

UNITED STATES BANK EXAMINERS

Go Carefully over the condition of this bank at different intervals. Depositors' interests are protected first, before any body or anything else. The continued growth of this bank is the best possible evidence that we treat all patrons with courtesy and extend to them every facility to be found in a modern banking institution. Your account is welcome here.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

W. F. Mason, Pres. H. B. Outhouse, Vice-Pres. L. Hansen, Cashier

The Gem Theater

While you are in town come down and visit the Picture Show. Our doors are always open and you are welcome. We run a

Matinee on Saturday Afternoon
Special for Ladies and Children
Next Saturday

We will have 3000 feet of the best pictures ever shown in Loup City. Don't fail to see them.

Change of Pictures Each Night
On Monday night, Oct. 23, we will have a

Concert by Christian Hansen the Scandinavian violinist for the L. O. F. lounge. Come down and spend an hour with us, while you rest.

A. O. LEE, Prop.

THE NORTHWESTERN

LOCAL NEWS.

Dr. Chase made a trip to Omaha last week.

A fine lot of new buggies just received by T. M. Reed.

J. B. O'Bryan had business in this city several days last week.

R. T. Snyder is building a nice addition to his town residence.

For the BEST out in the way of Cream Separators, see T. M. Reed.

Mrs. James A. P. Cully and A. B. Outhouse were visiting in Lincoln last week.

Dr. Leeper will speak on the subject of the "Good Samaritan" Sunday night.

G. W. Collipriest is soon to build a much needed addition to his residence in the north part of town.

Those wanting cabbage, leave their order at the Loup City Mercantile. One cent and a half a pound.

Wanted—Girls to learn dressmaking. See Mrs. Behrens, first house east of S. F. Reynolds' residence.

C. W. Conhiser and W. D. Zimmerman went to Goodland, Kansas, last Saturday morning on a business trip.

Before purchasing your woolen blankets for winter, see the nice stock just received by R. L. Arthur.

If you want to buy, sell or exchange any kind of property anywhere quick, send or bring full particulars to Central Nebraska Land & Loan Co., Wolbach, Ord or Loup City, Nebraska.

Rev. Blom, the Swedish minister, returned from his vacation Monday evening.

Bring in your spring chickens and old hens to Lee Brothers and receive the highest market price for the same.

W. D. Clifton and Mike Nicolaus were in from south of town Saturday with a suspicion of new pianos in their eyes.

A. L. Zimmerman left Monday on a trip to Texas, where he proposes to invest in land, providing he finds something to suit.

To make room for new fall goods I will sell all Hand Painted Haviland China 35 per cent discount for the next ten days only.

Henry Eisner

John Youngquist and son Clarence returned from a visit to Watertown, S. D., last week. All the relatives up there are in good health. That country was hit by the drouth in about the same fashion as was this.—The Aurora Sun.

Mr. Wm. Rowe and family visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Herman Jung, and family on Wiggle Creek last Wednesday evening. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jung also that evening perpetrated a surprise on that worthy couple by coming in with baskets of good things and having a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Martin Enevoldsen and children are visiting at Poole.

Miss Lizzie Leininger returned last Monday from her extended visit at Gordon and Aurora.

Rev. Tourtellot and Willis Fullton and wife returned Monday evening from the Synod at North Platte.

E. G. Taylor and family autored to St. Paul last Sunday, reporting a pleasant trip, in spite of the misty weather.

G. W. Marvel was down from his farm west of Arcadia, Monday to look over his land interests near Ashton.

We received a pleasant call Tuesday from Mr. B. A. McDonald and his aged mother of Washington township.

Miss Maud Reynolds was down from her school in Valley county last Saturday visiting the day with her parents in Webster township.

Joe Cording and wife of Litchfield were called to Grand Junction Colo., a few days ago by the dangerous illness of his mother, Mrs. C. C. Cording.

There will be a basket social held at the McAlpine school tomorrow, (Friday) evening, Miss Bessie Smith teacher. A cordial invitation to all to attend.

John Warneke returned Monday evening from a trip to San Francisco. He has made two trips out there since the opening of the State Fair, and may go again shortly.

Henry Dolling has purchased the old Draper photo gallery and will have it fixed up in good shape and expects to move therein by Saturday to open a cobbler shop.

Mrs. Lew Schwaner and baby returned to their home at Loup City Friday morning. They had been spending fair week in Ord and stayed over to visit relatives for a few days.

—Ord Quiz.

Will Criss and Pete Ogle returned Friday evening last from taking a couple of auto loads of Ashton men to Gregory, S. D. to register for the land drawing. They made the distant, about 192 miles, in twelve and a half hours each way.

The lecture at the opera house Monday evening by Ernest J. Sias, who gave the first entertainment of the lyceum bureau, was greeted by one of the largest crowds ever in the opera house and was pronounced one of the best given to our people.

If you think Christian Hansen, the Scandinavian violinist, can't play classical music, or "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" and "saw wood" at the same time on one string of the violin, just be at the opera house, Loup City, Oct. 23, and be shown.

W. P. Reed last week purchased the stock of goods owned by J. H. Froehlich and on Monday of this week moved therein with his second-hand goods. In trade Mr. Froehlich got the property near the pop factory formerly occupied by Postmaster Grow and owned by Dar Grow.

Mrs. Lincoln Thompson of Omaha who has been visiting her sisters and brothers for a week, returned home Tuesday morning. Grandma Thompson, who is making her home with Mrs. Thompson came up with her to look after some business connected with her estate, returning to Omaha the same date.

Last week the Northwestern contained some heavy advertising announcing the coming for a few weeks of W. H. Shelton, representing the Gaston Music Co., with a line of pianos direct from the factory. Last Saturday he opened with his line of pianos in the old Odendahl drug store building, where he may be found by our readers. He has a number of the standard makes and will gladly show them to you.

Mr. Will Nicolaus, accompanied by his friend Mr. Cline, came up from Aurora last Friday evening and visited with Will's brother, Mike Nicolaus, and family for a day, returning home Monday by way of Grand Island, Hastings and other points. Saturday evening, Mr. Jake Nicolaus and family came up from Aurora for an over Sunday's visit with Brother Mike and family. Mike is blessed with two jolly good brothers.

Delmar Draper arrived here last Thursday from Greybull, Wyo., for a visit with friends. From Delmar we learned that he and his father, J. B. Draper, arrived at Litchfield the preceding Sunday from Greybull, Wyo., driving overland, his mother and the other members of the family having preceded them a couple of weeks. Delmar will be here for an indefinite period, while the family have concluded to make their home at Litchfield, for the present at least.

Reception Tendered Pastor

The reception given last Friday evening at the Methodist church to their new pastor was attended by a very large company of people from all the churches and by the people at large. A nice little program of music was given, short talks were made by the Baptist and the new Methodist pastors, followed by a lunch in the basement. After the people had assembled the pastor and wife, being introduced as they came in by John W. Long. Mrs. R. P. Starr began the program with an instrumental solo, followed with a duet by Mr. and Mrs. Schwaner. Mr. Long then gave a short talk introductory of the new minister, followed by a welcome address by Rev. Powers of the Baptist church, which was responded to by the incoming pastor. This was followed by a duet by J. P. Leininger and daughter, Mrs. Cora Zimmerman, and an instrumental duet by Mrs. Starr and Miss Miner. This ended the program and after the light luncheon in the basement the large company returned to their several homes all wishing for Rev. Dr. Leeper and family a most generous welcome to the city and to their church. It was unfortunate that all the other pastors of the city were absent from the city and could not be present to take part in the welcome of their brother pastor.

THE CHURCHES

Presbyterian

The Pastor returned from Synod this week, and services will be held as usual next Sunday, Oct. 22nd. At 10:30 a. m. the pastor will tell something about what Presbyterians are doing in Nebraska, a report of what was done at the North Platte Synod just held. The 7:30 p. m. hour will be given to the second of the series on "Talks about Ourselves" "Our Thoughts" Remember the Sabbath school at 11:45 a. m. and C. E. at 6:30 p. m. as usual.

Swedish Christian

Sunday Oct. 22, Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. sermon at 3:15 p. m. subject "Thy Brother shall rise again" John 7:1-41. Scandinavians cordially invited.

Methodist Episcopal

Next Sunday is Everybody's Day. All are cordially welcome. Preaching by the pastor both morning and evening, subject in the morning "The Modern Saint" at night "The Good Samaritan". The latter subject will be of special interest to Odd Fellows and Bible students. Admission will be free but an offering will be taken. The Sunday school at 11:45 and Epworth league 6:45 p. m. A large attendance of young people were present last Sunday night, notwithstanding the inclement weather. All are kindly invited and will be made cordially welcome. D. A. Leeper.

This has been one of the largest week's business the Loup City Mill ever had. While they run day and night all summer they have shipped out more cars of flour during the last week than any one week since Mr. Taylor has bought the mill. They have had as much as three teams daily hauling flour to cars and hauling down wheat that they are compelled to ship in to supply their trade. Mr. Taylor also tells us that the Sherman county people are now using a half more Loup City flour than they used one year ago. We believe in patronizing home institutions, as the mill is giving employment daily to six or seven men, most of whom have families.

We received a pleasant call Tuesday from our good friend Henry Cappellan of Hazard. Mr. Cappellan calls attention to the unusual fact this year that owing to the warm fall weather the wheat and oat fields are heading out and presenting the third crop. String beans, also, are putting forth their third crop of that succulent vegetable. Talk about California, Florida, or southern Texas, they are not in it with Nebraska.

We are paying 25 cents cash for cream delivered at the creamery. RAVENNA CREAMERY Co.

To Our Flour Trade
Our old wheat flour is now all sold but we have flour that is fully up in quality to any flour on the market and is sold by all merchants in town. LOUP CITY MILL AND LIGHT CO.

Notice

Having sold my store, I wish to notify all parties knowing themselves indebted to me to please call and settle at once. C. W. Conhiser

REMINDERS!

WE HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF

Winter Goods

to select from, and everything is of the

Latest Pattern and of the Best Quality

Everything we sell is guaranteed, and if you once try us, we are sure you will stay with us, as our aim is to satisfy our customers.

Boys Blue Serge Suits

Extra good value, peg-topped and full-lined, age 9 to 16 year

Price, \$5.00

Cloaks

Ladies' and Children's Cloaks in the Latest Styles.

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W. L. Douglas and Star Brands "Are Better"

Dress Goods!

We have a big line in very latest patterns and at prices that are right.

LOUP CITY MERC. CO.



The Labor of Baking

is many times reduced if you use the right kind of Flour, and if the question, "What is the best Flour?" was put to vote among the bakers and housekeepers in this part of the country, the unanimous reply would be

White Satin

You would vote for it if you were used to it. Isn't it worth giving a trial?

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And Lumber of every sort. Shingles Flooring, Planking, Framing Timber and Lath. We are now in a position to make

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to early buyers. If you are going to do any building or repairing this is a fine opportunity to get a "job" for a little.

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Coal yards at Loup City, Ashton, Rockville and Austin.



A Reliable Prescription

can be properly compounded if brought here. We are carefully exact in putting up drugs and medicines, and you may

Rely Upon Us Absolutely

to give you exactly what the doctor ordered. Our Drugs are pure and fresh our service prompt and prices satisfactory.

Swanson & Lofholm

Queensware Special

A new hoghead of white and gold dishes has just arrived. They are unusually attractive and are of a weight and design, that will give excellent service.

We offer this pie a set of thirty-six pieces, consisting of the essential dishes required for a small family, namely: Six dinner plates, six pie plates, six cups, six saucers, six sauce dishes, two meat platters, two vegetable dishes, one salad dish and one bowl, all for the sum of three dollars and a half. Just think of it! Only \$3.50.

We also offer a full dinner set of one hundred pieces (space will not permit us to enumerate) for \$10.00. Beside being able to furnish you these beautiful sets at such reasonable prices, we will also sell you any quantity of dishes you may need from our regular stock.

Call and see these dishes; they are serviceable for use, a pleasure to look upon and the price within reach of all.

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