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December 11 is the date of Prof. Fallanbee's lecture. You will miss a treat if you do not hear him.

FOR SALE—A good five room house located opposite Dr. Main's residence. Will be sold cheap. For particulars call on me at St. Elmo hotel. A. ERAZIM.

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The above reward will be paid by the Litchfield Telephone Company for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party that is cutting the wires of the line between Loup City and Divide.
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NOTICE.
TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SHERMAN COUNTY:—According to Section 150 of the new Revenue Act personal taxes will become delinquent and draw interest on and after December 1st.
S. N. SWEETLAND,
County Treasurer.

The Model Lunch Room.
has opened up for business. We serve meals at all hours. Open at 6:30 a. m. to 11:00 p. m. Oysters served in any style. Two doors west of post office.
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The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heals and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Dr. Armstrong, of Delia, Texas, prescribes it daily and says there is no better cough remedy made.—Sold by Odendahl Bros.

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Local News.

Mince meat in bulk at Reynolds.
Mrs. C. H. French is on the sick list.
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Long started for Omaha last Thursday.
Remember the Methodist Fair at Society Hall December 12th.
Try a pair of the warm lined cure shoes at B. J. Swanson's.
Mrs. F. M. Henry visited with friends at Sargent Thanksgiving's Day.
A. Zink shipped a car of horses to Omaha the latter part of last week.
D. C. Leach our popular real estate man, was a pleasant caller yesterday.
A union praise service was held at the Baptist church last Thursday evening.
E. Holcombe built a small enclosed porch on his residence property last week.
John Beachem of Myra Valley, was in the city Saturday looking for corn-huskers.
E. Holcombe has finished the building of a new coal shed at the M. E. parsonage.
Wm. Rottenmayer's son Adolph, has been suffering with a case of chicken-pox the past week.
If you are looking for good arctic, felt boots, German socks or knit boots call on B. J. Swanson.
The brick walls to the new residence of W. E. Smith are going up quite rapidly. The building is 24x25.
Mrs. John Madely returned last Friday from a visit with relatives near Palisade, Hayes County, Neb.
A lady by the name of McGee of Washington, D. C., was in the city this week gathering official statistics.
Walter Smith's house was turned over to the carpenters Thursday, Ohlren Bros. having finished the walls.
Revival services are being held at the Baptist church this week. Attend these services and help the good work.
J. M. Eades, Deputy Grand Master of the A. O. U. W. lodge passed through this city Monday on his way to Taylor, Neb.
The German Verien Thanksgiving dance in Pilger's opera house was largely attended and a good time is reported.
George Lee of Webster township, who has been at the Grand Island hospital for some time, is reported to be a great deal worse.
D. C. Grow, of the Northern Milling company feed store wants to trade flour for wheat. He also has a fine grade of whole wheat flour for sale.
Miss Ella Taylor who has been attending school in York returned to her home in this city Monday. She will visit her parents until after the holidays.
Miss Lela Chase who is attending school at Crete, Neb., came home last Thursday to spend Thanksgiving with her parents. She returned to her work again Monday.
Makes assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves. Quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Great medicine, Rocky Mountain Tea. Odendahl Bros.
Din Mulick and Will Simpson started for Myra Valley, Valley county. Monday to husk corn. The boys have worked up quite a reputation as corn-huskers and their services are in demand.
W. P. Baird and family left last Thursday for San Diego, California, where they will make their future home. We are sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Baird from our midst but wish them success in their new home.
The Polish Grocery and Shoe store has an ad in this issue. Mr. Czaplewski has put a large stock of groceries in the south room of the Porter building and asks you to call and get acquainted. He feels sure that his prices will suit.
The Evangelistic meetings being held at Baptist church every evening are being well attended. Rev. Beyl is an interesting speaker and preaches a plain forceful gospel. The meetings will close next week. No services on Saturday evening.
One Ed, of the tribe of Brown, journeyed northward last Thursday to a place where much turkey was to be had. The hostess not being aware of the amount of turkey that might be consumed by an editor who is privileged to pass his plate as often as desired, made the sad mistake of seating said editor in an arm chair, and low and behold, when the turkey began to press, great was the destruction of that chair.
Jas. I. Depew started for Omaha, Kansas City and several towns last Monday, where he goes to arrange for the manufacture of his new tire setting machine. This machine was patented by James Depew and Carsten Truelsen and is now perfected in every part and as soon as they succeed in getting a number manufactured they will have them on the market. The device is called the "E. Z." tire setting machine and is so constructed as to enable them to put it on the market at less than one-half the cost of other machines. It is said to not only be cleaner but does the work much better than all others.

O. Benschoter has a new set of bells on his express wagon.
Remember the lecture on December 11th at the opera house.
Clarence Wilson of Rockyville township was in the city Saturday.
Chris Zwink of Webster township, was seen on our streets Monday.
Mrs. W. F. Mason has been entertaining guests from Aurora this week.
Miss Lulu Bechthold of Grand Island is here visiting her parents this week.
Rev. J. A. Stevens of Hazard, called at this office while in the city Monday.
Chas. Rowe hung a fine new door for the Leininger Lumber Company Tuesday.
W. D. French treated his barn to a coat of paint the latter part of last week.
A light fall of snow occurred last Monday. The first snow storm of the season.
W. T. Chase is getting his toy rack out this week preparatory for the Holiday trade.
A line of 150 cloaks for ladies at Johnson Lorentz & Co. All new goods and latest styles.
Rev. Kennedy, in company with Rev. Beyl of Ord were pleasant visitors at this office Wednesday.
C. R. Conger and wife of Dannebrog, visited relatives here Sunday, returning to their home Monday.
W. R. Mellor is expected to return home from Chicago today. Mrs. Mellor is to stay there until her health is improved.
Farmers don't fail to see the line of robes, fur coats, fur mittens, and horse blankets at W. S. Owen's harness store.
The literary which was to be given December 3 has been postponed until after the holidays, owing to the busy season before the holidays.
Postmaster W. T. Owens has a fine new air pressure gasoline lamp in the post office which is doing fine work and is indeed a good improvement.
Geo. Rightenour and Frank Ransink have entered into a contract for the purchase of the Round Front livery barn of J. T. Hale together with several teams, buggies and harness.
Mr. Elbridge G. Robinson and Miss Elizabeth Gusner of Arcadia, were united in marriage at the hotel parlor in this city, by Rev. F. D. Kennedy on Dec. 2d, 1903.
Jas. Johansen has succeeded in getting his new house plastered and is now anxiously waiting for it to dry so that the hard finish can be put on and he can get moved before the bad weather sets in for good.
Epworth League services at the M. E. church next Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. Subject: "Lost and Helpless—A Man without Christ." Special music has been prepared and you are cordially invited to attend.
The people who have been shooting within the village limits are violating one of the ordinances and are liable to be complained of if they are found out. Quite a number of shots were fired Sunday afternoon.
H. Jenner made a pleasant call on this office Monday. He reports the water works in usual good condition and says that the engine will, with good care, serve a few years longer, although she is sadly in need of repair.
C. D. Neal, of the Fraternal Review, an I. O. O. F. journal published at Omaha was in the city last Saturday and called at this office. He also visited the Odd Fellow lodge while in the city. This lodge has taken in 17 new members since July last, six of which were initiated at their last meeting.
Mrs. Sarah Gibson, mother of Messrs. G. H. and W. T. Gibson gave a very nice Thanksgiving dinner to her relatives last Sunday. We are told that the dinner consisted of a 13 pound turkey and everything that the market affords. Mrs. Gibson is a very elderly lady and the undertaking, which was so pleasantly and successfully carried out, is indeed worthy of note.
The third of the series of five entertainments contracted for by the M. E. church with the Midland Lyceum Bureau of Des Moines, Iowa, will appear in Loup City at Pilger's opera house Friday, December 11th. Prof. Fallanbee will give a lecture. He is a very able speaker and it is said that his lectures are educational eye openers. Be sure and remember the date, Friday, December 11.
R. A. Wilson had the misfortune to lose his pocket book with \$35.00 in money and some valuable papers in it, last Thanksgiving morning. He also had the good fortune to locate it on the evening of the same day and later get it with all its contents. It was picked up soon after being lost by Rev. Kennedy, the Baptist pastor. Mr. Kennedy came at once to the Northwestern office to advertise the find in case there was no one found to claim it. On the evening above mentioned Mr. Wilson rushed into our office, not with the hope, however, of running right onto his property, but to advertise the loss. Only those who have had similar experiences can imagine his pleasure and surprise to learn that his missing property was in good hands and that he would get it back all right.

E. A. Draper's new house is being plastered this week.
Jas. Conger has treated his dray wagon to a new coat of paint.
R. A. Wilson took the show people overland to Arcadia last Thursday.
C. M. Snyder of Verduette, was among the county seat visitors Tuesday.
O. Benschoter has been painting the running gears of his express wagon this week.
E. M. Searles, state examiner, is here checking up the county treasurer's books.
Niel Hover visited with his brother William and family at Grand Island Sunday.
Lewis Bechthold's new house has been plastered this week. Ed Draper did the work.
Cushions, handkerchiefs, aprons, baskets and candies at the M. E. Fair. Supper 25 cents.
F. De Wolf has moved his family into the upstairs rooms of A. T. Conger's residence.
Albert Johnson, E. L. Patton and Claus Eggers were added to our subscription list this week.
J. W. Long and wife returned from Omaha where they have been visiting the past week, Thursday.
Henry Leininger of Washington township, has purchased the Vanscoy property now occupied by J. E. Nicolson.
Mrs. Mattie Hall, of Snipes, Colorado, arrived last Tuesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Snyder.
The editor and family took Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fisher. It was a fine spread and we did justice to the occasion.
French & McNulty went across the river Thursday to bale a stack of hay for T. H. Elsner. They will also bale a considerable quantity for Dr. Chase.
W. D. Zimmerman is over from Litchfield during the slack time in the real estate business and is clerking in the clothing store of Johnson, Lorentz & Co.
G. S. Leininger who has been at Omaha attending his sick father at the Methodist hospital, returned home Wednesday. He reports his father much better.
The little 4 months and 8 days old child or Mr. and Mrs. August Moll died Wednesday. It had a severe attack of lung fever and bowel complaint. Funeral services today.
A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Jones yesterday morning. Mr. Jones is of the restaurant firm of Bayne & Jones and this new addition to the firm is no doubt a welcome partner.
Suitable Christmas presents both useful and ornamental to be found in great variety at the Methodist Fair. A beautiful supper will be served from six o'clock to midnight. Come and see. Friday December 12.
A faded out, care-worn woman of 40 with a spruce, up-to-date husband, should take Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings back that youthful, girlish beauty. Keeps the old man from going to the lodge. 35 cents at Odendahl Bros.
The Ladies of the Baptist Society, will hold an apron and quilt sale at Society hall, Saturday afternoon December 5th., 1903. A large assortment of apron and other things will be offered for sale at this time. Supper will be served and a good time guaranteed. Come every one and get something to make you happy.—By order of Committee.

M. E. Sunday School.
C. J. Tracy, the superintendent of the M. E. Sunday school, informs us that there was 118 scholars, the work divided into eleven classes, and the penny collection amounted to \$2.11 two weeks ago. Recently a bible class for the young folks has been instituted with E. G. Taylor as teacher. The Sunday school is getting on nicely and under the present able corps of teachers is productive of much good. The following is a list of the present teachers: Mrs. C. J. Tracy, Miss Beth Zimmerman, Miss Hattie Hayhurst, Mrs. S. S. Hover, Miss Edith Henry, Mrs. H. S. French, Mrs. L. J. Holtsome, Miss Edna Minshall, Miss Jessie Leininger, E. J. Pugsley, E. G. Taylor and S. S. Hover.

Where the Frost Takes Hold.
A returned miner from the Klondike states that at a depth of 225 feet he found the ground frozen hard.

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Queen Alexandra of England has revived the bonnet, and all feminine Britain is prepared to accept it.

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Wrong.
"After all, my friend," said the moralist, "life is but a dream." "Not much it ain't," snorted the hard-headed man. "In nearly every dream I ever had I was gettin' more money than I knew what to do with."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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