

Local News.

Sourkrout at Pilgers.

E. S. Hayhurst will go to Omaha Monday to purchase goods.

Omaha dentist at St. Elmo hotel January 14-15.

Write Hayden Bros. Omaha Wholesale Supply House for prices and samples.

Our old friend John Wall of Arcadia, will be the clerk of the house again this winter.

Erney Rentfrow moved into the Barker dwelling across the Deadhorse creek Wednesday.

Quality and not quantity makes Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers such valuable little pills.—Odendahl Bros.

Uncle Sam Hancock is standing the cold weather pretty well but is unable to be out doors except on pleasantries.

Money saved is money earned by buying a feed grinder of T. M. Reed.

If you want your watch out in good repair by the only first class workman in the county call on G. H. MORGAN, the Jeweler.

Henry Dolling will continue his shoe sale at 15 per cent discount until January 12.

Ernie and Lonie Rentfrow are keeping bachelor's hall in the little house on the corner south of the NORTH WESTERN building.

Peter Rowe came home from St. Paul Monday night. We understand he has completed his work there and will remain home for the winter.

The sale of Joseph McCoy's last Saturday was quite a success. J. T. Hale distinguished himself as an auctioneer of more than ordinary ability.

Mr. Campbell the gentleman who succeeds Joseph McCoy on the B & M section at this place arrived Tuesday evening. He comes from Marquette.

G. H. Morgan the Loup City Jeweler does all kinds of watch, clock and jewelry repairing in a workman like manner. When you have something to do in his line, don't fail to call on him.

The merited reputation for curing piles, sores and skin diseases acquired by Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve, has led to the making of worthless counterfeits. Be sure to get only Dewitt's Salve.—Odendahl Bros.

T. M. Reed sells sewing machines and a general line of furniture.

John Tockey of Boelus was a pleasant caller at this office last Monday and renewed his subscription to the NORTH WESTERN. Mr. Tockey is one of the stock buyers at that place and always pays the highest market price for stock.

Mr. Calvin Hart of Clay township, and father of Mrs. John Matthewson, died at the home of the latter last Tuesday. Mr. Hart was 79 years of age and has been ailing for a long time. He and his wife, who survives him, have made their home with Mr. Matthewson for the past 14 years.

The board of education have decided to open school next Monday morning, that being the end of the two weeks holiday vacation. There being no signs of smallpox in this community the board concluded to open school at the designated time. The prospects are that the city fathers will raise the embargo on public meetings tomorrow night and the churches and lodges can resume business as heretofore.

Last Sunday morning Lawson Baillie bridled and mounted a frisky broncho which he owns when the little beast began to describe some of its favorite stiff legged evolutions in the air and as Lawson had failed to put a saddle on it he was thrown off and received a clean fracture of the collar bone and had the connecting bone from the shoulder to the collar bone crushed some what. Dr. Main was called and reduced the fracture. Mr. Bailey says he is convinced of the fact that a saddle is necessary to successfully insure a seat on a broncho.

Last Saturday a week during the severe wind storm that visited Sherman County, a whirlwind struck the large frame chicken house of E. A. Draper, who lives 9 miles west of town, picking a portion of it up and crashing it with great force upon his house. The cornice of one end of the house was washed into splinters and the roof considerably damaged, the chimney was also badly wrecked and some siding torn from the side. Mr. Draper was insured against wind storms and will not be at any loss.

Joseph McCoy and family departed for their new home in Oklahoma, yesterday. They have been residents of Loup City for nearly twelve years and have made many friends during that time. Mr. McCoy has had charge of the B & M, Section at this place during all that time and has had charge of a section for that company for the past 17 years. He was a trusted employe and has never during the 17 years had an accident on his charge. He goes to his new home with the best wishes of this neighborhood for his future, and with the knowledge that he and his esteemed family will be greatly missed in Loup City.

T. M. Reed buys Game.

B. T. Snyder lost a gray co't last week

Chas. Gasteyer has been invoicing this week.

J. Phil Jaeger was quite sick the fore part of the week but we learn is much better at this writing.

Rumor has it that two of our saloon keepers have sold out to a gentleman from Iowa.

Nickels Hansen begins the New Year in a correct manner by entering his name on our subscription list.

The newly appointed city marshal commenced his duties last week by picking up two or three stray animals.

NOTICE—Those knowing themselves indebted to me will please call and settle their accounts on or before January 1st. A. S. MAIN.

T. M. Reed's Furniture stock is now complete call and see.

A letter from Cashie Conger announces that a bouncing boy came to his house to live last week.

Geo. E. Benschoter and family and Grandma Benschoter took New Years dinner with their relative J. S. Benschoter.

Ignatius Donnelly the great mid-road pop statesman of Minnesota, died at his home in St. Paul Monday.

Last Sunday was the worst day of the season so far. It blowed and it snowed and then it blowed a 40 mile gale, and mosquitos were scarce.

Such little pills as Dr. Witt's Little Early Risers are very easily taken, and they are wonderfully effective in cleansing the liver and bowels.—Odendahl Bros

Mr. Fred Thode dedicated his new brick residence Monday night with a grand gathering of his friends, a pleasant time was reported by those present.

Cut this out and take it to Odendahl Bros. drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They also cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness and headache.

The most soothing healing and anti-septic application ever devised is Dewitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It relieves at once and cures piles, sores, eczema and skin diseases. Beware of imitations.—Odendahl Bros.

Tuesday morning the thermometer of Mr. E. S. Hayhurst register 13 below being the coldest of the season. Last year the coldest days were as follows: Dec. 14, 8 below, Jan., 2, 10 below; and Feb., 15, 18 below.

Hon. Chas. Nicolai, of Sargent D. G. M. of the I. O. O. F. will be in the City Wednesday Jan. 16 for the purpose of installing the officers elect of that order for the ensuing term. All members of Excelsior Lodge of this city should attend the meeting that night as Mr. Nicolai is an entertaining gentleman and all will be benefited. A lap supper will be served and five degrees conferred on candidates.

It has been demonstrated repeatedly by every state in the Union and in many foreign countries that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a certain preventative and cure for croup. It has become the universal remedy for that disease. M. V. Fisher of Liberty W. Va., only repeats what has been said around the globe when he writes: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in my family for years and always with perfect success. We believe that it is not only the best cough remedy, but that it is a sure cure for croup. It has saved the lives of our children a number of times." This remedy is for sale by Odendahl Bros. Druggists.

This season there is a large death rate among children from croup and lung troubles. Prompt action will save the little ones from these terrible diseases. We know of nothing so certain to give instant relief as One Minute Cough Cure. It can also be relied upon in gripple and all throat and lung troubles of adults. Pleasant to take.—Odendahl Bros.

Parties who fail to get the NORTH WESTERN at the post-office are requested to call at this office and get a copy as we always have a few extra copies on hand. There has been more or less complaint in this particular for some time. We always try to be very accurate in writing off the list and possibly we make a mistake once in a while, but hardly think that we skip the same name on the list for two or three weeks in succession as is some times complained of. However, we will try to keep our subscribers supplied if they will let us know when the paper fails to get deposited in their post office box.

J. I. Depew has his new engine and attachments now in working order. He has taken a contract to make three dozen watering tanks for the Keystone Lumber company and set his buzz saws at work Wednesday on the job. The way he worked up material for those tanks is a caution and with two men would equal the combined labor of ten in the same length of time doing such work by hand. It is a great improvement over the old way of doing wood work in a blacksmith shop. When he gets his attachments all set he will run other machinery with his engine.

DIED

Mrs. Phoebe McDonald died at her home in this city last Friday night at 11:30 P. M. after an illness of about six weeks which was caused by falling on a defective side walk and dislocating her hip, the shock from which she was too feeble to recover. Her long residence in this vicinity and her loving disposition had made her hosts of friends and many tears were dropped when the coffin lid closed over her inanimate form. A short sermon well selected for this occasion was preached by Rev. Madley after which the remains were conveyed to Sunny Slope cemetery and interred at 2:30 Sunday Dec. 30, 1900. On account of the severe weather the turnout was not large. The bereaved relatives have the sincere sympathy of the entire neighborhood. Miss Phoebe Noakes McDonald, was born at Thurso, Canada, Nov. 9, 1827 and died in Loup City Nebraska Dec. 28, 1900. Mrs. McDonald's maiden name was Phoebe T. Noakes. When 19 years of age she was married to Mr. John McDonald at Thurso, Canada where they lived very happily for seven years. In 1853 they moved to the state of Illinois, where they continued to reside till 1881, when they moved to Sherman county Nebr. On Sept. 4th 1887, Mrs. McDonald was bereft of her companion and left to travel the remainder of her life alone. Nine children were born to this union, two of whom departed this life before their mother and seven of whom are still living and mourn her loss. Mrs. McDonald was a woman of sterling integrity, and true worth. She was an earnest active woman, a loving companion and a noble mother. Her lot was one of care and toil, but she had a sunny disposition and "a heart for any fate"

During her last sickness she seemed conscious that she would never recover and said it was all for the best for her life work was done. All through her last sickness she wore a peaceful quiet look. Just as a lake mirrors the blue sky above and trees and grass about it, so her soul seemed to reflect something of the beauty and peace of heaven. She was not a woman who talked much of her feelings or her inner life, but her life was hid with God in Christ. Her trust was simple as a child's. She put her hand in Christ's and left it there. Her last testimony was "I am happy in God and I hope when my children come to die they will be as happy as I am." Her death was like a gentle sleep and her awaking was on the other shore in the presence of her savior.

CARD OF THANKS.

The relatives and families of the late Darius Reynolds and Mrs. Phoebe McDonald desire to express their sincere thanks to all for the kindness, help and sympathy extended to them during the sickness, death and burial of their beloved parents.

The city of Omaha has offered an additional \$25,000 reward for the capture of the Cudahy kidnapers.

Misses Birdie, Ellen and Sarah Lohholm spent the evening Wednesday last as the guests of Mrs. G. H. Gibson.

"A young man came into our store yesterday suffering from a severe attack of cramp colic," writes B. F. Hess, miller and general merchant, Dickey's Mountain, Pa. "He had tried various home remedies without relief. As I had used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy I gave him a dose and it soon brought him out all right. I never saw a fellow so rejoiced." Sold by Odendahl Bros. Druggists

It's a gentleman's whiskey, a pure delicious beverage and a grand appetizer. Don't forget the name. "I. W. Harper" whisky. The kind your grand father used! Sold by T. H. Elsner, Loup City Neb.

When threatened by pneumonia or any other lung trouble, prompt relief is necessary, as it is dangerous to delay. We would suggest that One Minute Cough Cure be taken as soon as indications of having taken cold are noticed. It cures quickly and its early use prevents consumption.—Odendahl Bros.

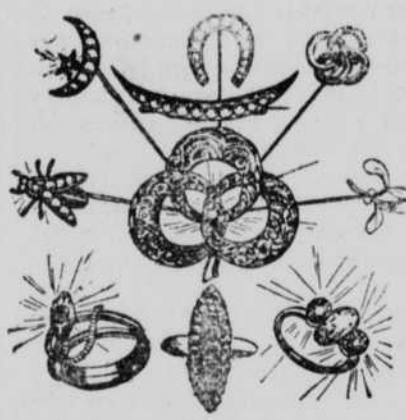
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Send to the Times-Journal Publishing Co., Oklahoma City, O. T., and get a fine map of the famous Kiowa and Comanche reservation, a copy of the laws governing its opening to white settlers, and the Times-Journal one year, which will keep you posted as to time and manner of opening. All for \$1.00

Dr. Withers, Omaha's painless dentist will do your dental work at Omaha prices and warrant same. Set of teeth \$5. 20 years experience.

Persons who suffer from indigestion cannot expect to live long, because they cannot eat the food required to nourish the body and the products of the undigested foods they eat poison the blood. It is important to cure indigestion as soon as possible, and the best method of doing this is to use the preparation known as Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It digests what you eat and restores all the digestive organs to perfect health.—Odendahl Bros.

WE EXTEND A HAPPY NEW YEAR Greeting to all. T. M. REED.



FRIENDS and CUSTOMERS

I have still a fine lot of jewelry on hand which I have marked down to bed rock prices. Call and see my stock.

If you want Watch, Clock or Jewelry repairing done remember that I am prepared to do it with neatness and dispatch and will guarantee all my work. We attend strictly to business and are willing to refund your money if our work fails to please.

I am a first class optician and understand all diseases of the eye, so when in need of optical work give me a call.

G. H. MORGAN, Jeweler and Optician, Loup City, Neb.

COMMUNICATED.

On Saturday afternoon we were requested to call at the home of our old friend Youngs. Five o'clock found us shaking hands with the family and others who had likewise been requested to be present. We found Mrs. Young able to sit up and in good spirits and ready to welcome each one. Soon the door of the dining room was thrown open and behold a table loaded down with all the good things of Xmas times. During the meal we learned that Miss Henrie had prepared the sumptuous repast and we do not doubt it, for Miss Young has in the past proven herself capable of performing any task assigned her. We were royally entertained and had all the turkey we could eat. As each one departed we heard them say "we enjoyed the evening immensely and our holy-day wish is that Mrs. Young may recover and be able to spend many holy-days with us in our homes." ONE OF THE GUESTS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FIRST BANK

CHARTER NO. 250, INCORPORATED AT Loup City in the State of Nebraska, at the Close of Business, December 13, 1900. RESOURCES. Loans and discounts..... 50,334.68 Overdrafts secured and unsecured..... 187.93 Stocks and securities..... 4,274.95 Banking house, furniture, fixtures 1,850.00 Other Real Estate..... Current expenses and taxes paid..... 1,362.07 Checks and other cash items..... Due from National, State and Private banks and bankers..... 895.71 Cash, Nickels and cents..... \$ Currency..... 900.00 " Specie..... 1,709.93 2,609.93 Total..... 61,596.27 LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in..... 80,000.00 Surplus fund..... 1,000.00 Undivided profits..... 3,386.57 Individual deposits subject to check..... 29,419.88 Demand certificates of..... deposit 7,267.61 Due to National Banks..... 228.16 Due to state and private banks and bankers..... 291.05 37,309.70 Total..... 61,596.27 State of Nebraska,) s) County of Sherman,) s) I, A. P. CULLY, President of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct and a true copy of the report made to the State Banking board. A. P. CULLY, President.

ATTEST. W. F. MASON, Director. L. HANSEN, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of December, 1900. RICHARD J. NIGHTINGALE, Notary Public. My commission expires March 17, 1902.

A Keen Clear Brain.

Your best feelings, your social position or business success depend largely on the perfect action of your liver. Dr. King's New Life Pills give increased strength, a keen, clear brain, high ambition. A 25 cent box will make you feel like a new being. Sold by Odendahl Bros. Druggists.

You can leave Missouri River after breakfast to-day on "THE OVERLAND ROUTE" and arrive in California sooner than if you left yesterday via other trains.

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FOR SALE—One hundred and sixty acres of land on Oak creek. Seventy acres under cultivation and a sod house. Price \$700. Inquire of—W. S. WAITE, Loup City, Neb.

If fortune disregard thy claim Don't hang thy head in fear and shame But marry the girl you love best Rocky Mountain Tea will do the rest.—Ask your Druggist. All kinds of Jewelry repairing SHEPPARDS. Promptly Done at

A new remedy for biliousness is now on sale at Odendahl Bros. drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. It is quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. Price 25 cents per box. Sample free.—Odendahl Bros.

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