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### ASHTON LOCALS

J. C. Schaapp made a trip to Loup City and return on business Thursday.

Quite a delegation of Ashtonites went to Farwell Thursday to attend the "house warming" given by Rev. L. E. Humphrey, the pastor of the Presbyterian church at Farwell and this place. All report having had an elegant time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smelser, Mr. C. F. Beushausen and Miss Blanch Paige, and the Misses Neibler, drove over to Rockville Friday evening to attend the "Mother Goose" social.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Taylor returned from an extended trip through the eastern part of the state on Saturday evening.

We notice that John Rapp sr. and Jacob Rapp are here from Oklahoma.

J. E. Conklin made a flying business trip to Loup City, on Monday.

W. M. Smelser visited the hub Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Wichman went to Loup City Monday, returning the same day.

Aug. Sonstrom drove over to Rockville Sunday for a short visit.

Miss Fay Fair of Rockville was visiting her sister Mrs. W. M. Smelser, the fore part of this week.

Mr. J. C. Todd of Elba, was a visitor of our bustling town Tuesday.

We see home made bills out saying: "Fourth of July ball game, Ashton vs Arcadia, Bicycle Race, Pony Race, Dance day and night." No one seems to know who is the author, and the business men disclaim any part of it.

The sad news arrived Tuesday morning that Mr. Thos. Woiatlewicz had lost one of his sons. The funeral was held Wednesday morning at the Catholic Church. Our heart felt sympathy goes out to the bereaved family.

Wm. Knutzen drove over to Loup City Tuesday on business.

A large number of friends of Miss Barbara Plumer congregated at her home Tuesday evening to help her celebrate her birthday, and happy occasion it was too. All wished her many happy returns of the day.

Peter Jepsen, the enterprising merchant from Rockville was seen on our streets Wednesday.

I. M. Polski of Loup City was seen shaking hands with old friends here Wednesday morning.

A very quiet school election was held here Monday night, Mr. Bartholemew Lukaszewski was elected director in the place of Mr. J. P. Taylor.

### MARRIED.

At the home of the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Taylor, at high noon on June 28, 1899, Mr. Earl H. E. Kendall of St. Paul, Nebr., and Miss Eva M. Taylor of Ashton, Neb. were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Rev. Lewis E. Humphrey.

The bride wore white organdy over cream colored silk, and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The groom's costume was of the conventional black.

The couple entered to the strains of wedding March, executed by Miss Nellie Angier, and took their places beneath a large wedding bell made of white flowers, with a large and commodious bay window.

After the ceremony all present partook of an elegant dinner prepared for the occasion.

The young couple left amid a shower of best wishes, and rice of course, on the 2:40 P. M. train for an extended wedding tour through the West, after which they will make their home in St. Paul, Nebr.

Mr. Kendall comes to us as a model young man of sterling qualities, with very bright prospects for the future while Miss Taylor has lived among us the greater part of her life and has a host of friends who wish her all the joys possible.

Only the two families and a few intimate friends were present at the ceremony.

They go forth into the world with the congratulations and best wishes of all. I. C. U.

## STORM AFTER STORM.

Wind, Hail and Rain Do Great Damage to Crops and Other Property.

### Storm of Friday.

A heavy rain and wind storm prevailed here last Friday evening, which in certain localities developed into a cyclone and done considerable damage, north and east of town, where the storm was the worst. W. R. Mellor's barn blew down and scattered over 40 acres. Mrs. Wharton's barn and other out buildings were completely wrecked and shingles and chimney torn off the house. T. M. Reed's barn was also laid low. Wm. Sharp's barn was more or less damaged also the barn of Lewis Bechthold. A. M. Bennett and Carl Anderson both had their wind mill blown down and W. H. Morris' wind mill was evidently picked up and lifted completely over some tall trees and dashed to the ground. A freight car was blown off the U. P. track. Peter F. Erlanson had a large two and a half story barn completely twisted into kindling wood. His boy was sleeping in the barn but came to the house just before it went. Mr. Frank Otlewski's large frame barn was also completely smashed to pieces and other damage done about the place. He had a steer so badly hurt by the flying timbers that it had to be killed. A hail storm visited the west side of the river in Webster and Washington townships and we learn that Charles Larson, W. M. Leininger, A. L. Baillie, Anderson and McFadden, George Lee and others experienced severe damage. The rain fall which extended nearly all over the county was very heavy and the corn crop is booming.

### Storm of Sunday.

Last Sunday afternoon one of the severest storms that ever visited Sherman county struck and devastated the western part of it. The storm seems to have gathered near Lee Park, and followed down Clear Creek striking Litchfield, about 4:30 in the afternoon. The wind was not as furious on reports as some we have experienced before but there was a number of wind mills blown down, some houses unroofed and several barns destroyed. The water came down in a regular deluge and our informant states that it was three feet deep in the streets of Litchfield. The hail was very large and broke every window glass that faced it, thereby making the damage in that berg very heavy. The storm seems to have covered an area of about 25 miles square and very little crop is said to be left in its track. The hail reached within six miles of Loup City, cutting the crops of M. H. Smith and Henry Rensink and others on its east line. The storm in the Loup Valley consisted of rain with a stiff wind but no damage was done by the rain in the valley as there was but little over an inch fell, but the water which fell south west of this place and east of the divide came rushing down the canons until at the forks of Brown creek, and in the draw on Charles Van Aels' farm the volume of water was 35 feet deep and was about 5 feet deep in his house. It moved his barn a short distance and destroyed some \$60.00 worth of Swiss cheese and much of his farm machinery. It struck Geo. McFadden's farm next sweeping every thing before it that was smaller than his house. His corn crib, ice house and a self binder was carried half a mile and about 60 head of hogs were drowned. Mr. A. Sutton had 53 head of cattle in a pasture in the track of the water, 33 was still there the next morning, the balance were missing.

### Storm of Monday.

Monday evening at about 7 o'clock clouds again began to appear in the west and gradually grew more ominous sending most of our people to cellars and cyclone holes. The rain began to fall about 9 o'clock and continued amidst awful lightning and severest of thunder until 11 o'clock. The conditions were terrorizing, sometimes as calm as death with that suspense which accompanies it, and again the earth trembled and reverberated from the deafening peals of thunder. The wind did not at any time reach alarming proportion. There was 2 1/2 inches of water fell and coming as it did upon an already soaked earth the flood was alarming for those living on the lower lands.

Very few bridges are left standing over the smaller streams and a great amount of grading is washed away. No hail accompanied the storm and when the clouds began to break a great suspense was lifted from all.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Sealed bids for Poor Farm of Sherman county for three years, commencing March 1st, 1899, will be received at the county clerk's office, at Loup City, Nebraska, on or before September 1st, 1899; said farm contains 300 acres less railroad right of way, and right of way of irrigation company and public high ways. Rent to be paid in cash, terms to be one half cash in advance and one half cash at the expiration of each year. Lessee to furnish bond with approved securities. The County Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated, Loup City, Nebraska, June 25, 1899.

JOHN MINSHULL, County Clerk

## SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS.

Loup City, Neb. June 12, 1899.

Be it remembered that at an adjourned regular session of the county board held on the 12, day of June 1899, at the court house in Loup City, Sherman county, pursuant to adjournment of March 17, 1899. Present S. N. Sweetland Chairman; O. L. Way, J. P. Leininger, Lewis Bechthold, W. C. Deiterichs, and Peter McKoon, Supervisors; T. S. Nightingale, county attorney and John Minshull county clerk. Absent A. Dickerson, supervisor; the following proceedings was had and done, to-wit: The proceedings of the county board as the same appears from page 307 to page 217 of this book were read and on motion approved as read.

In the matter of J. A. Shipley requesting an adjustment of his land tax. The same was laid over until next regular meeting.

Ernestine Dold appeared before the board and requested her land tax for the year 1899 stricken from the tax list, for the reason that final proof had not been made. The county clerk was ordered to write to the U. S. land office for information.

Before the board came Paul Schelewski, and asked the county board to strike from the tax list of Logan township for the year 1898, taxes charged upon a certain crib of corn, and the said Schelewski having under oath stated that said corn was by him kept for purposes of feeding, and not for speculation. It was on motion ordered stricken from the tax list.

The request of J. Phil Jaeger for Phoenix Insurance Co., of Hartford, asking the board to make an order striking from the tax list of 1894 certain personal tax was denied.

On motion the claim of W. H. Conger as agent for Phoenix Insurance Company, for fire and tornado policy upon the court house for \$34.50 was allowed, and warrant ordered drawn, also claim for Barker estate for brush and earth used in the wing dam on the site of the new Loup river bridge.

Whereupon the board adjourned to June 17, 1899, at 8 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Loup City, Nebr., June 13, 1899.

Be it remembered that at a session of the county board Supervisors of said county, holden at the court house in Loup City, in said county on this 13, day of June 1899, as by law provided, for the purpose of sitting as a board of equalization. Present: S. N. Sweetland, Chairman, O. L. Way, J. P. Leininger, Lewis Bechthold, W. C. Deiterichs, Peter McKoon and A. Dickerson, Supervisors, T. S. Nightingale county attorney and John Minshull county clerk.

This day was spent in matters of equalization, also the following days of June 14-15-16, June 17, 1899 was by the board consumed in the proper equalization of the assessed valuation of cattle, horses, mules, etc. whereupon the county board adjourned this session to 9 o'clock a. m. of June 19, 1899.

JOHN MINSHULL, County clerk, by LOUIS REIS, Deputy

Loup City, Nebr., June 17, 1899.

Board in session pursuant to adjournment of June 12. Present full board, except Deiterich, also clerk and attorney.

On motion the personal taxes for 1899, against Wm. Quinn were ordered stricken from the tax list.

On motion the claim of Arthur H. Hansel for \$362.67 for making earth fill on east end of new bridge was allowed and warrant ordered drawn. The request of F. M. Publice to compromise or remit taxes was denied.

Board adjourned to 9 o'clock a. m. of June 20, 1899.

Loup City, June 19, 1899.

Board in session pursuant to adjournment of June 17, 1899. All members of board present, also county clerk and attorney.

This day was passed by the board on computation in matters of equalization.

Whereupon the board adjourned to June 21, 1899.

Loup City, June 20th, 1899.

Board in session pursuant to adjournment of June 17, 1899. All present:

The following official bonds were approved: Carl Anderson D. G. Row, and Thos. Clancy bond for justice of the peace; Jurgen Carstzen, Andrew Paulsen, Wm. Gaefert, Fritz Johansen, Edward Brewer, and S. N. Paulsen bonds for road overseer.

The following official bonds were not approved: E. B. Walt, Herbert Baker, and John Heilenbeck for the reason that the date of their appointments are later than the date of their bond and qualification.

On motion the county treasurer is instructed to redeem from tax sale the south east quarter of Section 23, 16-16 erroneously sold for taxes of 1896, said taxes having been paid to the treasurer of Washington township.

In the matter of the petition of Claus J. Jansen and others asking for the establishment of a road commencing at south east corner of section 31, 14-13, the same was granted.

In the matter of the petition of Christ Hentler and others for the establishment of a road to commence at south west corner of Section 22, 13-15, the same was granted.

The application for allowance for damages made by Nancy J. Charlton alleging that \$80.00 damage had resulted to her by establishment of road No. 168, was denied.

In the matter of the petition of Carl Anderson and others asking for a new bridge across Hayes creek on the McAlpine road, said petition was granted and Supervisor Leininger instructed to build said bridge.

Plans and specifications for a new bridge across Oak Creek on county line as received from county Clerk of Howard county were examined and clerk ordered to ascertain from clerk of Howard county, the cost of such a bridge.

The petition of Niels N. Jansen and others asking for the establishment of a public road commencing at the north east corner stake between sections 2 and 1, 16, 12 was granted as prayed for, provided all claims for damages filed in this road proceedings are waived on or before the first day of September, 1899.

The bridge committee present the following report to county board: "We, your bridge committee, having made a careful examination of the new bridge west of Litchfield, lately constructed by M. L. Scott, under his contract on this bridge is not first class, the whole of the work being rough and irregular. We recommend that the claim of the contractor on this bridge be allowed at the sum of \$24.00. Respectfully submitted, J. P. Leininger, O. L. Way, Lewis Bechthold, Supervisors, Committees."

On motion the claim of M. L. Scott as to item of bridge west of Litchfield, is allowed for \$24.00 in the sum of \$24.00 as per report of bridge committee, and as to the other items in claim for the same are allowed in full as charged in the total sum of \$25.75. County board then adjourned to 10 o'clock a. m. of June 21, 1899. JOHN MINSHULL, Co. Clerk by LOUIS REIS, Deputy.

Continued next week.

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LEGAL NOTICE. State of Nebraska, county of Sherman. Village of Loup City, s. s. Estimate of expenses for which appropriation should be made for enacting municipal year as follows:

For General Fund Purposes	\$700.00
Street	100.00
Water	500.00
Interest on Water Bonds	500.00
Village water bond Sinking Fund	300.00
	3,700.00

The entire revenue for the municipal year ending May 31st 1899 was as follows:

For General Fund purposes	\$700.00
Street Fund	500.00
Water Fund	500.00
Int. on water bonds	500.00
Judgment	500.00
	\$3,700.00

By order of Village Board, Witness my hand and the seal of said Village on this 21st day of June 1899.

J. PHIL JAEGER, Chairman. Attest: G. H. GIBSON, Village Clerk.

Mr. P. Ketcham of Pike City, Cal., says: "During my brother's late sickness from sciatic rheumatism, Chamberlain's Pain Balm was the only remedy that gave him any relief." Many others have testified to the prompt relief from pain which this treatment affords. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

ESTRAY NOTICE. Take notice that on or about the 30th of May I took up one red steer, 2 years old past, with white spots under belly and white star in forehead. Was taken up on my farm, the north west quarter of Section 22, Township 15, Range 13, Oak Creek Township, Sherman county, Nebraska. Owner can have property by proving same, paying for this notice and cost of keeping. RAZMIER SOWAKINAS.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. Land Office, Lincoln, Neb., May 22nd, 1899.

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 of Sherman county at Loup City on July 1st, 1899, viz: Harry E. Sweley, Homestead Entry No. 17255, for the North west quarter of Section 25, Township 13, Range 15 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Fred Brewer, of Litchfield, Nebraska. John Fritchard, of " " " " Henry Doon, of " " " " W. F. Gray, of " " " " J. W. JOHNSON, Register.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Land Office, Lincoln, Nebraska, April 10th, 1899.

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 of Sherman county, at Loup, Nebraska, on July 21, 1899, viz: John P. Carmody, Homestead Entry No. 18316, for the west half North east quarter section 25, Township 16, Range 16 west. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James Carmody, of Arcadia, Nebr. Charles E. P. Lane, of " " " " Clarence Larsen, of " " " " Charles J. McCormick, of Huxley, " " " " J. W. JOHNSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION. Department of the Interior. Land Office at Lincoln, Nebraska, June 21, 1899.

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 at Loup City, Nebraska, on August 5th, 1899, viz: Frederick Class Stark, Homestead Entry No. 18043 for the south east fourth, section 15, Township 14 north of range 14 west of the 6th p. m. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Stephen S. Sweetland, Samuel Daddov, of Loup City, Henry C. Stark of Divide, Adolph C. Stark, Litchfield. J. W. JOHNSON, Register.

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