

Local News.

Col. Young was taken very sick last Tuesday.

See the dray add of Jas. Conger in another column.

A. W. Throckmorton of Divide was a pleasant caller Friday last.

Jas. Depew has just finished a fine cream wagon for S. C. Cording.

O. F. Petersen has invested in a new windmill this week. T. M. Reed filled the order.

After an extended visit to their son Thad in Hamilton county Mr and Mrs. G. H. Scott returned to this city Tuesday.

T. L. Pilger is planning to get the irrigation ditch in operation this season. If this is done it will make the Middle Loup valley blossom as the rose.

The ladies of the G. A. R. will give a spider web social at their hall on Friday evening, April 18th.

Alfalfa cane and millet seed also garden seeds in bulk at T. M. Reeds.

August Bechtold is going to Springfield, Nebraska to locate. He will go north when Mr. Shrove goes in two or three weeks.

Mrs. C. S. Adair, of Denver will open a series of religious meetings at the Baptist church in this city next Monday evening.

Cap. Harris of Sargent and Pat Braden of Arcadia were welcome visitors at the M. W. A. hall.

\$150.00 was the sum appropriated by the Loup City township board to be expended to haul clay and deposit it on the roads where needed.

A. M. Robbins is excavating a place in the side of the hill for a barn near the farm residence. He will have a fine barn when completed.

Mr. Welch, who purchased the farm north of town has purchased the residence of Mr. August Bechtold and will move the building on his farm.

J. B. Swanson, the gentlemen that bought the Adam Schuapp residence and pasture land west of town, will run a town herd this season.

Several of our exchanges are compelled to issue a supplement to hold the fine display ads given them by their home merchants.

A Shelton farmer by the name of J. F. Lippincott advertises a large quantity and fine variety of Early Ohio seed potatoes for sale at \$1.00 per bushel.

Nine car loads of cattle arrived here Wednesday, the property of M. J. Monnett. They will be put in his large pasture in Clay township for the season.

The village of Ashton elected Thos. Jamrog, W. C. Dunker, E. G. Taylor, W. H. Sestak at the Tuesday election. These gentlemen with I. N. Polski constitute the board for the coming municipal year.

This office has been so crowded with job work for the last two weeks that we had but precious little time for anything else. Hence the scarcity of news in this issue and the failure to deliver job work promptly.

The Easter program rendered by the M. E. Sunday School last Sunday evening was largely attended and well received. Mr. Tracy the S. S. Superintendent deserves credit for his untiring effort in behalf of the young people of his school.

O. Bensehoter, is sick with neuralgia of the nerves in hands and arms below the elbow. The ailment is of a very painful nature and at times drives him almost wild. Last Tuesday morning was his serious attack. He is able to be out again.

We had the pleasure of looking over the new bakery plant of Herman Jung last Tuesday. Mr. Jung has put up a new addition to his building and built a fine large brick oven. He expects to run a bakery and luncheon counter and is fitting everything in first class style.

John Leninger, drove to the county seat last evening and reported to the county clerk and county board of health that there was a genuine case of smallpox in Washington township, this county. Mr. Leninger had with him a certificate from the attending physician that the patient, William Walters was stricken with the disease. It seems that the young man now in the employ of Mr. Walters came from Lincoln a short time ago where he became exposed and in this way brought the disease in his clothing.

An entertainment will be given at the M. E. church on the evening of April 10, and promises to be a great treat. The Little Jubilee Singers will be here to render the program. "They are indeed marvelous singers, rendering with matchless skill, and in a manner never before approached by any public singers, those charming Jubilee songs which never fails to delight all hearts. They are from the South Carolina Orphanage for colored children and are in charge of Rev. Bingley who are educating them with much care. To fail to hear them is to miss the rarest and most delightful entertainment ever offered the public." The net proceeds of this entertainment will be used to put in a furnace for the church

S. N. Sweetland is having his residence painted.

Ray Baillie of Westerville Sundayed with relatives in this city.

Thos. Inks has just treated his residence to a new coat of paint.

Charley Grow was taken down Monday with gripe and is reported quite sick.

A. E. Chase has moved his family into the house which he recently purchased of Frank Lorschick.

I have some good work horses for sale. T. M. Reed.

AcBoone is building a bowling alley 12 by 80 feet. It will be fitted and furnished in first class shape.

W. T. Gibson, E. Holcomb and others are building a farm residence for R. D. Hendrickson in Webster township.

Walt McNulty and Geo. Oltsman brought two wagon loads of potatoes from Ord Friday to supply the retail store of A. E. Chase.

Mrs. Gasteier left for Omaha Monday morning to be with her husband. The last report from his condition is that he is but slightly improved. Later—Mrs. Gasteier returned home last evening and says that her husband is much better.

The two gentlemen from Hamilton county, Geo. McLaughlin and C. D. Gilford, who located in Webster township were county seat visitors Saturday.

A car load of posts from the State Fair grounds of Lincoln was shipped to J. W. Long in this city. It looks as though John was going to do some fencing.

W. H. Hickman and his son Gene have commenced farming on the land just north of town. This is the same place which they farmed with good success last season.

Mr. Hoover of Boelus has purchased the A. P. Culley residence in this city and will move his family to town shortly. He shipped some goods up here this week.

The following from the Sargent Leader says: "W. H. Williams and wife left for Ord yesterday where they will reside for a time. Their many friends here were sorry to see them go."

Among our whole basket full of exchanges it would be hard to find one that does not have an ad. representing a lumber yard, but in no instance will you find the word "Keystone."

J. L. Hopper, of Butler, Neb. arrived here last Wednesday, and for several hours was kept pretty busy shaking hands with his many friends. He paid his respects to the Odd Fellows last evening by attending the lodge meeting. He returned home Thursday.

Village election passed off very quietly last Tuesday although the issue of license or no license was closely contested. Both factions rallied all the force at their command and when the smoke had cleared away it was found that there were 128 votes polled with two to one. The vote stood as follows: J. C. Odendahl, petition, 88. J. I. Depew, petition, 86. J. H. Ohlsen, petition, 81. E. A. Brown, Temperance, 42. W. R. Mellor, Temperance, 42. W. H. Hickman, Temperance, 42.

This is the heaviest vote that has been polled for years, and as we remember it the largest temperance vote ever cast in the city. For this the temperance workers have no cause to be discouraged. The newly elected officers are all those whose present terms are about to expire and they will be installed as their own successors, thus leaving the board the same as before.

DRESS MAKING. I will do dress making and sewing at my residence and will guarantee good work at reasonable prices. If you wish any work done in this line call at residence in east part of town. Mrs. T. M. REED.

She was sitting up with a sick man. No professional nurse was she. Simply sitting up with her love-sick lover! Giving him Rocky Mountain Tea. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

SAVED HIM FROM TORTURE. There is no more agonizing trouble than piles. The constant itching and burning make life intolerable. No position is comfortable. The torture is unceasing. DeWitt's Hazel Salve cures piles at once. For skin diseases, cuts, burns, bruises, all kinds of wounds it is unequalled. J. Gerall, St. Paul, Ark., says: "From 1895 I suffered with the protruding bleeding piles and could find nothing to help me until I used DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. A few boxes completely cured me." Beware of counterfeiters. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

From an Author's Journal. Following is an extract from the journal of an author who has not been fortunate enough to write a successful novel: "Rose at 5 and 8 I rang the breakfast bell, moved the chairs around the table and rattled the knives to fool the neighbors. Wrote two poems on the world as a great place to fast in; also a short article to prove that appetite is a mere delusion. I then went to the postoffice to hear the clerk say there had been a wreck on the road and my check for a late manuscript wouldn't arrive until after Christmas. The clerk observing that it was 'a beautiful day,' I went out and dined sumptuously on the climate."—New York Telegram.

ROCKVILLE ITEMS.

Sophis Ohlsen arrived home Wednesday from an extended trip through his mother country. (Denmark)

John Clark of St. Paul was in the city on business Saturday.

Mr. Smith of Omaha was here Friday on business.

N. O. Isaacson Jr. came up from St Paul Friday evening to spend Easter Sunday with his parents.

Mr. Lloyd Paige of Ashton came over Friday evening to take in the dance.

Mrs. W. M. Smelser was taken very sick Friday night. Dr. Hall of Ravenna was hastily summoned. At the present writing she is much better.

Prof. D. M. Hendrickson of Farwell spent Sunday visiting friends in this neighborhood.

The auction sale held by S. J. Fair last Saturday drew a large crowd and every thing sold for good prices.

Mr. S. J. Fair and family together with his household goods left Monday morning for their new home at Kearney, Nebr. Messrs. Frank Thompson, Frank Ofield and Levi Branscomb furnished the transportation.

Mrs. Ed Isaacson was hastily summoned to Dannebrog Monday to the bed side of her nephew, Master Kelson. Mrs. Isaacson arrived home Tuesday afternoon and reports the boy much better, with good chances for recovery.

Word has been received that Lloyd Stephens had his fingers badly mashed while at work in the Railroad yards at Cheyenne, Wyoming.

W. M. Smelser received official notice of his appointment as Post master of our city, last Monday.

J. P. Stephenson paid Loup City a flying business visit Tuesday.

Village election was held Tuesday and everything passed off smoothly. W. F. McInturf, C. H. Winchell, R. M. Hildeson, C. H. Wineteer and Chris Nielsen were elected aldermen from their respective wards and W. M. Smelser was appointed clerk.

Lon Zink bought and shipped a car load of hogs from this place Tuesday.

For sale.—A gray mare seven years old weight 1,000 lbs. A bargain for some one. Enquire at Post office.

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YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

One of the most delightful spots on the American continent, and more easily reached via the Union Pacific than via any other line, is the Yellowstone National Park. The stage ride from Monida by the polatinal Concord Coaches of the Manida & Yellowstone Stage company is through scenery hardly inferior to the park itself.

Side trip from Ogden, Utah, or Pocatello, Idaho, via Monida, and Monida & Yellowstone Stage Co., in both directions, will be furnished holders of all tickets (one way first and second class, regular tourists, or special round trip excursion tickets), sold at Denver, Cheyenne and points east, passing through Ogden, or Pocatello to points in the states of California, Nevada, Oregon, Washington and that part of British Columbia lying north of the state of Washington, upon application to O. S. L. agents at either Ogden or Pocatello, at the very low rates of \$49.00.

This rate will include rail and stage fare covering seven and one-half days' trip, including all meals and lodging beyond Monida.

Full information cheerfully furnished upon application.

H. J. CLIFTON, Agent.

FAVORITE NEARLY EVERYWHERE.

Constipation means dullness, depression, headache, generally disordered health. DeWitt's Little Early Risers stimulate the liver, open the bowels and relieve this condition. Safe, speedy and thorough. They never gripe. Favorite pills. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

ROYAL Baking Powder

Makes the bread more healthful.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menacers to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

Frog Farming Is Profitable.

After laughing at the French people for their frog-eating proclivity the United States is doing very well in that line, for the food commission estimates that we catch in this country about 2,000,000 frogs; that we masticate their toothsome hind legs for the gratification of our appetites. These frogs, which have been hopping for years more and more into the gastronomic favor, are sought for in all parts of the country, furnishing a paying industry not only for the hunters of them in their natural haunts, but the scores of persons who have frog farms and raise them as they might raise chickens. To these persons the frogs mean an annual investment of \$100,000, according to the report of the commission, and that means \$150,000 to the consumers.—Chicago Journal.

CLERK'S WISE SUGGESTION.

"I have lately been much troubled with dyspepsia, belching and sour stomach," writes M. S. Mead, leading pharmacist of Attleboro Mass. "I could eat hardly anything without suffering several hours. My clerk suggested I try Kodol Dyspepsia Cure which I did with most happy results. I have had no more trouble and when one can go to eating mince pie, cheese, candy and nuts after such a time, their digestion must be pretty good I endorse Kodol Dyspepsia cure heartily. You don't have to diet. Eat all the good food you want but don't overload the stomach. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests your food. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

Go to Frank Dennis when you want the very best grade of flour.

WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS OF CHARACTER and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business house of solid financial standing. Salary \$25.00 weekly with expenses additional, all payable in cash each Wednesday direct from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. Manager, 316 Taxton Building, Chicago. sept 13w

THE LAST HEARD OF IT

"My little boy took the croup one night and soon grew so bad you could hear him breathe all over the house," says F. D. Reynolds, Mansfield, O. "We feared he would die, but a few doses of One Minute Cough Cure quickly relieved him and he went to sleep. That's the last we heard of the croup. Now isn't a cough cure like that valuable?" One Minute Cough Cure is absolutely safe and act immediately. For coughs, colds, croup, grip, bronchitis and all other throat and lung troubles it is a certain cure. Very pleasant to take. The little ones like it. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

Reader—You will convey a lasting favor and receive a reward, if you will report the name of dealers trying to sell you a substitute for the Madison Medicine Co's Rocky Mountain Tea. Odendahl Bros.

ESTRAY NOTICE.—Strayed from my place, eight miles north of Loup City, one dark red heifer calf, about ten weeks old. Was missed March 5th. When last seen was going south. Finder will leave word at this office or address. ANDREW WISTRAND, Loup City, Neb.

Best Dray Line, Quickest Time.

JAMES CONGER, Prop.

My ice will be delivered to any part of the city. The ice house will be opened but once a day, and that will be at 8 o'clock, a. m.

All kinds of hauling will be given prompt attention and will make a specialty of moving household good. We solicit your patronage.

JAMES CONGER,
LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.

Eggs! Eggs! Eggs!

FOR HATCHING.

I am now ready to fill your order from choice stock.

Rose Comb Brown Leghorn, 15 eggs, \$1.00, or \$4.00 for 100.

Patridge Cochins, 15 eggs \$1.00

Cornish Indian Game, 15 eggs, for \$1.50.

White Holland Turkey eggs 9 for 1.50.

MRS. A. HANSEL

WHEATOSE

If you want a good food for your children, try Wheatose. It is easily and quickly prepared, and very healthful. Follow cooking directions to get the full benefit. All reliable grocers have it.

California Breakfast Food

WE HAVE THE AGENCY FOR

Alfred Peats & Co.'s

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PRIZE WALL PAPERS

These famous patterns are handsomer and better made than those of any other manufacturer. They consist of all grades from the most inexpensive Kitchen and Bed Room papers to the choicest Halls, Dining Rooms and Parlors, representing a stock of over 3,000,000 rolls.

Don't buy old shop worn goods when

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ORDERS TAKEN FOR ONE ROOM OR A WHOLE HOUSE. **DESIGNS AND COLORINGS EXCLUSIVE.**

MRS. A. J. KEARNS, Agt.,
LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.

ALFRED PEATS PRIZE WALL PAPER

CHICAGO BOSTON NEW YORK PHILADELPHIA

IMPORTED SHIRE STALLION, KING.

will stand at my farm, one and one-half miles north of Loup City during the season of 1902. Be sure and see me before you breed. I have just what you are looking for, a good, heavy thoroughbred and my prices are reasonable.

FRANK OTLEWSKI,
LOUP CITY, - - NEB.

FLOUR and FEED, HAY and GRAIN, BEST on

the market. I keep constantly on hand a large quantity and variety of everything usually kept in a first class Flour and Feed store. My flour is of the best brands and warranted to give satisfaction. Bailed hay ready for delivery. All goods promptly delivered. Call and see me whether you need anything or not. All my customers will receive fair treatment and prompt and courteous attention. Store one door east of St Elmo Hotel.

FRANK DENNIS,
LOUP CITY, NEB.

UNION PACIFIC COLONIST EXCURSION RATES

Every day during the months of March and April, 1902, the UNION PACIFIC will sell Colonist Excursion tickets at the following one-way rates:

To Butte, Anaconda and Helena	\$20 00
To Spokane	22 50
To points on Great Northern Ry. Spokane to Wenatchee, Inc. via Huntington and Spokane	22 50
To points on Great Northern Ry. west of Wenatchee via Huntington and Spokane local over Winatchee, not to exceed	25 00
To Portland, Tacoma and Seattle Ashland, Ore., and Intermediate Points, including branch lines on S. P. Co. south of Portland, via Portland	25 00

Corresponding low rates from intermediate points on the UNION PACIFIC.

Write for rates to points not given above.

J. H. Clifton, Agent.

ASTONISHING OFFER!!

For many years we have sold our Whiskey and Cigars to Wholesale Dealers and our friends are pleased by them, as they are superior to all others. In order to give our customers the benefit of the large profits of Dealer and Wholesaler, we have decided to sell direct to the Consumer our Best Popular Brands of Whiskey and Cigars at less than wholesale prices.

14 BEAUTIFUL PRIZES FREE—ONE WILL GET THEM IF

With every quart bottle of our famous 10 year old Special City Club Pure Rye and one box of our lovely and famous Cuban Hand-Made 100 clear Havana Cuban Cigars, we will give **ABSOLUTELY FREE** one of the handsomest prizes ever. It is a heavy, solid, safe, reliable, and useful pocket watch, and will last a lifetime. I will also give you a beautiful Havana Cigar Holder, 1 extra fine Virginia Henrichsen Pipe, 1 extra fine Havana Cigar Holder, 1 genuine Merit Havana Cigarette Holder, 1 pretty leather Tobacco pouch, 1 elegant extra heavy nickel match box, 1 pair of our best buttons, 1 ball key collar button, 1 neck tie holder, 1 pair silver buttons, 1 double chain and one beautiful charm all jewelry heavily 14 gold plated. All these 14 prizes with one box of our famous Cuban Cigars and one quart bottle of our famous 10 year old Special City Club Pure Rye costs the buyer for less than \$12.00. We sell the Whiskey and Cigars in 1/2, 3/4, and 1 G. O. D. with privilege of sending the 14 prizes for **ONLY \$3.97** in addition, while Whiskey and Cigars alone cost more than we ask for the entire lot. Our Whiskey is an Absolutely Pure 10 year old Rye and our Cigars genuine Cuban hand-made, clear Havana, made in our own factory. These cigars are far better than anything ever advertised before. We guarantee the goods and refund the money if not as represented. An Extra Premium of an elegant Pocket knife with two blades, 1 cork screw, 1 cigar cutter and 1 glass, plus cutter, is \$1.97 in addition with order. Goods sent in plain packages. Write for U. S. DISTILLERS' DISTRIBUTING CO.—Dept. C., 431 North Clark St., Chicago, Ill.