

Local News.

Char. Gasteyer shipped 27 cases of eggs yesterday.

John Wall drove down from Arcadia Monday morning.

Mrs. Walworth and daughter Saddle went east Tuesday.

John Hopper purchased a brown new buggy last week.

For washing machines and clothes wringers see T. M. Reed.

E. A. Brown went to Omaha Tuesday returning Wednesday.

A. P. Culley and wife went to Omaha Tuesday to attend the state fair.

For wagons, buggies, harness, sulky, plows, hardware, tinware, etc., call on T. M. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Webster started Monday to attend conference at North Platte.

T. M. Reed sold two lumber wagons this week. He has sold some seven or eight already this season.

Judge Hunter has opened up his justice office in the bar room to the Massachusetts building.

J. T. Campbell, of Litchfield was a pleasant caller at these headquarters while in Loup City yesterday.

M. Stroud purchased one of our Books of Facts this week as also did Will Whitman.

Haney Criss came in last Saturday and squared up for his paper. He will read the NORTHWESTERN another year.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Detlef Peterson last Saturday who renewed his subscription for another year.

We are in receipt of call for the National Irrigation Association Convention to be held in the city of Lincoln, Sept. 28, 29 and 30, 1897.

Two Good Things—"77" for Grip and Colds; No. 10 for Dyspepsia, Indigestion and weak stomach; 25 cents each; all druggists.

You cannot afford to be without one of our books of facts. It is worth dollars to you and the cost of one is only fifty cents.

C. Gasteyer started last Wednesday to Omaha to attend the State Fair. Charley will combine business with pleasure.

Dr. Palmer, of Litchfield made a professional trip to the county seat Tuesday. He made this office a pleasant call while in the city.

A "Yankee Musical" will be held at the Baptist church, Tuesday evening September 28. After which the B. Y. P. U. will serve refreshments.

Lost—A good M. W. A. watch charm. Finder will be liberally rewarded by returning same to owner.

Alfred Anderson, Owner.

We learn that S. F. Simpson and family are talking of moving back to Loup City. Their many friends will be pleased to have them locate here again.

Theo. Ojendyke, of Ashton is mentioned as a probable candidate for county treasurer on the republican ticket. Mr. Ojendyke will make an excellent officer.

September 30, at 2 o'clock p. m. is the date set for the Republican Supervisors convention of Logan and Washington townships, to be held at McAlpine.

W. P. Baird started for Chicago last Tuesday morning where he will visit for a few weeks and take in the sights of the great city. The NORTHWESTERN will keep him posted during his absence.

Twenty-five cents will pay for the Twice-a-Week State Journal from now until January 1, 1898. The State Journal is Nebraska's greatest paper and gives more state capital news than all other state papers combined.

J. Q. Pray had just finished threshing last week when his granary which contained 700 bushels of wheat gave way at the side and the contents was thrown on the ground with such a force as to send it several yard distance.

The Seventh Day Adventists will hold a series of meetings at their hall in this city nightly for a week, beginning Thursday, Sept. 30, 1897. There will be two able ministers in attendance. All are invited to come out and attend these meetings.

Sheriff Patten was setting up the cigars Tuesday, the occasion being because of the arrival of a nice baby boy which came to their house last Tuesday. It was the first born in the family and H. G., of course is slated over the fact of its being a boy.

The B. and M. Co. have been giving us good train service for the past week, and it is greatly appreciated by our citizens. They have put on an extra which is run as a special during the state fair. We understand that the service will be continued and a new time card inaugurated next Sunday.

A pain in the chest is nature's warning that pneumonia is threatened. Dampen a piece of flannel with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bind over the seat of pain, and another on the back between the shoulders, and prompt relief will follow. Sold by Odendahl Bros.

W. G. Odendahl is attending the State Fair this week.

T. L. Pilger is enjoying a visit from his brother of Burlington, Iowa.

Epworth League Rally at the M. E. church Sunday evening, September 26. Everybody invited.

A trial subscription to the Semi-Weekly State Journal from now until January 1, 1898 only costs twenty-five cents. You can send stamps.

Mr. Louis Lehman and Miss Ida Fender, both of Hayestown, Sherman county were married at Loup City Tuesday, September 21, 1897.

Mr. Frank Badura, of Ashton and candidate for county treasurer on the populist ticket was in the city shaking the office during his stay and added his name to our subscription list.

The NORTHWESTERN printing office is being set upon block this week and arrangements made for a new brick foundation. The ceiling will be plastered and other needed improvements made.

You ought to get the Semi-Weekly State Journal during the campaign. Doings of all parties fully reported. Lincoln is the political centre of the State and the Journal gives this class of news ahead of other state papers. Twenty-five cents will pay for this splendid paper from now until January 1, 1898.

Another excursion to Hot Springs—The last of the Burlington Route's 1897 Hot Springs excursions will be that of Tuesday, September 28. As usual the rate will be one fare for the round trip and the return limit thirty days. For tickets and information about trains, see the local agents of the B. & M. R. R. For 24 page pamphlet descriptive of Hot Springs, Silyan Lake, Deadwood and Spearfish, write to J. Francis, G. P. A., Omaha, Neb.

Those who believe chronic diarrhoea to be incurable should read what Mr. P. E. Grisham, of Gaars Mills, Ia. has to say on the subject, viz: "I have been a sufferer from chronic diarrhoea ever since the war and have tried all kinds of medicine for it. At last I found a medicine that effected a cure and that was Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." This medicine can always be depended upon for colic, cholera morbus, dysentery and diarrhoea. It is pleasant to take and never fails to effect a cure. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Odendahl Bros.

Miss Hattie Throckmorton who has been attending school in Loup City was called home to stay a few days to entertain her cousin, Walter E. Perreer of Oregon, Ill., and a friend, Mr. W. A. Card, of Aurora, Ill., and assistant train master of the C. B. & Q. R. R. Chicago division at that place. Both gentlemen are railroad men on a trip to the various points of interest on their line. They expect to spend a short time at Hot Springs and Spearfish Falls S. D. and Yellow Stone Park, Montana before returning home. The gentlemen were well pleased with Sherman county.

A few weeks ago the editor was taken with a very severe cold and caused him to be in the most miserable condition. It was undoubtedly a bad case of the grippe, recognizing it as dangerous he took immediate steps to bring about a speedy cure. From the advertisement of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and the many good recommendations included therein we concluded to make a first trial of the medicine. To say that it was satisfactory in its results, is putting it very mildly, indeed. It acted like magic and the result was a speedy and permanent cure. We have no hesitancy in recommending this excellent Cough Remedy to anyone afflicted with a cough or cold in any form.—The Banner of Liberty, Libertytown, Maryland. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Odendahl Bros.

Last week John Hopper and O. Benschoter traded horses, but it seems that Benschoter's bull dog also became interested in the trade and when Mr. Hopper took his horse home the dog, who was greatly attached to the animal went along. The dog was unnoticed. Mr. Hopper tied his horse in the barn and the dog took his place in the manger. It was not until he went to feed the animal that Mr. Hopper knew that he had got a dog to boot in the bargain. But John was afraid to beat the dog, although he felt like kicking him clear across the street. There the dog stood, with his front feet on the manger pole, agrin on his face, his beautiful ivy like teeth all bare, his sparkling eyes dancing in the light, and a touch him if you dare expression on his countenance, all of which too plainly indicated that he was monarch of all he surveyed. The dog was taken out of the manger four different times by Mr. Benschoter and as many times John was met in the same manner by the canine. No wonder John felt a little put out, and no wonder he felt like booting the dog out; he had a right so to feel, he had cause for so feeling, and if he had only dared to, would have doubtless gratified his feelings. But John exercised his better judgment and with the consent of all parties interested, including the bull dog the trade was declared off and the horses returned to their original owner.

A BEGGAR'S ARTIST.

LIVES IN A CELLAR AND PAINTS SIGNS FOR MEDICANTS.

He Makes a Good Living and Would Rather Be a Painter For Beggars Than a Beggar Painter—How the Pictures Are Used and What He Charges For Them.

A new school of art has been discovered. So far as known, this city has its sole professor, and he is as odd as his art. But this is the source whence come the thrilling pictures which the beggar, maimed, halt or blind, displays when he mournfully relates just how he was injured and strives to impress upon the charitable how deserving he is of aid.

In one of the shabbiest streets of the city, away down in a basement, a flickering gas flame lights the studio of this queer genius. It is a place of business such as would appal the well dressed banker, but it is no exaggeration to say that its occupant has an income which many more pretentious painters would rejoice to receive.

Technique and perspective meet with small consideration at the hands of this king of the beggars, for such he seems to be. To watch ingress and egress of his patrons would give a stranger the impression that some philanthropist had established a charity hospital in the basement.

When the writer paid a visit to this unique studio the other day, the artist was found attired in a pair of overalls and a greasy woolen shirt, as guileless of ornamentation at the neck as was the neck itself of acquaintance with soap and water. A bushy beard that had evidently been grown to other days covered the lower portion of the artist's face, and his shaggy hair stood up in judgment against the possibility of invasion by brush or comb. From under rather lanky brows a keen pair of eyes looked out. Mind was decidedly in evidence; conventionalality was below par. Both cleanliness and godliness were quite ignored.

The furniture of the studio consisted of an old couch covered with a material which in days gone by had probably been very pretty chintz. Now it was thoroughly disguised by the accumulation of dirt. A real rag carpet covered the floor, but not a single picture was hung upon the walls, although standing about the room were several pictures in various stages of progress. Permission was asked to examine them, and they were well worth seeing.

One was a lurid representation of a powder explosion. So realistic was the picture that if you cared to place your finger on what were alleged to be burning grains of powder you could feel that the grains were there, though the artist denied that that was the intention. He said the painting was intended for a patron of his with two wooden legs, substitutes for the pair that a powder explosion robbed him of. The object of the painting was to show the charitable stranger just how it happened, and the artist said that in his mind there was no doubt that his legless patron would greatly benefit by the scene thus placed on canvas.

There was another picture, which represented the blowing up of a man-of-war. The flames that spouted from the decks of the unfortunate vessel were far more red than the light that shines from the chimneys of an iron mill at night. Nature has never succeeded in producing anything quite so glowing as unmitigated red paint, and there was no lack of it in this picture. The persons who were sailing about in the air seemed to have suffered frightful injuries, and the artist said that this was purely to invoke sympathy for his customer, who was supposed to be one of the actors in the scene so graphically portrayed.

The price of such paintings varies from \$3 to \$12. The artist can complete one in about 1-2 hours, if he does not hurry. If it is a rush order, the work can be concluded within an hour, though in that case the price is increased somewhat. When asked if he made much money by this sort of work, the artist replied that he did; that he gained more than many painters who were striving to do great things are able to secure. His patrons were generally prompt pay—indeed the usual terms are cash on delivery.

As for embarking in higher art, the artist would have none of it. He tersely remarked that he would rather be a painter for beggars than a beggar painter, and as he waved a goodly there was a contented look on his face, which showed that he meant exactly what he said.—Philadelphia Press.

A Great English Pen.

The W. G. Odendahl Bros. are the sole agents for the sale of the "Great English Pen" in Nebraska. It is the best pen in the world, and is made in England. It is the only pen that will write on any paper, and it is the only pen that will not break. It is the only pen that will not get clogged, and it is the only pen that will not get rusty. It is the only pen that will not get dirty, and it is the only pen that will not get old. It is the only pen that will not get lost, and it is the only pen that will not get stolen. It is the only pen that will not get broken, and it is the only pen that will not get ruined. It is the only pen that will not get worn out, and it is the only pen that will not get replaced. It is the only pen that will not get discarded, and it is the only pen that will not get thrown away. It is the only pen that will not get forgotten, and it is the only pen that will not get overlooked. It is the only pen that will not get undervalued, and it is the only pen that will not get overvalued. It is the only pen that will not get underappreciated, and it is the only pen that will not get overappreciated. It is the only pen that will not get underused, and it is the only pen that will not get overused. It is the only pen that will not get underappreciated, and it is the only pen that will not get overappreciated. It is the only pen that will not get underused, and it is the only pen that will not get overused.

Beliefs of 1612.

The first bricks made in this country for building purposes were manufactured by colonists in Virginia in 1612. They were used in the construction of a church edifice at Jamestown and the residence of the governor of the state. A part of the Jamestown church is still standing, and the bricks are in a good state of preservation, showing that the colonists believed in making articles to resist wear by exposure to all kinds of weather.—Boston Budget.

We want one good man (having horse), as permanent superintendent for Sherman county, to attend to our business on salary. Must send along with application, strong letters of recommendation as to honesty, integrity, and ability. State occupation. Address P. O. Box 1632, Phila., Pa.

GO TO GASTEYER'S  
and see  
what you will get for one dime;  
and while you are there just ask to see

Outing flannel at	.06 per yard.
Cotten flannel at	.05 " "
Lawrence or Badger State L L muslin	.05 " "
Dress Gingham at	.07 & .09 " "
Toweling at	.05 " "
Fine black serge	.27 " "
Blankets at	.50 a pair

GROCERIES:

16 pounds granulated sugar	1.00
8 " package coffee	1.00
12 1/2 " evaporated apples	1.00
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32 bar laundry soap	1.00

THE BUSIEST MAN IN TOWN.

CALL ON T. M. REED FOR A  
Steam Engine or a Threshing Machine Outfit  
binders or mowing machines, wagons, buggies, disk harrows, sulky or gang plows or anything in this line. Prices all right. I also carry a complete stock of  
Harness and harness fixtures, Washing and Sewing Machines, Oils, etc  
and everything in the line of hardware and tinware.

EAST SIDE PUBLIC SQUARE, LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.

Nebraska State Fair.

On the occasion of the Nebraska State Fair Carnival of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben, and other special attractions at Omaha, Sept. 17th to 24th, incl., the UNION PACIFIC will sell tickets at the very low rate of one fare for the round trip, plus 50c admission to the Fair. For full particulars call on W. D. CLIFTON, Agent.

One doz beautiful finished photographs for 75 cents at the Loup City Photo Gallery. This will last only a short time.

Group Quickly Cured.

MOUNTAIN GLEN, Ark. —Our children were suffering with cough when we received a bottle of Chamberlin's Cough Remedy. It afforded almost instant relief.—F. A. THORNTON. This celebrated remedy is for sale by Odendahl Bros.

To California Comfortably.

Every Thursday afternoon, a Tourist sleeping car from Salt Lake City, San Francisco and Los Angeles leaves Omaha and Lincoln by the Burlington Route.

It is carpeted upholstered in rattan; has spring seats and backs and is provided with curtains, bedding, towels soap, etc. An experienced excursion conductor and a uniformed Pullman porter accompany it through to the Pacific coast.

While neither so expensively finished nor so fine to look at as a palace sleeper, it is just as good to ride in. Second class tickets are accepted for passage and the price of a berth, wide enough and big enough for two, is only \$5.

For folder giving full particulars, call at nearest Burlington ticket office or write to J. FRANCIS, G. P. A., Burlington Route, Omaha, Neb.

Notice for Publication.

Land Office at Lincoln, Nebraska, August 23, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Judge, Sherman county at Loup City, Nebraska, on October 5th 1897 viz: Peter Hajek, H. E. Number 18196, for the S. E. quarter of S. E. quarter, section 13, Township 13, Range, 14 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: Jacob Schmail, John, Anton Jans, Peter Moritz, Paul Miller all of Rockville Nebraska.

W. J. FERGUSON, Register.

"They don't make much fuss about it." We are speaking of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness, and all stomach and liver troubles. They never gripe.—Odendahl Bros.

There is a time for everything; and the time to attend to a cold is when it starts. Don't wait till you have consumption but prevent it by using One Minute Cough Cure, the great remedy for coughs, colds, croup, bronchitis and all throat and lung troubles.—Odendahl Bros.

John Griffin, of Zanesville, O., says: "I never lived a day for thirty years without suffering agony, until a box of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured my piles." For piles and rectal troubles, cuts, bruises, sprains, eczema and all skin troubles DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is unequalled.—Odendahl Bros.

Low One-way Rates To All Points East.

Via the Burlington Route, July 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21 and each Friday and Monday thereafter until August 13.

Go east on any of the above low rate days and you save enough to cover all the incidental expenses of travel—beath in sleeping car meals, transfers, etc.

See nearest B. & M. R. agent, or write to J. Francis G. P. A., Omaha Nebraska.

Vim, vigor and victory; these are the characteristics of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills for constipation, biliousness and all stomach and liver troubles.—Odendahl Bros.

"I crave but One Minute," said the public speaker in a husky voice; and then he took a dose of One Minute Cough Cure, and proceeded with his oratory. One Minute Cough Cure is unequalled for the throat and lung troubles.—Odendahl Bros.

Don't nauseate your stomach with tea and bitter herbs, but regulate your liver and sleek headache by using those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers.—Odendahl Bros.

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Dr. Sumner Davis Grand Island.

Dr. Sumner Davis Oculist and Aurist, Grand Island.

Burning, itching skin diseases instantly relieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, unequalled for cuts, bruises, burns. It heals without leaving a scar.

Photographs 75 cents per doz for a short time only at the Loup City Photo Gallery.

Dr. Sumner Davis Grand Island Specialist in diseases of Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Examination for glasses.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema.

The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sore eyes. 25 cts. per box.

SMOKER'S HEART-BURN.

Heart-burn from excessive smoking, or from any other cause, is relieved by the first dose of No. 10, Dr. Humphrey's Specific for Dyspepsia. 25 cts.—all druggists.

The Jewell Nursery Co. of Lake City, Minn., want a responsible man in this vicinity to sell Minnesota grown trees and nursery stock. Good pay. Steady work. Write them today.

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