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A Few Market Quotations.

Corn, per bu.....	56 @ .58
Wheat, per bu.....	.78 @ .82
Oats, per bu.....	.36 @ .40
Rye, per bu.....	.60
Butter, per lb.....	.18 @ .20
Eggs, per doz.....	.15
Hens, per lb.....	.07
Spring chickens, per lb.....	.05 1/2

Local News

Loans on real estate, call on John W. Long.

Miss Mamie Gibson is reported ill with pneumonia. Phone A. T. Conger, 3 on 62, when in need of a drayman.

E. F. Jones has re-commenced work on his new residence in the west part of town.

Highest market price paid for chickens at Reynolds'.

Miss Nettie Conger is the happy owner of a fine new piano received last week.

If you want to buy or sell Real Estate, call on John W. Long.

John Ottmann has started work on his fine brick residence in the north part of town.

Ask your flour dealer for a sack of Loup City flour, best grade \$1.40. Every sack guaranteed.

J. I. Depew went to Fremont Tuesday morning to attend a state meeting of blacksmiths.

The Loup City Mercantile Co. are taking measures for new spring suits every day, except Sunday.

Geo. Wasnick will this week Friday move into his new home purchased from J. A. Converse.

Parties wishing to purchase good Refrigerators can do well by leaving their order with Christensen & Ferdinand.

We now have Rock Springs Nut, Sunshine Maltland and Pinon Lump coal on hand.—Leininger Lumber Co. Do you make a big howl about catalogue houses and then have a travelling piano-tuner do your work? Try Max Jeffords.

Editor Brown went to Lincoln Monday to attend the State Editorial Association, to return home this evening.

Why not go to the Loup City Mercantile Co. and have your measure taken for a new suit? They understand the business.

Mrs. Mary Winklemann went to Bonesteel, S. D., on Monday of this week, where we understand she will take up a claim.

I have Canon City, Aztec, Nigger Head and Sheridan lump coal on hand. Try your next load of coal from Taylor's elevator.

Miss Eunice Chase last Thursday evening entertained her classmates in school at her home. A very pleasant evening resulted to the children.

Farmers, we give more pounds of flour per bushel for wheat than any mill near here and every sack guaranteed.

LOUP CITY MILL & LIGHT CO.

I. H. Winchell on Monday shipped his household goods, a number of sheep and other stock to Hudson, near Denver, where he will go into the sheep raising business.

Mrs. G. W. Hunter entertained the Birthday Club and a few other guests at her home Tuesday afternoon. She was presented with a handsome gift from the club as a token of esteem. The afternoon was pleasantly spent with guessing contests and music, after which a dainty four-course luncheon was served by the hostess.

The masquerade ball given by the Germania Verein last Friday evening was reported a splendid success in point of numbers and interest and all who attended enjoyed one of the most happy dances of the season. Below we give the prize winners, their costumes, the prizes and the donors: Ladies' best costume, a vase, donated by C. W. Conhiser; best by Miss Esta Wilson; gents' best costume, collar and cuff box, by Odenahl Bros.; L. Banks Hale; lady's comic costume, china rack, Christensen & Ferdinand; to Myrtle Wilson; gents' comic costume, clock, by J. F. Jeffords; to Art Conger; biggest fool, whip, by Draper Bros.; to Bert Wilson; best group, prize cake by Herman Jung; to Mrs. Katie Burrows; Mrs. Will French and Mrs. Robert Young.



Shoe Sale

For Ten Days we will sell odds and ends of shoes at a big cut price. \$2.50 to \$5.00 Shoes all go at one price, \$1.98

while they last. Come early to get your choice.

Loup City Mercantile Co.

Mrs. W. R. Mellor came up from Lincoln with Mr. Mellor and remains a few days longer to visit her many friends.

E. Holcombe left yesterday morning for Delta, Colorado, and other points, where he will look for a new location.

Wilbur Waite and wife and Mrs. A. E. Chase went to Chapman, this state, yesterday to attend the wedding of a cousin.

Latest reports from the bedside of the editor's aged mother are most disheartening, her condition growing gradually for the worst.

Mrs. Bid Taylor, who has been visiting here for some weeks and on the sick list a portion of the time, returned to Council Bluffs Monday.

Will Wharton has resigned his position at the Keystone lumber yard, to take effect March 1st, and he and his family will visit for a season with relatives and friends at a distance.

Last evening about twenty-five of the young friends of Lowell Truelsen gave him a farewell surprise party at his home, before his departure next week with his parents for his new home in the Montezuma Valley.

At a late session of the board of managers of the State Fair Association, C. J. Tracy was for the ninth or tenth time selected as chief of police of the annual state fair meeting. Stand up for Loup City and Sherman county.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinnie give another of their excellent musical recitals at Arcadia this evening, and elaborate arrangements are being made at Aurora for their recital in that musically inclined city next Tuesday evening.

We understand J. T. Hale's mule sale last Thursday proved unsatisfactory and was stopped early on account of unsatisfactory bidding. Mr. Hale has a large number of choice animals and it is too bad more interest was not taken.

Chas. H. Leininger left for the North Platte country Wednesday, where he will take charge of a large ranch. Mrs. Leininger will join him there in a few weeks. We wish this worthy young couple unbounded success in their new home.

Again the motor on this branch crippled the service on Monday of this week, some of the machinery becoming disabled when it had gotten so far as Rockville, and an engine had to be sent for to haul it into St. Paul. The motor service, so far as this branch is concerned, seems to be particularly unfortunate, and the frequency with which there is a breakdown causes much grumbling from the patrons of the road. This was not the case before Motorman Guy Toulouse received his broken wrist which laid him off duty, and we trust he may get lightning express speed on his injured member toward recovery, that motor service may be all right again.

The thousand-and-one friends of W. R. Mellor were pleased to note his home-coming last week for an over-Sunday visit, and the scores of warm hand clasps he received show he is a prime favorite with our people. When Will Mellor was unanimously re-elected secretary of the State Fair Association a few weeks since, it was suggested he make his home address as Lincoln, his headquarters. To this Mr. Mellor demurred claiming his permanent home as Sherman county and to which county should the honors of the secretaryship be accredited, if honors they were considered. Good for W. R. Mellor and his standing up for Loup City and his real home county.

The services at the Presbyterian church last Sunday, both morning and evening were of an unusually interesting character. In the evening the services were in charge of the Brotherhood, the new church organization, and Judge Aaron Wall was the speaker of the evening, his subject being the "Life of Washington." The Brotherhood and the church as an entirety was honored in thus honoring one of our first citizens and a speaker of such known repute. Judge Wall gave an address of much merit, and one such as he was so able to give. The church was crowded with Loup City's best people, who listened most attentively to the judge's splendid oration. Besides the regular church music, an antiphonal service was given by the double choir and Mrs. McKinnie gave one of her splendid solos, of especial sweetness and beauty. The Brotherhood may well be proud of the first of the number of services they will give in the future.

Mrs. Bushhausen Dead.

Died at the home of her son, Henry Bushhausen, in Rockville, Monday, Feb. 17th, 1908, Mrs. Minnie C. Bushhausen, at the advanced age of eighty years. The deceased was born in Metmogue, Germany, Dec. 6th, 1826. She came to the United States when she was eighteen years of age, locating first in New York. Later she moved to Ohio where she lived until 1875, when she moved with her family to Sherman county, Nebraska, locating near Hayestown, where she has lived continuously for the past thirty-three years. Her husband died twenty-three years ago. Mrs. Bushhausen was the mother of nine children, five of whom are dead. Only four of her children survive her—Henry and Daniel, of Rockville, Charles, of Paris, Texas, and Mrs. Henry Reiland, also of near Rockville. The deceased was a sister of August Kocherscheidt, deceased, and was an aunt of Mrs. Charles Piderit, of Ravenna. The funeral was held at Rockville Wednesday, and the remains were interred in the Stine cemetery.—Ravenna News.

Fine High School Debate

The exercises of the debating class of the high school at the Presbyterian church, Tuesday evening, called forth a large audience of enthusiastic friends of the young orators and the general public. It proved a matter of genuine surprise to those present that we have so much oratorical ability in our public school, coupled with a goodly amount of talent and ability to discuss knotty questions. It would be unfair in us to criticize any one in particular or point out the fine points in thought and oratory of any one of the eight contestants, as all did surprisingly well, and as each retired from the rostrum at the close of the points brought forth, he was greeted with salvos of applause such as the edifice has seldom witnessed. The contestants were Clifford Rein, Chris. Sorensen, Archie Kearns, Clayton Mead, Lowell Truelsen, Clark Whitaker, Walter Callahan and Will Ohlsen, the judges after considerable discussion deciding upon the first named five as chosen to represent our high school in future debates with students of other high schools. Judge Wall was chairman for the occasion. Messrs. R. J. Nightingale and R. P. Starr and Rev. L. C. McEwen judges. Music, and good, too, was furnished by Mr. Max Jeffords in a violin solo, and by a number of the young ladies of the high school.

Only One Day's Session

District court convened Tuesday morning of this week, with Judge Hostetler presiding, and by the close of the day had finished all business before it and adjourned. Two divorce cases were disposed of, Udy vs. Udy, and Warner vs. Warner, the plaintiffs in both cases being the aggrieved wives, to whom were granted freedom from their galling yokes. The damages in the Brock road case were placed at \$80. The cases of W. T. Gibson vs. Sherman county, et al. were dismissed and plaintiff excepts. The Teeter divorce case was passed. The Ashton village ordinance case was decided against the village. In the case of the county of Sherman vs. Geo. H. Gibson, he was given 15 days in which to plead. The case will come up at the first jury term. The other cases were of minor importance to the public.

A new change in the train service of the U. P. on this branch gives us a noon mail only Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. This is fine. No wonder our people fall all over themselves in worshipping the charming efforts of the Union Pacific to give us poorest of mail facilities.

Local Notes.

John Bell was home on a visit over Sunday.

Wm. George is moving on the place vacated by Clarence McLaughlin, instead of Everett Sickle.

Some of the neighbors went in and surprised Mr. Kilpatrick Sunday, it being his birthday anniversary.

Quarterly meeting will be held on the 17th or 18th of March at Cleoria. J. C. Sorensen, S. Foss, Carl Squiers, Ross Warrick and Mr. Summers all move this week.

Mrs. Guliford was quite sick the fore part of this week.

Bertha John is home for an over-Sunday visit.

Murel Warrick was here buying horses and visiting his parents.

Chas. Barnes went to kick at a horse one evening last week and instead kicked at the wind, and as a consequence he slept all night with his foot in a sling. Ha! ha! Charlie, be more careful next time.

Irvin Barrick started to move Monday overland and got caught in the rain and had to unload and come back.

Frank Zwick is doing some carpenter work for Mr. Baillie this week.

J. O. Douglas' have quite a sick child, in the first stages of lung fever.

The young people met at Christ Zwick's Wednesday evening and gave Fred and Chris a surprise.

Arnett's are baling hay today.

Everett Sickle has rented a part of the Walt Fletcher farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bell are going to Poole Siding Thursday.

Everything sold high at both the Dietz and Squiers sales.

Public Sale

I will sell at Public Auction on my farm, 2 miles northwest of Loup City, Neb., on Tuesday, March 3, 1908, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. the following property, to-wit: 8 horses; all fine horses. Everybody knows my horses. 27 head of cattle, consisting of 1 Shorthorn bull, coming 2 years old, whitefaced bull, 1 year old, six milk cows, five spring steer calves, two coming yearling heifers and two small calves; also quite a few geese. Farm machinery, household goods, etc. Free lunch at noon.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over \$10, 8 months' time will be given by purchaser giving bankable note with 10 per cent interest from date of sale.

FRANK OTLEWSKI, Owner. JACOB ALBERS, W. F. MASON, Auctioneer. Clerk.

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Dr. Shoops Health Coffee, per lb	-.15
Meadow Sweet Apple Butter, per can	.10
Champion Peas, per can	.10
Chipped Dried Beef, tin can	.12
Eagle Lye, 4 cans for	.25
J. M. Gooseberries, per can	.10
J. M. Mince-meat, 3 pkgs for	.25
Barrington-Hall Steel Cut Coffee	.35
Red Rose and Old Time Coffee, per lb	.25
Smoked Halibut, per lb	.15
Smoked Salmon, per lb	.10
J. P. Coats Thread, per spool	.05
American, Washington, Columbia and Wm. Simpson & Son Prints, per yd	.07

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