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THE NORTHWESTERN

A Few Market Quotations.

Cattle, per 100 lbs.	44.00	85.00
Hogs, per 100 lbs.	6.00	
Corn, per bu.	.29	.33
Wheat, per bu.	.50	.62
Oats, per bu.	.21	.24
Rye, per bu.	.38	.42
Butter, per lb.	.15	.18
Eggs, per doz.		.12

Local News.

Try the Model restaurant.
Mrs. F. F. Foster is quite ill.
Farmers, try the Model for good meals.
Howard Starr is under the doctor's care.
H22, Ashley Conger, the drayman. Get him.
S. E. Fowler was up from Kearney yesterday.
For all kinds of garden seeds, see Draper Bros.
Phone A. T. Conger, H92, when in need of a drayman.
Baled hay for sale by A. P. de Lyster. Free delivery.
Bran, shorts, corn, screenings and rye flour at D. C. Grow's.
Miss Ella Long left this morning for a few days' visit in Omaha.
If you want to buy or sell real estate, call on John W. Long.
The saloons have done wisely in taking out all card tables from their rooms.
Dr. Hess' Worm Powder, louse killer, panacea and stock food at D. C. Grow's.
We handle the Richardson silks and embroideries.
JOHNSON & LORENTZ.
The infant child of Wm. Mizner of Washington township was quite ill last Sunday.
Zimmerman & Brewer can make a straight 6 per cent farm loan. Call and see them.
A complete line of men's dress hats at Johnson & Lorentz. The Longley leads them all.
FOR SALE—Eureka hand loom, price \$15. Enquire of Mrs. O. Sherman, Rockville, Neb.
Bring your harness to Draper Bros. and get them repaired and oiled before the rush.
Harry Udy last Saturday moved into the residence lately vacated by Frank Papernick.
Mrs. Hugh Sleeth was quite ill the past few days, but is reported much better at present.
Hayhurst has received a car of American woven wire fence, the best on earth, price 20 cents per rod.
A fine baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Thornton of Washington township on Monday of this week.
J. J. Condon, upholstering and furniture repairing. All work guaranteed. Call at Marcy's dental building.
Pastor Wold will give a talk to the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs Sunday evening, April 29th. Everyone come.
C. H. Leininger, the undertaker, last week purchased of D. C. Leach the handsome horse used in this city.
Mrs. Aug. Bechtold and baby arrived from Milburn last Friday morning to be in attendance at the Rowe-Schweitzer wedding.
Farmers interested in raising SWEET CORN on contract for a seed house, please call on E. G. Taylor at once for further particulars.
Loup City raised money and food stuffs to the amount of about \$100 for the sufferers by earthquake and fire on the Pacific Coast.
Call at our office. We have some bargains to offer you in farm lands and town property. PRATT & NICOSON, opposite St. Elmo hotel.
LOANS, LOANS.—See Gunnarson & Zimmerman for farm loans. Best rates and terms. Loans may be paid off the first day of any month.
Rev. John Madely, formerly of the M. E. church here, but now of Oxford Junction, Neb., where he has charge of the Presbyterian church, arrived in Loup City last evening to visit a few hours with his host of friends here. He is one of the most eloquent divines in the west.

Try Sunday dinners at the Model. Miss Lucy Grow is no better.
Mrs. Rev. McEwen was reported ill this morning.
Fresh corn meal, graham and buckwheat at D. C. Grow's.
Sheriff Sutton of Ord visited Loup City relatives and friends last Sunday.
Get your pressing, cleaning and repairing done by Bockner, the Tailor.
Loans on Real Estate, call on John W. Long.
C. H. Leininger, undertaker and embalmer. Calls answered day or night.
R. A. Emy was up from Howard county visiting old friends over last Sunday.
You can get your suit pressed and cleaned for \$1.50 to \$1.00 at Johnson & Lorentz.
Miss Agnes Green of Grand Island was the guest over last Sunday at the home of M. C. Mulick.
German services at the church Sunday, April 29th, at 2 p. m. Everybody cordially invited.
Aug. Moll and children left for Grand Island, where the wife will make their future home.
See A. P. de Lyster for Loup City Mill Co's flour and feed. Every sack warranted. Free delivery.
F. F. Foster was on the sick list last Sunday, but was able to go out on his run Monday morning.
Dr. Sumner Davis, Grand Island, Neb., specialist in diseases of eye and ear. Examination for glasses.
Frank Nightingale and wife arrived from Lincoln Monday night for a few days' visit with Mrs. Nightingale's parents.
Call and see us when you want to trade or sell your farm or town property. PRATT & NICOSON, opposite St. Elmo hotel.
There were six additions to the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning, five by letter and one on confession of faith.
John Thompson last week bought of Troy Hale his fine gray stallion colt, and added it to his already fine stud of blooded animals.
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John W. Long is prepared to make all Real Estate Loans on short notice at lowest rates.
Joe Blaschke, living just across the river west of town, was thrown from a horse last Saturday, breaking some of the bones in one hand and wrist.
C. E. Mellor will sell windmills and towers at cost for the next thirty days, to close out those on hand. See him immediately, if in need of one.
It may be news to some of our readers to learn that T. M. Reed is developing a talent for writing continued stories. Read the chapter in this issue.
Frank Foster has the foundation in for his new cottage, which will be 18x24 feet in dimensions. The erection of the building will begin the first of the week.
Don't forget that good roadsters are going for the top notch in prices, and retailing this see G. A. Curry's fine Hamletonian stallion, Basco B. before breeding.
The St. Elmo hotel is making a specialty of Sunday dinners. Try them and hereafter you will willingly forego the ordeal of home dinners on the supreme day of rest.
By referring to the files of THE NORTHWESTERN of some six years ago you will find that A. P. Cully predicted, in an article in its columns at that time that inside of ten years at the farthest San Francisco would be destroyed by earthquake and fire.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ohlsen were called to Bennett, Iowa, yesterday morning by the sad news of the death of Mrs. Ohlsen's mother, which occurred Monday afternoon. Their many friends will sympathize with them in their sorrow.
Clarence McLaughlin of Webster township, got within range of the pedal extremities of a kicking horse Tuesday and now carries his face in a sling. But for the timely arrival of his father on the scene, Clarence might have climbed the golden stairs, as he was under the frightened horse's feet when rescued.

Wilbur Waite is on the sick list.
For barbed wire and hog wire, see Draper Bros.
Delicious short order lunches at the Model Restaurant.
W. H. Creery's children are suffering from ivy poisoning.
Boeckner, the Tailor, opposite St. Elmo and one door west of bakery.
Ravenna was visited by a destructive fire on Tuesday of this week, burning the Burlington hotel.
Spring-time is the time to paint—Sherwin-Williams is the kind of paint. Sold by LEININGER LUMBER CO.
If you are not reading that continued story of T. M. Reed's now running in THE NORTHWESTERN, then you ought to.

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We hear that the Fremont Brewing Company is making arrangements to erect a \$3,000 brick building and ware room in this city for saloon purposes.
Draper Bros. manufacture all their own harness in Loup City; they use the best oak-tanned leather, and guarantee their harness. Patronize home industry.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Long returned from Lincoln Saturday evening, accompanied by Mrs. Long's mother, Mrs. Rawson, who has been visiting in the east for several months.

WANTED: District Managers to post signs, advertise and distribute samples. Salary \$18.00 weekly, \$3.00 per day for expenses. IDEAL SWEET CO., 39 Randolph St., Chicago.
Mrs. C. C. Cooper went to Omaha this morning, where she will make a two weeks' visit with her parents and brother, and do some buying for their general merchandise store.
Chas. C. Perry, the piano tuner, of Grand Island is in Loup City about May 14th. Mr. Perry is employed and recommended by our leading musicians and teachers. Leave orders with your music teacher.
Edgar Draper, the photographer, will leave Loup City May 1st, and go on the road with his photo car. If you want good photos, you'd better get them now, as the next photographer here may do bum work.
Don't forget the dances at Jenner's Park every Saturday night during the summer season. Stewart Conger has charge of the same and guarantees the best of order, good music and best all-around time of your life at each succeeding evening.

Arthur Wing and wife of near Arcadia, visited over last Sunday with Mr. Wing's aunt, Mrs. A. J. Gilbert, just west of town. Mr. Wing has sold his farm and is looking up a new location, but has not as yet decided as to future location.
Drs. Davis & Farnsworth of Grand Island, Neb., are prepared to treat all kinds of chronic diseases, such as Rheumatism, Stomach disorders, Tumors, Cancers, Paralysis, Kidney diseases, etc. The doctors use besides medicine and surgery, the x-ray, hot air baths, electricity and massage.
While at Ashton on business last Friday, Aug. Jaeschke met with a peculiar and painful accident, which, while an accident, is rather rough play. A friend, in good nature took hold of August for a tussle, causing the latter to fall in such a manner as to fracture an elbow joint, which will place our genial German friend on the invalid list for some time. One cannot be too careful in rough good nature.

Through the courtesy of Landlord and Mrs. Harper of the St. Elmo, the editor, wife and autocar of the household partook of an elegant dinner at that good hostelry, last Sunday, and just about the best it has been their good fortune to feast upon for many a day. What with delicious meats, viands, strawberry shortcake, and a host of other good things for the inner man, the newspaper man and family vote that the Sunday dinners at the St. Elmo are just about the most perfect ever tasted.
We had the pleasure last Friday of meeting another old friend whom we had not met for some twenty-five years. Mr. James Mooney, one of the wealthy farmers of Tingley, Iowa. Mr. Mooney was on a visit to his son-in-law, F. G. Castee, on the old Ed. Wakenight place up the valley and took occasion to call and see how this editor was doing. Mr. Mooney has been a resident of Ringgold county, near Tingley for some thirty-six years, and has seen that country grow from a primitive state to one of the best in the grand old Hawkeye state.
The era of cement walk building has begun in Loup City with a vim. New walks have been laid in front of the Wharton house, on the east side of the First National bank, have been commenced on the north side of the square and on the east side of the F. H. Elsner residence, and the contracts have been let and are being let for cement walks over many of the main thoroughfares of the city, and before fall the greater portion of Loup City will have cement walks in all directions. Loup City leads all her sister towns in this particular line of enterprise.

In company with W. F. Mason, the editor of THE NORTHWESTERN took a run up to Sargent, last Thursday evening, and was surprised to find such a lively berg up in the hills. Sargent while possibly not half the size of Loup City, is a beautiful little place and its well appointed mercantile establishments were the greatest surprise of the visit, in that they exceeded by far in style, and up-to-date attractiveness of most any town double in size. The new bank and building added by Messrs. Gunnarson, Cully and Mason, is one of the most attractive features of the town, and we had occasion to notice that the building is one of the neatest and most tasty any one could wish, while the business is proving most satisfactory to the gentlemen, with a most genial, painstaking and courteous resident manager, Mr. W. R. Storrs, hold of the lead strings. All concerned are to be congratulated.

Wedding Bells.
On Friday evening, April 20, Rudolph Schweitzer and Miss Rose Rowe were united in marriage at the bride's home in Loup City, H. S. Wold, pastor of the Baptist church officiating. Mr. Schweitzer came to Nebraska a few years ago from Indiana and is well and favorably known in this city. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rowe of this city. The parlor was tastefully decorated. A beautiful arch had been arranged in one corner of the room, where the happy couple took the vows that made them husband and wife. The relatives and only a few choice friends were present. At the close of the ceremony, a sumptuous supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Schweitzer have gone to housekeeping about seven miles northwest of Loup City, where the groom is employed by a Mr. Johnson. May success attend them.

Yesterday (Wednesday) afternoon, about 3 o'clock, occurred the nuptials of Mr. Geo. W. Tangerman and Miss Bertha Fletcher at the home of the bride's parents, some thirteen miles south of Loup City, the Rev. L. C. McEwen officiating. The happy couple will go to housekeeping immediately on the farm of the groom in the same neighborhood. The groom is an influential farmer and the bride is the accomplished daughter of Samuel Fletcher, also a farmer. May success attend them.

Clear Creek Chat.
A baby girl is reported at the home of John Wheeler.
A Mr. Stark from McAlpine has taken possession of the George Gray farm.
The train started a fire last week burning hay for Kohl, Nistrum and George Gray. Several houses were saved by the timely arrival of men to fight the fire.

See W. F. Mason for best hail insurance.
J. S. Pedler is another of Loup City's enterprising citizens who is becoming making his residence property in a most substantial manner, and will soon have one of the finest homes in the city.
Elsewhere in this paper may be found the advertisement of John A. Thompson's fine horses and jacks, which will be of much interest to lovers of good horseflesh. See John before you look further for good service.

T. H. Elsner has had his residence lots graded and sown to blue grass, is building an immense cistern and otherwise making extensive improvements which show the gentleman to be enterprising and a believer in the future of Loup City.
THE NORTHWESTERN added the following new readers to its growing list the past few days, to whom we return thanks: Mrs. Westernhouse of Webster township, E. H. Allen and Fred Richardson of Clear Creek and G. E. Wilson of May, Oklahoma.

Mrs. J. S. Pedler received a telegram this morning from her daughter at Stockton, Cal., reporting a terrible disaster, but while losing everything, her life was spared. The message failed to state whether it had reference to the late earthquake or a more recent disaster at Stockton.
W. H. Bradshaw left Monday for Battle Creek, Iowa, where he will make his home for the present. Mr. Bradshaw expressed himself as feeling most kindly toward the people of Loup City, and only his late trouble caused him to change his future home. THE NORTHWESTERN wishes for him best of success wherever he may cast his lines.

A Presbyterian Sunday school has been organized at the Baillie school house in Washington township, which meets at 3 o'clock each Sabbath afternoon. Teaching will be held at the school house, also, next Sunday afternoon by Rev. McEwen of this city. All invited next Sunday, as well as every Sunday following.
The McKinzie boys lost their fine bird dog, "Duke," by the poison route last week. Strychnine had been spread over the prairie to depopulate the coyote colony, but succeeded instead in putting to sleep some four valuable canines thereabouts. At last reports the coyote contingent had the laugh on and their familiarity grows upon the sad mistakes made by their hereditary enemies, both two and four-footed.

Friends and members of the Baptist church gave Mr. and Mrs. Wold a surprise Tuesday evening of last week, and presented them with a handsome dresser, which was very highly appreciated. A program of speaking, singing, etc., was rendered at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Wold then presented the church with a framed motto. It was a pleasant occasion. Several friends brought in donations, helping the parsonage larder.
Rev. Wold preached to a packed house last Sunday evening. The subject was "Lost in the Desert," founded on the scene described in Gen. 21:14-21 and also on a picture bearing the above title. The audience seemed to drink in every word of the message, and we believe it will result in much good. After the sermon four candidates were baptized and we believe everyone went away with better impressions for good. The baptistry was beautifully decorated with artificial morning glories, evergreen and potted plants. Christian people certainly felt that it was a joyous occasion.

An overflowing house greeted our home people at Litchfield last Saturday night to hear the rendition of their play, "Diamonds and Hearts," and had the house been twice as large would have been filled. The company was enthusiastically received and netted the company close to \$50. Specialties were put on by Bert McKinzie, Newt Vance and little Howard Adamson, in addition to the drama proper and as well recited. Litchfield and her people will always be remembered most kindly for their generous reception of our local people. We understand the company intend taking the play to Arcadia and Sargent in the near future.

For a Drayman
Send a messenger for
J. W. Conger
He will pay the fee

Rev. Grant B. Wilder will occupy the pulpit at the M. E. church next Sunday morning. In the evening he will deliver a lecture on "Christ, Our Divine Master." This will be illustrated by means of a powerful stereopticon. No admission will be charged for this lecture, but a free-will offering will be taken at its close. Beginning with the evening of the 30th inst he will give a series of four lectures of deep interest to all. Single admission, 15 and 25 cents; for entire course, 50 and 75 cents. Rev. Wilder comes very highly recommended and we are sure his work will be appreciated by all. Come to hear him.
The Entre Nous Club had another of their very enjoyable surprises last Monday evening. This time it was on Mrs. Dr. Main. At about 8 o'clock that evening the members of the club, followed by their faithful household gods, met at an appointed rendezvous and proceeded to the home of their esteemed member and took the lady by surprise, ate of the good things provided by the members at the expense of said household gods, played games and enjoyed to the full an evening of pleasure, presented Mrs. Main with a souvenir of their visit and wended their way homeward about the midnight hour, well pleased with an evening well spent.

NOTICE OF DRUGGIST'S PERMIT.
Notice is hereby given that Odendahl Brothers, a co-partnership composed of the following named persons, to-wit: W. G. Odendahl and Viola R. Odendahl, a widow, doing business as druggists in the Village of Loup City, Nebraska, under the firm name and style of Odendahl Brothers, have filed their petition and application for a license to sell malt, spirituous and vinous liquors at their place of business in said village, for medicinal, mechanical and chemical purposes only, for the fiscal year beginning the first Tuesday in May, 1906, at noon, and ending the first Tuesday in May, 1907, at noon. Any objection, protest or remonstrance to said application must be filed on or before noon of the 1st day of May, 1906. Filed this 10th day of April, 1906.
W. G. AND VIOLA R. ODENDAHL.
Attest: W. J. FISHER, Village Clerk.

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STEEL WHEELS
Not the OLD FASHIONED WOOD--KIND--
There used to be a time long ago when steel wheels were unknown. Things are different now and we would feel like back numbers if we offered our customers the old-fashioned cast iron hub, wood wheels.
When you buy a manure spreader you ought to be just as careful about your wheels as you are when you buy any other kind of a machine, and much more particular. There is no machine on the farm that gets as severe wheel service as the Spreader—if it is used. It stands one day with the lower part of the rim in the wet and the other side in the baking sun. The next day the conditions are reversed. It is expected to go over the farm in all of the bad places and haul loads that would paralyze the ordinary wagon. Still some people offer this machine with the cheapest kind of a combination cast iron and wood wheel.
The Litchfield Spreader is equipped with 6" tires on these steel wheels, having large rolled edges and a general construction, from the tire to the hub that would carry a traction engine. The round edges on the tires prevent the wheels from sinking through the sod like the old-fashioned square tires do. There is as much difference between these round edges and the other kind in cutting through your meadows as there is between a dull and a sharp knife in cutting a loaf of bread.
If you want to leave your grass ground without deep ruts and wish to maintain light draft, then be sure you select a wheel that will not sink through the sod with an ordinary load.
These modern steel wheels are different from the ordinary kind, as you will see when you look at them. The hub is made from cold-drawn welded steel tubing; the spokes from high carbon steel, riveted on both sides of the hub and on both sides of the tire. The tire being flanged will not buckle and being welded together will not give away like the cheap kind that are held with a patch.
Seeing is believing and if you want to know about these wheels, look them over. We are ready to show you a wheel for strength and durability like you never saw before. Anyway come and see the Litchfield Spreader. We shall explain briefly next week with reference to the self-cleaning, endless conveyor, such as no other machine uses.
T. M. REED.

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