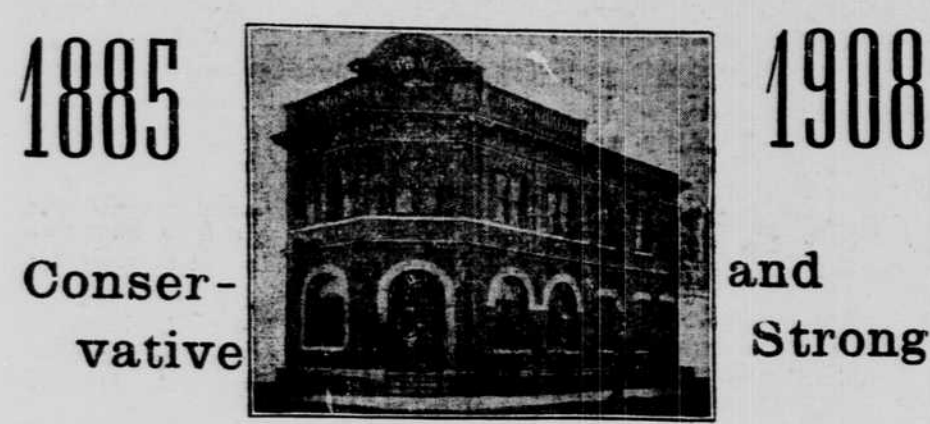


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Real Estate and all classes of loans made promptly at lowest rates, with optional payments.

THE NORTHWESTERN
A Few Market Quotations.
Corn, per bu. 48 @ .50
Wheat, per bu. 86 @ .88
Oats, per bu. 40 @ .42
Rye, per bu. 62
Butter, per lb. 20
Eggs, per doz. 22
Hens, per lb. 07 1/2
Spring chickens, per lb. 09 1/2

LOCAL NEWS.
Bring your hides to Lee Bros. to be tanned.
Did you get a bushel basket at the Little Boston?
Personal taxes will become delinquent Dec. 1st.
Phone A. T. Conger, 3 on 62, when in need of a dravman.
Don't forget, Lee Bros. is the place to get choicest of meats.
Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Leininger were Lincoln visitors last week.
I will guarantee 27c for butter fat if you want and pay cash.—A. E. CHASE.

John W. Long is prepared to make all Real Estate Loans on short notice at lowest rates.
Miss Louise Taylor went to Omaha last Saturday to have her eyes treated.
The Ravenna Creamery Co. will pay 27 cents for butter fat till further notice.
Take your butter and eggs to Conhiser's, where you can get anything you want.
Farm loans made on short notice and at reasonable rates by A. L. Zimmerman.

Joe Cording brought his wife and baby over from Litch field Sunday returning home Monday.
Get your storm windows and doors at the Leininger Lumber Co. and be ready for cold weather.
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor of St. Paul were guests over last Sunday with their son, E. G. Taylor, and family.
We still have plenty of feed of all kinds for sale. Farmers bring your wheat and exchange for flour.
LOUP CITY MILL & LIGHT CO.
When in need of flour ask your dealer for Loup City flour and you will be convinced that they have the quality and their prices are no higher than other flour. If this is true you should buy flour made by your home mill.

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It is to your interest to examine the fine line of Haviland and hand painted china at Jeffords' while selecting your Christmas presents. Their price is way below the average price on this class of fine goods. Anything selected will be laid away for you until Christmas.
Following is the regular jury panel for this term of court: Joe Kabisher, George Whitaker, Louis Rein, Sam Daddow, John Vandegrift, G. S. Leininger, Chris Otjenbruns, Chris Eberie, W. D. Garner G. W. Lang, John Zwick, J. Pleasance, Wm. Newman, L. N. Smith, J. A. Arnett, Robert Dinsdale, W. H. Hughes, J. J. Elise, Ed. Angier, Wm. Lewandowski, O. G. Hanisch, S. Foss, John de la Motte and B. A. McDowell.

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Grocery Department

We have the business, because we sell for Small Profits and give the best quality for the money.
A nice broken Japanese Rice, 5 lbs. for. 25c
No. 1 Mexican Head Rice, 3 lbs. for. 25c
A good bulk Coffee, per lb. 15c
New California Dried Apricots, per pound. 15c
New California Dried Peaches per pound. 15c
Nice Norway 3kkk Herring, 3 lbs. for. 25c
Nice White Fish, 3 pounds for only. 25c
Dr. Pierce's Breakfast Food, 3 packages for. 25c
Maze-All Breakfast Food, 3 packages for. 25c
GERMAN-AMERICAN COFFEE, best coffee for the money. We buy this coffee direct from the growers, whereby we save the middle-man's profit. **Our Leaders, 20c and 25c.** When you once try this coffee, you will use no other.

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Chas. H. A. Boldt, BRICK WORK DONE, PLASTERING a SPECIALTY Hazard, Nebr.

Notice to Our Patrons.
Chas. H. Berry, agent for J. R. Watkins' Remedies, will be in your neighborhood soon.
Take your poultry to the Little Boston.
For farm loans call on A. L. Zimmerman.
Lee Bros. pay the highest market price for hides.
Mr. Jacob Albers is now bailiff of the district court.
Paul Heizer of Hazard had business here Tuesday.
J. M. Czaplewski still handles Grand Island hog wire.
Mrs. Ed. Angier returned from her visit to Iowa yesterday.
It might be beneficial to you to call at the Little Boston.
Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Reynolds were Grand Island visitors today.
The best line of whips in town at J. M. Czaplewski's hardware.
Miss Hattie Froehlich made a business trip to Grand Island this morning.
The inside painting and papering of the Baptist church will be finished this week.
Miss Effie Moon made a business trip to Alliance last Friday, returning Saturday.
L. H. Spahr does all kinds of repair work at J. M. Czaplewski's hardware store. Call and see him.
Thanksgiving service at the Baptist church on Sunday morning. Special music. All are welcome.
A baby boy was born Tuesday, Nov. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burt of Clay township. Congratulations.
Take our advice and see "Three Years in Arkansas." It's a sure cure for the blues. Opera house, Nov. 28.
The pool hall in the Herschlag building is to be re-papered and repainted and put in first-class shape.
Don't go to "Three Years in Arkansas" unless you want to laugh. It is no play for a pessimist to see. At Pilger's opera house, Saturday, Nov. 28.
Chris Christensen and bride returned home Monday from their visit to Dannebrog, and Tuesday went to housekeeping in the Dick Baker cottage.
Rev. McIntosh of Baltimore, Md., will preach for the Presbyterians of this city next Sunday, both morning and evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.
Mrs. B. T. Snyder returned home the 7th instant from her protracted visit to her daughter in Colorado. When we scolded Uncle Snyder for not reporting the fact to us in time for last week's paper, he made the very plausible excuse that he was too happy over her home-coming to remember the editor.

Married, Wednesday, Nov. 11, 1908, in Loup City, County Judge Pedler officiating, Mr. John Haller and Miss Sina Ladegard, both of near Litchfield. The notice came to us too late to make an item last week, but not too late for the Northwestern to print the same this week and add good wishes for the future happiness and prosperity of these well known young people of the west side of the county.
There are shows, and shows, and there more shows, but none that have received the universally warm reception that has been accorded Perce R. Benton's "Three Years in Arkansas," which appears at Pilger's opera house Saturday, Nov. 28. Everywhere that it has been it has not only met with the warmest of receptions, but has left behind that feeling of thorough satisfaction which comes after witnessing a finished production. What more can be said of any play. To satisfy the public is to have attained success and that is what "Three Years in Arkansas" has done everywhere. The theatre going public has universally set the seal of approval upon the production and pronounced it one of this season's successes.

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A letter received a few days since by the editor's wife from Miss Ella R. Long in Chicago, speaks of her entertaining Miss Edith Smith for a few days on the latter's way to visit in the far east.
The Industrial society will meet at the home of Mrs. G. W. Collier next Tuesday afternoon. All the ladies are urged to be present as this will be the last time to meet with her before they leave for their new home.
Editor Brown preached at Arcadia last Sunday, morning and evening. We'll bet a jug of sweet apple cider, no stronger, please, that we can name one editor who will some of these days change the pen for the pulpit. But we are not speaking advisedly, though; merely relying on symptoms
Mr. Ed. Youngquest of Hamilton county, who owns a farm in Logan township a few miles north of this city, has just finished a new residence on his land and Monday moved his goods up from Aurora and will actively take charge of his holdings. He is a cousin of the Youngquest boys and Mrs. D. L. Jacoby.
Rev. Chas. L. Bragaw of Palmyra, this state, delivered two very able addresses last Sunday at the Presbyterian church in this city. Rev. Bragaw has for years been a missionary among the negroes of the South, and also for a term of years a worker in the slum districts of the southern cities, and on Sunday evening gave a most interesting lecture on the negro question from a southern man's standpoint, he being born in Alabama and educated in the southland. He is a most talented gentleman.

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Come in and see us. WE PAY the HIGHEST MARKET PRICE for PRODUCE.

Examination Free PARKINS, the EYE MAN

I will be in Loup City at the St. Elmo hotel, Tuesday, Dec. 1st, and will make regular monthly visits on the first Tuesday of every month.
I have been in this business at Ord for the last 8 years, having fitted upwards of 4,000 pairs of Glasses and feel safe in saying that every wearer of **Parkins' Glasses** is my friend. In coming to Loup City I fully intend to build just such a solid and lasting business as I now have at Ord.
I fully realize what I must do to realize this. 1st, I must have a thorough knowledge of the eye. 2nd, A careful and accurate method of examining your eyes. 3rd, a right business policy. I must do business with you and treat you in such a way that you will be my friend. Am fully confident I can fulfill all of these conditions.

Along R. R. No. 1.
L. A. Williams drove R. F. D. No. 1 last week Wednesday.
A. L. Baillie was hauling wood to R. J. Nightingale Monday and Tuesday.
Miss Velva Fross stayed out of school Tuesday and helped her mother with threshers.
L. Hayden was at Loup City Tuesday.
Please don't let your time run out on your daily paper.
John Haller and Miss Sina Ladegard of Litchfield were married at Loup City last week Wednesday by J. S. Pedler. Both parties are well known south of the route on Clear Creek.
Henry Apple was trading at the county seat Saturday.
Clarence Sweetland carried the mail on No. 1 Friday.
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School Notes.
The foot ball team will play their return game with Ravenna next Saturday. We hope a goodly number will accompany them.
Rev. Bragaw gave an interesting address on "Unselfishness" last Monday at chapel.
The final examination in book keeping will be given Friday.
The second of the preliminary debates was given last Friday evening. The decision of the judges were Earl Pray, first; Emma Rowe, second; Christian Sorensen, third; Clifford Rein, fourth.
The Freshmen organized their class last week, electing Frances Corning, president; Delmar Draper, vice president, and Marie Ohlsen, secretary and treasurer.
Clifford Thornton entered the 8th grade this week.
There is a need of juvenile books for the primary grades in the library.
High School room No. 2 are devising ways and means by which they may obtain pictures for their rooms.

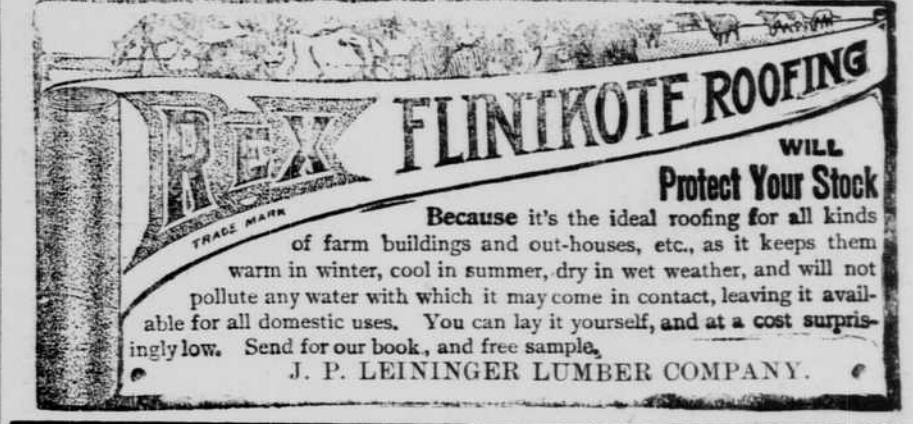
You Need to Know More
About up-to-date Sunday school methods and the county convention of all the Sunday schools of Sherman county is the place to get this knowledge. Dec. 2 and 3 is the date at Loup City. Every up-to-date school in the county will be represented at this convention.
Dispatches to the dailies Sunday morning last, gave the hardly credible information that the jury in the case of Haggarty, on trial for the murder of James Keith, at Sidney, returned a verdict of not guilty against the murderer, the day previous, after being out some thirty hours. If reports given of the killing at the time it was committed were correct, it is a most aggravating case of miscarriage of justice. No wonder there is so much mob law over the country.
An observant Nebraska mule noticed that his master, who was very short on hair, was much bothered by flies lighting on his bald crown, so much so that he frequently expressed himself in language that was unbecoming to a pillar of the church militant. The mule thinking to make himself useful, watched until a fly settled down on his master's dome of thought and then let fly with his right foot for the purpose of knocking the fly off, saying as he did so: "I will just knock the tar out of that infernal fly and win the last gratitude of my master." The kick killed the fly. It was some little time before the bald headed man recovered consciousness but instead of praising the mule as that animal had expected, he gathered up a club and beat him to a fare-you-well. Then the mule went to a horse that was pasturing in the same field and complained of the lack of appreciation shown by his master, saying: "I killed the fly that was feeding on his bald head, but instead of thanking me for my generous act of friendship, he broke my rib with a club." "My long-eared friend," said the horse as he took another nip of alfalfa, "friendship is all right, but you may learn after while that there is such a thing as being too blamed effusive."
Moral—A friend without sense is liable to do more harm than good.

Word Curiosities.
An interesting word group in which the entire alphabet is put into seven words, and only 32 letters are used, is: "Burst, fed, flange, quip, vim, hack, zyxomma." This is the smallest number of words that the alphabet can be included in.
Two intelligible sentences, however, of eight words and 32 letters apiece have been found. They are: "Quick brown fox jumps over the lazy dog."
"Pack my box with five dozen liquor jugs."
The first sentence is often used in testing the types on typewriters, on account of the shortness and the fact that it includes every letter and has the advantage of making sense.—New York Press.

Just Wait.
Every age the poor are better off, says a hopeful and optimistic preacher. Yes, all they have to do is to wait a few ages.

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Because it's the ideal roofing for all kinds of farm buildings and out-houses, etc., as it keeps them warm in winter, cool in summer, dry in wet weather, and will not pollute any water with which it may come in contact, leaving it available for all domestic uses. You can lay it yourself, and at a cost surprisingly low. Send for our book, and free sample.
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School Land Auction.
The following described lands in Sherman county will be offered for lease at public auction at the county treasurer's office, Saturday, November 21, 1908, at 10:00 a. m.
Terms of leasing and appraised value may be had on application to the county treasurer or to the Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings at Lincoln.
SE 36-13-13.
NE 36-15-16.
W-2 16-16-16.
H. M. EATON
Commissioner Public Lands and Buildings.



The Death Angel has again entered our midst. On last Thursday evening, Nov. 12th, the five months old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Gilbert passed from a world of pain to one of rest. The little one had never been strong and died after a short illness. The funeral was held last Saturday, a number of friends gathering at the home and after singing "Nearer, My God to Thee," a passage of scripture was read and prayer offered, after which services were held at the Baptist church by D. W. James the pastor, and the remains laid to rest in the Moon cemetery west of town. The ladies of Royal Neighbor lodge were there to express their sympathy by taking part in the service. The bereaved family have the assurance that many friends remember them in their hour of sorrow.

Is Your School a Banner?
It takes a (1) report to the county association, (2) a contribution from your school to the county association of five cents per member, (3) a delegate to the county convention. Don't let your school keep the whole county back. Sincerely yours,
Mrs. Ed Angier, County Secretary.

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Long, lengthy fellows, and a few
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Dr. Price's Food, 3 for 25c
Egg-O-See, 3 for - 25c
Grape Nuts, 2 for - 25c
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Apricots new, 15c lb, 2 for 25c
Flour and Feed Combined:
Kearney High Patent, \$1.40
Boelus Big B Flour - 1.40
Auror Cream Patent - 1.40
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