report. Just as we have said before, the Northwestern is blessed with most loyal readers one could ask: C. M. Snyder, Henning Clausen, Mrs. Clemma Conger, H. Ransink, Otto Petersen, H. A. Jung, H. J. Johansen, L. B. Milligan, Ray McFadden, L. J. Bechtold, J. O. Douglas, Andrew Jones, Frank Foster, E. Brewer, H. J. Ter, H. J. Burtner, Emil Shumann, Wm. Criss, Benj. Nelson, Peter Hansen, Mrs. Nora C. Vandorn, Salem, Ore., R. J. Nightingale, Henry Wrehe, D. C. Grow, C. E. Hatch, Bert Johnson, D. W. Titus, John Taylor, Julius Buss.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Shumann were pleasant callers at the Northwestern office last Friday, while in the city doing some trading.

Miss Farm has an unusually sweet voice of great power and her numbers draw instant and long continued applause at each performance.—Utica, (N. Y.) Dispatch. At the Presbyterian church, Friday evening, Feb. 7th. Tickets on sale at Conhiser's.

A newspaper may boom a town through its editorial and news columns, but a critical observer looks at the advertising columns for substantial evidence of push and life. To him they are thermometers registering the intensity of public warmth; they are the pulse which indicates the healthy condition of the healthy body of the people; they tell him whether or not the community is up to the times in business matters.—Ex.

E. Brewer, in remitting from Salt Lake for another year and up to Jan. 1, 1909, for the Northwestern, wishes his name classed among the subscribers who have been readers of the Northwestern since its birth. All right, Father Brewer, your name has been placed on the honorary roll. Who will be the next to add his name to that list. It is growing, and when we publish the names we want every one who has taken the paper from the date of its first issue to the present represented.

Added interest was taken in the usual musical program at the Presbyterian church last Sunday by the addition of another quartet to the old quartet, which is expected to be a permanent feature in the church services hereafter. If there is anything the church takes an unusual interest in, it is the singing, and nothing is left undone to make that of especial interest to the congregation. Come next Sunday and hear the music and see if it has not taken on more and sweeter tones.

Mr. N. P. Neilson, who for a number of years had been a successful farmer near Boelus, last fall purchased the J. C. Sorensen half section of land some six miles southwest of Loup City and moved thereon. He has just finished a \$1,000 home, ready for the spring work. Of course he has also added his name to our big list of first-class readers, and we have no other kind and will prove a valuable addition to the goodly number of first-class tillers of the soil adjacent to Loup City.

The editor's son, Frank W. Burleigh, who for the past three years has been stationed at Fortress Monroe, Virginia, in the Coast Artillery, is very happy over the fact that March 12th next will see the close of his service for Uncle Sam, when he will return home to stay. He writes that it will be one of the happiest moments of his life when he will receive his honorable discharge papers and be free to return home. He will return via Washington and St. Louis to Omaha, where a glad father will meet him and then on home where a happy family will be once more reunited. He will on his arrival take a position with the Sherman County Telephone company.

Postmaster W. T. Owens desires to call attention to the practice of some patrons of rural delivery of placing loose coins in their boxes each time they desire to dispatch letters instead of supplying themselves with postage in advance of their needs. This practice imposes undue hardship on rural carriers in removing loose coins from boxes and delays them on the service of their routes. The postmaster, therefore, urgently requests that patrons of rural delivery provide themselves and keep on hand a supply of stamps consistent with and in advance of their needs. It is also very desirable that rural patrons place in their mail boxes detachable cups of wood or tin in which to place coins, when necessary, in purchasing supplies of stamps.

We print several notices this week complimentary of Mrs. B. P. McKinnie's great success in the musical world in the past, as Miss Tekla Farm, previous to her marriage to Mr. McKinnie. We also present a picture of Mrs. McKinnie, taken while in active musical life. The recital to be given by Mr. and Mrs. McKinnie next week Friday evening is sure to be the greatest musical event ever occurring in Loup City, and judging by the successful sale of tickets so far, the Presbyterian church will be filled to its utmost capacity to hear these talented musicians. Our people having heard them in solo and duet work in the churches of our city and at various social functions of late know they will be given a rare musical treat. They will be assisted by Mrs. R. P. Starr. Get your tickets early at Conhiser's. The Northwestern will publish the program next week.

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Chipped Dried Beef, tin can	.12
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Barrington-Hall Steel Cut Coffee	.35
Red Rose and Old Time Coffee, per lb	.25
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Smoked Salmon, per lb	.10
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