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NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Dixon Journal: Mrs. Leo Hall and children of Jackson, Neb., are visiting in the H. D. Hall home north of Dixon.

Pender Republic: D. P. Beacom and wife welcomed the arrival of a charming little daughter on Thursday night of last week.

Wakefield Republican: J. M. Johnson was a passenger for Dakota City last Tuesday. Mrs. Ella Haze, grocer of Tuttle, S. D., visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Temple.

Plainview News: Mrs. T. D. Rich returned to her home at Wisner Monday, after visiting over Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. F. L. Graves, near Plainview.

Ponca Advocate: Several Ford loads of the older folk of this vicinity autoed to Will Heenan's, near Willis Friday evening to attend an old time dance. They all reported having a good time.

Tekamah Herald: Congressman Robert E. Evans of this the 3rd congressional district, will have an easy race to be his own successor. Mr. Evans made a good record in his first term, and he is entitled to a second term.

Laurel Advocate: Miss Marie Friedrichs went to Dakota City the last of the week to visit a friend a few days. Later, when her vacation time comes, Miss Anna expects to spend some time with the same friend.

Sioux City Journal, 22: Born, in Sioux City, Iowa, Tuesday, July 20, 1920, at Maternity hospital, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Foye jr., 1317 West Fifteenth street, a son, F. Wesley Brown of Heretek, S. D., and his niece, Miss Esther Leamor, have departed for an outing of several weeks at Lake Okoboji.

Walthill Citizen: Geo. Lamson returned home last evening from Excelsior Springs, Mo. He looks much better. Misses Dorothy and Doris Irby went to Homer to visit their brother Edward and wife last evening. Miss Dollie and Opal Lane returned to their home at Gurley, last Friday, after a two weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Allen News: Mrs. John Allen returned the latter part of last week from South Sioux City, where she had been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Blessing. Geo. Chase drove to Sioux City Tuesday, but owing to the storm had to leave his car at Jackson and return home on the evening train. The rain storm which Allen received Tuesday afternoon proved to be a hail storm of damaging quality for Dixon and parts of Dakota county.

Emerson Enterprise: Mrs. Clyde Myers is visiting her mother in Homer. Harry and Mrs. Helles of Dakota City, spent Sunday at the Robert Poole home. Jas. Heaney and Miss Mae Heaney returned last week from Excelsior Springs, Mo. Both are very improved in health. Jack Rockwell and family of Crofton passed through Emerson last Saturday

evening on their way to Homer, to visit Mrs. Rockwell's parents. Miss Freda Wallway and Misses Freda and Alvina Harrigfeldt left Tuesday for Ashton, Idaho. Mrs. E. Harrigfeldt accompanied them as far as Omaha.

Ponca Journal: A severe hailstorm did considerable damage to the corn around Jackson Tuesday afternoon. Inspector George Wilkins of the internal revenue service, has been here several days this week looking up matters connected with his department. Sisters Mary Fidelis and Mary Katherine of the Visitation convent at Dubuque, Iowa, visited with Mrs. Katherine Twohig from Saturday until Tuesday. Sister Mary Fidelis is a daughter of Mrs. Katherine Twohig and a sister of Mrs. Joe Davey. She has been a Sister in the Visitation convent for twenty-six years. On Sunday the largest family reunion of the year was held at the home of Mrs. Katherine Twohig, over fifty guests being present. Among the out-of-town visitors were Dr. P. E. Keeffe of Sioux City, Mr. and Mrs. James Twohig and sons of Sioux City, William Twohig of Sioux City, and Hugh Twohig of Sioux Falls.

Farm Fires on the Increase
The extensive use of automobiles, gasoline engines, tractors, trucks, lighting systems and furnaces is resulting in an increasing number of fires on the farms. These fire hazards, together with lightning, are causing losses running into millions of dollars annually. The United States Department of Agriculture has issued a bulletin called "Fire Prevention and Fire Fighting on the Farm," in an effort to encourage the elimination of fire hazards, and also to encourage every farmer to provide some simple means of fighting fires. There are a number of chemical fire extinguishers on the market which provide a cheap yet effective method of fighting fires. It is recommended that ladders be kept handy for going to roofs. If means are at hand many fires can be stopped before they have done much damage. The bulletin places emphasis on prohibiting the use of matches in barns and garages. Oily rags do their share of starting fires. Lightning rods should be on all important farm buildings. The construction of houses should be watched to see that no woodwork touches chimneys. Pouring gasoline or kerosene on fires is still causing much loss of life and destruction of property. Farmers' bulletin No. 904 which may be obtained free from the College of Agriculture, Lincoln, gives many valuable suggestions regarding the protection of farm buildings from fire.

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Pioneers and Old Settlers to Celebrate

39th Annual Reunion August 26th, at Clinton Park, Dakota City, Nebr.

Four weeks from today, August 28, 1920, the Pioneers and Old Settlers Association of Dakota County, Neb., will meet for the 39th annual reunion and picnic at Clinton Park, Dakota City, Nebraska.

The committees having the arrangements in charge are busy with the work of preparation for the big event. Senator Geo. W. Norris has been invited to deliver the annual address to the pioneers.

Following are the officers and committees in charge of the picnic: President, Samuel A. Combs. Vice President, Daniel Hartnett. Secretary, Sidney T. Frum. Assistant Secretary, Walter E. Miller.

Financial Secretary, Emmet H. Gribble. Treasurer, H. H. Adair. Historian, M. M. Warner. Chief Marshal—George Cain. Assistant Marshals—J. P. Rockwell, Wm. Lahrs, J. M. Brannan, Louis Goodell.

Invitation Committee—Aileen Stinson, Mrs. Fannie W. Crozier, Anna M. Evans.

Speakers Committee—R. E. Evans, Geo. W. Leamer, S. W. McKinley.

Publicity Committee—John H. Ream, H. N. Wagner, Mell A. Schmied, L. R. Brooks.

Committee on Grounds—H. D. Wood, Herman Biermann, L. H. Armbricht, John Hileman, William Biermann, J. P. Rockwell.

Registrar Committee—Mrs. H. O. Dorn, Mrs. C. A. Manning, Mrs. Mabel McKernan, Mary McGonigal, May Boler, Mrs. W. H. Rynn.

Membership Committee—W. H. Berger, Mary J. Stinson, Mrs. Nellie Mason, Dr. Nina R. Smith, Marie Leahy, George Timlin, Herman Stolze, Emmet Gribble, Mrs. Frank Lean.

Privilege Committee—E. H. Gribble, J. S. Bacon, G. F. Brodyhill, Herman Biermann, Walter E. Miller.

Music Committee—S. W. McKinley, Elmer H. Biermann, S. A. Stinson.

Amusement Committee—S. W. McKinley, Walter E. Miller, Geo. Leamer, Dr. C. H. Maxwell, H. H. Adair.

Executive Committee—W. H. Berger, L. H. Armbricht, John Boler, J. C. Duggan, D. A. Woods, Carl Larsen, A. I. Davis and Thomas Long.

The Badge Committee—Mrs. Fannie W. Crozier, Mrs. Eva L. Orr and Mrs. Mary R. McBeath.

Farm Bureau Field Notes
C. R. Young, County Agent

A good meeting of the County Purebred Live Stock association was held in Hubbard on Thursday of last week. The association decided to have a breeder's booth at the Interstate fair again this year, at which place directories will be distributed and surplus stock will be listed for sale. It was voted that three sign boards be placed on the most prominent roads of the county. The balance of the available money will be used in cooperative farm paper advertising.

What is said to be a good fly re-

URGE EXAMPLE OF SELF-DETERMINATION

That friends of Irish independence in the American Congress could make a more effective impression on Great Britain by granting Philippine independence than by merely expressing sympathy with Irish aspirations is the suggestion contained in a statement issued by the Philippine Press Bureau of Washington, D. C.

"Twice in a period of nine months," reads the statement, "the United States Senate went on record as being in sympathy with the aspirations of the Irish people for a government of their own choice."

"Still another way for the friends of Irish independence in the American Congress to make an impressive argument would be to grant the independence that the 10,500,000 inhabitants of the Philippines have repeatedly demanded. America's own representatives in the islands have officially reported they are ready for independence and have recommended that such independence be granted.

"We submit that the granting of Philippine independence would be likely to be accepted by Great Britain as even stronger proof of America's belief in self-determination than the passage of the Irish resolutions, because Great Britain's councilors of state could not then successfully make the point that the American Congress is asking Great Britain to do something the United States itself has been asked to do and has not done.

"The Filipino people have confidence in the word of America and hope that now that the Senate has reiterated its sympathy with the principle of self-determination it will give Great Britain and the other powers of the world a concrete example of consistency and good faith by granting Philippine independence."

YOUNG FILIPINO WON FRENCH WAR CROSS

Gregorio Cailles, a Filipino, recently returned to his Philippine home wearing a French uniform and a Croix de Guerre with palm. Cailles in December, 1918, arrived in France and enlisted as a private. He made an excellent record as a soldier. At one time when all the officers of his company had been killed, he took command and led the men in a charge. He was decorated for this act of bravery by the French Government.

Lutheran Church Notes

By Rev. C. R. Lowe.

The young people decided last Sunday to discontinue their choir practices through the hot weather till the first Friday in September.

The prospects seem to be good for the organization of a Lutheran church at South Sioux City in the near future. Rev. Lewis of Emerson and Rev. Kahse of York, the president of the Synod and the Synodical Missionary, respectively, assisted by Rev. Marohn of Ponca, have spent considerable time in the city the last two weeks, and a canvas of the

place is being made for Lutherans who are willing to undertake the new project. We are informed there are about fifty persons who have signified their readiness for this move. There is about a fourth part of the town which has been canvassed. We have been asked what we thought of the prospect, and have replied as we always have said since we have been acquainted with the conditions at that place, "If our Lutheran people who are there would get behind the movement and stay there, there is no doubt of the outcome and success. And there are some Lutheran people there who have come in lately, for they have been found already, some eight families. All we need is for our own people to be loyal to their church.

If you did not read the church notes of last week because of the crowding of labor, and happen to see this paragraph, get the last week's Herald and read it, for it contains something very vital to the church. We do not need to repeat it, the editors do not have room for it. It has to do with the parsonage property and the river.

Do not let the heat and the work of the week keep you from the church services. A great deal more depends on your attendance at those services than you think. We do not lay stress enough on the church services and the power of the church in the religious life of the congregation. It is not half as much a matter of the growth of the church as it is of your own growth in the Christian life itself. You cannot neglect it and maintain your spiritual life to say nothing of growing. You will slip back as sure as you are born. One may retain the semblance of their religion, but that is all. Paul calls it "Having the form of godliness, but denying the power thereof." As we have said before, the Christian worship is not a place to give yourself to, but a place for you to go to get something. The more we study the Word of God and learn of the Spirit, the more we must come to the conclusion that attendance upon divine worship is an absolute necessity for a Christian that he remain such. It is not a matter for our own judgment. The laws of the spiritual working in the heart make it so. You cannot neglect it and live.

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