

**Additional Local.**

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Charlton went to Grand Island Monday morning to meet their daughter, Miss Ruby Charlton, on her way home from Cleveland, Ohio, for a two month's vacation from her duties in the city library in that city. The Charlton sons, one of whom is a surgeon on the U. S. S. Panther, off the Atlantic sea coast, and the other a physician in San Francisco, are expected home soon on a visit, and Bert is supremely happy over the prospect of a whole family reunion in the near future.

A card received at this office last Saturday from Miss Frieda Ohlsen, dated at Hamburg, Germany, August 5th, stated she and her parents have been having a splendid time, and the weather had been cool and pleasant continually. She sends regards to all friends and stated they were to sail for home the 16th instant. Giving eight days for their passage across the Atlantic and three days from New York home, they should arrive here about the middle of next week, Wednesday or Thursday.

The big day's picnic and outing at Jenner's Park, Monday, Sept. 1, given to the patrons of Route 2 by Carrier Conger, promises to be the biggest day ever pulled off by any carrier in the United States, and in fact is an innovation along that line. The day will be absolutely free of expense to every man, woman and child on Route 2. A big parade, with floats, in which will appear practically every man, woman and child on the route,

will pass through our principal streets to the park that morning, and every one should be on hand to see it.

Saturday morning's Bee contained the following comprehensive head lines of the crop situation in Kansas. Here it is, making unnecessary the article following: "Merciless sun is still baking the fields of Kansas. Intense heat continues general over the state, with no signs of relief in sight. Wells and streams run dry. Tank trains sent out to distribute water to stricken towns. Farmers abandon homes. Gather at water holes with their families and the animals. Corn crop completely gone. Oklahoma and portions of Missouri dried and baked by the intense heat that has continued twelve days." How would you like to live in Kansas? Excuse us.

Mr. Willie Thrasher of Loup City, Neb., is here visiting his aunt, Mrs. B. F. Tucker. After months of arduous and confining work in the city, he is taking a well earned vacation and is spending it where green clad hills cool breezes woo one to rest and sleep. Mr. Thrasher being very enterprising and energetic could not remain idle long so has already secured for himself a position in his uncle's hay field and awaits with eagerness the hum of the grass mowers which shall proclaim that the work is on. It is of such boys as this that the world is made to move and it behooves Ericson's lassies to keep their eyes on him.—Journal.

The W. C. T. U. will have charge of the M. E. chbrch services next Sunday morning.

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From latest reports the corn crop will be about 500,000,000 short this year. This means \$1 corn, if not higher in price.

**Cupid's Pranks**

The Northwestern is in receipt of the following invitation which will be noted with much interest and pleasure by the legion of friends of the former and popular Loup City boy: "Mr. and Mrs. John Eugene Lenox request the pleasure of your presence at the marriage of their daughter, Wier Eugenia, to Mr. William Arthur Brown on the morning of Wednesday, Sept. 3, 1913, at their country home, Friend, Nebraska." We extend the warmest of pre-nuptial congratulations.

The interesting news reaches us of the marriage at North Yakima, Wash., August 20th, of our former popular Loup City boy, Chas. S. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bennett, of this city, to Miss Helen Ruth Phillips of North Yakima. They will make their home at Lewiston, Idaho, where Mr. Bennett is in the drug business.

**Additional Route 2**

Mike Egard is on the sick list. Mrs. Newhouses sister from Aurora visited her this week. Drs. Bowman and Wilson were on Route 2 Wednesday. Will Knoepfel was on the market with a load of hogs Wednesday. Clarence Burt and Frank Daddow marketed cattle at Loup City Wednesday. John Burrows was doing some telephone repair work on Route 2 Wednesday. Geo. Plambeck and John Kociemba had a wrestling match Sunday best two in three. John came out ahead. Loup City and Cob Creek played ball in W. O. Brown's pasture Sunday. The score stood 12 to 6 in favor of Loup City. It was one of Cob Creeks off days.

**Along Route 2**

Dr. Longacre was on Route 2 last Monday. Clark Alleman hauled hogs to Loup City Monday. Albert Snyder put up a new wind mill last week. Harold Rowe visited at Herman Jung's Sunday. John Sheehan's brother is visiting him this week. Fred Johnson's wheat went 17 1/2 bushels per acre. Alfred Jorgensen's oats went over 34 bushels to the acre. Miss Hattie Cole visited at Jim Roush's the past week. Jim Hansen and Art King visited at Fred Johnson's last Sunday. Ed Kilpatrick and wife Sundayed at the John Gallaway home. Tennis Blomond bought several head of cattle from Ed Obermiller. B. T. Snyder has traded his interest in the Herman Jung farm. Glen Cash helped put up millet at the Howard place last Friday. Cliff Rowe shingled E. G. Taylor's new coal sheds the past week. Floyd Howard has been laid up with a lame back the past week. Waneta Conger has been staying at the home of Roy Conger this week. Miss Grace Daddow of Loup City, visited relatives on Route 2 this week. Frank Wagner and wife attended Woodman picnic at Litchfield Friday. Joe Johnson is hauling water for Rutherford's threshing machine this week. Mrs. Hanna Sheehan's thumb was taken off at the first joint from the hand. Dunker, on his way to Loup City Monday broke rear axle on his auto at Ed Flynn's. Earnest Daddow and family took supper at the Brodock home Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas of Route visited at the home of Tom Garner last Thursday. Mrs. Wiseman of Weeping Water, visited her sister, Mrs. S. M. Smalley, the past week. Another rain of one half inch covered the extreme south side of Route 2 Sunday afternoon. Chas. Schwaderer was in town after Ed Jones and his men Tuesday to fix up the school house. Charlie Johnson and Miss Emma Berg took in the Woodman Picnic at Litchfield last Friday. Mrs. E. L. Hayhurst and daughter Hattie visited at the home of John Gallaway last Wednesday. Floyd Howard and wife spent Saturday evening and Sunday at her mothers, Mrs. Anna Cash. Frank Wagner and Thomas Garner traded places the night of the storm. Both were hailed out that night. Lars P. Nelson marketed some porkers Monday. He has sold most of his hogs since the hail storm.

At the home of Jim Roush, the big storm tore his cattle shed to pieces and carried a large portion 20 rods.

Sam Fletcher's house was struck by lightning last Tuesday, giving severe shock to all the household for a time.

Earnest Daddow and family, Lila and Eva Goodwin and Grace Daddow spent Monday evening at W. F. Howards.

Roy Conger, Roy McFadden, John Blaschke and Alver Koch returned from their trip to the sand hills last Saturday night.

Jess Fletcher is sporting a new buggy these days. He was forced to buy for his team ran away a few days ago and made kindling wood out of his old one.

It looks good to see the farmers putting up hay without leaving it lay on the field to bleach. One load put up without bleaching is worth three that are allowed to bleach.

The carrier would like to see as many as can decorate their buggies and wagons. I have ten laughable things for the parade now. You can get up any kind of a float you want. Commence NOW.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Shaw and daughter of Pleasant Dale, this state, visited at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John Gallaway and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Conger of late. Mr. Shaw is a cousin of Mr. Gallaway and Mrs. Conger.

To everybody in the country, don't fail to see the big rural route parade. It will be laughable. It will be a mile in length. Some of the floats will represent different kinds of farm life. It will be as good as a circus. Bring the little ones to town to see it.

Rural Route No. 2 has been having its streak of hard luck as well as its good luck. Last Wednesday night, a day after the destructive hailstorm that visited that section, another rain and hail covered almost the some ground, covering the ground with hail. In this storm there was very little wind and about one half of rain.

Millet is a big crop on the route. Hay is twice as good as last year. Pastures are good. Fourth cutting of alfalfa promises close to the bumper crop of the first cutting. Haying is in full swing and going into stack nice and green. Potatoes for most part are good crop. Corn promises to be the best crop in several years. Some corn on the route will make 35 to 40 bushels per acre. Stack threshing has commenced.

John Gallaway and sons and Art Wilson and sons have been making hay across the river from the big island south of town, and it being just across from their places they decided to ford the river rather than go seven miles around. After a hard day's work, one day last week, all went well until they got out of the water on a sand bar next to the bank and only ten feet from the shore when without any warning whatever the horses on the buggy dropped as if they were in quicksand up to their bellies and one of them sank deeper with the quicksand up along its sides. It looked for a time as if impossible to save either one, but they finally got them out without any damage to either horse. The other horses following were hurried down the river to another landing. After saving the horses they planned how to get the buggy. They finally got a rope fastened on to the end of the tongue of the buggy which had sank several feet in the sand and finally succeeded in pulling it out. It had sank clear up to the bed. The longest way around they now think the quickest way home and the safest. They narrowly escaped getting all their eleven horses in this quicksand. Some of the horses following had already begun sinking but being free from wagons were got out quick.

The damage to growing crops and farm buildings in the hailed district on Route 2 will amount to about \$2300. The loss south of the route near the county line is heavier than this. All corn fields 2 miles wide for miles south of the route are completely destroyed. The district has never been known to have such a storm. Chickens, pigs, birds and rabbits were killed by the score. Cattle and horses that could not get to cover had lumps on their bodies as large as eggs. Some were so sore the following morning they could hardly move. At Frank Wagners windows 4x4 covered with screen were broken out and glass and frames were scattered over the room. The bed clothes were picked up by the force of the wind and carried to the yard. Hall stones were driven into the house with terrific force, bounding clear across the room. The sliding on the house is badly split by the force of the hail and part of it shows the effect of pounding by hail. E. B. Corning, who is surveying a county road near there, was in the barn at the time while the rest were in the house. The barn had a corrugated iron roof, and he described the sound as something terrible. Anyone doubting the story of the storm ask Tennis Blomond, C. C. Carlson or E. B. Corning, as they were caught at this place and do not care to repeat the experience. They were all willing and anxious, except E. B. Corning, to go to the cellar several times, but he could not for he was held a prisoner in the barn.

**Notice to High School Pupils**  
I should be glad to meet the pupils of the high school classes as follows: At the school building.  
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