

All who are still owing me accounts will please call and settle before Jan. 1st, as I will need all money due me to meet my accounts coming due Jan. 1st.
Yours Respectfully,
P. O. REED.

THE NORTHWESTERN

THURSDAY, DEC. 28, 1905.

A Few Market Quotations.

Cattle, per 100 lbs.	\$3.00@3.40
Hogs, per 100 lbs.	4.00
Corn, per bu.	.29@.30
Wheat, per bu.	.51@.63
Oats, per bu.	.19½@.22½
Rye, per bu.	.45@.51
Eggs, per doz.	.22
Butter, per lb.	.20

Local News.

Come and see us in our new office under the First National Bank.

Miss Jessie Culley came home from school last Friday for the holiday vacation.

Parties having watches repaired by G. H. Morgan, can get same at W. H. Morgan's residence.

D. M. Gue and family on Monday went to Central City to spend Christmas with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mathew and Mr. Robert Mathew spent Christmas with relatives near Arcadia.

Tom and Jerry kept open house Christmas in Loup City and entertained their host of friends.

Editor Brown and family ate Christmas plum pudding with Mr. and Mrs. Nick Daddow on Wiggle Creek.

Master Joe and Irene Comer arrived from Columbus to spend the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. Dr. Odendahl.

See great Caesar's ghost at Pilger's Opera House, Wednesday, Jan. 3d. Reserved seats now on sale at Conhiser's.

Our Baptist friends had a Christmas tree at their church last Sunday evening, at which time appropriate services were held.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. ... and ... Mello and incidentally greeted many of their old time friends.

W. B. Mellor and J. W. Long returned from Omaha and Lincoln, last Saturday evening, where they had been for a few days on business.

Treasurer-elect Hiddleston and family are now residents of this city, having moved to town and into their property purchased of Wes McCombs.

Wilbur Waite informs us that it will be impossible now for he and family to take their trip to Mexico on account of the continued illness of his good mother

Roy Beers was down from Sarjent over Christmas.

FOR SALE: A 4 hole corn sheller, nearly new. See T. M. Reed.

E. H. Draper and wife left Saturday last for a visit with friends at Wichita, Kansas, over the holidays.

W. J. Fisher is enjoying a visit from his sister, Mrs. A. J. Eorgan, and little daughter, of Stewart, Iowa.

Dr. S. A. Allen left for Council Bluffs Bluffs last Saturday to visit with his good mother over Christmas.

C. H. Brown of Farwell, accompanied by his wife and children, visited over Christmas with his sister, Mrs. E. G. Taylor, and family, returning home yesterday.

Wm. Christensen, from Akron, Iowa, arrived here last Friday on a visit to his father, R. L. Christensen. He will stay till after the sale, and then go with his father on his contemplated trip to Arkansas.

Our good friend, J. C. Sorensen, is another of the great and good that helped save our life the next day after Christmas, helping to make us independent of our creditors. May his shadow never grow less.

Many family re-unions were held hereabouts Christmas, one of the merriest being at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Seipmann, relatives to the number of nearly a quarter of a hundred feasting on the good things provided by the genial hostess for the occasion.

We received a pleasant call last Thursday from our good friend, Tom Burton. Tom has been nursing a bad hand the past week from what nearly turned out to be blood poisoning from a scratch on the hand by a barbed wire. But fortunately is about all right again. Tom has just finished a good sized corn crib and granary, and feels pretty good over the result.

The announcement that Mr. Sanford Dodge, reported by Miss Rose Curry and a clever company of players will appear at Pilger's Opera House, Loup City, Wednesday, Jan. 3d, 1906, in the greatest of Shakespeare's tragedies, Julius Caesar, should be hailed with delight by all patrons of the best dramatic offerings at the local play house. This production of Julius Caesar is the first to make the smaller sized cities, and that Mr. Dodge offers it is sufficient guarantee that the great play will have a creditable presentation. The attraction is worthy of the very best patronage and should be accorded a crowded house. Reserved seats now on sale at Conhiser's.

See C. E. Mellor about a new well. Phone R 13, T. M. Reed, The Implement Dealer.

Ella Taylor is home from school for the holidays.

Just step in and see our stock of Canned Goods. ODEDAHL BROS.

B. J. Swanson left last Saturday morning for a trip to Colorado.

Dr. J. H. Long went to Omaha, Saturday to take in the Christmas doings.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mellor entertained a select number of friends Christmas in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Pyke of Omaha.

W. H. Brown and his daughter, Mrs. J. F. Zellenger, accompanied by her two children, arrived from David City last Friday for a week's visit with their sister, Mrs. E. G. Taylor, and family.

The day after Christmas, when the editor, of course, was broke. Albert Anderson hastened to cheer him up with some of Uncle Sam's tonic, and the effect was magical. Try it, some of you other good people.

THE NORTHWESTERN office has finally moved into its new quarters, from which it greets its many readers and friends with this issue. On New Year's day The Northwestern will keep open office, and hereby asks its many friends to give a fraternal call on that day, when we hope to be nicely settled and "At Home" to all.

Mr. G. T. Kinzer, of Boise, Idaho, brother-in-law of Walter Smith, who has been visiting the latter the past few days, left this morning for Kansas City and Oklahoma, on a further visit to relatives, before returning home. Mr. Kinzer is the possessor of a fine fruit farm near Boise, fine samples from which he presented this office while here.

The play of Julius Caesar is more or less familiar to everyone but more especially is this true of every High school student in the country. What boy has not learned Mark Antony's Oration which stands today, three centuries after it was written, as one of the world's literary models in rhetoric and oratory. It is doubtful whether Shakespeare ever penned anything more beautiful. This famous tragedy at Pilger's Opera House, Wednesday, Jan. 3d, by Sanford Dodge and his company, will no doubt arouse unusual interest here as it has done elsewhere. The version used is the same as that played by the late Edwin Booth and the original text is strictly adhered to. The play is divided into six acts and eleven scenes.

Let C. E. Mellor fix your pump. A new stock of Buggies at T. M. Reed's.

Clarence Sweetland is home for the holidays.

Holiday Books for Ladies, Men, Girls and Boys. ODEDAHL BROS.

G. H. Lindall went up to Callaway, Tuesday, to look after his land.

Draper Bros. have the best line of heating stoves, ranges and base-burners in the county. See them if you need anything in that line.

Morg Ford, an old resident of Loup City, arrived from Cheyenne, Monday evening, for a visit with his sister, Mrs. D. L. Adamson, and family.

The editor is the happiest man in seventeen counties this Christmas week. If you don't believe it, just call at this office and watch us take our ease in an elegant office chair, a present from the best woman on earth—no exceptions, please.

The Christmas tree and entertainment given by our Methodist friends at the opera house Christmas night was a brilliant success. The tree and stage was handsomely decorated, filled with presents and the house was crowded with happy, joyous young and old people to enjoy the evening.

From this time forward, THE NORTHWESTERN is going to take sides with those in favor of an anti-spitting ordinance. In the name of decency, we say to tobacco users and phlegm throwers, use the street for your filth and save the sidewalks for cleanliness. We will have further to say about the matter in the future.

The manufacturers of the New Lightning Feed Grinders will give an exhibition with their machines on January 3 and 4 at Hayhurst's Hardware Store. Bring your grain and have it ground.

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FOR SALE—Full blood Poland-China boars; spring pigs, ready for service. G. W. Holmes, one mile east of the old Fuller ranch, eight miles northwest of Ravenna.

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To Messrs. Gibson & Mathew:

The Harrison Township people would like an explanation of the reason that the "Conklin farm" in Ashton Township, assessed at \$527.00, the "Wm. Jakob" farm in Bristol Township is assessed at \$552.00, the "Arthur Mmshull" farm in Scott Township is assessed at \$416.00 and the "Kettle" farm in Oak Creek Township is assessed at \$508.00; all the above being the choice farms in your favored Townships. When the J. W. Heapy farm in Harrison Township pays on an assessed valuation of \$614.00 and the Wilhem Kohle farm (NE. 1-4-4) is assessed at \$536.00? Was your interest in the reduction of the assessed valuation of your four favored Townships for justice or for votes? Will you explain?
W. R. MELLOR.

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Respt.. **B. M. GASTEYER.**