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NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Allen News: Mrs. L. Tuttle was in South Sioux City Monday of this week.

Dixon Journal: Miss Lucille Morgan of South Sioux City was an overnight guest Friday night at the Ibin Ellis home.

Sholes items in Randolph Times: Herman Wassund went to Sioux City Monday noon to visit with friends for a few days.

Laurel Advocate: Miss Nelle Fleming was up from Sioux City several days the past week visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fleming.

Pierce Call: W. J. Shane and family arrived from So Sioux City and have been busy this week getting settled in the residence recently vacated by F. J. Rastede. The Call welcomes Mr. Shane and family to Pierce and hopes their stay here will be very pleasant and profitable.

Pender Republic: Rev. George Bray was called to South Sioux City Monday to bury one of the old pioneers there, Mrs. Belle Church. It was a large funeral with many relatives and friends attending. It was her dying request to have Rev. Bray perform the last mortal rites for her.

Rosalie Rip-Saw: Mrs. Crandall returned Monday to her home at Sioux City, after a several days' visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Mason. Mrs. W. H. Mason of Walthill, and Mrs. Mason of Homer, mother and grandmother of R. H. Mason, were visitors at the Mason home between trains Wednesday.

Ponca Journal: Mrs. J. H. Harding went to South Sioux City today where Mr. Harding is assisting Ray Harding in his restaurant at the railroad shops. Word was received here Monday that A. E. Barnes of Spokane, Wash., passed away Monday morning. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Barnes was a former resident and prominent lawyer of Ponca.

Creighton News: Harold Burdick, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Burdick, of Creighton, and Miss Isabelle Irvin, of Merville, Iowa, were married at Dakota City, Nebraska, February 3rd. Mr. Burdick is well known in Creighton and has a host of friends who will join with the News in extending congratulations to the newly weds. They will make their home on a farm near Merville, Iowa.

Winnepago Chieftain: Rose Mann of Homer visited her uncle, Supt. Mann, at the agency on Sunday. Mrs. John Alam went to Sioux City Sunday evening to visit with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Cox of Homer, who is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital. Mrs. Hazel Lindrosh returned on Sunday from Sioux City where she has been taking treatment for rheumatism and spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. Gill. We were glad to have with us

at the Mother's Meeting Saturday afternoon and the Sunday evening service, Mrs. Gus Gerlach of Worthington, Minn., who is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. D. Gill.

Walthill Times: Mrs. Mason returned to Homer last evening after a week's visit here at the home of her son. Will Mathews of Homer came to Walthill Sunday afternoon and went to Omaha Monday for a visit of a few days with his sister, Mrs. Art Lewis. Mr. and Mrs. Bert McClain and children came yesterday for a visit of a couple of days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Burnett. They are living at Waterbury where Bert is running a Diddock farm.

Walthill Citizen: Mrs. Roy Peterson and little child returned from a visit with relatives at Newcastle and Jackson, Friday. Mrs. Zoe Clooney of Omaha, came Saturday evening for a visit with her parents, Geo. H. Lamson and wife. Mrs. Will Cornwall returned from her visit to Homer Friday. Her sister, Mrs. Williams, returned with her for a short visit. Mrs. B. J. Sheldon and Miss Sylvia Lamson attended the funeral of Mrs. Mose Warner at Lyons, Sunday. Mrs. Warner was an aunt of Miss Lamson. Mrs. M. Mason of Homer, has been here this week visiting her son, W. H. Mason and family. She and Mrs. W. H. Mason spent yesterday afternoon with Ralph Mason and family at Rosalie.

Emerson Enterprise: Ray Graves of Willis was in Emerson on business Tuesday. Julius Peters of Nacora, spent Sunday here at the home of his brother Dick. Mrs. Hubbard from Jackson, spent the week-end here at the home of her sister, Mrs. Englehart. Mrs. DeWitt, who has been visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Church returned to Laurel Saturday. Mrs. Joe Heenan and children from Jackson, spent the week-end here at the home of her father, James Heeney. Mr. and Mrs. Charley Rockwell, and Mrs. Clyde Meyers attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Elijah Church, in South Sioux City Monday. Wm. Sweeney and Miss Maggie Sweeney visited a few days last week at the Mike O'Neill home in South Sioux City, and with relatives in Sioux City.

Wakefield Republican: Mrs. Lewis Cooley of University Place, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Spencer, and other relatives. Ernest Barto, who underwent an operation at the M. E. hospital two weeks ago, returned on Monday. Mrs. Geo. Barto entertained a few ladies Monday afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. Cooley, of University Place. John Neis, of Meadow Grove, stopped off for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. Mary Terwilliger, last Saturday on his way to Dakota City. About thirty relatives and friends gathered at the home of C. T. Barto Tuesday evening to help him celebrate his 84th birthday. A sumptuous supper was served from the well filled baskets, the birthday cake not being forgotten. The evening was spent in visiting.

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Lyons Mirror-Sun: Death has entered our home and taken away our beloved wife and companion of many years. It baffles the human mind to fully grasp the extreme sorrow of these sad times in the affairs of life, but we are struggling bravely to bear up under the strain, as countless millions have done down through the passing ages. Mrs. M. M. Warner died at the family home in Lyons at 5:45 p. m., Friday, February 4, 1921, aged fifty years, nine months and three days, leaving her husband and daughter Mary, to mourn her departure; also her father, William Taylor, of Innisfail, Alberta, Canada; four brothers, Lee Taylor, of Kansas City, Mo.; William Taylor, jr., of Alberta, Canada; Goodwin Taylor, of Carey, Idaho; and J. Taylor, of Creston, Wash.; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Nixon, of Fremont, Neb., and Mrs. Henry F. Shull, of Cozville, Wash. Mable C. Taylor was born at the old Taylor home north of Homer, Neb., May 1, 1870. She attended the common schools and graduated in the Sioux City school. She united with the Lutheran church at Homer, but when she came to Lyons twenty-nine years ago there was no Lutheran church here and she united with the Presbyterian church, but owing to poor health was unable to attend church service in recent years. She was a member of the W. R. C., Degree of Honor and Rebekah lodges but poor health also prevented an active part in these societies of late years. Her last request was for her little daughter and other members of the family to meet her in heaven. We wish to thank the many friends for their assistance and kindness in this sad hour of our life. The flowers were beautiful, presented by the



A Few Suggestions About Telephoning

Be sure of the number; it is best to get it from the telephone directory.

Give the number to the operator slowly and plainly.

Speak clearly and directly into the telephone, with your lips about one inch away.

When you are through talking say "Good-bye" before you hang up the receiver.

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At a late hour the guests departed, wishing him many more birthdays.

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Z. R. C., Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, degree of Honor, Mrs. Florence Nixon, the Wigton family, the Frey families of Pender and Thurston, Mrs. John Ruddy and others. The funeral was held at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon, Rev. Neal Johnson preaching the sermon, and the body laid to rest in the Lyons cemetery. The pall bearers were selected from the Odd Fellows lodge as follows: G. Brink, Milan Southwell, Henry Jörter, Wm. Gift, D. M. Kayton and Jerry Crellin. Thus it becomes our sad and sorrowful duty to bid a last and good-bye to our beloved and faithful helpmate. Yes, farewell to earth forever more. The following relatives attended the funeral of Mrs. M. M. Warner Sunday: Mrs. Florence Nixon and daughter, Florence, of Fremont; Mrs. E. C. Bauer and son Warren, of Colome, S. D.; Mrs. Bert Sheldon and Miss Sylvia Lamson, of Walthill, Neb.

Farm Bureau Field Notes

C. R. Young, County Agent

It is necessary to make the following changes in the program for the Homer's Institute to be held in Homer this week. Mr. George Waltz, president of the Nebraska Good Roads' association, will speak at 2:30 p. m., on Friday instead of on Thursday. Mr. Waltz will illustrate his talk with motion pictures. He comes highly recommended. The County Agent will speak on Thursday at 2:30 p. m., giving a review of the cost of production record work conducted by the county Farm Bureau this year. This will include some 40 records on corn, oats, wheat, and potatoes. These are the farmers' actual records. Don't forget to bring to the Institute your exhibits of farm products and domestic science and art. Encourage your daughters to enter in the class for girls 16 years and under.

The Farm Bureau has set aside the week beginning February 20 as farm implement repair week. This was brought about by the failure of implement dealers and manufacturers to reduce the selling prices of machinery used on the farm. By starting at that time it will be possible to have in running condition, all machinery capable of doing work. Where possible, farmers should cooperate in the use of farming implements. They stopped buying the farmers' produce and prices fell. Why won't it work with the other fellow?

We have had several requests for information relative to the sowing of Durum or Macaroni wheat. One of the Sioux City mills very strongly advises against the sowing of this wheat because it is undesirable as a milling wheat and can only be used by a few mills in the country. Because of these things the price is always lower than for Marquis or other good wheat. Mr. Jas. Heeney, an elevator operator at Hubbard, states that he consulted three commission firms, all of who reported the same objections as claimed by the mill. The Gurney Seed company of Yankton, S. D., in this year's catalog, especially urge the sowing of the Red Durum, stating that last year they sold on the open market, a carload of this wheat which they had purchased for seed. They bought this before learning its milling properties.

CHILD SAVING WORK IN ARMENIA TOLD BY AN AMERICAN

Charles V. Vickrey Gives Facts of Near East Relief Program for Orphans.

Charles V. Vickrey, general secretary of the Near East Relief, has returned from a trip of inspection throughout Central Europe and the Near East, and made a report to the trustees of the Near East Relief in which he covers in detail the actual work of child saving now being conducted by the great American relief organization in the Near East. Mr. Vickrey believes that "a few millions of dollars wisely expended at this time in the education of the children of the Near East, in character building and in moulding these young lives, will be worth vastly more to the world



CHARLES V. VICKREY.

than billions of dollars spent later in suppressing international warfare and strife."

Mr. Vickrey considers the need in the Near East and especially in Armenia greater than anywhere else in the world, because, as he says, "In the countries of Central Europe there are going governments which have merely been temporarily impoverished by war. In the Near East, on the other hand, there is no such thing as stable government. The whole fabric of the state has to be created from the beginning, and the innocent and helpless children have to be trained to the responsibilities of future citizenship. Peace in the Near East and, in great measure, throughout the world, will depend very largely on the character of the citizenship of the peoples of the Near East."

Irresistible Appeal of Orphans.

Describing the orphanage work of the Near East Relief in the Armenian Republic, Mr. Vickrey said: "We have at Alexandropol in the Caucasus, one orphanage where there are approximately 10,000 homeless children, fatherless or motherless, many of them having no known living relative. Some of them do not even know their own names, or the place of their birth. They have shown wonderful recuperative powers, and to see

them play their kindergarten or other games under the direction of our American relief workers, one could never believe that they had passed through the years of suffering that most of them have experienced since they, or their parents, were driven from their homes in Central Turkey five years ago.

"For the accommodation of these orphans there are sixty splendid stone buildings, erected as barracks for the Russian army. These buildings are now given to us by the Armenian government for a period of ten years and lend themselves admirably to relief purposes.

"This orphanage at Alexandropol is but one of the 220 orphanages that the Near East Relief is now operating in various parts of the Caucasus, Anatolia, Cilicia, Syria and the Constantinople-Straits area.

"Thirty miles from Alexandropol, at Kars, there is another group of Russian army barracks, which were given us by the Armenian government for relief purposes. I was going through the dormitories of this orphanage at Kars when the young American college girl in charge turned to me and said: 'Mr. Vickrey, it sometimes makes me feel just a little older than Methuselah to be called "Mother" by 6,000 of those Armenian children.' And that is exactly what she was—the only mother that these 6,000 Armenian children have, except as she avails herself of the organized assistance of native Armenian women, in caring for this large family.

"In the hospital at Kars I found 1,150 beds, which, the day I was there, were occupied by 1,268 patients, it frequently being necessary to put two or more children in a single bed. At Alexandropol we have in one hospital, or group of hospital buildings, 1,500 trachoma patients. At Karaklis, forty miles east of Alexandropol we have an orphanage devoted exclusively to the care and training of the blind children. At Dehlan—we have another orphanage, located on a mountain side, for the care of tubercular children, this segregation being as much for the welfare of the healthy children in the orphanages as for the care of the unfortunate consumptives. At Erivan we formerly had twenty-six distinct orphanages, though they have now been reduced and consolidated to seven in number. There are something more than 6,000 orphans in the region of Harput."

Grading Eggs Means Greater Profits

Poultry raising can be made more profitable by grading eggs, according to the Nebraska College of Agriculture. The College last December sold high-grade eggs on the New York market for \$1 a dozen, or 35 cents above the local market price. It is now advocating that grading be done where two or more cases a week are produced. The College offers to provide all the information necessary for grading, which it says is not a difficult job. A number of produce companies are now paying extra for graded eggs and it is anticipated that practically all will be making inducements for superior quality eggs in the near future. Four grades are proposed—Nebraska Specials, Nebraska Extras, Nebraska Firsts, and Nebraska Seconds. The principal differences are in weight, depth of air cell, and visibility of yolk on candling.

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