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LOCAL NEWS.

Stanley Goc left on a trip down into Texas Monday morning.

Clarence Sweetland is wiring Dr. S. A. Allen's residence for electricity.

New Dress Goods received at Arthur's.

Mrs. Flora DeCamp visited at St. Paul over last Sunday, returning Monday evening.

Mrs. B. F. Swanson was here over last Sunday from Ulysis, visiting her son, Oscar, and wife.

Mrs. W. F. Mason went to Palmer Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Dinsdale.

George Zigler has recently become possessor of a dandy Studebaker auto.

Rev. J. C. Tourtelot was a Grand Island visitor last Thursday, returning in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderstrom of Ashton were up to Loup City over last Sunday sampling some of mother's cooking.

Good, jolly Joe O'Bryan was an over-Sunday guest of his daughter, Mrs. Joe Thompson, returning to his engine and throttle Monday.

Arthur carries the best in Dress Goods, Hosiery and Underwear.

Editor Ralph Todd of the Ashton Booster was a Loup City visitor Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Worlock sings Sunday evening at the Epworth League, also Howard Starr gives a violin solo.

Mrs. Russel Curry leaves next week Tuesday for Gunnison, Col., where Russel has a job as station agent.

Merrifield Pianos for sale by O. F. Petersen

John Peugh lost his overcoat yesterday between town and George McFadden's. Leave at this office.

Dr. Bilon, Eye Specialist, will be here again Wednesday, Oct. 14, at the New Frederick Hotel.

Mrs. Stanley Schachta was over from Elba last week on matters connected with the Olewski estate returning home Monday.

Schwamer can and will save you money on a piano.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Forsell of Central City were here last week on matters connected with the Olewski estate, returning home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Reynolds autoed to Broken Bow last Sunday, in the Phillips auto, returning in the evening.

Mrs. Henry Bove and little daughter of Norfolk, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Jung, were called home by the serious illness of her husband's mother.

For Sale—A good carriage. A. C. Ogle.

Dr. Carson of Grand Island will be in Dr. Longacre's office Wednesday, Oct. 15th, prepared to fit glasses and treat the eye, ear, nose and throat.

ASHTON NEWS

Ada Peters returned home from Loup City Monday.

Peter Glinzman left for So. Omaha with cattle Monday.

Albert Anderstrom and wife visited over Sunday at Loup City.

F. R. Wickman was in town Monday.

Mr. Kurth's brother-in-law left for his home in Kansas Monday.

Miss Alma Ojendyk and her father left for Grand Island Saturday.

F. Schroll and wife left for Kansas City Monday.

Louis Lorenz left for college at York Monday.

Lillie Smith suffered a bad sprained arm by stumbling over a wire.

F. X. Badura went to Grand Island Monday.

Mr. Outhouse of Loup City was down Tuesday.

E. C. Janulewicz has started to build on his lots south of the school house.

A ball game was played at Paplin Sunday, between Paplin and Deer Creek.

Leon R. Beza returned Saturday evening from his visit at Schuyler and Omaha.

Marie Beza came home Monday evening from Schuyler for a few days visit.

The Millers of Grand Island are here for a few days visit. They left here about seven years ago.

John and Stanley Goc, Clyde Wilson, and S. Kurhaski left Monday in an auto to Kearney. They leave from there for Texas.

H. W. Ojendyk, G. Lorenz, A. E. Lorenz, Wm. Poch, and Geo. Glinzman Sr. left Monday for Texas. Harry Lorenz taking them to Grand Island by auto.

John Malefski suffered a heavy loss last Thursday evening. His barn and seven head of horses burned. A team belonging to his brother Ignatz was among them.

CHURCH NOTES.

German—At Loup City, October 11, lesson in German at 1:30 p. m.; Sunday school as usual; service at 10:30. At Cole creek service at 3 p. m.

Methodist—Service next Sunday as usual.

Baptist—Morning topic, "The Gentleman of God"; Sunday school as usual; in the afternoon the pastor will preach at Dead Horse school house; evening topic, "The Cure of Naaman."

Presbyterian—Services throughout the day as usual. A very important subject for consideration is to be presented in the morning. A popular service, with special vocal and instrumental numbers in the evening, with special social message to young people. Preaching at Austin in the afternoon.

ORDER OF HEARING
In the County Court of Sherman County, Nebraska:
In the matter of the estate of Thomas Martin Reed, deceased:
Now on this 7th day of October, 1913, upon reading the petition of Walter P. Reed, executor, for an order extending the time for the payment of debts against said estate, filed on the 7th day of October, 1913, it is ordered that the 25th day of October, 1913, at 10 o'clock p. m. be assigned for hearing said petition, when all persons interested in said matter may appear at said county court, and show cause why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted and that notice of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereon be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate 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 7th day of October, A. D. 1913.
E. A. SMITH,
County Judge.

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ALONG ROUTE TWO

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Mrs. Fred Johnson was called to Lincoln, her mother being very ill; and at this writing, is not much improved.

Tom McFadden, Ira Daddow, Winifred Hughes, Fred Reed, Hugh McFadden and Horace Casteel went up to the sandhills Monday on a hunting trip.

Mrs. D. C. Grow and Mrs. DeGoyler have been spending the week end at W. O. Brown's before going to their new home in Vermont.

N. P. Neilson's wheat which averaged 37 1/3 bushels per acre was in part raised on new ground, part on old and part on summer fallowed ground.

The Ondroke threshing outfit set fire to a straw stack while threshing for Clark Alleman last Friday. It was a close call for the wind was blowing hard at the time and it took some fast work on the part of all to keep it from doing other damage.

There is a quarter section of hay land in the heart of Wiggle Creek that has always rented for hay, except this year, when the landlord put an extra \$50 making \$200. It is a shame to see such good hay going to waste, but when the price of anything gets too high people find a substitute and more corn has been cut for fodder than ever before. The damage to this land will be more than \$50, as next year's hay crop will be full of old hay. This field a few years ago rented for \$25.

Carrier got home from his hunting trip up on Pony Lake two weeks ago. The hunting was fine but the fishing was poor, it being too cold for fish. The crops on the way up are as follows: Commencing 12 miles north of Loup City to 12 miles northwest of Ord, 23 miles in all, the corn crop is very poor, and around Ord it seemed the worst. Field after field has not an ear on them. Mira valley, one of the finest little valleys in the west, has almost complete failure. From Florida the crops begin to look better, and when one gets to Burwell crops are good. From Burwell we went northwest up the Calamus to Gracie creek on the east side of the river, taking the old railroad grade. All along the 18 miles the crops are good. After leaving Burwell you get into a sandy country and this old railroad grade is a great thing for the Kinkaid homesteaders. At Gracie creek you go up the east side. The main stream is only three miles long, and before it reaches the Calamus it is a rolling, tumbling lot of water from 10 to 25 feet across; it has a rock bottom and it is cold in the hottest weather. The Calamus river has the same flow of water the year round. The bottom is composed of small gravel up to the size of hen's eggs and the water, like Gracie creek, is cold the year round. The crops from Gracie creek north for about 20 miles are good, but the rest of the way they are not so good, and in fact the crops around Pony lake are the poorest I have seen for six years. The hay crop was cut in two at Pony lake. Mr. and Mrs. Adams run the whole town there. They run the postoffice, grocery store, dance hall large enough so 92 couples danced at one time at the celebration held there the 13th and 14th. They have a cream station, and ice house. You can get almost anything you want at their place and everything seems to be cheaper. They have to

freight their goods 18 miles. Mr. Adams has an automobile truck wagon on which he hauls most of his goods. All the way up to Pony lake the country is thickly settled, but it is claimed that as soon as the Kinkaiders prove up most of this land will be taken over by the cattle men and turned into a cattle country again. Some have already sold their interests. There are hundreds of stacks of hay on the way up and the cattle look fat enough for beef now. One thing that the sandhills are blessed with and that is pure water. The hill are full of good wells at shallow depth, big flowing springs, big lakes by the score filled with fish of all kinds from dandy sun fish up to black bass and pickerel. Pony lake has sun fish, pickerel, and bull heads, the sun fish large, the bull heads all over a pound each. Some pickerel have been caught in the lake many weighing as high as 18 pounds. The finest thing in the sandhills the carrier thinks are the flowing wells. All you have to do is at or near pony lake is to drive a well down 100 feet and get an endless flow of fine spring water just as soft as rain water and as clear as crystal. One thing about the people of the sandhills, they are glad to see you and make you feel at home. If you are thinking of taking a hunting trip to Pony lake, all you have to do is to jump into your auto or wagon and Mr. Adams will rent you a tent boat cook for you or board you by the day or week. They have 15 beds. You can be sure of fine treatment at their hands. Some of the sandhills have blowouts in them as deep as fifty feet and at the bottom is a lake with trees around it, and most of these lakes have fish in them.

Teachers' Examination

A special teachers' examination will be held at the office of the county superintendent on Friday and Saturday, October 17 and 18. This examination will cover all subjects for county certification. L. H. Currier, Co. Supt.

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