

**BLACK CATHOSIERY**  
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Tomorrow (Friday) will be primary election.

To vote for LaFollette for President mark an X after his name, which will be found near the top of the ballot.

Voters of Sherman county should carefully see to it that W. S. Walte their local candidate has a strong endorsement from his home county for the office of State Commissioner of Public Lands and Buildings. The recent tragic death of his brother in Mexico, who was killed by Mexican outlaws, has so engrossed his attention and filled him with sorrow that he has not been able to concentrate his attention upon his own affairs as he would otherwise have done, but our people should see to it that his vote is not lessened by his inattention to his own personal candidacy.

**Alex Baillie in Oregon**

Clakmus, Ore., April 1, 1912.—Friend Burleigh: I promised to drop you a few lines occasionally, and I may as well commence now. I do not know very much yet, but I do know a little more than I did when I last saw you. I want to tell you a little incident of our trip to the west, Saturday morning, March 30. I bought two tickets from Mr. Collipriest at Loup City, one each for my wife and for myself, with the instructions to go on board No. 17, due at Grand Island 4 p. m. Well we arrived in the island all right and settled ourselves down to await the arrival of No. 17. It didn't come until 5 p. m. when I ventured with fear and trembling to ask a uniformed official something like "If No 17 would be on time? Imagine my surprise, when he said, "Why, No. 17 is lost, but No. 5 will be here in a few minutes, and you had better go on that, or you may never get there at all. Now the query? In sailor parlance, when a ship is lost she is never expected to be found. I am wondering if it is the same with a railroad train?

Well all the same, we boarded No. 5 and got there. We had not been on the train very long until we found quite a mixed company; several families from Pennsylvania bound for Oregon, also a Menonite preacher and a Hood River, Oregon, land agent carrying with him very fine specimens of apples. But when it came to a talking contest, the land agent was a long way the better man, that is, over the Menonite preacher.

Snow covered a very large portion of the country from Grand Island until the Columbia river country was reached in Oregon, then fruit trees were in bloom and looking nice.

I think, from the looks of stock throughout the plains country, that a great many must have perished from cold and hunger.

Mrs. Baillie and I are well and enjoyed the trip hugely, but can't say much about the country yet.

With great respect for Nebraska, and particularly for Sherman county I am yours truly, A. L. BAILLIE.

**THE CHURCHES**

**SWEDISH CHRISTIAN.**  
April 21st Sunday School at 10:30 a. m. Sermon 11:15 a. m. Subject "The Good Shepherd"

**GERMAN.**  
April 21st there will be services at Ashton 10:30 and at Rockville at 2 p. m. April 29th lesson in German at 10 a. m. at Loup City.

**PRESBYTERIAN.**  
Sermons for April 21st: 10:30 a. m. "A Christian's Money"; 2 p. m. "How Old Art Thou?" The annual congregational meeting will be held next week, Friday, April 26, at 8 p. m. Members of the church and congregation are earnestly invited to be present.

**METHODIST.**  
Preaching next Sabbath morning and evening by the pastor. "The Golden Age" is the subject for the future? will be the subject next Sunday morning. In the afternoon the pastor will preach at the Wiggle Creek church. The Epworth League will be at 7:45. Sunday School at 11:45.

**Along R. R. No. 2.**

H. W. Brodock and Albert Snyder and families, and Arthur Woody spent Easter Sunday at Clark Alleman's.

Vern Alleman and family spent Easter Sunday at the home of Lewis Huncker.

Ladies' aid society will meet the 25th with Mrs. Vern Alleman.

G. B. Wilkie and family spent Sunday at Ira Daddow's.

Frank Buller is working for Fritz Bichel.

R. D. Hendrickson, O. F. Petersen, Milo Gilbert, Oliver Brodock and others from the country attended the Odd Fellow funeral in town Thursday.

A. T. Conger has been hauling gravel on the route the past week.

Lars P. Neilson hauled several loads of hogs to Loup City the past week.

Ben Wilkinson has sold his baled hay for \$11 a ton on the ground.

E. B. Corning drove route 1 last Thursday.

E. M. Marvel did some good work along the Plambeck line the past week.

Carrier appreciates the many Easter presents found in the mail boxes.

M. Carver on Route 4 out of Litchfield attended the Odd Fellow funeral in Loup City Thursday.

Milo Gilbert is setting out a big addition to his orchard.

Winter wheat and rye looks good. alfalfa fine, especially fall sown. Pastures getting green. Sowing oatmeal order of the day; also potato planting. Some farmers are discing their corn ground. Cattle and horses in good condition. There are a few more fat cattle to be shipped. Lots of alfalfa will be sown this spring.

Clay township has bought three more graders, one for each district.

The ladies' aid society met with Mrs. Clark Alleman last Thursday.

Fritz Bichel will plow all his old alfalfa up and reseed again this spring.

Mrs. Roy Conger's father was up from Omaha to see her the past week.

Lars Neilson has one of the most up-to-date chicken houses in Sherman county. If you want to see something good and are thinking of starting in the business Mr. Neilson can in few words give you good pointers, as he is well posted.

Fred Johnson fixed some bad places in the road in his district last Friday.

Mrs. Hugh Cash came home from Albion last week accompanied by a younger sister, who will remain until she is feeling better.

Russell Curry was hauling corn to his brother Wilber last Tuesday.

Tom McFadden marketed wheat last week.

Herman Johansen was hauling straw from John Kociemba's last week.

Sam Daddow and son Earl were at Frank Daddow's last week planting potatoes.

Rowe and sons last Saturday commenced work on W. O. Brown's new residence.

Anton Spotsanski has been painting his house.

Lars P. Neilson is having some breaking done on the quarter he purchased last fall of W. H. Gunn.

Ernest McFadden was hauling wheat to Loup City Tuesday.

C. R. Spencer and son shipped cattle to Omaha last week.

L. H. Hansen is a new patron on Route 2.

J. P. Hansen and wife visited at the home of L. H. Hansen Tuesday.

Miss Constance Hansen is attending the Loup City schools.

Robt. Dinsdale will soon commence the erection of a fine residence just north of his feed lots, where the granary now stands.

Robt. Dinsdale has sold his elevator to E. G. Taylor.

A big load of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs went out Tuesday and surprised Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hendrickson.

Jim Johnson has bought the tract of land and buildings near the old mill site occupied by Stewart Conger.

Ernest Daddow and wife autosed to Loup City Saturday.

Horace Casteel has rented Nick Daddow's place east of the Loren Gee farm.

Wind last week blew the hay racks off the wagons for Alfred Jorgensen and Jim Roush.

The high winds last Friday night blew over Bob Dinsdale's corn crib west of the U. P. tracks.

Roy Conger was hauling gravel for W. H. Gunn last week.

Ed Flynn was hauling baled hay to town last Thursday.

Geo. Wagner and Miss Minnie Obermiller were visiting at the home of Miss Bertha Smalley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Parsley and daughter, Minnie, on their way home from Loup City last Friday in their auto, were caught in a narrow rain and hail storm. They claimed half the size of hen's eggs fell, and from the manner in which Tom's hands were bruised, guess he thought they were even larger. They reached home at 10 p. m. and do not wish to repeat their experience.

Mrs. Andy Gray has been called to Omaha to be at the bedside of her husband, who is in the hospital.

F. A. Pinckney got a lot of seed corn from C. W. Burt Saturday.

Vern Alleman has been putting in an orchard.

The "Big Four" were hauling hay from Bichel's for Clint Outhouse Monday.

C. W. Burt and Frank Casteel bought a hay baler Saturday and will bale hay west of Iver Lynne's this week.

Wilber Curry bought a wagon and rack from Ben Wilkon last week.

Howard Smithy is working for Wm. Rutherford.

Mrs. Wm. Squiers is putting down a new well on her farm.

Clarence Sweetland has done some well work for Nick Daddow.

Robert Miller, son of Rev. C. W. Miller, has been very ill at his home in Texas, but is better.

Chris Oltjenbruns has his new auto home.

Marshal Burnett did some good road work on the road leading to the south bridge Tuesday.

F. A. Pinckney did some good road work with a drag last week.

C. O. Johnson is putting in alfalfa.

Geo. Peterson was working on the road Wednesday.

**COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES**

**From the Superintendent's office**

Now that spring weather is approaching, all schools should have an increased attendance. From now on we shall examine school reports very closely with a view to enforcing the compulsory school law. The law requires regular attendance for the entire term of school unless pupils are excused by the board.

Last week the superintendent was called to investigate a teacher who was accused of neglect of the business of the school. Upon investigation it was found that about the worst thing that the teacher had done was to teach reading with dramatization (the most approved way) to some of the primary children. Furthermore, none of the complaining parents had visited the school nor even hinted to the teacher that his method of teaching was objectionable to them. These parents are really fair minded and we feel sure that in the future they will be frequent visitors at the school and confer with the teacher upon all matters regarding which there might be misunderstandings. At first sight dramatization does not appeal to all parents, but when parents understand that this method is used to teach children the relation between reading and doing their objects are usually removed.

This week the superintendent visited the Litchfield school and one rural school. We very much enjoyed our visit to the Litchfield school. It is in excellent working order in spite of the crowded condition of all of the rooms. Attention is to be congratulated that has such capable teachers in the grade work, for it is the work that must form a foundation for the higher work and it is the work that is most useful to all.

Litchfield is certainly a good school town. Prof. Stryker seems to be working up an excellent school spirit among the patrons of the school.

The patrons have presented a petition to the school board asking for a special school meeting to consider the proposition of voting bonds for a new school building.

Seventy-eight sets of eighth grade papers have been received as a result of the March examination. Pupils required to write on eleven subjects, thus making a total of eight-hundred and thirty six papers, ranging from one to five sheets. This means much work for the superintendent.

The teachers generally agree that the examination was very easy, in fact too easy. They quite generally say that certainly no pupil should go on to the ninth grade, who failed to pass the examination.

So many certificates have been issued in the past two weeks that we will mention the names of pupils receiving Diplomas of Honor only.

Remember the special teachers examination April 20th. All subjects will be given on this day.

There will be a closing day program given by the pupils and young people of Dry Creek school, District No. 48, on Friday evening April 19th, Lila McNulty teacher. Every body invited.

**SUPERVISORS PROCEEDINGS**

Loup City Nebr., April 10, 1912.—The county board proceeded, with Assistant State Engineer and Standard Bridge Co's Agent, Mr. Rief to west river bridge and made sounding and took measurements for the new steel bridge.

Board then met at the court house at 3 p. m. present, Brown, Wolfe, McDonald, Aden, Jensen, Waskowiak and J. H. Welty chairman with County Attorney R. P. Starr and W. C. Dieterichs clerk and following had and done to-wit. Minutes of last meeting read and on motion approved Pruss Road Petition was then taken up and on motion road committee was instructed to visit said proposed road to-morrow morning and report.

County Attorney Starr reported that \$800.00 of the delinquent taxes ordered by the county board to be foreclosed had been paid to the county treasurer and advised the board that in his opinion the entire tax in said cases can be collected without any action at law, and asked for further instructions.

On motion said report was accepted and the county attorney was instructed to proceed as he has been doing until further notice. Sealed bids were then opened for the construction of a barn on the county farm. Three bids were filed as follows:

Wm. Rowe & Son	\$797.85
Engle & Cook	800.00
Wm. Rettemeyer	920.00

Rowe and Son bidding the lowest were on motion awarded the contract said barn to be finished by May 20, 1912. On motion board adjourned to meet tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock a. m.

Loup City, Nebr. April 11, 1912.—Board met as per adjournment of yesterday all members present with county attorney Starr and clerk Dieterichs.

On motion county county Judge was authorized to purchase a new probate record index and bring all in dexing up to date.

The request of Mrs. E. Doid, per R. H. Mathew, in regard to laying out of part the Nelson road in Oak Creek township around a grave lot on said road was on motion granted.

On motion the Pruss road petition asking for a road in Logan township was on motion allowed as prayed for and damages allowed.

Kate Zielazny	\$ 30.00
W. R. Stickney	60.00
W. R. Moody	30.00

On motion adjourned to meet at 1 p. m.

County board met at 1 p. m. same attendance of members as this morning. T. W. O. Wolfe was authorized to furnish the county superintendent office with a typewriter for the sum of \$63.00 if satisfactory to be bought by county.

On motion a steel bridge consisting of 3-70 foot spans was ordered built by the Standard Bridge Company to span part of the Loup river at Rockville to connect with the steel bridge spanning part of the rivers at that place now, to be completed on or before July 10, 1912.

On motion, the bond of Standard Bridge Company was approved providing a power of attorneys is furnished by said company to accompany said bond.

Bridge company was on motion instructed to inspect all bridges in county to ascertain the amount of repair work needed and have such repairs made.

The Pedersen road petition was considered and on motion that part of said proposed road was allowed lying out side of the corporation of Rockville village. The road committee was on motion instructed to view the proposed Fletcher road in Loup City township and report at next meeting.

County attorney Starr reported that the road case Peterson vs Sherman county had been won by the county, and on motion the county surveyed or was ordered to plat and said road viz between sections 21 and 22 Loup City township and also survey road between section 14-15, 22-23, township 14 range 14, the Obermiller road in Clay township and the Delaney roads in Logan township and Nelson road in Oak Creek township.

The Christiansen road vacation petition was allowed as prayed for and ordered platted and recorded.

Auditor of public accounts report of collections of state taxes was on motion approved.

Chairman appointed Brown, McDonald and Jensen as county farm committee.

Clerk was on motion instructed to advertise for bids for steel bridge across river west of Loup City in case state engineer forward plans and specifications. Claims committee reported that all claims had been allowed and that the tax protest claims of F. Hopke and O. Fross were referred to next meeting.

Said report was on motion accepted and clerk was ordered to draw warrants on respective funds.

**Order Of Hearing and Notice of Probate of Will**

State of Nebraska  
Sherman County  
In the County Court of Sherman County Nebraska.  
To the next of kin and to all persons interested in the estate of Bernard McDowell, deceased:  
On reading the petition of Mary McDowell praying that the instrument filed in this court on the 12th day of April, 1912, and purporting to be the last will and testament of Bernard McDowell, deceased, that said instrument be admitted to probate, and the administration of said estate be granted to Mary McDowell as executrix. It is hereby ordered that you, and all persons interested in said matter, may, and do appear at the County Court to be held in and for said county, on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1912, at ten o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted, and that notice of the pendency of said petition and that the hearing thereof be given to all persons interested in said matter by publishing a copy of this order in the Loup City Northwestern, a weekly newspaper printed in said county, for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing.

Witness my hand, and seal of said court, this 12th day of April, A. D. 1912.  
[SEAL] E. A. SMITH, County Judge.  
Last pub. May 2

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In the matter of the application of M. C. Melick for liquor license.  
Notice is hereby given that M. C. Melick did on the 8th day of April, 1912, file his petition with the city clerk of Loup City, Nebraska, directed to the Mayor and City Council asking for a license to sell at retail, malt, spirituous and vinous liquors in the building situated on lots 13, 14 and 15, block 3, on Nebraska avenue of the original town of Loup City, in the second ward of said city.

Said license to run from the first day of May, 1912, and end on the first day of May, 1913. All objection, remonstrance or protest must be filed in writing according to law.

Peter Rowe  
City Clerk  
[SEAL] Last pub. Apr. 25 Applicant

**Road Vacation Notice**

(Ginsman)  
To all whom it may concern:  
The commissioner appointed to vacate road No. 349 in Ashton township, and to commence at the quarter stake on north line of section 34, and running thence south on half section line, one mile and terminating there, has reported in favor of vacation thereof, and all objections thereto or claims for damages, must be filed in the county clerk's office on or before the 10th day of June, 1912, or such road will be vacated without reference thereto. Dated this 10th day of April, 1912.

[SEAL] W. C. DIETERICHS  
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Geo. F. Tockey, Applicant  
T. R. LAV Villager  
[SEAL] Last pub. Apr. 23

**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, defendant.  
Notice of Publication.  
To the unknown heirs and devisees of Reuben S. French, deceased, and Joseph Bray, defendants, in the above entitled cause:  
You will take notice that on the 8th day of March, 1912, the above named plaintiff filed his petition in the district court of Sherman county, Nebraska, asking for the removal 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 Twenty-five (25), in the original town now city of Loup City, Nebraska, according to the records and thereon of said county, by the record of a certain mortgage dated January 30, 1883, executed by said Reuben S. French, to Martin W. Benschoter, recorded in book 1, at page 23, mortgage records of said county, and to remove the cloud cast upon plaintiff's title to said premises by a deed dated January 30, 1883, executed by Mary Bray, to Francis W. Walrus, recorded in book 4 at page 236 deed 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 6th day of May, 1912.  
Dated this 26 day of March, 1912.  
Attest: Louis Rietle, J. Bert P. Fiebig  
Clerk District Court Plaintiff  
[SEAL] By J. S. PEDLER His Attorney  
Last Pub. Apr. 18

**GENERAL FUND**

Klopp & Bartlett Co.	\$ 2.16
Hammond & Stephen Co.	19.75
Jacob Albers	4.00
Mat Janulewicz	4.00
Dr. J. W. Jones	19.00
L. A. Williams Sheriff	102.00
Klopp & Bartlett	3.00
"	20.50
"	7.25
State Pblg Co.	5.00
University Pblg Co.	140.30
Louis Rein clk. dist. crt.	94.85
E. A. Smith county Judge	30.00
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George Petersen	3.00
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