

**Local News.**

Weather fine, fall plowing in full blast. John Travis made a trip to Ord Tuesday.

Simpson Criss moved south of town last Friday.

Ray Thrasher, of Arcadia, was in the city Monday.

Mr. Shaela, of Arcadia, was in the city Wednesday.

John Terhune was over from Litchfield, Wednesday.

N. B. Thompson was doing business at the Hub Monday.

E. F. Walker drove over from Mason, Thursday morning.

John N. Fisher and wife went to the exposition Monday.

J. M. Snyder added his name to our subscription list Friday.

The Draper Bro's took a new wind mill home Wednesday.

J. D. Ford shipped a car of fat cattle to South Omaha, Tuesday.

C. M. Smith sold Frank Otleski a new set of harness Wednesday.

**MACHINE OIL AT WATKINSON'S**

C. A. Austin and Geo. McDonald returned to Cherry county last Monday.

Mrs. C. H. King and Mrs. J. M. Snyder were pleasant callers Saturday last.

Warm days cool nights and pops feeling all over in yellow spots. Large ones.

Mrs. A. B. Outhouse and two little daughters went the exposition Monday.

Don't forget to attend the Pick-Up social at Watkinsons hall to-morrow night.

J. M. Russell of Washington twp. called at this office while in town Saturday.

Miss Edna Williams came down from her school Friday evening and spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Conger, and Grandma Haney spent Sunday with G. H. Gibson and family.

Fruit and Tomato Cans only 45 cents a doz. at Watkinson.

Ira Williamson of Clear Creek, has made application for final proof of his homestead right.

Prairie fires are beginning to be in evidence once more. Look out for your fire guards.

Mr. John P. Cook, of the south part of the county was seeing sights at the hub one day this week.

S. F. Reynolds and E. A. Draper took their first scot on the Odd Fellows goat Wednesday night.

A. Flint brought in 397 head of cows and calves and young cattle Tuesday, which he offers for sale cheap.

Mr. John Shrove and family who have been visiting in Illinois during the summer are now on their way home.

Everybody turn out and have a good time at the Ladies of the G. A. R. social to-morrow night, at Watkinson's hall.

Geo. E. Benschoter, senior editor of this religious weekly and his better half are taking in the Trans-Mississippi this week.

Mrs. D. M. Criss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simpson Criss, came up from Phillips, last Friday evening to visit her parents.

Pigeon shooting is becoming a great sport among the boys. They have plenty of birds to practice on for a long time to come.

The editor of the Evans City Pa. Globe writes "One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named it cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures coughs, colds and all throat and lung troubles.—Odendahl Bros.

Adam Zahn of Elm twp., dropped in to the office of the two orphans last Saturday and purchased two copies of the history of Sherman county.

Bob Moore, of LaFayette, Ind., says that for constipation he has found DeWitt's Little Early Risers to be perfect. They never gripe. Try them for stomach and liver troubles.—Odendahl Bros.

The Odd Fellows are having a great boom just now. They have organized a degree team and are doing some splendid work with Joseph Church as instructor.

Ashley Conger went to Omaha, last Saturday to visit the exposition and also to visit the family of his friend who was killed at Santiago, Mr. Long, who lives at Walnut Ia.

Win your battles against diseases by acting promptly. One minute Cough Cure produces immediate results. When taken early it prevents consumption. And in later stages it furnishes prompt relief.—Odendahl Bros.

The attention of the public and especially the republican electors of Sherman county is respectfully called to the notice for a call for the county convention which appears at the head of this page. It is hoped that all delegates will be present. I also desire that all members of the county central committee meet with us on that day so that arrangements can be made to work in conjunction with the state central committee who request it.

GEO. E. BENSCHOTER,  
Chairman Rep. Co. Central Com

W. G. Odendahl and Ed. Veeder also bought a ticket, good for a round trip to the exposition Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Scott left Wednesday morning for their contemplated trip to the exposition and thence to Oklahoma.

Boys how would you like the better class of citizens to know who you are? Some morning the police Judge will be compelled to ask you your name.

Ira Foster has purchased the residence property of Walter McNulty, and Mr. McNulty, we have been informed has purchased the German property in the east end of town.

Has any one seen our fire department lately or has it been stolen or rusted fast some place? The darn thing hasn't even sounded its gong since last winter. Who will scree it out.

**New and second hand wagons at T. M. Reeds.**

C. W. Gibson of Litchfield, and L. Bechthold, Jacob Albers and John L. Hawk of Loup City, were Sherman county's representatives to the senatorial convention at Ravenna, yesterday.

I think Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the finest preparation on the market for piles. So writes John C. Dunn, of Wheeling W Va. Try it and you will think the same. I also cures eczema and all skin diseases.—Odendahl Bros.

Mr. J. C. Fletcher informs us that he is great grandpa to a little midgit just lately born but in Wyoming. Great Grandpa bears the distinction well but says it makes him feel a trifle older.

The Chief Burgess of Milesburg Pa. says DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills he ever used in his family during forty years of house keeping. They cure constipation sick headache and stomach and liver troubles. Small in size but great in results.—Odendahl Bros.

Some of the fathers in the city should emulate Bixby and say "come into the wood shed my lad" if their boys have not grown out of their reach. If they have the people will help them out before long.

**20 cts. GIVEN AWAY.**

Cut this out and take it to the druggist named below and you will receive a regular 25c size bottle of Dr. Sawyer's Ukatine for 5c. Ukatine positively cures all forms of Kidney difficulties, Dyspepsia, BY Constipation, Headache, Rheu, Matism, Puffing of the Eyes. Ukatine cures Pimples and Biotches, and makes sallow and yellow skin white. Do not delay but take advantage of this great offer, as thousands bear evidence to the wonderful curative powers of Ukatine. For Sale by—Odendahl Bro's, Loup City Nebr.

J. C. Fletcher has sold \$532.50 worth of hogs this summer. Mr. Fletcher says he borrowed \$500 on his farm when he went to Oregon, and paid it off in two years from the products of the farm after returning. Pretty good for an old man.

Rev. W. E. Matthews returned from conference Tuesday last, and will remain on this charge another year. Mr. Matthews is well liked here and everybody will be pleased to learn that he will be with us longer.

Max Leschinsky was in the city last Tuesday, he is located at Mason City, at present but will move to Litchfield next week where he will stay six weeks and then return to Loup City for the winter.

Mrs. Samuel Hancock and daughter May, returned home from Central City last Thursday where they have been undergoing medical treatment. Mrs. Hancock is much improved but Miss May, is unable to walk.

Mrs. W. K. Brown and son Fred, started overland for Hoxie, Kan., last Tuesday to visit friends and see a ranch that a party wishes to lease them. They expect to be back in about two week.

**A Sure Lagrippe Cure.**

There is no use suffering from this dreadful malady, if you will only get the right remedy. You are having pain all through your body, your liver is out of order, have no appetite, no life or ambition, have a bad cold, in fact are completely used up. Electric Bitters is the only remedy that will give you prompt and sure relief. They act directly on your Liver, Stomach and Kidneys, tone up the whole system and make you feel like a new being. They are guaranteed to cure or price refunded. For Sale at Odendahl Bro's Drug Store, only 50 cents per bottle.

Mr. M. L. Scott, of Wahoo, orders the official paper of Sherman county to his address this week. They all want it.

Mrs. Adam Conhiser and children came down from Sargeant Wednesday and are the guests of Mrs. Conhiser's brother, Mr. S. F. Reynolds.

Frank Root, the fellow that raised a rumpus at Litchfield, one night last week at a dance and broke up the fun knocked the constable out the first round, threw the dance hall out the west window and then skipped, was overhauled at Kearney, by sheriff Patton, and brought back last Monday to answer before the Sanhedrim of Sherman county and drew a prize which will insure the tranquility of Litchfield's terpsichorean twirlers for thirty days oney haw.

**HORRIBLE DEATH**  
Word reached town yesterday about 9:00 o'clock a. m. of the shocking death of John P. Cook a young man who lives about twelve miles south of Loup City. Mr. Cook was farming Mr. Frank Fullers place and living in the house with that gentleman. He was helping thrash and got up to feed the machine. They were thrashing headed grain and it was wet and stuck together. Mr. Cook was shaking the grain to separate it as it fed into the cylinder when his glove caught and drew him head first into the machine grinding his head into a bloody mass of quivering flesh. He leaves a widowed mother whom he had taken care of in her old days. He was a sober industrious young man who was greatly respected by all who knew him, and his horrible death was a great shock to the community in which he lived.

**Call for Republican County Convention To Reconvene.**

As per adjournment of the Republican county convention held at the Walworth hall in Loup City on the 22 day of August, 1898. I hereby call the same to reconvene at Loup City, on Saturday Oct. 1, 1898, at 1 o'clock p. m. All delegates are requested to be present. All townships not represented in the former convention are requested to hold primaries and send delegates to this convention. Said convention will be held for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for county officers on the republican ticket and to transact such other business as may come before the convention. The representation for the several townships are as follows:  
Ashton.....4 Bristol.....3  
Clay.....3 Elm.....2  
Harrison.....6 Hazard.....4  
Logan.....4 Loup City.....13  
Oak Creek.....3 Rockville.....4  
Scott.....2 Washington.....4  
Webster.....4 Total.....55  
S. J. FAIR, Chairman  
Attest: G. H. GIBSON, Secy.

**A Narrow Escape.**

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Aort, of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in consumption. Four Doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Odendahl Bro's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed or money refunded.

We are informed by Mr. W. B. Reynolds of Arcadia, that an account of the combinations of all western roads on rates which goes into effect Sunday the 25. it will be necessary for those parties that were intending to start on the 26, to start Saturday the 24, in order to secure the \$20 rate to Portland Ore. After the 24, the rate will be at least double. The return rate will be \$40.

Some of the pops seem to think it rather strange that Hon. J. M. Snyder appears to have been very satisfactory as a legislator, to the friends of good government in the republican party, and that very little opposition would have developed had he been renominated. It would seem that even the pops owe the great duty to the people of nominating the best qualified men for the different positions. If they are true reformers they would have done so, but it spoils they are after and not reform.

The brightest days of fusionists are gliding swiftly by and nobody is in closer touch with the stern reality than they. In speaking of fusionists, we refer more specifically to the party bosses and present state officials, whose deepest interest and concern in fusion politics lie in their re-election. These are the ones who "view with alarm" the present situation and enter the campaign with very little heart or hope for the future. They have numerous headquarters and as a further convincing argument that they keenly appreciate the gravity of the occasion, have selected two chairmen of the state central committee. They are receiving wagon loads of literature franked through from Washington, D. C., and still with all this, there has gathered under the state house dome and ominous pall of gloom. Things are not as they once were before "White died." Fusion is no longer that perfect beatitude of times past and gone. A prominent democratic politician, whose ability to hold his present job at the state house depends wholly upon the results of the coming election, hopes that fusion can be made effective just one more time, but expresses a sincere doubt upon the subject. He is certain the beginning of the end is here, and that the scheme of a triple alliance of fusion cannot possibly survive another year.

For the Annual Encampment of the G. A. R. at Cincinnati O. in September the UNION PACIFIC will make the greatly reduced rate from Loup City of \$22.95 for the round trip. Be sure your ticket reads via the Union Pacific. For time tables and full information call on  
W. D. CLIFTON Agent.

**A CRITICAL TIME**  
**During the Battle of Santiago.**  
**SICK OR WELL, A RUSH NIGHT AND DAY.**

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P. E. BUTLER, of pack-train No. 3, writing from Santiago, De Cuba, on July 23, says: "We all had diarrhoea in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Cholera, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact I sincerely believe that at one critical time this medicine was the indirect saviour of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack-train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by Odendahl Bro's

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Committee.

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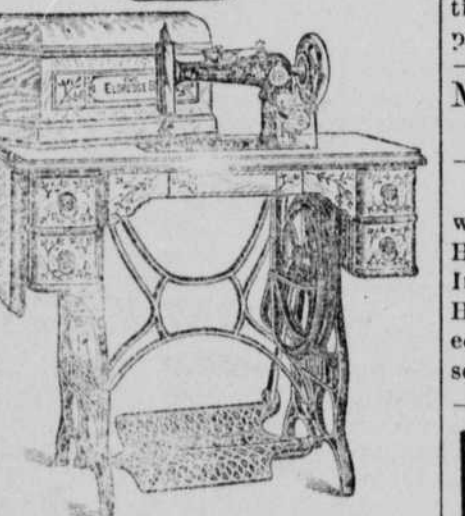
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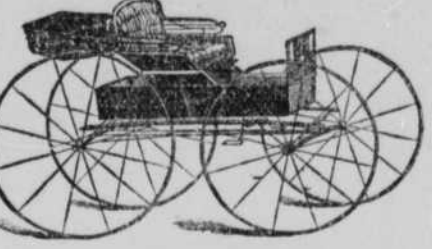
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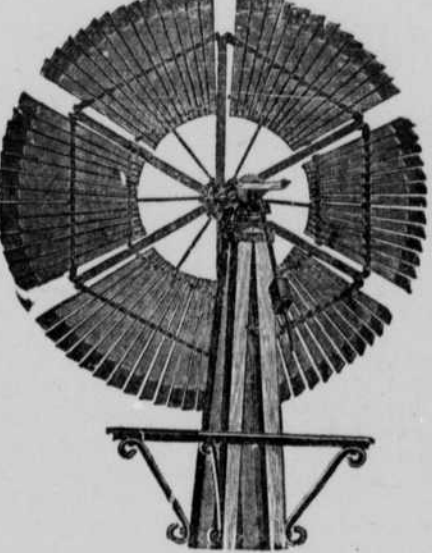


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