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## Local News.

### LOUP CITY MARKET REPORT.

Corrected Weekly.

Wheat	\$ 46
Rye	39 to 31
Oats	18 to 20
Corn	27
Hogs, per cwt.	5.30
Stockers, Steers and Heifers	3.35
Cows	2.00 to 2.50
Butter	30
Eggs	30

Mrs. Stewart Conger is sick. The little baby of Jerry Shrove is sick.

Schuyler flour and feed at Gasteyer's.

Don't forget the Women's Masquerade Ball to be given at the opera house, Dec. 25.

If you want to buy jewelry for Christmas presents you can do so at cost at G. H. Morgan's jewelry store.

W. T. Gibson who has been confined to the house with a severe attack of grippe is able to be out again. Taylor, having a large amount of bridge work to do, has stuck to his work closely. A little rest will do him more good than medicine.

There will be services at the Adventist church, in this city Saturday and Monday next. All are cordially invited to come.

R. H. Gibson, recently of Iowa and who has located here was in to see us Wednesday. Mr. Gibson thinks our large brick school house is a very creditable enterprise.

A nice program is being arranged for Christmas exercises at the M. E. church, and will be rendered on Christmas eve. We suppose that the other churches of the city will do likewise. They usually do; although nothing so far in the way of announcement has been reported to this office. We solicit reports of all such matters of general interest to the public, and will be glad to give them space.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Smith of Clear Creek are happy over the advent of a new baby boy which made its appearance on December sixth. Walter has been at the county seat doing carpenter work most of the season thus far, but when he heard the news he dropped his tools and went home to greet his only son. And nothing here has been heard of him until last Monday, when he came back and reported all doing well.

Miss Jennie Edwards, the young lady milliner, at E. A. Chase's store, and who was taken sick last week, was taken to her home at Bolder, Colorado last Tuesday by her brother and parents who came after her. Her sickness seemed to have left her weak in mind and she was taken home in a sadly demented condition. She was a very estimable lady and during her short acquaintance here became very popular with our people. It is hoped that she will speedily recover. R. D. Hendrickson accompanied them home.

A child of Mrs. Geo. T. Benson when getting his usual Saturday evening bath stepped back against a hot stove which burned him severely. The child was in great agony and his mother could do nothing to pacify him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house, she thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Keller, Va. Pain Balm is an anti-septic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

Upon general demand we have decided to continue to take cabinet photographs at reduced rates on the following days only: viz: Saturday Dec. 29, Saturday, Jan. 3, Saturday, Jan. 10 and Saturday, Jan. 17. This will be your last chance to get cabinet photos at reduced rates.

M. LECHINSKY, The Photographer.

S. F. Reynolds Sundayed in Sargent. Mrs. W. D. French is on the sick list.

A daughter of John Carpenter is reported quite sick.

Flour and feed exchanged at D. C. Grow's store. South side public square.

Adam Shaupp, of Lincoln was doing business in the city Friday.

Schuyler flour and feed at Gasteyer's.

Stewart Conger bought the sorrel driving horse of W. J. Fisher last Wednesday.

E. A. Draper will soon move to town and intends to follow his profession, that of plastering.

E. H. Kittell of Rockyville township and representative elect made this office a friendly call Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson rejoice over the arrival of a baby boy which came to stay with them Monday.

D. C. Grow, sells flour and feed at the Northwestern Milling Company's stand on south side public square.

T. M. Reed has done a very satisfactory job of placing the new furnace in the brick store of C. W. Conhiser.

A. L. Zimmerman has moved his family into town and now occupies the residence which he purchased of Mrs. Travis.

Kempton Comedy Kompany will be at the opera house, January 1, 2, and 3. Bushels of fun. This is one of the best shows now traveling in Nebraska.

Mr. Samuel Pedler, of Eugenia, Ontario, and father of J. S. and W. H. Pedler arrived here Wednesday evening and will visit with his sons for a while.

Wrinkles are smoothed away by its healing touch. Brain tired and depressed people will find a cure in Rocky Mountain Tea. 35c. Odendahl Bros.

It is said that every bride has many friends, but in a few years, they dwindle down to one. That's Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes and keeps her well. 35c. Odendahl Bros.

Criss Johansen, Will Simpson and Din Mullick, who have been husking corn in Valley county returned last week. They report having finished a big job and made good money.

E. H. Stewart of Hastings, the fireman who came up with a special train on the U. P., was taken very sick while here and was unable to make the return trip. He returned Wednesday.

The annual fair held last Friday at Society hall by the Ladies Aid Society of the M. E. Church was a success as it was liberally patronized by our citizens. We learn that the total receipts for the day and evening were \$88.30. The ladies have taken a great deal of pains to get satisfactory results and they accomplished it.

### THE DAISY SPRING TIRE.

The new Daisy Spring Tire which has lately been patented by P. O. Reed of this place is destined to be a grand success. This spring is made for the use of bicycles and automobiles. It is made from the best of steel and weighs less than one pound. Mr. Reed has been working on the invention for several months and now has the patent perfected to his entire satisfaction. Already he has received several orders from different dealers who have had sample orders and are anxious to get a supply on hand for the trade. The Daisy Spring is an invention that its inventor may well be proud of, as it is an almost indispensable article in the repairing of punctured rubber tires. It is made in a long coil spring and when a tire becomes punctured may be placed inside the casing, and when properly adjusted works fully as well as a new tire. No matter how much worn or full of holes it may be, the spring, which fits the casing well, will do good service as long as there is enough casing left to hold it to place. We congratulate our fellow townsman on the success of his new device and feel sure that he will reap a harvest for his effort. He has applied for a patent which undoubtedly will be granted in due time.

### SUDDEN DEATH.

Elias S. Ogle, one of Austin's most highly respected citizens died very suddenly at his home, Thursday December 11, 1902; age 52 years, 7 months and 11 days.

When the news of Mr. Ogle's death reached the city his many friends was much surprised and deeply grieved, as he has, since his many years of residence here, been known as a first class citizen and with the best of health. In fact he said during his last short illness that it was the first time in his life that he had ever needed a doctor.

Mr. Ogle had been working with the threshing gang during the forenoon of Tuesday of last week. When he came home to dinner he was not feeling very well but went back and feed the machine all the afternoon. When he returned home in the evening, his ailment, which had appearance of internal injuries assumed a very serious nature and by Wednesday evening he was in great pain and Dr. Main was called. From that time on his condition grew alarmingly worse, and no medical aid could relieve his suffering. An examination proved that his death was caused by the rupture of a large blood vessel and he bled to death internally.

He was married to Miss Margaret Castner on Nov. 3, 1892. To this union was born seven children, five sons and two daughters. One son departed this life, October 26, 1880 at the age of 2 years and 7 months.

The funeral took place at the Ogle residence, at Austin, on Tuesday, December 16, 1902, at 1 o'clock, p. m., and his remains were laid to rest in Austin cemetery.

He was an honored member in good standing, of the A. O. U. W. lodge of this city and several of the members from here attended the funeral. Rev. Mr. Madely, pastor of the Loup City M. E. Church and a brother Workman officiated.

He leave a wife and six children, four sisters and three brothers; his father's mother, and one son, two sisters and two brothers having gone before. The bereaved have the profound sympathy of all.

The following appropriate verses were handed to us for publication:

Here still and peaceful is the grave,  
Where life's vain tumult vast;  
The appointed house by Heaven decreed,  
Receives us all at last.  
A holy quiet reigns around,  
A calm which life nor death destroys;  
Nothing disturbs that peace profound,  
Which his unfettered soul enjoys.  
Farewell conflicting hopes and fears,  
Where lights and shadow alternate dwell,  
How bright the unchanging morn appears,  
Farewell, inconstant world! Farewell!

I am selling out my stock of jewelry at cost. Now is the time to buy your Xmas presents. Call in and see my goods.—G. H. Morgan.

### The Best Remedy for Croup.

This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedies for croup is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The croup remedies are almost as sure to be lost in case of croup as a revolver is sure to be lost, in case of burglars. There used to be an old fashioned remedy for croup known as hive syrup and told out some modern mothers say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better and don't cost so much. It causes the patient to "throw up the phlegm quicker and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the croupy cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

**THE OLD RELIABLE**

**ROYAL BAKING POWDER**  
Absolutely Pure

**THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE**

### Burlington Route TIME TABLE.

LOUP CITY NEBR.

Lincoln, Omaha, Chicago, St. Joseph, Kansas City, St. Louis, and all points East and south.	Denver, Helena, Butte, Salt Lake City, Portland, San Francisco, and all points West.
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### TRAINS LEAVE AS FOLLOWS:

GOING EAST  
No. 52 Passenger.....12:10 p. m.  
No. 50 Freight.....12:50 p. m.

GOING WEST  
No. 51 Passenger.....11:07 p. m.  
No. 49 Freight.....12:15 p. m.

Sleeping, dinner and reclining chair cars (seats free) on through trains. Tickets sold and baggage checked at any point in the United States or Canada.  
For information, maps, time tables and tickets call on or write to E. L. ARTHUR, Agent, Or J. FRANCIS, Gen'l Passenger Agent, Omaha, Nebraska.

### U. P. RAILWAY.

No. 86 leaves daily except Sunday (passenger) 8:15 a. m.  
No. 88 leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday, (mixed) 12:30 p. m.  
No. 90 leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, (mixed) 2:35 p. m.  
No. 87 arrives daily except Sunday (mixed) 12:05 p. m.  
No. 85 arrives daily except Sunday (passenger) 7:35 p. m.  
First class service and close connections east, west and south.  
R. J. OLDFORD, Agent.

### City Dray AND Transfer Line.

J. W. & A. T. CONGER, Props

My ice will be delivered to any part of the city free. The ice house will be opened but once a day, and that will be from 4 to 8 o'clock, a. m.

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

JAS. W. CONGER,  
LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.

FOUR PERSONALLY CONDUCTED EXCURSIONS FROM OMAHA TO CALIFORNIA WITH CHOICE OF ROUTES

The excursions leave Omaha every Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday at 4:25 p. m., in Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars. The cars are accompanied all the way by conductors skilled in the service of excursion parties. The Union Pacific is the only line from Omaha running four excursions to California every week.

These excursions can be joined at any point enroute.

For full information call on or address H. J. Clifton Agent.

Cured of Piles After 40 Years.  
Mr. C. Haney, of Geneva, Ohio, had the piles for forty years. Doctors nor dollars could do him no lasting good. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured him permanently. Invaluable for cuts, burns, bruises, sprains, lacerations, tetter, salt rheum, and all other skin diseases. Look for the name DeWitt on the package—all others are cheap, worthless counterfeits. Odendahl Bros.

T. M. Reed sells feed grinders and scoop boards.

A big haul by highwaymen, substitutes and others who steal the good name and fame of Rocky Mountain Tea made famous by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. Odendahl Bros.



### Miss Ida M. Snyder,

Treasurer of the Brooklyn East End Art Club.

"If women would pay more attention to their health we would have more happy wives, mothers and daughters, and if they would observe results they would find that the doctors' prescriptions do not perform the many cures they are given credit for."  
"In consulting with my druggist he advised McEire's Wine of Cardui and Thedford's Black-Draught, and so I took it and have every reason to thank him for a new life opened up to me with restored health, and it only took three months to cure me."

Wine of Cardui is a regulator of the menstrual functions and is a most astonishing tonic for women. It cures scanty, suppressed, too frequent, irregular and painful menstruation, falling of the womb, whites and flooding. It is helpful when approaching womanhood, during pregnancy, after childbirth and in change of life. It frequently brings a dear baby to homes that have been barren for years. All druggists have \$1.00 bottles of Wine of Cardui.

### WINE OF CARDUI

Schuyler flour and feed at Gasteyer's.

### NOTICE.

I take this method of informing the citizens of Loup City and vicinity, that I have bought the shoe stock and shop of Mr. Dolling. I will be at the old stand at Morgan's Jewelry Store, ready to do all kinds of shoe work in first-class workmanship. I have thirty years of successful experience in the shoe business. I solicit your patronage. You will find prices reasonable. In order to make room for a new first-class stock of goods I will sell shoes on hand at from 25 to 50 per cent off from regular prices. All goods and work guaranteed as represented or money refunded. My terms are strictly cash and I have but one price to everybody. Call and be convinced.

Respectfully,  
B. J. SWANSON.

### Grain, Coal and Hogs.

I now have possession of the

### B. & M. ELEVATORS

and will pay highest market price for grain at

MCALPINE, LOUP CITY, SCHAUPP SIDING, ASHTON AND FARWELL.

Coal for Sale at Loup City and Ashton. Will Buy HOGS AT SCHAUPP SIDING AND FARWELL

Call and see our coal and get prices on grain.

E. G. TAYLOR.

Call and see our coal and get prices on grain.

### J. I. DEPEW

### Blacksmith & Wagon Maker,

My shop is the largest and best equipped north of the Platte River. I have a four horse engine and a complete line of the latest improved machinery, also a force of experienced men who know how to operate it and turn out a job with neatness and dispatch.

MY PRICES ARE REASONABLE AND PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL CUSTOMERS.

Soliciting your patronage I am

Yours respectfully,

J. I. DEPEW, Loup City, Neb.

### Grand Island

### GRANITE AND MARBLE WORKS.

IRA T. PAINE & CO.

### MONUMENTS.

MARBLE GRANITE AND ALL KINDS OF CEMETERY WORK.

BEST OF MATERIAL. LOWEST PRICES FOR GOOD work. See us or write to us before giving an order.

GRAND ISLAND, NEB.

### For a Bad Cold

If you have a bad cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by Odendahl Bros.

### I have new and second hand wagons for sale.

T. M. REED.

### A THANKSGIVING DINNER

Heavy eating is usually the first cause of indigestion. Repeated attacks inflame the mucous membrane lining the stomach, producing a swelling after eating, heartburn, headache, sour rising and finally catarrh of the stomach. Kodol relieves the inflammation, protects the nerves and cures catarrh. Kodol cures indigestion, dyspepsia, all stomach troubles by cleansing and sweetening the glands of the stomach.—Odendahl Bros.

### Bulgaria Like Pennsylvania.

Bulgaria is about as big as Pennsylvania, has a similar shape and reminds one very much of that state, because of the resemblance in topography and other physical features. The forests and the rivers watering rich valleys, the mountain ranges, the rocky ledges, and the landscape generally is very much like the Quaker State. The population is about 30 per cent less.—Chicago Record-Herald.

### Do you want a piano, organ or sewing machine.

If so call and see T. M. Reed.

### FARM FOR RENT.—320 acres about five miles from Loup City.

Good house, well barn, etc. A large tract under cultivation. Apply to A. E. CHARLTON, Ord, Neb.

### If you are bilious and seeking advisers,

Take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, just before going to bed.

You are rid of your sorrows— That's all; just enough said.

These famous pills do not gripe, but move the bowels gently and easily, cleansing the liver. Their tonic effect gives strength to the glands, preventing a return of the disorder.

### A NECESSARY PRECAUTION.

Don't neglect a cold. It is worse than unpleasant. It is dangerous. By using One Minute Cough Cure you can cure it at once. Allays inflammation, clears the head, soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane. Cures coughs, croup, throat and lung troubles. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Children like it.

### Signature

This signature is on every box of the genuine

Signature Bromo-Quinine Tablets

the remedy that cures a cold in one day