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LOCAL NEWS.

All kinds of graining done; see Gilbert.
Four Pure Scotch Collies for Sale. L. N. SMITH.
Mrs. Mathew announces her millinery opening to begin Friday March 22.
Let Gilbert tell you a few things about graining.
Postoffice Inspector Rice is here checking up our local Uncle Sam.
Bob Dindsdale brought in a bunch of feeders from Omaha last Saturday.
Blooded shipped two cars of cattle and one of hogs to Omaha yesterday.
The Northwestern at \$1 per year till the night of March 16th. No longer.
J. M. Palski and wife from Ashton attended the obsequies of Frank Orlowski last Friday.
C. S. Stroud successor to Conger, will do your hauling promptly and satisfactorily.
Clark Reynolds a day or two since sold his 160 acres on Cole Creek to a Mr. Larchow of Grand Island.
Wanted—A lady to do cooking at the Bon Ton Cafe. Good wages and steady job to right one.
We have a full supply of all kinds of lump coal and our prices are right. Call at Taylor's Elevator.
A Mr. Hartsell from Stella, Nebr., arrived last Wednesday to take charge of his new farm a few miles south of town.
Class Biehl and family returned last week Wednesday from their extended visit at various points in this state.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Russell of Arcadia visited here Tuesday with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Haggood.
J. B. O'Bryan has been here visiting the past few days. Wonder if Joe foresaw this snow storm and got wise to a layoff?
Mrs. Mary A. Gardner returned home about a week since from her extended trip to Idaho, Washington and Los Angeles, Calif.
Miss Clara Aufrecht of Washington township arrived home last week from an extended visit to Utica and other points in this state.
Mrs. Iona Sharp is to move into her cottage tomorrow, vacated by I. N. Syas, but with present indications, if she does it will be by aeroplane.
Mrs. John Minschull and little daughter Khes went to Palmer last Saturday for a visit to their daughter and sister, Mrs. Mary Dindsdale.
"Did you say coal?" "Yes, Pinnacle, nut coal." This is a good coal for cook stoves, free from slack and easy to start. Try it. For sale at Taylor's elevator.
B. H. Tussler of Colorado Springs has been here for a week past visiting his cousin, Miss Pearl Needham, and other relatives. He was to return home yesterday.
The young ladies of the C. E. Society of the Presbyterian church will hold another exchange at the Lee Meats market this coming Saturday afternoon. There's a good chance to get goodies for your Sunday dinner.

For a satisfactory repair job go to Schwamer's.
Smoked Hams at Reynolds for 13-12c per pound.
Schwamer can and will make your watch run right.
All work and goods fully warranted at Schwamer's.
Try the C. S. Stroud dray line. He will give you good service.
Take your watch to Schwamer's for quick, sure and permanent repairs.
Let Gilbert fix your old painted doors and windows to look like new.
We are paying 28 cents cash for cream delivered at the creamery. We test and pay cash for cream.
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All kinds of old painted woodwork made to look like new, without taking old paint off. Ask Gilbert how it is done.
If you want a dray, phone A. L. Enderlee, 8 on 63, or leave your order with either lumber yard or E. G. Taylor. Best of service guaranteed.
When you buy your next sack of flour, buy White Satin Flour, made your home mill, from home grown wheat. All merchants in town handle it. LOUP CITY MILL AND LIGHT CO.
March 16th there will be a Tailor at Loup City Mercantile Co. store with samples, and any who want an up-to-date suit do not forget this date.
I. N. Syas has moved down from the North Pole country and into the Fritz Johansen cottage, and puts Miss Syas of the Northwestern force within wireless distance communication with this office.
Grandma Gibson celebrated her 81st birthday last Tuesday, a number of her friends, Ladies of the G. A. R. coming in to help her enjoy the afternoon at the home of her son, W. T. Gibson.
One of our philosophical remarks: "Some so-called entertainers making small towns are putrid enough to cause one to find an open window, drop to the ground and quietly steal away."
The late T. M. Reed implement house has been closed till the 25th instant, when matters pertaining to the estate will have been so adjusted that the doors may again be opened for business.
It was expected work of improvement in the Keystone yards would have commenced this week, but the big snow storm of Sunday night and consequent freeze of the earth puts it off a little longer.
We received a pleasant call last Saturday from Prof. Lamb, in charge of the Rockville schools. He looks every inch an educator. We understand he is an applicant for the superintendency of our city schools.
The best looking county dads, of the best county, in the best state of the best county on God's footstool met in adjourned session Tuesday afternoon of this week to work for the best interests of their people. Cigars please.
Those who are most conversant with weather prognostications claim that if the present weather, with abundant snow, continues till the 20th of March, we are assured of plentiful fruit the coming season, with lack of killing frosts. Amen, to the present weather, if that be the result.
Mrs. Adamson wishes to announce her Millinery opening for March 22, and 23, when she will have on display one of the most up-to-date line of millinery ever brought to our city. Pattern hats of all colors and designs. A cordial invitation is extended to all. One door west of Gem Theater.
Vic Swanson, successor to Conliser is away this week laying in a new stock of dry goods and it is his intention to have some of the finest ever brought to Loup City. Watch these columns for date of arrival of the new goods, which are brought to please his patrons and will be the most up-to-date styles and of best qualities.
Fred F. Richmond, of the Clear Creek Stock Farm, was over from the west side last Thursday and filed his name as candidate for supervisor from District No. 7, subject to the will of the republicans of that district. Friend Richmond is one of the best men of the west side of the county, well posted on matters pertaining to the county, and will undoubtedly receive

the solid vote of the republicans at the county primary, which means his election by a handsome majority at the fall election.

Big Red Millet Seed for sale, \$1 per bushel. Phone 2-083, Route 3.
L. B. MILLIGAN.

Gus Lorenz, Vic Swanson and A. E. Chase went to Omaha Monday morning to attend the annual session of the State Retail Dealers' Association, intending to return this evening.

Those good boys, John de la Motte and George Wagner, from down Hazard way, managed to plow through the deep snow to the county seat yesterday. They denied it was shoulder deep, except in spots.

The Pete Hansen public sale was said to be one of the largest attended this year, brought highest of prices, result about \$4,000, and Col. Jack Pageler as auctioneer just about the slickest, oiliest persuader who ever parted buyers from their sheekles.

Martin Enevoldson, for years U. P. section foreman here, moved to Pool the early part of this week, where he will till the soil for crops, rather than till the soil to make better roadbeds for U. P. trains. Martin is a good injun, and here's wishing himself and his nice little family success.

The High School Glee Club, we understand, will put on another of their fine operas at the Gem Theatre the last of this month. Those who witnessed the presentation of their most charming opera some months ago, will not wish to miss the next one.

J. W. Dougal a few days since moved in from his farm and into the Oltmann brick residence in northwest Loup City. He is getting into the active real estate business. See his real estate bargains in another column.

Miss Nettie Conger is quite ill with a severe case of la grippe and has been since last Saturday, and is kept at her home and bed. Miss Francis Corning is teaching her department. It is to be hoped Miss Conger will soon be well again.

A marriage license was granted last Saturday, March 9, to Troy Sheehan, aged 23 years, and Miss Hope Estabrook, aged 18, both of Litchfield. They were united in wedlock the same day at the Presbyterian manse, by the Rev. Tourtelot. They will live on a farm near Litchfield.

The Northwestern has secured a bright young correspondent from Ashton to give us the news of that village and vicinity. As is evidenced by his first news letter, the writer is on the job and shows much ability as a news gatherer.

We are promised a news letter from Rockville, weekly hereafter, from a gentleman thoroughly conversant with what such correspondence should contain. It was expected this week would contain the first, but for some reason it was not sent in.

County Clerk Dieterichs has sold his old residence to Ed Radcliffe, who will move it on lots adjoining R. H. Mathew and A. N. Cook homes. The Big Four started moving it yesterday. Mr. Dieterichs will build a fine new residence on the site of the old one, to be begun at once.

Mr. Fred Schneider returned last Saturday from an extended visit to his daughter, Mrs. Emil Schnack at Dixon, Iowa. He is particularly happy over the little granddaughter at that home whom he went especially to see. He reports the family getting along nicely and the baby of course the ripest peach in the grove.

Mr. Henyan of the Northwestern force has rented the Henry French cottage vacated by R. H. Mathew, the latter moving into the new A. L. Zimmerman property near Gene Henry in the northeast part of the city. Mr. Henyan expects his family here tomorrow or Saturday, if Providence or snow blockade does not prevent.

C. S. Stroud has sold his dry line to Mr. S. L. Haggood, who moved here from Arcadia and into the cottage just west of the M. E. church, vacated by H. M. Eisner who moved into the new Mrs. Hawk house just north of her home. Mr. Stroud will remain here, but has not decided what he will engage in.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Hansen were to start this morning on their Pacific Coast trip of nearly a year's duration. They go to Denver, Salt Lake, Spokane, Seattle, down the coast to all the leading cities to San Diego and home, when they get a good ready, by way of the Southern Pacific. Pete says they're going to see all that is seen before returning.

Vic Swanson went to Omaha Monday morning, where he will lay in a new stock of merchandise, just such as will appeal to the best tastes of our people. His stock of dry goods will be shipped as soon as ordered and he proposes to have the finest up-to-date goods along that line ever brought to Loup City. Watch the columns of the Northwestern for date of arrival.

Late word from the sisters of Harry Jenner in England state that he is not progressing toward health as they could wish. Besides the great trouble with his eyes, he had an operation for guttre, and the last letter states he is obliged to undergo another operation for the same trouble, it being so low-seated the operation did not prove complete removal. He has been intending to return about the first of April if all is well.

Trainloads of Candy.
If America's annual candy supply were loaded on one train there would be over eight thousand trucks full of boxes, buckets and glass jars. This load of sweetmeats for the sweet tooth of the American girls costs the consumers about \$125,000,000 every year.

Caught Givet Cat Thought it a Mink

On Monday forenoon of this week Carl Anderson brought to town a small civet cat he had captured, and showed it around town as a rare mink. Carl carried the precious perfume bag around in his pocket, causing no end of trouble to the olfactory nerves of those to whom he proudly exhibited his mink. He was advised to take it to Earl Thompson to be sent to a taxidermist.

Supposed Case Of Elopement

Loup City is now supposed to be on the Elopement Map, at least all indications point to that interesting development. Last Saturday afternoon two young people, Chris Bauman, a young man aged 23 years, living a few miles up the valley, and Miss Anna Dietz, the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Dietz of Webster township, left on the afternoon freight over the Union Pacific. Later the parents of the young Miss learned of the facts above and Monday the wires to various points in the state were kept busy with orders to refuse license to said young people, because of the age of the girl, and to arrest and return them here. Up to this writing nothing has been heard of or from the young people, but it is supposed King Cupid came out first best and that the pair have before this outwitted their pursuers and been united in happy bonds, when all that will be done, probably, will be for them to come home and receive the parental blessings.

More Electric Sparks From the Lighting System

Work is progressing as rapidly with our proposed new Electric Light Plant as the condition of the weather will allow. The big flouring mill is now fairly on wheels and will be brought up to the city and on its new location by this coming Saturday night. It is expected. The company electrician is here and busy wiring the houses of those who are going to be patrons of the system. He has just finished wiring the residences of Mayor Pedler and A. B. Young and is getting busy on others. A car of poles is already here on another on the road. The new brick power house, 32x62 feet, with John Ohlson as contractor, will be started soon as condition of the ground and weather will permit. Quite a lot of the electrical supplies are here and stored in the building labeled "Standard Gauge," purchased by Mr. Taylor and moved on lots just east of his business office. Next week, we propose to have some real good news and of most interesting character regarding the incoming system, if we have to knock down and drag out the whole push to make it startling.

The concert given at the Methodist church last Thursday by the three professors connected with the Conservatory of Music at Lincoln, was said by those who were fortunate to be present, to have been one of the most artistic and best from all musical standpoints ever given in this city. One lady, who has in the past heard Paderewski, insisted that Prof. Magendanz had the same delicate touch and the exquisite rendition of the great Paderewski, and was equally as good; and she has heard many celebrated pianists as well. A lover of violin music and knows what the music on that means in its best sense claimed that of Prof. Stechele to be the equal of any violin artist he ever heard, while musicians especially conversant with the vocal kind, gave as good word for Prof. Movius, who gave evidence of a thorough student of voice culture. While the concert in all its parts was of the very best art could produce it is certainly not speaking the very best for the many who failed to hear it, as the audience was comparatively small, where a crowded house should have greeted the musicians.

Some fifty to seventy-five turned out Tuesday evening at the opera house to hear the first number of the Socialist lecture course and Rev. Fred J. Warren of North Platte elucidate the tenants of that political party. The gentleman was a very fluent talker and received the most respectful attention of all present as he expounded the good party proposed doing, informing his audience that there was one to come after him who would give the remedies for existing conditions, he only stirring up sentiment over the awful competitive conditions of the day, paying his respects to the capitalist system and the preachers, editors and other educators of the day who looked more to the almighty dollar, their salaries and perquisites than they did to the humanitarian standpoint. Rev. Warren, like all Socialist speakers, we have heard retailed and detailed the worst conditions that exist today, claiming Socialism as the panacea for all ills, which would stop the war of competition and make of all men one common brother-hood, give every man a job and put to work the millions or less who are today catherling for each others' jobs like animals confined in a pen which ended in the stronger overcoming the weak. Just how the conditions could be improved to give all who now have work and add to the list all those out of work, would be interesting to know, but as the old time populist, who was never able to get a dollar ahead, was able to talk volubly of how to finance the country, just so perhaps, our Socialist friends may be able to tell us how to make two apples grow where one grew before. The next lecture will be on March 19th by Dr. W. T. Jeffries, who will take up the cure for the ills advanced by the above speaker.

Lost.

Lost Pocketbook—Containing some few dollars, by Mrs. R. H. Mathew. It was of large size German silver mesh. Owner cares more for the purse than the money. Will finder please return and claim reward.

THE CHURCHES

METHODIST
Rev. E. F. Gaither, of Lexington M. E. church will preach here next Sunday morning and Rev. Max Jeffords at night. The pastor will be in Sargent. A cordial invitation to all to hear these brethren.

PRESBYTERIAN
Services as usual March 17, Evening theme "Religious Architecture." Preaching at Austin at 3 p. m.

GERMAN
Next Sunday the 17th of March will be held service at Ashton 10:30 a. m. At Rockville 3:00 p. m.

SWEDISH CHRISTIAN.
Sunday March 17th Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Sermon 3:15 p. m. Subject "The Bread of life", Johns 6.

For Sale

Cook stove and heater, \$25.00, \$46.00 bedroom set, \$25.00, complete washing outfit, \$7.50, etc., etc., Paul Platz at First National Bank.

For Sale

Brand new high grade piano at wholesale price. Paul P. Platz at First National Bank.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE

One hundred and sixty acres six miles from Arcadia and 11 miles from Loup City; 125 acres broke, balance pasture and hay land; 100 acres level, balance rolling. New 3-room house, new barn for 6 head of horses and grain bin; good well, windmill and tank. Price \$57.50 per acre. \$3,450 cash, balance five years at 5-1-2 per cent interest with optional payments.

Four hundred acres 9 miles north of Loup City, 7 1-2 miles southeast of Arcadia; 250 acres level farm ground, balance rolling and rough; fair improvements; some alfalfa; all fenced and cross-fenced; Price, \$60 per acre.

Two hundred and thirty acres; about 6 1-2 miles northwest of Loup City; 50 acres broke; 12 acres in alfalfa, balance hay and pasture. Price, \$30 per acre.

For Sale by
J. W. DOUGAL, Agent,
Loup City, Nebr.

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If you want tree plants and shrubs call on or write
F. E. Brewer, Loup City, Neb., for shade trees, wind break, or grave trees try the Norway Poplar, the handsomest and fastest growing trees for the north and west, can furnish cuttings any size grown in Loup City.



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J. W. DORSEY

Comfort for the Tramp.
Bill Snooks (reading from a fashion paper) "To be really well dressed a man's clothes should have the appearance of having been worn once or twice. What O!"

A Loan in Fancy.
"You won't run any risk in lending me a thousand francs. I am writing a novel that is sure to go. You know what an imagination I have." "Well, you'd better imagine that I have lent you the money, then."

Women's Influence.
For a woman to be wise and at the same time womanly is to wield a tremendous influence which may be felt for good in the lives of generations to come.—David Starr Jordan

For the Bride.
If you suspect him, then reject him; but if you select him, don't suspect him.—Gay.

Inventor of Musical Glasses.
Richard Pockler, an Irishman, was the inventor of musical glasses—ordinary drinking glasses tuned by selection and played by passing wet fingers over the brim. He showed his invention first in Dublin, and took it to London about 1750.

Aurora Borealis.
According to a theory recently enumerated, the aurora borealis is formed of cathode rays, emitted by the sun and deflected by the terrestrial magnetic field in the upper strata of the atmosphere. The velocity of these cathode rays must be nearly equal to that of light, and very much greater than the velocity of cathode rays used in the laboratory. It is found that these extremely "hard" cathode rays are emitted by unknown radioactive substances in the sun.

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No trouble to figure your bills and show our stock.

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Payments for water rights on the government Shoshone Project in the Big Horn Basin are now \$4.70 per acre first year—\$1.00 per acre second year—\$1.00 per acre third year, \$3.40 per acre fourth year, \$6.00 per acre fifth, sixth, seventh eighth and ninth years, and \$11.00 per acre the tenth year.

No interest. 6300 acres to be opened to entry soon.

320 acre free homesteads in Campbell County, Wyoming, good for dairing, stock raising, and mixed farming, the kind that insures a steady cash income.

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