

Has W. N. Sherman been killed by a bear? True such is the report. But from what source did it come? Both the Times-Independent and the Ravenna News have stated that they have been so informed. Such a report reached this town about Dec. 16 and shortly after that Geo. Gibson received a letter from him dated Dec. 17, which we published, and in which was an account of his well doing, but strange to say he said nothing about the killing.

Only one subscriber thus far has mistook our intention and aim in sending out our annual statement to subscribers to call and settle their accounts to January 1st, and that gentleman paid up and stopped his paper. He was a valuable subscriber, has been on the list for years and has never allowed his subscription account to get very far in arrearage. This year he only owed one dollar, but we thought that dollar would go just as far as any one else's dollar towards helping us out, and enabling us to pay our past due obligations. Now it was not because we were afraid we would not get that dollar, nor from choice that we sent a statement, but because we needed the dollar and needed it bad. We have a hundred subscribers who owe us only a dollar and if they all paid promptly that means one hundred dollars spot cash to us. We do not insist upon the subscriber who owes us only a dollar, cashing up, but simply send them a statement, which of itself is a hint that we need the money and would be pleased to get it. We do however urge the payment of larger sums due us on subscription and other accounts and hope that all will respond with good cheer.

The new members of the board of supervisors of Sherman county and who took their oaths of office last Tuesday are: Andrew Garaska, for Dist. No. 1; W. O. Brown, Dist. No. 3; John Matieski, Dist. No. 5; and W. H. Chapman, Dist. No. 7. The members which held over are: Wm. Jakob, D. C. Grow, and Peter Thode. They started out this year in the most business like manner that has been manifested for years, and we hear it stated that they turned off as much work in one day as other boards have done in two or three. In fact they did all of the business on hand in less than two days, when heretofore it has taken nearly as much time to get the new machinery in running order. One of the important measures which went through was the doing away with a standing bridge committee, thereby saving a great expense to the county. In place of a committee going from one side of the county to the other and spending days traveling about from place to place, each supervisor was delegated to look after the bridges in his own township. This important change was due to the efforts of Supervisor Jakob, who made a very logical speech in support of the motion. A change in the method of drawing a jury was also made. It seems that a jury was drawn by the old board, selecting jurymen only from those who owed the county taxes, so that their claims could be taken for taxes. The new board contended that the law contemplates and expressly says, that a jury shall be drawn from the residents of the county, which does not mean a list of delinquent tax-payers, and a new jury was drawn this week.

Don't Worry

This is easier said than done, yet it may be of some help to consider the matter. If the cause is something over which you have no control it is obvious that worrying will not help the matter in the least. On the other hand, if within your control you have only to act. When you have a cold and fear an attack of pneumonia, buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and use it judiciously and all cause for worry as to the outcome will quickly disappear. There is no danger of pneumonia when it is used. For sale by Oden Dahl Bros

Hot After The Officers.

An Exciting Hand to Hand Conflict With the Sheriff.

HOUNDS FIGURE IN THE CASE.

Sheriff Snyder was attacked last Wednesday while going down the street by two vicious hounds belonging to H. M. Mathew. He took a few shots at them but without effect. The same dogs attacked Supervisor Jakob the day before but with vigorous kicks he prevented them from taking a piece out of the seat of his pants. The hounds are no longer fugitives from justice, having been caught by the owner and put in the lock-up, at his residence.

The people of this county are petitioning the legislature, through Senator Wall and Rep. Kittell, to use all just means to secure for Loup City, our county seat, the location for the State Normal School now located at Peru but which is to be changed to some other, and more central point. We can assure our people that Messrs Wall and Kittell will do all they can to thus favor us. We have many advantages that other towns do not have, and being as we are, in almost the geographical center of the state it would seem that we should have it. Hall county senators and representatives should help us in return for what we did for them in securing the beet sugar factory for Grand Island.

TWENTY FIVE CENTS A MONTH

Most things you buy have increased out, The Lincoln Daily News, the brightest evening paper in Nebraska, is mailed at the old price of Twenty five cents a month. Thousands of Nebraskans in town and in country have been on its subscription list year after year, and will join in its praises. It is independent and stands with the people on the great questions of the day. There is not a dull line in it. Its market reports are the very latest. Three editions are printed daily, enabling it to reach many portions of the state ahead of all competitors. The rural routes are rapidly increasing in circulation, and people generally who want a paper cheap in price, but not in quality are subscribing for The Lincoln Daily News. Why don't you do likewise?

FIFTY CENTS SAVED.

The Semi-Weekly State Journal is \$1.00 per year and the Western Swine Breeder is 50 cents a year, but if you send One Dollar to The State Journal you can get both papers a whole year. The Journal is the paper of all papers to read legislative news and the Swine Breeder is a hammer. Ask them for a sample copy if you haven't seen it. Lincoln is the center of all things of a state nature and The Journal prints more state news than any other paper.

MIDWINTER EXCURSION TO FLORIDA.

The Burlington Route again offers a midwinter excursion to Florida, to leave Nebraska points Tuesday January 6. Through Standard Pullman Sleepers will be run from Lincoln and Omaha to Jacksonville, Florida doing away with the necessity of any change of cars.

The route will be via St. Louis and thence to Jacksonville Florida closely following the line of Sherman's famous march to the sea. The Journey will be pleasantly broken at Chattanooga, Tennessee where a day will be spent in visiting Lookout Mountain and other points of historical interest. Those who desire to stop over in St. Louis can join the party enroute.

The excursion will be personally conducted by the Burlington Route who is familiar with points of interest enroute and in Florida. After leaving Jacksonville members of the party will have the choice of a number of attractive side trips, and may return home at their leisure. An exceedingly low rate for this excursion, and the opportunity to escape the snow and ice, the smart frosts and coal bills at home is a notable one. If you contemplate going it would be well to advise me early. In the matter of accommodations, you know it's a first come, first served.

Booklet giving complete itinerary mailed free on request. J. BRANCIE & P. A. Burlington Route, Omaha, Nebraska.

AN EXTRACT FROM HER LETTER.

A Country of Sunshine and Roses the Whole Year Through

"If you could only be here this winter morning and see for yourself you would no longer doubt me. Roses are blooming in our front yard, and all nature is as far advanced in lovely American summer-land as it will be in your cold Eastern home by June.

"We made the trip from Omaha to California via the Union Pacific to avoid the detour routes

"If you want to reach California without suffering any of the inconveniences of winter travel, be sure that your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. It is the only line running through trains from Omaha, (competing roads have just one car going over four or five different lines once a day, only). The Union Pacific runs three through every day to the Pacific coast from the Missouri river. We rode on that great California train, 'The Overland Limited,' which surpasses any train traversing the American continent."

Pamphlets and maps describing the wonders of California, and full information about the most comfortable and direct route to the Pacific Coast, can be obtained by calling on or addressing H. J. Clifton, Agent, Union Pacific Railroad, Loup City, Neb.

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 will find on the morrow, You are not of your sorrow— 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.

City Dray AND Transfer Line.

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

Our 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.

CONGER BROS.

LOUP CITY, NEBRASKA.



Mrs. Fred Unrath, President Country Club, Benton Harbor, Mich.

"After my first baby was born I did not seem to regain my strength although the doctor gave me a tonic which he considered very superior, but instead of getting better I grew weaker every day. My husband insisted that I take Wine of Cardui for a week and see what it would do for me. I did take the medicine and was very grateful to find my strength and health slowly returning. In two weeks I was out of bed and in a month I was able to take up my usual duties. I am very enthusiastic in its praise."

Wine of Cardui reinforces the organs of generation for the ordeal of pregnancy and childbirth. It prevents miscarriage. No woman who takes Wine of Cardui need fear the coming of her child. If Mrs. Unrath had taken Wine of Cardui before her baby came she would not have been weakened as she was. Her rapid recovery should commend this great remedy to every expectant mother. Wine of Cardui regulates the menstrual flow.

WINE OF CARDUI

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day

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SWANSON & DAHL, Props.

IN OLTMAN BUILDING, TWO DOORS WEST OF POST OFFICE

We are now ready for the trade and can show you one of the choicest lines of groceries ever brought to Loup City. Our goods are all fresh and up-to-date in every respect.

We take produce in exchange and pay the highest market price for same. You bring in your produce and we issue you a coupon which will be accepted in exchange for groceries at our store or for clothing at Johnson, Lorentz & Co's. store, next door.

You should come in and see our line of canned and dried fruits. They are of the best brands and are selling at rock bottom prices. In fact everything we handle will be sold on a very close margin.

We solicit your trade and it will be our earnest endeavor to give satisfaction.

Respectfully,

SWANSON & DAHL

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. M. W. Graves signature is on each box.

ONE MINUTE COUGH CURE

Is the only harmless cough cure that gives quick relief. Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, Bronchitis, Whooping cough, Pneumonia, Asthma, LaGrippe and all Throat, Chest and Lung troubles. I got soaked by rain, says Gertrude E. Fenner, Muncie, Ind., and went out a severe cold and cough. I failed rapidly; lost 48 lbs. My druggist recommended One Minute Cough Cure. The first bottle brought relief; several cured me. I am back to my old weight 148 lbs. One Minute Cough Cure cuts the phlegm, relieves the cough, the a. c. c. draws out inflammation, cures croup. An ideal remedy for children. Oden Dahl Bros.

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STOPS THE COUGH AND WORKS OFF THE COLD. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

Eugene Field's Views on Ambition and Dyspepsia.

"Dyspepsia," wrote Eugene Field, "often incapacitates a man for endeavor and sometimes extinguishes the fire of ambition." Though great despite his complaint Field suffered from indigestion all his life. A weak, tired stomach can't digest your food. It needs rest. You can only rest it by the use of a preparation like Kodol, which relieves it of work by digesting your food. Rest soon restores it to its normal tone.

Strengthening, Satisfying, Enervating. Prepared only by E. C. DeWitt & Co., Chicago. The 31. bottle contains 2 1/2 times the 50c. size or sold by ODENDALH BROS.

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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.

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, 11:57 p. m. No. 53 Freight, 2:15 p. m.

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

U. P. RAILWAY. No. 88 leaves daily except Sunday (passenger) 11:30 a. m. No. 88 leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday (mixed) 12:30 p. m. No. 86 leaves Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday (mixed) 6:15 p. m. No. 86 arrives daily except Sunday (mixed) 12:55 p. m. No. 86 arrives daily except Sunday (passenger) 7:35 p. m. First class service and close connections east, west and south. H. J. CLIFTON, Agent.

HALF RATES TO LINCOLN

January 18 to 24, 1903. On the above dates the Burlington will sell ticket from any point in Nebraska to Lincoln and return at one fare for the round trip. Tickets good returning until February 3. Ask the Burlington agents.



Sold by T. H. ELSNER, Loup City, Neb

The peculiar cough which indicates croup is well known to the mother of croupy children. No time should be lost in the treatment of it, and for this purpose no medicine has received more universal approval than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Do not wait valuable time in experimenting with untried remedies, no matter how bright they may be recommended, but give this medicine as directed and all symptoms of croup will quickly disappear. For sale by Oden Dahl Bros.

LOUP CITY MARKET REPORT

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Wheat, Rye, Oats, Corn, Hogs, Steers, Cows, Butter, Eggs.

