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FOR SALE—A thoroughbred Berkshire boar. Price \$200.00. Inquire of Wright Reynolds, Loup City, Neb.

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A. ERAZIM.

For Sale—A second hand 4 hole corn sheler and eight horse power. See T. M. Reed.

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.

NOTICE.

TO THE TAX PAYERS 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.

BAYNE & JONES.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness and death of our little child. Especially do we thank Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Strankmann for their untiring help and kindness shown us in so many ways.

AUGUST MOLL and FAMILY.

MASQUERADE.

Masquerade Ball at Loup City opera house New Year's eve, Thursday, December 31, 1903, by the German Verein. The German Verein will give a Masquerade ball on the date above given. Good music and the best of management guaranteed. All are invited. Admission: Gentlemen, 50 cents, Ladies in costume free. Lady spectators 25 cents.

COMMITTEE.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the County Board of Supervisors of Sherman county, Nebraska, will be held at the court house in Loup City on January 7th, 1904, at 1 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of transacting general business. Said meeting having been called according to the requirements of the statutes of the state of Nebraska.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1903.
GEO. H. GIBSON,
County Clerk.

AUCTION SALE.

Some Nice Cattle and Horses To Be Offered.

You should attend my sale if you want to buy some nice young cattle. I will sell on my farm, 6 miles north of Loup City on Monday, December 21st, 1903, at 10 o'clock a. m. 34 head of cattle, most all young stock; one brown 4-year-old driving mare; one 3-year-old Clyde stallion, weight 1300, and 40 head of shoats. Terms of Sale:—All sums over \$10.00 and under, cash; all sums over \$10.00 nine months time will be given by purchaser giving note with approved security and drawing ten per cent. interest from date. Five per cent. discount for cash on all time sales.

ED. A. KNAPP,
P. W. ROUND, J. S. PEDLER, Owner.
Auctioneer. Clerk.

WEST SIDE NEWS.

(Taken from Litchfield Monitor.)

A new boy is reported at the home of G. W. Lang. Set 'em up, George.

Mr. Omev and family returned from Cairo Sunday night.

Eugene Whitman of Clear Creek is clerking in Geo. Lang's store.

Mrs. Geo Van's mother, Mrs. Mills, is very sick. Dr. Goff is in attendance.

Fritz Bichel has lost 8 head of cattle with the cornstalk disease and John Thraikill has lost one.

R. D. Hendrickson, County Superintendent of Public Instruction made our schools a pleasant call Wednesday.

T. C. Chamberlain and A. Debruler made a trip to Broken Bow Tuesday night and returned Thursday noon.

Grandpa Flint left for Kearney Thursday where he will spend the winter. Alf accompanied him as far as Grand Island.

Dell Draper loaded his car Wednesday and left for Spaulding, Neb. Thursday morning where he will run a harness store.

T. F. Hempkin who moved to Minnesota about two years ago returned to Litchfield Sunday morning with a car of emigrant goods. Mr. Hempkin says Sherman county has its drawbacks but he thinks it beats Minnesota for general farming.

Local News.

Mince meat in bulk at Reynolds.

S. A. Allen has joined the M. E. church choir.

The little child of William Hancock is on the sick list.

W. T. Draper was a pleasant caller at this office Tuesday.

The drays unloaded a car of oil for our merchants Monday.

J. E. Conklin of Lincoln was in the city Friday of last week.

Barney McDowel was down from Washington township Monday.

S. S. Hover renewed his subscription to the NORTHWESTERN Friday.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kalka last Tuesday morning.

E. G. Taylor drove to Schupp Sidings and Ashton Monday morning; returning the same evening.

Mr. Larson, the accommodating clerk at Gasteyer's store, has been on the sick list but is again at his post.

The sixteen year-old boy of Mr. Davenport on Clear Creek is sick.

Misses Henry Young and Rose Mulick were Grand Island visitors Saturday.

Samuel Hulbert has been quite seriously sick with lung fever. He is slowly recovering.

The schools are arranging for Christmas exercises to take place the day before Christmas.

Wesley Pedler and C. H. French bricked up one of the furnaces at the school house last Saturday.

Will Goldsworthy, son of John Goldsworthy of this city, arrived from Colorado last Thursday evening.

Fritz Bichel of Divide, was in the city Monday purchasing some lumber of the Leininger Lumber Co.

The young folks of the town are enjoying the fine skating that the recent spell of cold weather has given them, this week.

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.

G. H. Lindall and wife visited at the home of their son near Arcadia Sunday and Monday. They drove up Sunday morning and returned Tuesday.

Come and get a good supper next Saturday at the Ladies Aid Society Fair to be held at the opera house. All kinds of fancy and useful articles for sale there.

Mrs. Harris of New York, who has been visiting her sister at Butte, Montana, arrived here Saturday noon for a visit with her cousin, Prof. M. H. Mead and family.

W. T. Gibson came in from the country last Friday and remained over Sunday with his family. Mr. Gibson has done a large amount of bridge work for Sherman county this year.

Makes assimilation perfect, healthy blood, firm muscles, strong nerves. Quickens the brain, makes and keeps you well. Great medicine, Rocky Mountain Tea, Odendahl Bros.

W. O. Brown, Harve Chapman and Peter Thode, of the Board of Supervisors, started Tuesday morning to appraise all the school land of Sherman county. Their findings will be reported to the state officials.

J. C. Beaver the Nebraska Telephone company's man was in our city Saturday and placed a phone in the new Polish Grocery and Shoe store. He stayed in town over Sunday and worked on the lines here Monday.

John Czaplowski the gentleman who has started the Polish Grocery and Shoe store in the south room of the Porter building is rattling off a set of dishes of 12 pieces at 10 cents a chance. Whoever gets the dishes will have a nice set of glassware and no mistake.

W. R. Waite of Hayes Creek, ten miles north of town, is feeding two car loads of cattle for himself and his brother, W. S. Waite of this city. The Waite brothers raised a very good crop of corn this year and are going to make the most of it. They are also feeding quite a bunch of shoats.

A little altercation which took place last week between Jeff Williams and Richard Flinn of Logan township resulted in the latter getting his finger badly hurt and the former being arrested and brought before his honor, Judge Angier. Mr. Williams was fined which with the costs amounted to \$12.30.

Olie and Rob Howard who left for Oregon a couple of weeks ago returned to this city last Thursday evening. They returned from Oregon to Ravenna with their father some time last week. Their father has some work to do for the Ravenna Milling Company and the boys came over here to look for work. They did not like the climate where they went to work in Oregon.

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. Folsabee 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.

A. P. Paulsen was at the county seat last Saturday.

Remember the lecture on December 11th at the opera house.

Peter Hansen renewed his subscription to this paper last Saturday.

C. J. Tracy and family dined with Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hover Sunday.

William Fletcher of Boelus, was in the city Friday, the guest of J. T. Hale

E. B. Corning, our genial county surveyor, was over from Litchfield Saturday.

Rev. V. A. Zimmerman drove over from Litchfield Thursday. He returned Friday.

Will Strankmann was in town Tuesday morning with a load of corn before eight o'clock.

Miss Ella Foster was a guest of Miss Lela Gee of Webster township, Saturday and Sunday.

A line of 150 cloaks for ladies at Johnson Lorentz & Co. All new goods and latest styles.

Mrs. Lewis Bechthold, sr., was a pleasant caller at the NORTHWESTERN office Friday morning.

Mesdames C. J. Tracy and S. S. Hover visited with Mrs. Ed Angier of Webster township, Monday.

A new brick door way has been built to the cellar at the M. E. parsonage. Ed Draper did the work.

A. T., J. W. and W. H. Conner have renewed their subscriptions to the NORTHWESTERN since our last issue.

F. S. Robbins, John Solms and Geo. S. Leininger have added their names to our subscription list since our last issue.

Wilbur Waite has had a new floor laid in his kitchen and several storm windows put on his residence the past week.

E. Enevoldsen, the proprietor of the general store managed by C. C. Cooper, is here looking after his business interests.

The B. & M. pile driver gang went up this branch Thursday of last week and came back down the line Saturday morning.

Farmers don't fail to see the line of robes, fur coats, fur mittens, and horse blankets at W. S. Owen's harness store.

Lon Zink sold his car load of horses in St. Louis and went on to Indiana for a short visit to his old home. He is expected back this week.

With the best equipped job office on the Middle Loup and good, practical printers in the office we are able to put out a first class line of work.

The Beatrice Creamery Company, for which A. E. Chase is agent, have issued a statement guaranteeing 25 cents a pound for butter fat delivered at this station.

Henry Dolling commenced work at J. B. Swanson's shoe store Monday morning. Mr. Swanson is suffering with rheumatism in his wrist and shoulder.

James Johansen commenced a barn on his residence property in the west part of town Monday. The dimensions are 16x32. George McDonald and Fritz Johansen are doing the work.

George Leininger commenced the work of building his new frame residence last Monday. Philo Snyder, a carpenter who has been working on the mill for J. H. Parshall has taken the contract.

Mrs. Bert Draper was taken to the St. Paul hospital last Tuesday for to be operated upon for chronic trouble. Mrs. Draper's health has been quite poorly for some time. Her husband accompanied her on the trip.

A light snow fell here Thursday night and Friday morning of last week. It looked for awhile Friday morning as if we were going to have a genuine, old fashioned blizzard but luckily it stopped before that climax was reached.

Mrs. C. C. Outhouse was taken to the hospital at Grand Island last Saturday for treatment. She was accompanied by Mrs. Lee Arthur. Mrs. Hillsbeck her sister, who has been with her during her sickness also accompanied them, she will go from Grand Island to her home at Thayer, this state.

Mrs. G. H. Morgan came down from Sargent Monday morning, she was accompanied by the children. Mr. Morgan arrived here Tuesday. He informs us that he has a good chance to sell out his barber shop in that city and so came back here to look up the prospects for a jewelry store and a watch and clock repair shop.

Mr. D. L. Howard, and three sons are in Ravenna this week, looking about with a view to taking up their residence here. They formerly lived at Loup City and left there about six weeks ago intending to locate in Oregon, but the climate there not agreeing with them they returned to Nebraska to re-establish themselves.—Ravenna News.

Chas. Brothwell, the gentlemen who bought the A. Wilson farm last fall, died last Friday morning at two o'clock of blood poisoning. He was first taken down with quinsy and was sick a few days when blood poisoning set in. The remains were taken from here to St. Paul and then to Glenwood, Nance county for burial. He was 33 years old and leaves a wife and two children.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Hanson visited friends at Arcadia last Sunday.

W. T. Chase added a new Retort Oak to his store fixtures last Saturday.

A baby boy came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Eggers last Thursday.

Don't forget the fair next Saturday, December 12th at Pilger's opera house.

W. T. Gibson called on the editor Monday and renewed his subscription.

Jens Christensen of Washington township, was seen on our streets Monday.

John Wall was down from Arcadia Monday visiting his brother, Senator Wall.

William Rettenmayer is rebuilding the barn on his residence property this week.

R. A. Wilson and Ed. Radcliff put up a small barn on the A. Erazim property last week.

Henry Dolling of Logan township, was doing business at the county seat last Saturday.

Cushions, handkerchiefs, aprons, baskets and candies at the M. E. Fair. Supper 25 cents.

Ed Knapp ordered a set of sale bills at this office Tuesday. See his ad elsewhere in this issue.

A new invoice of ladies shoes just received at Swanson's 2 by 4 shoe store. They are a fine lot.

Benschoter knows just how to please you and give you your money's worth. See him for job work.

Sheriff Ed Snyder has been busy this week notifying the jurors of the coming term of district court.

Mrs. Jennie Rawson, who has been staying at the home of W. R. Mellor, started for Chicago Thursday.

James Landers was down from Arcadia Monday evening to attend a meeting of the Masonic lodge of this city.

W. R. Mellor returned from Chicago Thursday evening of last week instead of Friday evening as was stated in the last issue.

Robert Mathew who is attending the State University at Lincoln will be home for the holidays. He is expected Thursday.

A social party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Mathew last Thursday evening. A very pleasant time is reported.

George McFadden of Webster township, has just finished husking his one hundred acre field of corn and reports a yield of about 35 bushels to the acre.

Miss Mary Czaplowski is clerking in her brother John's store. John reports business very good at the opening and says that he is doing better than he expected.

W. T. Chase went to Mason City last Monday to be present at the Public Sale of the personal property of H. C. Chase, sr., deceased. The sale took place Tuesday.

Have you noticed C. W. Conhiser's display window this week? If you wish to see some beautiful sofa pillow covers just step down there and take a look at his west window.

All members of the L. of G. A. R. are requested to attend the meeting next Saturday. Officers will be elected and other business of interest transacted. Mrs. L. J. HOLCOMBE, Pres.

O. Gunnarson of the firm of Gunnarson & Zimmerman, came up from Aurora last Wednesday. Mr. Gunnarson says that he thinks the real estate business will open up good next week.

Conger Bros. made a trip to Arcadia and return since our last issue. They took three ton of coal to that city and brought back about two ton of ground feed for the Northern Milling Co.

Mrs. Ordell Mingus and Miss Emma Way, from near Ravenna, stopped over night in this city last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Reynolds. They were on their way to Roy Way's in Ashton township.

Remember the Methodist Fair at the opera house December 12th. This fair was advertised last week to be held at Society hall but owing to more recent arrangements it will be held in the opera house. Come and get your supper and buy your Xmas presents.

Arthur Elsner arrived home Tuesday from Ebingham, Ill., where he has been for several months past at college studying photography. He has a fine collection of work with him and to see this collection will convince you that Art. is certainly an art.

Last week we said that J. I. Depew went to find a place to manufacture his new tire setting machine. We should have said that Carsten Truelsen, who is also interested in the patent, accompanied him. We understand that while away, they made satisfactory arrangement for the manufacture of the machine and also sold one of them at Grand Island.

Drs. Davis & Farnsworth, of Grand Island, Nebraska are prepared to make X ray examinations and use the X ray in the treatment of cancers and tumors. They are experienced in use of this method, and have recently added to their equipment of one of the strongest and finest X ray coils made. It is used in examination of all important cases and is a great aid in locating disease that can be discovered in no other way.

GRAIN, COAL AND HOGS.

BOUGHT AT THE

B & M. ELEVATORS

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.

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.

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OPER FROM 6:30 A. M. TO 11:30 P. M.

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FRESH BREAD AND BUNS FROM THE CELEBRATED GASS BROS BAKERY OF AURORA. Also Pies and Cakes for sale here.

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TO OUR MAIL ORDER CUSTOMERS:

Below we quote you prices on a Special Line of overcoats that we will fill orders on for Fifteen Days.

They are considered the greatest values ever offered by any legitimate clothing house doing business in America.

Study each proposition carefully and send for Samples.

Men's \$10.00 Overcoats \$7.50

Full, long coats of neat, all wool fabrics, with silk velvet collars, several styles to select from, everyone the best \$10.00 will buy in a regular way, you save \$2.50.

Men's Overcoats Worth \$13.50 for \$10.00

Kersey and fancy mixtures, all wool, latest fall styles, satin sleeve lining, broad padded shoulders and full back, equal to most \$13.50 to \$15.00 coats.

Men's \$18.50 Overcoats for \$13.50

Full of warmth, style and wear. We are glad to be able to offer these, because we know it would take from \$5.00 to \$7.50 more to get as fine elsewhere in the city. He must be hard to please who can't find his overcoat in this lot at \$13.50.

Nebraska Clothing Co

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15th & Farnam Sts.

JOHN J. CZAPLEWSKI'S

Polish Grocery and Shoe Store

West side Public Square,

Fine, large stock of groceries on hand at the opening and more goods coming. I handle everything in the grocery line and will sell on close margins.

I will pay highest market price for butter and eggs.

My stock of Shoes will be here in a few days and I invite the public to call, get acquainted and learn my prices.