

Local News.

Note Gasteyer's display of fancy dress patterns to-day.

John Needham has been loosing a good many hogs lately.

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

Jas. Conger purchased a fine horse last Tuesday from a traveler.

We learn that the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Needham is quite sick.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Adam Schupp last Tuesday morning.

A. Sutton of this city is enjoying a visit from his brother of Merrick county.

The new barn on W. T. Chase's residence property is quite an improvement.

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

J. L. Hawk was doing business in the city Saturday and made this office a friendly call.

A Handel was supplying the Thanksgiving market with a fine lot of dressed ducks Wednesday.

Mrs. G. W. Hunter started for Iowa Monday for a brief visit with her adopted daughter, Mrs. Ora Peal.

FOR SALE.—A thoroughbred Jersey bull calf, 9 months old; also four good calves same age. ALFRED ANDERSON.

Rev Hotchkiss will occupy the M. E. pulpit next Sunday evening. Subject: "What do I want, can I get it, and how?"

Stewart McFadden was in the west part of the county Tuesday dehorning cattle. He dehorned several head for Mr. Bickle.

Peter Glindaman brought six sheep to town Tuesday and sold three to Supervisor Bechthold and three to Jacob Albers.

Mrs. Dr. Hendrickson authorizes us to say that she has sold her practice to Dr. Main and will retire from practice January 1st, 1898.

E. G. Paige, of Rockville township was in the city Tuesday with a fine bunch of turkeys which he sold at the Pioneer meat market.

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

The Chicago Dye Works have men in the city who are prepared to do all coloring and cleaning of clothes. They will stay only a few days.

D. Ormsbee, of Scott township was in the city Wednesday. He drove up to Hayes Creek after his daughter who is teaching school in that locality.

Those who have promised to bring us in shoats to pay subscription account with are requested to do so at once. Weight from 75 to 125 pounds each preferred.

J. I. Depew and family visited at his father-in-law, M. H. Smith, Divide last Tuesday. They also spent last Sunday with his brother Dave Depew and family.

There is no need of little children being tortured by scald head, eczema and scalp eruptions. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve gives instant relief and cures permanently.

The Loup City Photograph Gallery is making portraits second to none in style and finish, until Xmas he will give reduced prices. Don't miss this chance and secure 12 beautiful Xmas presents.

Mrs. Knowls will start soon for an extended visit with relatives and friends in Hamilton county, Ill. She will also visit at other places before returning. Mrs. Knowls bought three copies of our Book of Facts to take east with her.

There are a good many of our subscribers yet delinquent and we respectfully ask them to call and settle. We must have money and so must push our collections. Please don't make it necessary for us to go to the expense of sending out a collector but drop in when in town and settle or mail us the amount due.

Thanksgiving day was remarkably well observed in this city. Appropriate church exercises were had and most every one in the city indulged in a rich Turkey spread accompanied with the usual good things. The editor and family dined with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fisher.

The pet pug dog of Willie Odendahl's was severely hurt by a larger canine Tuesday morning. The little fellow had his left eyeball pulled from the socket. Dr. Main set it back, and although the dog has a sore and painful eye the sight seems all right, and it is thought that it will only be a few days when he will entirely recover.

Mrs. J. D. Gilbert and daughter Minnie returned from Neeley, Antelope Co. where they were for the past three weeks at the bed side of Mrs. Gilbert's sick sister who is very low. They drove overland a distance of 120 miles. It was quite a drive for two ladies alone, especially at this time of year, but Miss Minnie proved herself to be a good hand with a team. They started Tuesday arriving home to-day at noon.

G. W. Holmes of Bristol township was a pleasant caller at these head quarters and left two silver dollars to pay his subscription account with. Mr. Holmes is a good hand to remember the printer.

A very pleasant surprise party is reported to have taken place at the farm residence of Henry Jens last Tuesday evening. The occasion was to celebrate his birthday anniversary. Singing and dancing and lots of fun was the order of the evening. Stewart McFadden and J. I. Depew furnished the music.

Several of the Woodman members of the Litchfield Camp and neighbors of Henry Stark turned out last Tuesday and "cussed Henry's corn and cribbed it for him. Mr. Stark has been very sick for several weeks past and is yet unable to be out. We did not learn the names of all the persons who participated in the kussing, but understand that the Haller Bros. were prime movers in the affair.

The A. O. U. W. Lodge of this city will give an entertainment to their members, members families and invited friends, in the opera house on Monday evening, December 6th, 1897. A splendid program has been arranged. The entertainment will be followed by a dance and supper. Some parts of the program will be especially interesting and highly instructive. All members are urged to be present and bring their families and friends.

We drove out to the farm of Frank Otlewski last Wednesday and found that gentleman in the middle of his large corn field wrestling with the golden ears. Frank's corn is yielding well. Mrs. Otlewski was busily engaged dressing a fine lot of geese for the Thanksgiving market. A large pen of nice fat hogs was another pleasant sight to see. Mr. Otlewski is also making substantial improvements to his residence and everything about the place denotes push and enterprise.

We are informed by the proprietor Mr. Hotchkiss that the Loup City Roller Mill has shut down for the winter on account of the ice in the race which make it impossible to obtain steady power to produce first class flour. He says that he has made arrangements to ship in flour in car load lots, and will have plenty on hand to supply the trade. He has at present 1000 sacks of his own made and will take special pains to secure the best in the market. We are also authorized to say that he will grind feed daily during the winter months and as soon as spring opens will make more needed improvements about the race, power, etc. which will enable him to operate the plant even more satisfactory, both to himself and patrons.

We acknowledge a pleasant call from Julius Buss, of Hayestown last Monday. Mr. Buss was in the city to employ an attorney to defend him in a suit wherein he was sued by a neighbor for driving stock off his own land and securely fastening the gates to keep them out. Plaintiff claims a right to the stock field by reason of rental, etc. The difficulty started from a wrangle by the neighbors regarding a public road. Mr. Buss says that it is the first time he was ever sued in his life. He is sixty years of age and has lived in Sherman county since 1876. We have known him since that time and cannot recall an instance where he has ever before been involved in any suit. He employed Judge Wall and the case came up before Justice Winteer at Rockville Wednesday.

A. Boone, optician of Greeley Center was in the city the first half of the week and did a very lucrative business. He has one of the finest instruments in the state and his work gives general satisfaction. The instrument is so accurate that it only takes a few minutes to thoroughly test the sight and determine your exact needs. Among the many in town who have been satisfactorily operated upon by this wonderful sight giving instrument are James Bradley, E. A. Brown, J. Phil Jaeger, A. B. Outhouse, and C. L. Drake. Mr. Boone has been a citizen among us and is known to be a man with a reputation for square dealing. He makes this town regularly once a month, and if any optician outside of our own town is to be patronized Mr. Boone merits that patronage. He will be here again about the holidays. The exact date will be announced later.

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Loup City Market Report.

Prices paid for:

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