

LITCHFIELD NEWS.

Too late for last week.

Charlie Farnsworth is on the sick list this week.

Al Flint made a business trip to Ravenna on Tuesday.

Whew! Its twenty degrees below this Wednesday morning.

George Slote went down to Ravenna to cry a sale on Tuesday.

Thomas Speits made a business trip to Mason City Monday on 39.

Ross Hager made a business trip to Broken Bow Monday on No. 39.

Our hog and grain buyer shipped a load of hogs to Omaha Sunday.

Joe Gubson, the horse buyer, shipped a car of horses Sunday.

The Howard brothers shipped another load of hogs to Omaha on Tuesday.

E. L. Harshfield loaded on a car of household and farm goods for Arapahoe.

John Duncan accompanied a car load of cattle to the South Omaha market on Sunday.

Albert Dickenson is on the sick list. We miss his familiar figure on the streets. He is improving.

John Minshull's addition to his family is a girl, not a boy as reported last week. My mistake, John, and your treat.

There are quite a number of children and older people down with the la grippe. To mention them all would make a long list.

Art Marsh has the contract for putting up the town ice this year. He commenced on C. A. Potter's and Dr. Rydberg's Monday.

George Slote, our auctioneer, will hold another one of his combination sales Saturday the 15th, at his sale yard. Bring in your stuff.

Mrs. H. E. Valentine, a chamber daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, whom we all know, is also spending the holidays with her parents.

The Morris Stock company played all last week at the Plaza opera house. I am sorry that they were not better patronized. I understand they disbanded here and went their several different ways.

Mrs. Peters, a daughter of Thomas Chamberlain, left for her home at Warrsburg, Mo., on No. 44 last Friday night. She has been spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain whom she had not seen for ten years.

The township board of Harrison township met on Tuesday the 4th, and adjourned till the 5th and made settlement with Henry Schultz and William Beck, our road overseers, and audited the township accounts which were found in good shape.

Herb Mc Cosh returned to his home at Oasis, Utah, on Saturday morning. I understand he will return to look after the farm as soon as he can dispose of his interests in Utah. His sister, Mrs. Hackney, returned home to their ranch in Montana on Monday morning.

Kanute Ladegard had the misfortune to lose his house and all its contents early Sunday morning by fire. The fire is supposed to have started from the stove. Kanute had gone to Mason on 39 and says that when he and Ed Harper left the house there was hardly any fire in the stove. The fire was discovered by Ernest Garnett and Joe Cording about 2:15 a. m. They had been taking a lunch after the dance. But for that the fire might have been a more serious one. Both A. D. Nording's and Dr. Rydberg's houses were adjoining and in a direct line with the wind. Joe and Ernest gave the alarm and pulled the hose cart up themselves, before the other fire boys arrived and although the blaze was coming out through the roof they, under our fire chief, Geo. Slote, confined the fire to the house, saving both the other houses. Say, is it not about time our village did something to recognize the work of our fire boys? They have done good work, saved lots of property, and have not only spoiled clothes, but have put money into this outfit. Get busy.

Jos. Lubash helped Frank Bonczynski haul his porkers to the Ashton market Monday.

Ignatz Harenza was a passenger to Loup City Monday, where he transacted some business matters.

A big snow storm arrived from the north last week and it made a fine winter blanket for the fall wheat.

Quite a few pupils of school Dist. No. 12 were absent from their studies, which was due to the cold weather.

Andrew and Frank Bonczynski and Carsten Bros. helped A. E. Lorenz haul hogs to the car which he recently shipped to Omaha.

Bob Wezorek is busy hustling after subscribers for the Rural Weekly. He is interested in the contest, and this is the last week. We all wish him success.

Mrs. Bennet Maschka and daughter Leona have gone to Omaha to visit with relatives, and Ben is taking the bachelor method of living. Wonder how he likes it?

Mrs. Andrew Smidra and son, Stanley made another trip to St. Paul, where Stanley is taking treatment for his right knee, which was badly sprained. He is still unable to use the injured member.

Tony Wezorek will hold a public sale on the Mike Wezorek farm six miles south and one mile west of Ashton on Thursday, January 20. Cattle, horses and farm machinery. A. A. Grey, Auct., Jos. Jankowski, clerk.

A public sale will be held at Mrs. John Peter's four miles north of Boelus and six miles east of Rockville on January 25. Lots of horses, cattle and hogs. Also some farm machinery. Col. Sam Martin, Auct. Pete Jensen, clerk.

The following pupils of Dist. No. 12 received certificates for attending twenty days, being neither absent nor tardy: Tony Bonczynski, Rosie Bonczynski, Charlie Kritski, Leo Kritski, Josie Kritski, Clara Lubash, Stanley Lubash, Paul Maciejewski, Alexander Maciejewski and Philip Kritski.

Last week an article was published in the Deer Creek news which was strenuously objected to by L. F. Lubash and others. It referred to an article, about the leap year dance. We wish to inform these parties and others that no offense was intended and that if the publisher of The Northwestern, or the correspondent, had any idea that the wording of the article would cause dissatisfaction, it would not have been printed. The Northwestern does not desire the ill will of its readers.

G. A. Richmond is hauling corn from Litchfield.

J. A. Bowser's family are all down with the gripe.

George Gray sold seven head of heifers Monday.

Dorr Spencer is helping O. A. Clark with his ice crop.

Mont Duncan shipped a car of cattle to Omaha Monday.

Ralph Allison bought a team of horses from Geo. Gray.

Elwin Beck is absent from school on account of the gripe.

Clyde and Ray Kuhn have been pretty sick with the gripe.

Ross Hager is sawing ice, preparatory to filling the ice house.

Kenneth and Hazel Mead are having a tussle with the gripe.

F. T. Richmond came back from Loup City Thursday evening.

Mrs. Mary Price visited with Mrs. Lulu Burtner in Litchfield the last of the week.

A. D. Jones shipped one of his fine thoroughbred hogs to Sheiton, Nebr. Thursday.

Carl Vian came back from Colorado and is visiting with friends on Clear creek this week.

There were a good many absent from school in Dist. No. 25 Tuesday and Wednesday.

There was a charivari party Monday evening at Weber's. The boys were well treated.

The Ladies' association of the U. B. church met with Mrs. Frank Boroff Thursday afternoon.

William Weber and his friend from Iowa made a business trip to the county seat Tuesday.

Geo. Wolf went to Ulysses, Nebr., Sunday morning to see his aged mother, who is very ill.

Sam Eastbrook and Martin Burtner are laying in a supply of ice for making ice cream next summer.

Fred Whitman drove down from Arcadia and brought his sister, Sadie Shetler home, returning Tuesday.

Geo. Bent will hold a public sale Thursday on the Bent farm one and one-half miles northeast of Hazard.

Miss Florence Stewart did not teach school at Lone Elm Tuesday. There were no scholars, on account of the cold weather.

Mrs. Eastbrook, Miss Gasteyer, Miss Burtner and Mrs. Price braved the cold weather and went to Litchfield to do shopping Saturday.

Paul Hickman, Freddie Richmond and Fred Brookshire attended the meeting of the Brotherhood, at the Christian church Monday evening.

Wedding bells were ringing at the home of John Webber Saturday, when his oldest daughter, Bertha was married to Mr. Kozel, from Iowa. They will go to Iowa to make their future home.

spent Sunday evening with Miss Nellie Jamrog at a card party. All present report a splendid time.

Supervisor Vincent Rewolinski, returned Saturday morning from Loup City where he had been for several days at a meeting with the rest of the county dads.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Ignowski on Monday, a 11-pound boy. Mother and son are doing fine and John—well, he's stepping high and setting 'em up on his first son.

The funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lewandowski took place on Friday the 14th. The little one was only about three days old. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

A big crowd of friends gathered at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jamrog, Sunday, and spent the evening at cards and an all around jolly good time. A bountiful supper was served at 6 o'clock. All present enjoyed themselves and spoke very highly of Mr. and Mrs. Jamrog as excellent entertainers.

On Tuesday occurred the wedding of Mr. Ignatz Goc and Miss Barbara Kominski at St. Francis' church, Rev. Radka officiating. After the wedding ceremony a big wedding banquet was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kominski. All of their friends and relatives were present. We wish the young couple all kinds of luck, happiness and prosperity.

DAVIS CREEK.

Marie Hassel was in Ashton Monday.

Walter Paul was at John Palenaski's last week.

John Palenaski finished picking his corn last week.

Lester Hassel visited with Dold Manchester Sunday.

Jess Barnett has been visiting in Ord since last Friday.

John Lewandowski hauled a load of hogs to Ashton Monday.

John Garvel is on the sick list, but is some better at this writing.

John Palenaski helped Walter Palu butcher, Friday of last week.

The Palu boys were seen hauling hay the latter part of the week.

Albert Sawankenus went to help Frank Henderson pick corn, Monday.

John Garvel visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Lewandowski Sunday.

Tony Zaruba was in North Loup Wednesday with another load of wheat.

Frank Henderson and Mike Palu shipped several cars of hogs to Omaha Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hassel and daughter, Marie, visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Palenaski Sunday.

Bills are out announcing the John Pruss sale for January 25. John expects to move away from here.

The little son of N. Halverson is suffering from whooping cough at the home of his uncle, C. F. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Palu and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Spotsanski last Sunday.

Tony Zaruba and John Orent took supper with Frank Manchester's Monday evening, and spent the evening at cards.

Frank and Tony Spotsanski came down from Loup City Saturday to spend Sunday at the home of their brother, Lawrence Spotsanski.

The dance at Frank Trump's was well attended and a real nice time was had by those who were there, but it was a good night Saturday.

The cold weather put Jess Manchester back from shipping his hogs to Omaha last week, so he expects to ship his car of hogs this week.

Mrs. Ray Gourley returned home Tuesday, January 11, from Overton, Nebr., where she has been visiting home folks during the holidays.

The coldest day of the season was Wednesday morning, the mercury falling to 24 below zero, and Thursday morning 28 below. That is getting pretty cold.

It is rumored that P. O. Lewandowski of near Schaupps, has rented his farm to Frank Wojtaszewski and will have a sale later on and move to Loup City.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester is on the sick list at this writing. We hope the little fellow will soon be well again. He has some throat trouble.

Frank Manchester and John Palenaski were in Ashton Friday. Tony Oren also went and brought home his little boys, who are going to school there, to spend Saturday and Sunday.

Warty Green of North Loup was out to Frank Manchester's, Wednesday and bought Frank's calves, but the weather was too cold and stormy to take them home and he left them until a warmer day.

The farmers are talking of organizing a farmers' union for groceries and other things which we believe will be just the thing we want. They will hold a meeting at Schaupps in the future to organize.

Stanley Krolikowski is going to have a sale before the first of March. Wonder if he isn't going to make his hay first, as he has about 30 acres that isn't put up yet. We hope that Stanley will have plenty of feed for his stock.

Little Lester Manchester, the three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manchester, while running across the floor playing, accidentally fell, striking his head on the side of the door, cutting a gash which leaves the little one with a pretty sore head.

E. F. Paddock and Albert Sawankenus went to Ashton last Monday to drive the Bull tractor home, which E. F. won in the Omaha Daily News contest some time ago, but found that the roads were too rough, so they left it in town until the roads get better.

Skating is now fine, although it has been pretty cold the past few evenings. We all enjoy it, anyway. Some of the young folks along the creek have bought their skates, and as there are three ponds here, one in Brown's pasture, the young and the old can have a most delightful time skating. Everybody is welcome to come and enjoy our skating parties.

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE.

In District Court for Sherman County, Nebraska:

Coram M. Niesner, administratrix of the estate of Henry Niesner, deceased, vs. Cora M. Niesner, Austin Niesner, a minor, Margaret Niesner, a minor, and Frederick Niesner, a minor, defendants.

This cause came on for hearing upon the petition of Cora M. Niesner, administratrix of the estate of Henry Niesner, deceased, praying for a license to sell the following described real estate, to-wit:

The west half of section twenty-one, township fourteen, range fourteen, excepting a tract described as follows: Commencing at the southeast corner of the said west half, running thence west along the south side thereof 70 rods, thence north parallel with the east side thereof 182 6-7 rods; thence east parallel with the south side thereof 70 rods to the east line thereof, thence south 182 6-7 rods along the east side thereof to the point of beginning, or a sufficient amount of the same to bring the sum of \$3,500 for the payment of debts allowed against said estate and the costs of administration, there not being sufficient personal property to pay the said debts and expenses. It is therefore ordered that all persons interested in said estate appear before me at the District Court Room in Loup City, Nebraska, on the 23rd day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock A. M. to show cause why a license should not be granted to said administratrix to sell so much of the above described real estate of said deceased as shall be necessary to pay said debts and expenses.

Dated this 7th day of January, 1916.
BRUNO O. HOSTETLER,
Judge of the District Court.

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Arcadia, Nebraska

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COL. J. PRICE, Auctioneer
M. R. WALL, Clerk

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OF

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LITCHFIELD, NEBRASKA

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Commencing at 1 O'clock Sharp

38 Head of Hampshires 38

Which are sired by or bred to General Jones 24453, undefeated champion boar of 1915. Litchfield Lad 17983, 1st prize boar Nebraska State Fair 1914, 2nd prize in age class 1915.

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A. D. JONES, Owner
Litchfield, Nebraska

COL. J. C. PRICE, Lincoln, Auctioneer

AUSTIN NEWS.

The Austin bridge is now ready for traffic.

P. G. Paige has been loading a car with baled hay.

Dan Carpenter was a Loup City visitor Saturday.

John Gregg has nearly recovered from his recent illness.

Alice Wilding has been on the sick list for the past two weeks.

A crowd of Austin young people spent Saturday evening skating on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roberts have been visiting the past week with John Gregg.

Miss Rhea Rentfow is slowly recovering from a severe attack of the la grippe.

Harry Gregg had the misfortune to injure his side, while unloading hogs several days ago.

The ninth grade of the Austin school were given their first semester examination in Algebra last week.

Nearly half of the school year has passed and the grades show that the pupils have been doing excellent work.

Mrs. Carnes returned to her home at Creston, Iowa, after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. J. H. McCall.

Sidney and Floyd Anthus of Clay Center, Nebraska, have been visiting their sister, Mrs. Hughes since the holidays.

V. T. Wescott, Jess Fletcher, Winifred Hughes and William Smalley of the west side were seen in our burg last Saturday.

Stewart McFadden left last Saturday for Cherryvale, Kansas, being called there by the serious illness of his aged mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curtis returned to their home at Waverly, Nebr. last week, after making a short visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Hartwell.

Dan McDonald, county supervisor, representing Loup City township, spent several days last week attending to business at the county seat.

Mesdames Ogle and Fletcher visited the Austin school last Friday. All patrons are requested to visit, as it increases the interest of the pupils.

There has been a coal famine in Austin during the extreme cold weather. Several people have been compelled to go to Loup City for their coal.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to the oyster supper to be given at the Austin church Friday evening. Don't forget to send your parcel to be sold at the "Parcel Post" sale.

Mr. Cuntou and family have recovered from the lagrippe. This has been quite an epidemic this year in Austin, as nearly every family has had a siege of the sickness.

Our former store keeper, Alonzo Daddow, is displaying a new wagon. He has gone back to farm life, and, being an experienced driver, had a runaway last week. The result, however, was not a serious one.

Willie Talbot and Wilbur Daddow entertained their Sunday school class at their home last Friday evening. The evening was spent in pulling taffy and playing games. A dainty luncheon was served, and every member of the class enjoyed themselves very much.

ASHTON NEWS.

A. B. Outhouse was here Friday on business.

Mike Galczewski visited at Loup City Sunday.

Mat Ignowski was down from Loup City Monday.

County surveyor Corning attended to business here Monday.

Cash Tapolski, of Schaupps was here on business Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wardyn, on Tuesday night, a daughter.

Frank Jezewski spent Sunday in Loup City returning Monday morning.

Albert Kartas went to Farwell Monday morning, returning in the evening.

Mrs. J. L. Davy of near Schaupps, was here Friday shopping and visiting.

P. O. Lewandowski from north of Schaupps was here on business Monday.

Miss Verna Lukaszewski visited Miss Victoria Tapolski at Schaupps Sunday.

Ike Kiehl of Loup City, with the Standard Oil company, was here on Friday.

Mrs. Packard of Johnston, Nebr., is at present visiting her sister, Mrs. C. L. Wilson.

Fred Reins, who has been visiting at Avoca, Nebr., returned home Saturday evening.

J. R. Gardiner was called to Brewster on account of the serious illness of his father.

Rev. B. Radka returned from Omaha last Friday where he had been for the past week.

Ernest Mashka went to Omaha Friday on business and also to visit relatives and friends.

Putting up ice is the order of the day at present. The ice being from 12 to 14 inches thick.

Mrs. Ed. Jamrog was a passenger for Omaha Monday morning where she will visit for a week.

Emil Ojendyk went to Farwell on the passenger Monday morning, returning the same evening.

Peter Zochol returned from the South Omaha markets, he having shipped a car of hogs there.

Mrs. Nitkowski was a passenger for Loup City Wednesday evening, where she visited relatives.

Bruno Lorchick and Walter Wojtaszewski, from north of Schaupps, were in Ashton Monday on business.

Mrs. Gardiner, who is spending the winter in Danneberg, spent several days last week with Mr. Gardiner.

Professor and Mrs. McDaniel are the proud parents of a baby boy, who arrived at their home Tuesday night.

One of Mr. and Mrs. Dersowski's children is very ill at the present time suffering from a severe attack of the gripe.

Peter Harenza spent several days visiting here last week. He returned to his home in Loup City Monday evening.

Miss Frances Corning returned to school work Monday morning after spending Sunday with home folks at Loup City.

Mrs. Frank Swontek, of Vice, Oklahoma, who is visiting Mrs. Ignatz Malefski, has been quite sick for the past few days.

Quite a crowd of the younger set

CLEAR CREEK NEWS.

Walter Shetler is sawing ice.

Little Gloria Shetler has tonsillitis.

Wes and Albert Heappy are putting up ice.

George John and Frank Kuhn are putting up ice.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Walter Mahovsky visited at Archie Purvine's Saturday.

C. C. Darrow visited at J. W. Darrow's place Sunday.

Oscar Jewell was marketing wheat in Arcadia Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Jewell visited at Malm's place Friday.

G. W. Anderson hauled a load of hay to Arcadia Monday.

J. H. Welty was a Loup City visitor a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Purvine visited at G. W. Anderson's place last Sunday.

Hans Pederson and Axel Hendrickson visited at G. W. Anderson's place Wednesday.

Bessie, Mary and Wash Peters and John Anglund, visited at Archie Purvine's Saturday.

The first blizzard of the season struck this section Tuesday. Not a great amount of snow fell but the thermometer fell to about 20 below zero.

Rev. Hasselblad, the Swedish, and Baptist Sunday school missionary, arrived Friday, with the intention of holding protracted meetings in the Balara neighborhood.

Richard Nordstrom returned one day last week from Albion, Wyo., where he went to spend the holidays and visit with his brother, Oscar Nordstrom, who resides near that place.

DEER CREEK NUGGETS

Henry Peters has returned to his work at John Weiss's.

Edward Bydalek is working for Mrs. John Peters at present.

B. H. and A. E. Lorenz shipped a car of porkers to Omaha last week.

Harry and Lena Lemberg went to Farwell Sunday to visit with their parents.

A few from here attended the Goc-Kominski wedding on Oak creek last Tuesday.

A. E. Lorenz is on the sick list, having a cold in his throat and being unable to eat.