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LOCAL NEWS.

All kinds of graining done; see Gilbert.

City election next Tuesday. Don't forget.

All work and goods fully warranted at Schwane's.

Let Gilbert tell you a few things about graining.

Schwane can and will make your watch run right.

J. I. Dewey went to Gregg Monday morning on business.

Mrs. H. Hansink is recovering from a severe sick spell.

Oyster shells for chickens. Go to Lee Bros.' meat market.

Fritz Johnson left last Monday morning for Reserve, Kansas.

Take your watch to Schwane's for quick, sure and permanent repairs.

District court will convene here the 30th of April. It will be jury term.

The motor on the U. P. was out of commission again on Wednesday morning.

Paints and wall paper that wears like the nose on a pig, at Jones the Painter.

Mrs. Ansie Davis and children left Tuesday morning for their home at Greeley.

Go to Lee Bros.' meat market for home-made summer sausages. Only 15c per pound.

J. L. Hagood, successor to Stroud will do your hauling promptly and satisfactorily.

Miss Blanche Draper visited friends at Arcadia Monday evening, returning home Tuesday morning.

I have laid in a stock of wall paper and paints on the east side of the square. Jones the Painter.

Walter Reed has been appointed administrator of the estate of his deceased brother, T. M. Reed.

Wanted—A lady to do cooking at the Bon Ton Cafe. Good wages and steady job to right one.

We have a full supply of all kinds of lump coal and our prices are right. Call at Taylor's Elevator.

Miss Dessie Danielson returned to school at Lincoln Monday morning after a week's vacation at home.

Will Cording of Grand Junction, Colorado, is here visiting old friends and his brother Joe at Litchfield.

Go to Mrs. Mathews for your pretty New Spring Clothes, Hats, Dresses, Coats, Waists, Skirts, Corsets etc.

Our away-to-college students, who have been enjoying a week's vacation at home, returned to their studies last Saturday morning.

Don't forget to be given tomorrow (Friday) evening at the Gem Theater by the High School Glee Club.

5000 different samples and stock of wall paper to pick from, 8 cents and up per double roll. East side of the square. Jones the Painter.

"Did you say coal?" "Yes, Pinnacle, nut coal." This is a good coal for cook stoves, free from slack and easy to start. Try it. For sale at Taylor's elevator.

Thursday, April 4th at the Gem is the date of the Buffalo Bill's show in moving pictures of 3000 ft. of film. Afternoon and evening. Admission 10 and 20 cents.

An adjourned session of the district court convened Monday to finish up unsettled business before the court the past term. They adjourned Tuesday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist church will hold an Easter exchange at Lee's meat market on April 6th. Home made bread and Easter eggs a specialty.

Miss Nora Beckman lost her gold watch on the streets here last Saturday afternoon, with pin attachment. If finder will leave same at this office suitable reward will be given.

For a satisfactory repair job go to Schwane's.

We pay cash for eggs delivered at the creamery.

Let J. W. Dougal sell your farm or city property for you.

Ground bone fore chicken feed at Lee Bros.' meat market.

Try the J. L. Hagood dray line. He will give you good service.

Geo. Curry was over from the west side yesterday greeting old friends.

Mrs. J. T. Hale left for her future home at Ogden, Utah, this morning.

Big Red Millet Seed for sale, \$1 per bushel. Phone 2-on-83, Route 3.

L. B. MILLIGAN.

Let Gilbert fix your old painted doors and windows to look like new.

Home-made summer sausages at Lee Bros.' meat market at 15c per pound.

O. S. Fross on Monday shipped a half-bred Shetland pony colt to Des Moines.

List your farm or city property with J. W. Dougal, "The New Real Estate Man."

Mrs. C. J. Tracy has been quite ill the past week, but is much better at present writing.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Mulick and Miss Maude Gilbert visited at Grand Island over last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Baillie are to leave Saturday morning for their future home at Clakamas, Oregon.

Mrs. E. G. Pagsley and children visited a few days this week with Grandma Foster and Uncle Ed.

Mrs. Edie Cooper entertained the B. of E. club at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edw. Angier, Tuesday evening.

We are paying 28 cents cash for cream delivered at the creamery. We test and pay cash for cream.

RAVENNA CREAMERY CO.

The Misses Hazel Tiffany and Bess Camp, two of Arcadia's charming young ladies, were Loup City visitors last Saturday.

All kinds of old painted woodwork made to look like new, without taking old paint off. Ask Gilbert how it is done.

Glenn A. Steven and M. C. Alexander went to Omaha last Friday morning on a business engagement.

For up-to-date millinery goods, call and see Alta M. Johnson's stock before purchasing elsewhere. At W. P. Reed's Variety Store.

Spring is here or the geese are badly fooled, as flocks of the honk honks are daily skitting northward at safe distance from earth.

Do you want to buy a farm or city property worth the money? If so see J. W. Dougal, the new real estate man at Loup City.

Miss Grace Adamson went to Council Bluffs last Saturday, taking home her little nephew, Jack Taylor, who has been visiting here for a few weeks.

Mrs. Minnie Becker came up from Omaha last Friday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Keeler, and brother and sisters.

If you want a dray, phone A. L. Enderlee, 8 on 63, or leave your order with either lumber yard or E. G. Taylor. Best of service guaranteed.

We understand that Will Mulick has accepted and will be transferred to a position with the railroad company in California. He is at present on a Utah division.

R. V. Blom went to Aurora last Saturday where he filled the Swedish pulpit for a brother minister on Sunday, Rev. C. G. F. Johnson filling Rev. Blom's pulpit here.

When you buy your next sack of flour, buy White Satin Flour, made by your home mill, from home grown wheat. All merchants in town handle it. LOUP CITY MILL AND LIGHT CO.

The P. E. O. society gave a farewell party at the home of Mrs. R. P. Starr on Tuesday afternoon of this week to their departing sister, Mrs. J. T. Hale, who was soon to leave for her future home at Ogden, Utah.

Frank Bagnuski, wife and eight children left yesterday morning over the Union Pacific for New York City from which point they expect to sail on April 2nd for their old home in Germany. They had lived here some six years.

Our jolly friend, Mike Mulick, says he is going to sell out and go to South America. He seems to have the fever strongly.

Estrays—Two pigs taken up by John A. Peugh. Owners can have same by calling for same and paying costs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henthorn of Aurora were over Sunday visitors at the M. A. Phillips and W. J. McLaughlin homes in this city. The lady is a sister of Mr. Phillips and Mrs. McLaughlin.

Voters on the Omaha primary ballot will have the exquisite satisfaction of having to make 91 crosses on their ballots—if they do all the marking necessary to make a complete ballot. But how many will?

C. W. Conhiser last Friday traded his farm south of town, known as the Vic. Swanson place, for the Bagnuski 20 acres in the west part of Loup City. Charley tells us he is going to make a chicken farm out of it and if he does you may bet he will have a good one.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bowzer from the westside, accompanied by Messrs. Porter Curry and Byron Halcomb, as witnesses, were over last Saturday to prove up on Mr. Bowzer's homestead entry, but as the county judge was out of some necessary blanks, the case was postponed till the first of April.

Mrs. Edie Cooper last Friday afternoon entertained her lady friends of the Entre Nous Club at the home of her sister, Mrs. Edw. Angier, and had one of their most enjoyable club meetings. Mrs. Cooper goes to look after her claim in the Box Butte county next Monday, where later Mr. Cooper will join her and they there make their future home.

Frank Kennedy was down from his farm Tuesday on a pair of crutches, the result of a severe seige of rheumatism which had kept him in supreme misery for the past four weeks. Frank says if he don't soon get relief he will take in the springs at Excelsior, Mo. Frank has our sym.

Mrs. Frank Winklemann left Monday morning of this week for Oslo, Texas, on receipt of the distressing news that her good mother was lying at the point of death there from an attack of appendicitis, which together with ill-health, gives little possibility for recovery. The lady visited here some four months since, and will be remembered by the many friends of the grief-stricken daughter.

The lecture on "Jerusalem" given at the M. E. church last Sunday evening by Hon. W. R. Akers of Alliance was full of historical meat and most interesting to all who have interest in Biblical knowledge. He took his audience with him over the holy city and the spots of interest in and about the most ancient city, and while the lecture occupied nearly two hours' time, but very few expressed weariness and most of them present could have listened much longer with the lecturer over the interesting facts pertaining to Jerusalem.

We received a pleasant call last Friday from our good friend A. M. Lewis of Hampton, Neb., who came up for an over-Sunday visit with his son Ed Lewis, a rugged chip of the old block, who also accompanied him to the office. Mr. Lewis, Sr., owns some valuable farming land in this county which Ed is looking after in best shape. Of course both are readers of the Northwestern, A. M. renewing and the younger adding his name to the best list of readers any paper ever had. May kind fortune continue to follow both gentlemen through life.

We received a pleasant call last Saturday from Mr. Fred J. Chapman of Scotts Bluff, who is here for a fortnight's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Chapman. Mr. Chapman, Jr., is engaged in the sheep business in his country and had just returned from Omaha where he had marketed forty-two cars of his product and concluded to stop over here for a visit with his parents and old friends. He will keep posted on his old home hereafter through the Northwestern.

Tomorrow (Friday) night at the opera house, the High School Glee Club will give the second operatic entertainment to our people entitled "A Dress Rehearsal" which a perusal of in advance assures us is one of the most charming little musical comedies ever written, and in the hands of "Our Girls" will prove just such a success as did their first opera, "A Japanese Girl," given in the opera house on the 10th of February of last year, which was heartily received, well attended and so favorably commented upon at the time and since. Anything Loup City girls attempt they gloriously succeed in, and our people may expect this to be no exception.

Size us up. Notice the angelic twist to our usually homely face. All because we received last Saturday a card from our son, Frank W. Burleigh at Columbus, Ohio, announcing the arrival at his home on the evening of the 20th of this month (March, 1912) of a darling baby girl, weight 6 1/2 pounds. Just imagine Frank's elongated frame prancing around in the wee sma' hours 'o morn, with the precious bundle of femininity in his arms. This makes us grandpa five times and we should be getting used to it by this time, but as this is the first girl to four boys who have come to bless the homes and hearts of the editor's children, he has a perfect right to yell "Bully!" and take a day off to celebrate.

Legal Notice

In the District Court of Sherman County, Nebraska.

Bert P. Fiebig, Plaintiff,

vs.

The Unknown Heirs and Devisees of Reuben S. French, deceased, and Joseph Bray, deceased, and Joseph Bray, deceased, and Joseph Bray, deceased.

Notice of Publication.

To the unknown heirs and devisees of Reuben S. French, deceased, and Joseph Bray, deceased, in the above entitled cause.

You will take notice that on the 28th day of March, 1912, the above named plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Sherman County, Nebraska, the object and prayer of which are to proceed against said unknown heirs and devisees without naming them, to obtain an order upon said defendants by publication and to remove the cloud cast upon plaintiff's title to lots Nine (9) Ten (10) Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block Fourty-five (45), in the original town and city of Loup City, Nebraska, according to the recorded plat thereof on file in the office of the county clerk of said county, by the record of a certain mortgage of said county, and to remove the cloud cast upon plaintiff's title to said premises by a deed dated January 10, 1908, executed by May Bray to Francis W. Smith, recorded in book 141 page 206 of the records of said county, by reason of a defect in the execution of said deed and to quiet the title to said premises in the plaintiff.

You are required to answer said petition on or before the 5th day of May, 1912.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1912.

Bert P. Fiebig, Plaintiff.

Attorney for Plaintiff.

J. S. PREDLER, His Attorney.

Last Pub. Apr. 18.

SOME BARGAINS IN FARM LANDS

320 acres within 6 miles of a good town; 100 acres broke, 20 acres alfalfa, balance hay and pasture. Soil house 14 x 28, all finished inside; stable for 6 horses, cow barn 34x60; hay shed 40x50; double corn crib and granary 10x32 two chicken houses 14x16; good well and windmill, cistern and water works, five acres fenced hog; tight price \$32 50 per acre. Teams, cash \$2500, balance five years at 5 per cent. Must be sold by May 1st.

One hundred and sixty acres six miles from Arcadia and 11 miles from Loup City; 125 acres broke, balance pasture and hay land; 100 acres level, balance rolling. New 3-room house, new barn for 6 head of horses and grain bin; good well, windmill and tank. Price \$57.50 per acre. \$3,450 cash, balance five years at 5 1/2 per cent interest with optional payments.

Four hundred acres 9 miles north of Loup City, 7 1/2 miles southeast of Arcadia; 250 acres level farm ground, balance rolling and rough; fair improvements; some alfalfa; all fenced and cross-fenced; Price, \$60 per acre.

Two hundred and thirty acres; about 6 1-2 miles northwest of Loup City; 50 acres broke; 12 acres in alfalfa, balance hay and pasture. Price, \$30 per acre.

For Sale by J. W. DOUGAL, Agent, Loup City, Nebr.

PRESBYTERIAN

Beginning Thursday evening of this week, March 28, there will be an interesting series of subjects for discussion at the Presbyterian church, 8 p. m. The general subject is "Christianity and Practical Social Studies," March 28th "Religion and Politics," April 4th "Sunday and the Laboring Man," April 11 "The Religion of Sanitation and Hygiene," April 18 "The church and the Peace movement."

Hymeneal

Mr. Melvin E. Sickles and Miss Ora H. Henrickson were united in holy matrimony yesterday (Wednesday) March 27, 1912, at high noon at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendrickson, near Austin, in the presence of about 50 guests. The ceremony was performed by Dr. D. A. Leeper of the Loup City M. E. church. The groom is one of Sherman county's progressive young farmers, while the bride is a bright, amiable and attractive young lady. A host of friends of the young couple unite in wishing for them a life of abundant happiness.

Big Discount Sale on Great Western Manure SPREADER

At The T. M. Reed Implement Store They Must Go O. S. Mason, Owner

Here is the Grocer's Side of the Story

So much has been said about small dealers who cheat their customers by selling underweight, and so on, that the following extract from a letter from a grocer, published in the April Woman's Home Companion, is interesting:

"There are honest grocers, and one does not need a lantern and tub to find them. Look at the other side. Take coffee at twenty-five cents a pound. Mrs. Smith wants ten cents worth done up in a bag (that of course costs nothing, tied with string (that costs less) and delivered (which is even less a tax on the grocer). Does she get ten twenty-fifths of a pound? Most certainly not; and any grocer who would give it to her deserves to go into bankruptcy. This coffee cost twenty-one and a half cents per pound in hundred pound sacks; weigh it out in ten-cent parcels, and you get slightly over ninety pounds. Where is the grocer's profit?"

"Another mistaken idea is that cash buys cheaper than credit. At the bargain counter of any and all kinds of merchandise and inferior grades it may; but of staples—no, decidedly no. If you get a staple, grocery or meat at less than the regular price, there is something wrong with it.

"Again, if I weigh exactly and do not give downweight, I cannot keep

Preacher's Favor Picture Shows

Picture shows are swelling the congregations in Omaha churches where prayer meetings of the customary kind have failed to attract. The latest of the churches to try picture shows as a means of bringing out sinners is the Southwest Methodist Episcopal church, of which Rev. Thos. Bithell is pastor and which will give the second of its series of tableaux Thursday evening. The congregation flocked to the first show a week ago and enjoyed it so much that the shows are to be weekly events.

The idea started with Mrs. C. J. Roberts, president of the Frances Willard Women's Christian Temperance union who gave the first traveling show, the subject of which was "New York to Alaska" illustrated with post cards used in a radiographic machine. Tomorrow evening's entertainment will be on "California," by O. J. Pickard, who has just returned from the golden west. The motive behind the shows is civic as well as social and religious, since the proceeds of the small fee are to pay the churches' share in the tax levied for grading the street on which it is located.

A church which used pictures to win back an indifferent congregation is the Presbyterian church of Benson of which Rev. Jessie C. Wilson is pastor.

The congregation has increased five-fold since introducing the pictures says Mr. Wilson. He uses Bible themes and stories, the life of Christ

and stories which have ethical value such as "Ben Hur" and "The Vicar of Wakefield."

The pioneer in picture shows for churches is Rev. M. O. McLaughlin of the United Brethren church, who started them in his church early in the winter. He gives a different subject each Sunday evening. He declares his congregation has increased 200 per cent since starting the shows. He combines his sermons with the pictures, using one to illustrate the other. His subjects are Biblical and taken from other literature which has a religious or ethical value.

"Last year, traveling through the state on Christian Endeavor work, I noticed that the people were crowding the theaters and neglecting the churches. The reason is psychological. People receive ten times stronger impressions through the eye than through the other senses. So I decided to use the pictorial method in my evening services."—Bee

Seed Corn.

I have for sale 46 bushels of Silver Mine and 36 bushels Yellow Dent seed corn that has been personally selected and tested and I guarantee that 95 per cent of it will grow—price \$2 per bushel in one to five bushel lots, in lots of more than five bushels \$1.75 per bushel delivered at railway station here. Reference, any business man in this vicinity.

E. WICKHAM, Salem, Nebraska. Mar. 21-4.

Something Different At Gasteyer's Every Friday

Fresh Lettuce and Radishes Parsnips

English walnuts Oranges
Brazil Nuts Bananas
Almonds Apples
Cocoanuts Lemons

Dates: Not the kind you make, but the kind you eat.

Salt Herring, White Fish, Smoked Blowers; Sweet Pickles Sour Pickles, Dill Pickles.

Try Crisco: the new cooking compound cheaper than lard, goes farther and tastes better

Gasteyer's

The Quality House Established 1888

A LADY'S WATCH

Should be an accurate time piece. The movement should not be slighted.

On account of size or case ornamentation, Ladies watches from our stock are guaranteed to be accurate and reliable time pieces, and, as with everything else that comes from our store, our guarantee stands behind them.

LOU SCHWANER



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Let us Figure your bill of Lumber and all kinds of Building MATERIAL AT THE

LEININGER LUMBER CO., Loup City Neb

Easier Terms for Government Water Rights

Payments for water rights on the government Shoshone Project in the Big Horn Basin are now \$4.70 per acre first year—\$1.00 per acre second year—\$1.00 per acre third year, \$3.40 per acre fourth year, \$6.00 per acre fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth years, and \$11.00 per acre the tenth year.

No interest. 6300 acres to be opened to entry soon.

320 acre free homesteads in Campbell County, Wyoming, good for dairying, stock raising, and mixed farming, the kind that insures a steady cash income.

New folders free—write me today for new folders telling all about the cheap lands along the Burlington. Get in on the ground floor before the coming land movement starts.

Homesteaders rates from Eastern Nebraska every first and third Tuesday.

Drop your postal in the box today.

D. CLEM DEEVER, Immigration Agent 1004 Farnam St., Omaha, Neb.

