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A. O. U. W. Banquet. The Ancient Order of United Workmen of Loup City, had a gala time celebrating the 21st anniversary of their lodge last Thursday evening. Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, about two hundred people, including members and their families, were present and celebrated the occasion in the few small hours of the morning. The lodge was organized March 17th, 1884, with a charter membership of 32; of this number 7 still hold their membership in Loup City, 5 of whom, W. T. Gibson, W. H. Morris, G. W. Hunter, C. W. Conhiser and G. H. Gibson, still live in our city and J. W. Landers of Arcadia and J. Phil. Jaeger of Des Moines, Ia., still retain their membership here. At this time their membership is 120 and continually growing larger. During the existence of this lodge it has been the means of distributing some \$20,000 to the families of deceased brothers, to gladden the hearts of children and lighten the load of the widowed mothers. Out of the original 32, but 3 members, J. Odendahl, W. A. Wilson and John Edmondson have departed this life still holding their membership; yet a number have gone to the great beyond. On last Thursday night eight new members were added to the lodge, and there is room for more. Jacob Juskalek, Grand Master of the order in Nebraska, was with the lodge, to assist in its general rejoicing at the prosperity of the past and present and favored the gathering with an appropriate address, and presided at the putting on of the screen work. Geo. Hunter, the present financier, and Geo. Gibson, present recorder, have filled these offices, by election of the members for 13 years out of the 21. At the close of the lodge meeting a rising vote of respect was tendered the pioneer members who so faithfully stood by the lodge during all these years. The ladies spread and served a banquet at the opera house, which was greatly enjoyed by all. This is one of the great orders that extend the right hand of fellowship to its members while living, minister to them in sickness and pay to their families \$3000 at their death, that makes better citizens by providing the means to educate the orphan and happy homes by providing for the widow when the burden of support falls upon her.

Clear Creek Chat. We are having a wet muddy time, but it is so much ahead of Missouri and Iowa that it will not do to find fault. H. Beck and W. Heapy shipped hogs to Omaha, last Thursday. Mr. Spart moved on to the Sorrenson place east of town. Mr. Nistrum has been confined to the house the greater part of the winter with rheumatism. Mr. Campbell has just completed a fine house on his farm north of town. A Zahn is hauling material for a new house on his farm. Tom Tarsley, from Butler county moved on to the old Sawyer farm last week.

To Our Patrons. At the opening of the new season in the creamery business we wish to congratulate our patrons on the remarkable good prices that have prevailed during the past winter and to express the hope that the coming season may prove both profitable and pleasant. We are instituting some changes in our system which we hope will be appreciated by our patrons, as we believe they will be largely to their advantage. We intend in the immediate future to arrange so that the patron shall know when he delivers his cream what the price is and also that he shall receive his pay once, thus closing the deal with each transaction. Hoping these changes will meet with your approval and thanking you for your patronage in the past, we confidently hope for a continuance of the same. RAVENNA CREAMERY Co. Loup City, Neb., March 22, 1905.

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Burlington March Bulletin. Cheap one way rates to California, Puget Sound and the N.-rthwest country, daily until May 15th. Low home-seekers round trip rates, March 21st, to eastern Colorado, the Big Horn Basin and North Platte valley where there is an excellent chance of getting in on the ground floor ahead of the crowd and picking up a bargain in irrigated lands. Eastern trips: If you are contemplating an eastern trip this spring better write me for information. We will probably be able to offer you money saving suggestions. L. W. Wakely, General Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebr.

Mrs. Chas. Mellor and daughter arrived in Chicago last week, Wednesday. They were delayed a day at Lincoln by missing connection with the train for Loup City. Mr. Mellor and family will occupy a cottage in the northeast part of town. A young Loup City bachelor found out a couple of weeks ago that carrying a turkey is just like courting his best girl—he is sure to get both of them in his lap before he gets through.

We understand the good work accomplished last year in the way of cement walks in Loup City will be duplicated this year, but on a much more extensive scale. The village trustees will push the good work along, and will be ably seconded by our citizens. Cement walks will be placed on the east and north of the court house just as soon as the ground will permit, and from that on there will be active work along that line all over the town, both public and private. Won't it be glorious when all the old rat trap sidewalks are a thing of the past?

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE First National Bank OF LOUP CITY.

Table showing financial resources and liabilities of the First National Bank of Loup City, including items like Loans and discounts, Overdrafts secured and unsecured, S. bonds to secure circulation, etc.

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Notice of Sheriff's Sale. By virtue of two executions issued out of the District Court of Sherman county, Nebraska, by Geo. H. Gibson, Clerk of said Court, upon judgments rendered in county court of said county, one in favor of the S. Howes Company, against James H. Parshall, and one in favor of the Great Western Mfg. Co. against James H. Parshall, which judgments were on Dec. 15th, 1904, transcribed to said District Court, I have levied upon the following real estate, to-wit: The undivided one-half interest of the defendant, James H. Parshall, in the following described real estate, situated in Sherman county, Nebraska, to-wit: A piece of parcel of land situated in the southwest quarter of section eighteen, (18) in Township fifteen, (15) north of Range fourteen, (14) west of the 6th P. M., more particularly described as follows, to-wit: Commencing on the west line of said southwest quarter, at a point six hundred and seventy-one feet, (671), south of the quarter corner stake, at the northwest corner of said southwest quarter, thence running in a direction sixty-three degrees and forty-nine minutes, (63° 49') east of south to the center of Dead Horse creek, thence down the center or third of said creek to the southeast corner of the property known as the Loup City Roller Mill property, at a point five hundred and ninety-four feet, (594 ft) north of the south line of said southwest quarter, thence directly west to a point five hundred and ninety-four feet, (594 ft) north of the southwest corner of said southwest quarter, thence north to place of beginning containing 17 1/2 acres, more or less, together with the flooring mill, dwelling house and all other buildings, and structures thereon and together with the water power and raceway appurtenant to said mill property, said raceway being a strip of Lot one, in Section eleven, (11) and a strip of land sixty feet (60 ft) wide lying in Lots two and three, (2 & 3) in section eleven, (11) and in the southwest quarter of section twelve, (12) and a strip of land one hundred feet (100 ft) wide, lying in section thirteen, (13), all in township fifteen (15) north of range fifteen (15) west of the 6th P. M. in Sherman county, Nebraska, and I will, on the 10th day of April, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house of said county, in Loup City, Nebraska, sell said real estate at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to satisfy said executions, the amount due thereon, in the aggregate, being the sum of \$684.00, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the 10th day of December, 1904, and \$9.00 costs and accruing costs.

Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, March 8, 1905. L. A. WILLIAMS, Sheriff of Sherman County, Nebraska. H. M. MATHEW, Atty. for Great Western Mfg. Co. R. J. NIGHTINGALE, Atty. for S. Howes Co. Last pub. April 6th.

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Sheriff's Sale. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the District Court of Sherman County, Nebraska, upon a decree of foreclosure rendered in said court on the 28th day of December, 1904, wherein Ida D. Beck was plaintiff, and J. W. Pickett, first real name unknown; Susan M. Pickett, Albert Henley, Mrs. Henley, wife of Albert Henley, John G. Halter, Eugene Hale, Johnson T. Hale, Horatio Smelser, and the West Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section Three in Township Sixteen north of Range Fifteen, west of the 6th principal meridian, situated in said Sherman county and State of Nebraska, and I will, on the 28th day of March, 1905, at one o'clock p. m. of said day, at the south door of the court house in Loup City, Sherman county, Nebraska, offer for sale and sell said above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to satisfy the amount of \$85.80 due the plaintiff, Ida D. Beck, with interest at seven per cent from the 20th day of December, 1904, and the amount of \$430.00 of the intervenor, William C. Newman, and costs of the above action, taxed at \$2.10, and accruing costs, which amount was adjudged to be due to the plaintiff above named, and to said intervenor, from the defendants above named, and to be a lien upon the above described premises.

Dated at Loup City, Nebraska, this 17th day of February, 1905. L. A. WILLIAMS, Sheriff of Sherman County, Nebraska. R. J. NIGHTINGALE, Attorney for Plaintiff. Last pub. March 23. For Sale.—Eight pedigreed Shorthorn bulls, old enough for service. Truelsen & Johansen, 47 Half mile east of Loup City.

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