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LOCAL NEWS.

All work and goods fully warranted at Schwaner's.
 Schwaner can and will make your watch run right.
 Oyster shells for chickens. Go to Lee Bros' meat market.
 Shot guns and rifles for sale cheap at the second hand store.
 Take your watch to Schwaner's for quick, sure and permanent repairs.
 License was issued to Rudolph Ackerman and Mary Klaska on April 22d.
 A baby boy came last Thursday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thode. Congratulations.
 Paints and wall paper that wears like the nose on a pig, at Jones the Painter.
 For Sale—Seven bushels of Yellow Dent and Calico seed corn.
JAMES BONE.
 Try the J. L. Hagood dray line. He will give you good service. Phone 8 on 15.
 Go to Lee Bros' meat market for home-made summer sausages. Only 15c per pound.
 E. G. Taylor has received a few sample electric light fixtures which may be seen at his office.
 Your suit will look 100 per cent better if you have J. W. Dorsey clean and press it.
 Lost—Yellow shepherd dog, black back. \$5 reward. Finder call 15-10-107. J. H. Brown, Litchfield, Neb.
 I have laid in a stock of wall paper and paints on the east side of the square. Jones the Painter.
 We have a full supply of all kinds of lump coal and our prices are right. Call at Taylor's Elevator.
 J. T. Hale writes from his home, 1417 Washington avenue, Ogden, Utah, for the Northwestern to visit him regularly. Thanks.
 Six-horse power gasoline engine, good as new, and a good second-hand feed mill, are both for sale by the Loup City Cement Block Co. Bargains.
 This week Saturday night the Loup City Odd Fellows will put on the first degree and Rockville lodge will attend and put on the second degree.
 Administrators sale of all implements and hardware of the late T. M. Reed Estate will be sold.
W. P. REED, Administrator.
 The cement floor in Will Schumann's garage was finished by J. A. Reiman, and the Schumann garage is now ready for business.
 When you are looking for something new in the jewelry line, you will be sure to find it at Henry M. Eisner's. Quality the best. All good guaranteed. Apr 25

For a satisfactory repair job go to Schwaner's.
 We pay cash for eggs delivered at the creamery. Ravenna Cry. Co.
 All kinds of goods for sale at the Variety Store.
A. L. Gilbert Painter. Paper Hanger and Grainer.
 Ground bone fore chicken feed at Lee Bros' meat market.
 Dry cleaning and pressing neatly done by J. W. Dorsey.
 Mrs. W. F. Mason went to Aurora Wednesday morning for a few days' visit.
 Before you clean house get Gilbert's prices for papering and interior decorating.
 Home-made summer sausages at Lee Bros' meat market at 15c per pound.
 List your farm or city property with J. W. Dougal, "The New Real Estate Man."
J. L. Hagood, successor to Stroud will do your hauling promptly and satisfactorily. Phone 8 on 15.
 Mrs. Cora Zimmerman is having her residence re-shingled, re-papered, painted and otherwise fixed up.
 We are paying 30 cents cash for cream delivered at the creamery. We test and pay cash for cream.
RAVENNA CREAMERY CO.
 \$10000 clearing sale of Farm Implements and Hardware of the late T. M. Reed estate.
W. P. REED, Administrator
 Do you want to buy a farm or city property worth the money? If so see J. W. Dougal, the new real estate man at Loup City.
 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.
 James Johannsen has purchased the tract of land and house just west of the old mill site, occupied the past number of months by Stewart Conger.
 When you buy your next sack of flour, buy White Satin Flour, made by your home mill, from home grown wheat. All merchants in town handle it. LOUP CITY MILL AND LIGHT CO.
 E. G. Taylor last week purchased the old farmers' elevator from Robt. Dinsdale. So endeth the history of the farmer-elevator affair in this city Spite work never pays.
 Mrs. Viola Olenhahl accompanied her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Will Odendahl, to Omaha, Monday morning, where the latter goes to a hospital for an operation.
 All parties indebted to the estate of T. M. Reed are hereby notified to call at once and settle, otherwise these accounts will be collected at your expense.
W. P. REED, Administrator
 We are glad to note that Miss Emma Outhouse was re-elected superintendent of the Spencer, Neb., schools for the coming year. This will pleasing news to the many friends of the talented Loup City girl.
 "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.
 The old Zink building south of the court house which was gutted by fire some months since, was last week torn down and taken away. We have not heard what will be put on the location.

Have J. W. Dorsey clean and press your clothes. Satisfaction guaranteed.
 Barred Plymouth Rock eggs. \$1.00 per setting. R. L. ARTHUR.
 Let J. W. Dougal sell your farm or city property for you.
 Some time since, Albert Lee said he wanted a renter. He's got one.
 Mr. P. Starr and family went to Omaha last Saturday, returning Tuesday of this week.
 Pure Bred Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for setting \$1.00 per 12. \$4.00 per 100. Mrs. H. J. JOHANSEN.
 John W. Long went to Stanton Monday morning on Knights of Pythias affairs.
 A suit is easy ruined by pressing. I have had experience and guarantee satisfaction. J. W. Dorsey.
 Dr. S. A. Allen will go to Omaha this coming Saturday to attend a state dental meeting.
 Lan Benschoter went to St. Paul this morning to be with his daughter, Mrs. Harvey O'Bryan, who was to undergo an operation.
 W. R. Mellor was home from Lincoln last Friday to vote at the primary election. He returned to Lincoln Monday morning.

5000 different samples and stock of wall paper to pick from. 8 cents and up per double roll. East side of the square. Jones the painter.
 Another cold wave reached here again Saturday and Sunday, starting in with a heavy rain, turning, and continuing cold until Monday morning.
 W. O. Brown is having a fine residence erected on his farm south of town. Rowe & Sons doing the work. He will have a most comfortable home when finished.
 Mrs. W. O. Brown took her son, Kornel, to St. Paul last Saturday morning to have his tonsils removed. She was accompanied by Mrs. Dr. Main.
 A big foundation of cement amounting to 800 cubic feet, has been placed under the new flour warehouse of the Mill and Light Co., by Contractor J. A. Reiman and his men.
 Last week Albert Fiebig called at this office to inform us that he had just disposed of 30 head of hogs averaging about 302 lbs each, receiving \$7.35 per hundred total amounting to \$2194.05.

A. L. Ballman has been confined to his bed since Thursday of last week, having undergone an operation from which he is now recovering. He expects to be able to be about again in a few days.—St. Paul Republican.
 Mrs. Lyons, of Marquette, returned home Monday morning after a few days' visit here with her sister, Mrs. W. R. McCullough. She is also a sister of Mr. O. S. Fross, but the weather was so bad she did not get into the country to the home of the brother.

The Gem Theater was crowded last Thursday night to witness the production of the "Passion Play" in moving pictures, and also the regular night, pictures besides and again last night the play of "Old Wyoming Days". There will also be another very interesting play in the near future, watch for it.

In another column will be found the market report, which will be changed every week Wednesday, giving a correct report of the market on that day, which will be given to us by those that buy in Loup City, so that the farmers will know what the markets are as soon as they read the Northwestern.

Mrs. Dr. Jones went to Lincoln last Friday morning where she will visit friends and attend the graduating exercises of the agricultural class of which her son, Hempel, is one of the members. We are pleased that our young friend has made good and that he will return with his mother to make his future home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Draper and children left Monday morning, Mrs. Draper and children to visit relatives in Custer county. Mr. Draper going on to Casper, Wyo., where he goes to look up a location, if he is suited, and if not will go to Greybull. His family will join him later wherever he concludes to make the home.

Our jolly editorial friend of the Monitor, Jack Ride-an-Hour, came over from Litchfield last Saturday with the returns of the primary from Harrison township, and took occasion to visit over Sunday with his uncle, W. T. Gibson, and family, and his host of friends here. Jack may have an "injun" name, but he's a mighty white boy alle-same.

Six blocks of new water mains have been laid the past few weeks by contractor J. A. Reiman. One runs north two blocks from the corner of the St. Elmo barn; another is two blocks this side of the bridge south of town over the Dead Horse and the third two blocks in the east part of town. Loup City is fast extending its mains for fire protection.
 E. G. Taylor, John W. Long and W. R. Mellor were over to Litchfield last Saturday on telephone business, and gave Mrs. Will Betts the central work and collections, as successor to her late husband. That is just and generous on the part of the management. They have a number of applications for the outside work, but made no selections at the time.
 Samuel Daddow was down to St. Paul last week, his son-in-law, A. L. Ballman, having undergone a painful operation for hemorrhoids, which had been troubling him since boyhood. He returned Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Ballman and little son who visited over Sunday, returning home Monday morning.

Miss Lillian Amick returned from Omaha Monday, where she had to undergo an operation for appendicitis. A. E. Reed agent for the Dempster Fairbury, and Western windmills am prepared to do all well and windmill repairing. Phone 31 or 4 on 70.
 An infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pfister was buried last Friday from the St. Francis church and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery.

The Zimmerman office occupying the new postoffice site was moved Tuesday onto lots north of Arthur's store and work has begun on the foundation for the postoffice block.

T. A. Taylor left last week for his old home in Pennsylvania after an absence of 37 years. His old regiment has a re-union and he will have the pleasure of meeting his old comrades.

Mrs. T. L. Pilger and Miss Marie Pilger returned from Omaha last week Wednesday, where they had been visiting friends and Miss Marie having an operation on her eyes.

C. C. Carlson went to Omaha last Saturday, where Mrs. Carlsen and baby who have been visiting there will join him and all go to Excelsior Springs, Mo., for a season.

J. S. Pedler went to Lincoln yesterday morning to attend the Scottish Rite session, and where he takes part in the degree work. He aims to return Friday evening.

A card received a few days since from our good friend, G. W. Marvel, who has been at Hot Springs, S. D., for some time, says: "Please hold my paper until I am able to give you an address as I am enroute to Omaha to join my wife." Mrs. Marvel left here last week for Omaha and from there intended to go to Wisconsin for an extended visit, so we suppose these worthy friends are having a pleasant time in the Badger state.

The Northwestern neglected the past week or two to make note of an interesting bit of news to our people to the effect that Ray Kearns one of Loup City's best boys would be home from school in Chicago soon and had accepted the pastorate of a Presbyterian church in Idaho. Although the news does contain particulars, yet later when Ray gets home we will capture from him the same. In advance the Northwestern predicts his success in his chosen profession.

Word comes to this city by way of Mitchell, S. D., and to there from some other point in this state to the effect that some three weeks since there arrived at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. C. McEwan of Kearney, former pastor of the Presbyterian church in Loup City, a baby boy, the third son that has come to join the family circle. As Rev. McEwan has not so far recovered his equilibrium to give the news to friends here we take this occasion of conveying above information. Any way all friends here will offer congratulations.

J. A. Reiman and his jolly work men put on the cement roof of the new electric light power house. The job is the first of the kind done in this section. A little description of the way it had to be done may prove of interest to our readers. In getting ready for the cement roofing, a temporary board roof is put on, supported by uprights from the ground. Over the board roof is laid a net work of iron rods crossing each other only a few inches apart. The cement was then spread over the roof forming a compact roof of cement and iron. After the cement has hardened sufficiently, the uprights and temporary board roof is taken away and the whole inside of the power house is then in one big room. It was a neat and artistic way of doing things.

The Loup City improvements are going rapidly forward. The engine house for the electric light plan is up and the cement roof on and will soon be finished throughout. The four house has been brought up from the old place down by the river and placed on a foundation back of the mill. Two men for the light company are busy wiring houses, and others will be added later to rush the wiring. Poles are being received daily for the light wires and work on all sides is being rapidly pushed. The Keystone office brick work is nearing the second story and the frame work of the big lumber sheds is going up fast. The cement foundation of Oliver Mason's new implement house is being put in and soon the cement walls will be going up. Will Schumann's residence is fast nearing completion adjoining his garage, and work on new residences here and there over the city is jumping forward in great big leaps. Stand up for Loup City.

It seems to be becoming a mania with our young people to see how completely they can surprise their friends, when they get the marrying fever. For instance, on Monday of this week, one of our favorite young men left in the morning for some station down the road, returning in the evening with a fair lady, well known and also as well liked by the younger set, neither of them admitting the soft impeachment, nor denying the same, accepting congratulations, especially on the part of the supposed or supposed not to be groom, who played the treating act with the utmost sang froid, and carrying his act like a veteran. However, later both denied the culmination of Cupid's work, but left all in doubt as to the real facts, some of the friends insisting and others denying, and the Northwestern is among those who won't tell what it believes, but thinks it too bad if the young lady has not placed the last letter of the alphabet as the first letter of her new name.

Mrs. D. E. Smith, of Grand Canyon, Arizona, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Amick, for some weeks, returned to her home Wednesday.

Mrs. W. T. Owens is building an addition to her residence south of the public square and fixing it up to be rented to some young couple who are soon to be married and occupy the same. Now guess.

Hymeneal

Lee-Domgard.

On Tuesday evening, after the Gem theatre attraction was over, and near the hour of midnight, Manager Albert O. Lee and Miss Mary A. Domgard repaired to the Methodist parsonage and were then and there united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Dr. Leeper, and on the following morning left on the U. P. motor on their honeymoon trip. And that is as far as even the newspaper man knows, except that they were accompanied by the parsonage as best man and bridesmaid by Mr. Chris Domgard, brother of the bride, and Miss Ivy Henry, and that they will visit Mr. Lee's parents at Broken Bow, and at a few other points and will return in about a week. However the hosts of friends of both bride and groom will forgive them for the surprise and wish them all sorts of happiness and success. They will be at home after their return in Mr. Lee's residence just south of the Methodist parsonage.

Galka-Lonowski.

The Northwestern this week got out invitations in Polish for the marriage, May 6, of Mr. Janek Galka and Miss Leonora Lonowski, both of Oak Creek, the bride-to-be being the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lonowski, of that township. The ceremony will occur at the St. Francis church in this city at 9 o'clock in the morning and a big reception to be held at the home of the bride's parents that afternoon and evening. The happy couple will reside in Valley county. The Northwestern wishes that happiness and prosperity may follow the young people through life.

POSTPONED PUBLIC SALE

Until April 27th 1912
 Of 12 head of Duroc Jersey Bred Sows to be held at Hosier's barn at one o'clock sharp, these sows are all safe in pig and weigh about 240 lbs each.
BEN KLIMPER Owner.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH CHRISTIAN.
 Sunday, April 29th, Sunday school 10:30 a. m. Sermon, 11:15 a. m. Subject: "I am the way, the truth and the life," Johns 14: 6.

PRESBYTERIAN
 April 28th "The Christian and his Money" a. m. "Lessons from the Titanic Disaster". Preaching at Austin at 3 p. m.

METHODIST
 Preaching next Sunday, morning and evening by the pastor, Sunday school following the following the morning preaching hour. Epworth League 7:15. Third quarterly conference, May 11, 12.

GERMAN
 April 28th Loup City, 10, Sunday school, 10:30, April 27th, Lesson in German.

Public Notice.

Porte Jones, No. 40332, Black Percheron Stallion will make the season of 1912 as follows: Mondays, Fridays, and Saturdays at the Round Front barn, 1 block south of Bank. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at home and between Loup City and Will Hawks farm south of town. Service fees \$10.00 and \$13.00. Phone 2 on 71.
H. J. JOHANSEN, Owner

Notice

We have 400 bushels of Yellow Dent Seed Corn for sale. This corn was shipped here by the J. H. Hively Seed Co., of Hooper, Nebraska.
E. G. TAYLOR's Elevator.

MARKET REPORT

Grain	
Wheat.....	90 & 97
Corn.....	85 & 79
Oats.....	85 & 79
Stock	
Cattle.....	3 000 to 3 000
Hoes.....	7 25
Poultry	
Hens.....	9 14
Butter.....	15
Eggs.....	15

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Appeals to the Appetite

Fancy Sliced Peaches, in heavy syrup, 3lb cans	25c
Lemon Cling peaches	25c
Bartlett Pears	25c
Green Gage Pulms	25c
Hawa Pineapple	25c
Red Cherries, pitted	2lb 25c
Strawberries (extra fine)	2lb 25c

Evaporated apples, Peaches, Apricots, Raspberries, Raisins, Sultana Raisins and Seeded Raisins and Currants
 Black Prunes and Silver Prunes

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Buggy, Press Drill, or Gasoline Engine, at **Reed's Implement Store Now**

And other goods accordingly. The stock must be reduced and to do so we are selling at a low price on all goods.
W. P. REED, Administrator

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Your funds are kept in absolute security.
 Payment by check provides indisputable receipts in the form of returned canceled checks. Payment by check saves many a long trip; saves trouble of making change and taking receipts.
 Being a depositor with us, acquaints us with each other and lays the foundation for accommodation, when you want to piece out your resources with a loan.
 Every courtesy and facility is rendered the small as well as the large depositor. Don't wait until you can begin with a large deposit

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Capital and Surplus, \$47,500.00

J. S. Pedler, President C. C. Carlson, Cashier
 John W. Long, Vice President, W. J. Root, Assistant Cashier.

SUMMER TRAVEL HINTS

Pacific Coast Tours The \$55 tour is available on special dates commencing April 27th; the \$60 tour is available every day commencing June 1st; the \$15 higher includes California, Portland and Puget Sound. There is no rail journey in the world as educational as the tour of the Coast.

Yellowstone Park: Inquire about the new scenic way through the park; complete tickets including hotels and stages. The outlook from Sylvan pass is one of the world's magnificent views. Are you interested in the personally conducted camping tours from Cody? A perfect Summer tour includes Scenic Colorado, Salt Lake and Yellowstone Park—the Rocky mountain circuit tour.

Scenic Colorado Resorts; Here is a wonderful recreative and health restoring region. It offers everything that Switzerland offers and at a very small expense.

Estes Park, Colo.: This grand park at the foot of Long's Peak is rapidly becoming Denver's recreation ground. It is one of the most desirable vacation regions in Colorado.

J. A. DANIELSON Ticket Agent
L. W. Wakely,
 General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Neb