

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

at Loup City in the State of Nebraska, at the close of business on March 5, 1917.

RESOURCES.			
Loans and Discounts	\$302,628.89		
Total Loans	\$302,628.89		
Overdrafts, unsecured, \$912.11	912.11		
U. S. bonds to secure circulation (par value)	7,000.00		
Total U. S. bonds	7,000.00		
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and pledged	3,500.36		
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	1,500.00		
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	8,708.61		
Furniture and fixtures	8,708.61		
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	5,488.47		
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	117,140.16	122,628.63	
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank	6,968.44	1,097.43	
Outside checks and other cash items	234.09	7,202.53	
Fractional currency, nickels, and cents		780.00	
Notes of other national banks		34,595.37	
Lawful reserve in vault with Federal Reserve Bank			
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		350.00	
Total	\$492,757.63		
LIABILITIES.			
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00		
Surplus fund	25,000.00		
Undivided profits	4,168.07		
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	2,625.64	1,543.03	
Circulating notes outstanding		7,000.00	
Net amount due to bank and bankers		17,319.99	
Individual deposits subject to check		207,230.57	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days		59,664.13	
Total demand deposits	266,894.75		
Time deposits (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice)			
Certificates of deposit		150,000.00	
Total of time deposits	150,000.00		
Total	\$492,757.63		

State of Nebraska, County of Sherman, ss:
 I, L. Hansen, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 L. HANSEN, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of March, 1917.
 (SEAL) R. H. MATHEW, Notary Public.
 My commission expires February 7, 1918.
 Correct—Attest:
 W. F. Mason, W. T. Chase, A. B. Outhouse,
 Directors.

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Electricity is now fast superceding old methods in many departments of the home. The modern home—the COMFORTABLE home—now has

Electric Heaters
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 Electric Lights

and many other labor saving and cost saving appliances. It is the ideal force—no danger, no annoyance, no failure. You are losing half the enjoyment of life if your home is not electrified. Let us wire your house for lights.

We handle the Almo Lighting systems for farm homes. Call and let us explain them to you.

LOUP CITY
 LIGHT AND POWER CO.

Daily sells for less.

Try Chase's first—it pays.

V. L. Johns was a business caller at Boelus, Tuesday.

Bob Moore was a passenger to Grand Island, Saturday morning.

A. B. Outhouse was a business caller at Rockville last Friday.

For sale—Pure Bred S. C. Rhode Red setting eggs.—O. L. Swanson.

A. G. Hunt was a business passenger to Grand Island, Wednesday morning.

Lamont L. Stephens was a business passenger to Comstock, Tuesday evening.

Floyd Janulewicz was an eastbound passenger to Omaha, Tuesday morning on business.

Mrs. J. W. Amick was a Grand Island passenger last Friday, returning home in the evening.

Farmers bring in your plows and discs now and be ready for spring work.—Emil J. Schoening. 7 tf

Miss Maggie Christensen was a passenger to Grand Island last Saturday morning to consult the doctor.

Mrs. Christina Gregg returned to her home in St. Joe, Mo., last Thursday, after a short visit here with relatives.

Clarence Sweetland was a passenger to Ashton last Thursday morning, where he had some plumbing work to do.

E. G. Taylor returned home last Friday from Omaha and other points, where he had been for some time on business.

Mrs. George Zeigler and daughter, Miss Faye, were Dannebrog callers, Tuesday morning to have some dental work done.

Miss Lettie Cunningham returned home last Thursday from Hazard, where she had been visiting with friends several days.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dietz and baby returned to their home at Rockville, Monday after an over Sunday visit at the John Stanczyk home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mellor came up from Lincoln last Friday evening for several days' visit here at the J. W. Long home, and with many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Carlsen returned to their home at Dannebrog last Friday, after several days' visit here with their son, C. C. Carlsen, and family.

Mrs. Agnes Kosmicki returned to her home at Ashton last Thursday morning after visiting a couple of days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewandowski.

Clifford Hale returned home from Sargent last Friday morning, where he has been wiring for electric lights, for an over Sunday visit. He returned again Monday evening.

Central City girls basket ball team came over last Friday and played a fast game with our home team. The game was exciting all the way through and at the end the score stood 22 to 11 in Loup City's favor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Lambert are the proud parents of a daughter, born Sunday, March 11. The little Miss weighs 10½ pounds. The Lamberts will soon move to a farm near Dannebrog, being detained in Loup City because of this important event.

SPRING
OPENING

The ladies of Loup City and Sherman county are invited to call and inspect my new and complete line of

Spring and Summer
 Millinery
 Friday and Saturday
 March 16 and 17

A complete line of Children's, Misses and Ladies' Hats.

POPULAR PRICES

Mrs. R. N. Pritchard

Try Chase's first—it pays.

Henry M. Elsner for glasses.

Rev. Father Jarka was a passenger to St. Paul, Monday.

John Jezewski was a passenger to Ashton, Wednesday morning.

H. S. Conger, of Arcadia, came down Monday and looked over business affairs.

For Sale—New four room house Water, electric lights—Hansen Lumber Co.

Clarence Arnett was an eastbound passenger to Omaha, Tuesday morning on business.

An advertisement in The Northwestern will be read by many hundreds of people in Sherman County.

Mrs. Lula Burke and Mrs. J. H. McCall and daughter came up from Austin, Saturday to do some shopping.

Mrs. Joe Lewandowski was a passenger to Ashton, Tuesday morning to spend the day visiting with relatives.

Plymouth Rock eggs for hatching, 50c per 15. Two blocks west of the old Dr. Jones place.—Mrs. Henry Miller. 12-4

Mrs. M. E. Galczewski visited with relatives and friends at Ashton, Monday, returning on the evening passenger.

Miss Faye Bond came up from her home at Gresham, Tuesday evening for a visit with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Ryan, and family.

Henry Ohlsen came over from his home at David City, Monday evening for a short visit with many friends and relatives.

Mrs. Frank Critel was an eastbound passenger to Bradshaw, Saturday morning to visit a week or so with relatives and friends.

D. C. Doner, who has been here visiting at the W. H. Doner home for the past week, returned to his home in Columbus, Monday morning.

Forest arsen returned home Saturday evening from Omaha and other eastern points, where he has been the past two weeks on a sightseeing trip.

Robert Kwiatkowski came up from his home at Schappus last Thursday and visited until Friday at the John Stanczyk home, returning home Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wise were westbound passengers to Arcadia on last Thursday for a short visit and from there they will return to their home in Crested Butte, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Doty and children went to Grand Island, Tuesday and from there Mrs. Doty and children will go to Seattle, Wash., for an extended visit with relatives and friends.

John McCall left for Wyoming Monday, where he will locate on a homestead if he can find anything that suits him. Rumor has it that John is soon to be married, a Loup City girl being the contracting party.

A petition was circulated this week asking that the name of Seth H. Richmond be placed on the ballot for city clerk at the coming municipal election. Peter Rowe, present city clerk is a candidate for re-election.

220 acres all in native grass, 275 acres can be broke out easily if not more. All under fence except 160 rods on west side, 1.4 of mile to school. Located in good neighborhood. Seven miles from Loup City. For sale cheap. Inquire of August Jaeschka. 12-11

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Miner and son, Verdon, went to Grand Island last Saturday, where they will make their home in the future. The Miners made many friends during their four years residence here, who wish them happiness and prosperity in their new location.

Dan Garner will hold a public sale at the farm one mile north of Loup City on Wednesday, March 28. Sale commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. Six head of horses, seventy-five head of cattle, eleven head of hogs, 100 S. C. white Leghorn chickens and a lot of good farm machinery will be sold.

Daily sells for less.

Easter Sunday comes on April 8.

Henry M. Elsner for glasses. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Henry Schuman was a passenger to Boelus, Monday morning.

If you want to sell your land, list it with W. D. Zimmerman.

John Warrick was an eastbound passenger to Omaha, Monday.

J. H. Welty was a passenger to Grand Island, Tuesday on business.

C. C. Outhouse shipped a car load of hogs to the Omaha market on last Friday.

Miss Mary Parteka went to St. Paul, Tuesday, to visit with her brother a few days.

For eaves trough, tin work, soldering and all kind of repair work call on L. H. Spahr.

O. A. Woods was a passenger to Dannebrog, Tuesday morning, returning in the evening.

Rhea Rentfrow came up from her school duties and spent several days visiting in our city.

L. H. Spahr cleans and repairs all kinds of sewing machines at Jas. Bartunek's. Call at once.

W. F. Mason was a business caller at Palmer last Thursday morning, returning home the same day.

For Sale—Five room house and seven lots in Loup City for sale.—Enquire at Jung's restaurant.

Mrs. Lou Schwaner and children went to Ord, Tuesday, to visit with her parents and friends for some time.

Henry Dunker came up from Rockville Tuesday and remained till Wednesday, returning on the passenger.

Miss Winnie Outhouse came over from her school at Ravenna, Monday for several days' visit with home folks.

A. Sutton and Master Billy Johnson came over from Ord, Monday evening for a visit at the W. S. Walte home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Snider went to Gothenburg, Saturday morning to visit over Sunday with relatives and many friends.

J. A. Reiman, Harry Gardner and Carl Bauman were Ashton passengers last Friday morning, where they are working.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Snyder and daughter were eastbound passengers to Omaha, Tuesday morning to consult the doctor.

Robert Hunter, who spent several days visiting here at the A. G. Hunt home, returned to his home at Pleasanton, Saturday.

Mrs. A. L. Zimmerman and daughters, Mrs. W. B. Owen and Mrs. R. H. Mathew, were shopping in Grand Island, last Saturday.

Ray McMichael returned home Monday morning from Arcadia, where he had been visiting with relatives and friends over Sunday.

E. J. Maus returned home last week Thursday from Lincoln, where he had been the past ten days on business and pleasure combined.

A. J. Farnham returned home on last Friday from David City, where he had been for several days on business and pleasure combined.

Mrs. B. J. Swanson, who has been here visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John M. O'Bryan, returned to her home at Ulysses, Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ziola and baby were passengers to St. Paul on last Thursday to visit with relatives. They returned home Saturday evening.

Mrs. R. P. Prichard and baby and Mrs. A. E. McCullough and children were westbound passengers to Comstock, Saturday evening to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. McNulty and children returned home Saturday evening from Kansas, where they had been called to the bedside of Mr. McNulty's father who is very ill.

Mrs. L. Bechthold returned home from Grand Island, last Thursday evening, where she had been visiting with her daughters and getting acquainted with her new grandson.

Mrs. Tillie Bowman gave a birthday dinner for her son, William, at the family home last Sunday. All of the relatives were present and the occasion was a memorable and enjoyable one.

In a circular letter to school boards County Superintendent L. H. Currier suggests that school be dismissed during the week of March 25, in order to enable the teachers to attend the Central Nebraska Teachers' association to be held at Hastings. The program committee has engaged the following out of the state people to appear upon the program: Judge Ben Lindsey, of Denver, a man who has studied the delinquent boy for years, and is, perhaps, one of the greatest authorities on that subject, will lecture to the teachers, Wednesday evening, March 28. Mrs. Julia Fried Walker, of Indiana, who appeared before the State Teachers' Association, will be with us all day Thursday, March 29, and will lecture in the evening. Mrs. Hattie Moore Mitchell, from Kansas, will be with us on Friday. The following educators in our state, will appear on our program: Chancellor Avery of University of Nebraska, President Dick, of Kearney Normal, and State Superintendent Clemmons.



The Starting Month

March again marks the beginning of another season of farming activities.

There is every reason to hope for an exceptional growing season and bounteous crop returns for every farmer in this community.

Our interest in the farmers of this community is more than a selfish interest, though our success does, to a great extent, depend upon the success of our customers who follow agriculture as a profession.

We are ever ready to assume our part in advancing the best business and financial interests of those farmers whom we appreciatively call customers.

Loup City State Bank
 Loup City, Nebraska

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Good Santos Coffee, per lb.	22c
1 Gal. Karo Corn Syrup	55c
½ Gal. Karo Corn Syrup	30c
1 Gal. Karo White Syrup	60c
½ Gal. Karo White Syrup	35c
4 Boxes Corn Flakes	25c
California Dried Peaches, per lb.	11c
Atlas Oatmeal	25c
Saxson Oatmeal	20c
10 lb. Kegs Herring	1.00
Santa Clara Prunes	12½c
Pancake flour, 5 lb. size	22c

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