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## NEWSY ITEMS FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Allen News: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steuben streets by Patrolmen Smith Dearing of Milwaukee, are visiting at Harry Hill's. Mr. Dearing is a brother of Mrs. Hill.

Walthill Citizen: Mrs. B. J. Sheldon and Miss Sylvia Lamson went to Crofton Tuesday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Davidson were South Sioux City visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patton.

Ponca Journal: Mrs. H. H. Hart returned Monday from Omaha, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Carter.

M. J. Kneif was united in marriage to Miss Hynes at the Catholic church at Willis yesterday morning. Father Gleason officiating.

Emerson Enterprise: Miss Nellie Curran is spending the week in Hubbard at the home of Leo Biede.

Miss Agnes Jensen of Rushville, Neb., spent two days the last week with Mrs. Frank Heeney.

Mrs. E. J. Hollman had a pleasant visit from Charlie Hollman and wife of Sioux City.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Smith and daughter, Miss Hazel, drove to Winnebago and spent the day Sunday.

Winnebago Chieftain: The three-year-old son of J. W. Leedom is reported critically ill.

W. E. McKinley of Homer was in our midst between trains yesterday.

E. P. Chamberlain has bought a residence property in South Sioux City and moved his family there to live. He rented his farm to his son-in-law, Sherm Martin.

J. H. Pilgrim of South Sioux City, a pioneer of Dakota county, visited friends in this vicinity this week, returning Wednesday. M. A. Fennell accompanied him to So. So.

J. F. Deen and wife returned on Tuesday from a month's sojourn at Gordon. They saw our friend Capt. Joe Leedom, who publishes the Gordon Journal, also the reliable landman and auctioneer, Word Mosier. The Deens were very favorably impressed with the latter country and the wonderful harvest of spuds they saw there.

Sioux City Journal, 15: Eddie Raynor, aged 18 years, of South Sioux City, Neb., who last March saved the bars on a window in the 'bullpen' of the city jail and, with a companion, made his escape, was arrested yesterday afternoon at Fourth and

**THE FOLKS AT HOME EXPECT YOU TO TELL 'EM ALL ABOUT 'OMAHA'S FUN CENTER' THE Gayety VISIT EXHILARATING BURLESK AND VAUDEVILLE**  
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## Farm Bureau Field Notes

C. R. Young, County Agent  
Hog cholera has continued to spread during the past week. The disease now exists on the farm of Carl Nelson, near Jackson; Herman Ebel, at Wood Park; H. DeForest, on Walker's Island; Chas. Swanson farm, northwest of Dakota City; Lawrence Lair's, near Dakota City; George Zentmire's, near Salem; The S. Gribble's, southwest of Dakota City; S. H. Bridenbaugh's, north of Homer; Mrs. Minnie Francisco's, south of Hubbard; Ray Swanson's, of Homer, and Albert Schroeder's, northwest of Homer. Besides these, several herds are suffering from pneumonia. This condition shows the importance of using every possible sanitary measure to keep the hogs healthy; and especially if near cholera infected herds, to have them vaccinated.

The Poultry Department of our State Agricultural College offers the following suggestions for starting pullets to lay:

"Some of the early hatched pullets are laying now if you are feeding them dry mash, an egg-making food, but if you are allowing them to make their own living around the barn they are finding too many starchy grains. Their appetites are satisfied, but they do not have the proper food for egg production. High priced winter eggs are not far off and those pullets must be buying when you are feeding them dry mash and molting during October and November. Keep a good dry mash before your pullets and hens all day, allowing them to eat when they please. They will satisfy their craving for egg making food from the dry mash hopper and will not become too fat from over-eating starchy grains. The Nebraska College of Agriculture recommends the following dry mash:

- 25 pounds of bran,
- 25 pounds of corn meal,
- 25 pounds of ground oats,
- 25 pounds of shorts,
- 25 pounds of meat scraps of a good grade of tankage,
- 1 1/2 pounds fine table salt.

If the birds have all the salt they can consume, use 1 1/2 pounds of meat scraps or tankage. Specifications for making the self-feeders for dry mash may be obtained from the Farm Bureau office.

## HOME DEPARTMENT OF THE FARM BUREAU

By Geneva Rankin.

What would you do in an emergency such as fainting, poisoning, severe cuts or wounds? Have you the supplies in your medicine cabinet for such emergencies? Miss Louise M. Murphy, State Home Specialist, will be in Dakota county October 18th, 19th and 20th. Miss Murphy will have a home-made medicine cabinet fitted with supplies that every home should have on hand. There will be meetings held in the following places: Tuesday, at 2:30 p. m., Fire Hall at Emerson. Wednesday, at 8 p. m., Elk Valley Church, Pigeon Creek. Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., at Court House, in Dakota City.

## MILLINERY SCHOOLS

The Walker's Island millinery school held Thursday, Friday and Saturday afternoons last week under the local leadership of Mrs. E. L. Iden and Mrs. L. H. DeForest, was considered by all a success.

The women brought their old hats and with new materials made hats for themselves. Eleven hats were made and the total cost of new materials amounted to only \$8.42.

The Dakota City millinery school met Friday for the first time and will meet again Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. S. A. Mason, Mrs. M. C. Leamer and Mrs. Walter Miller are the local leaders in charge of this class.

There will be a demonstration on the making of paper dress forms at the home of Mrs. Story, of Hubbard, at 1:30 p. m., Wednesday, October 26th.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Inasmuch as it has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove by death from his earthly home, Sister Anna Dorn, a member of Dakota Chapter No. 65, Order of Eastern Star.  
Be it Resolved, That as our golden chain has again been broken, family ties have been severed, but only for a little while, soon will nature assume the garb which is symbolic of the sleep in which our loved ones are resting, and they, like nature, will ever long awaken to new life and beauty in that heavenly home where there shall be no more death, and no more pain, for the former things have passed away.  
Be it further Resolved, That the sympathy of Dakota Chapter No. 65 be extended to the father and mother, and to the husband and children, in this sad hour. We can only commend them to Him who said, "And whosoever liveth and believeth in me, though he were dead, yet he shall live."  
ALICE M. WARNER,  
ADA MANNING,  
GEO. J. BOUCHER,  
Committee.

Goodbye, old Brindle, bony scrub, The times demand a better breed. You eat enough, but there's the rub, You never pay for half your feed. So after all these years we part, Be pray remember as you go, If this should break your bovine heart, You broke my purse long, long ago. (From Farm Bureau News)

## ONLY A DAD

Only a dad, with a tired face,  
Coming home from the daily race,  
Bringing little of gold or fame,  
To show how well he has played the game;  
But glad in his heart that his own  
rejoice,  
To see him come and hear his voice.

Only a dad, of a brood of four,  
One of ten million men or more,  
Plodding along in the daily strife,  
Bearing the whips and scorns of life  
With never a whimper of pain or hate  
For the sake of those who at home  
await.

Only a dad, neither rich nor proud,  
Merely one of the surging crowd,  
Toiling, striving, from day to day,  
Facing whatever may come his way;  
Silent, whenever the harsh condemn,  
And bearing it all for the love of them.

Only a dad, but he gives his all  
To smooth the way for his children  
small.  
—Buffalo County Farm Bureau News.

## Wintering Bees

No problem confronting the beekeeper in this part of the United States is of more importance than the proper wintering of bees, yet it is one which is sadly neglected.

The essentials of success in caring for a normal colony of bees from the end of one season's honey-flow to the beginning of the next lie in proving three things in abundance: (1) Stores of good quality, (2) protection from wind and cold, and (3) room for the rearing of brood at appropriate times. These factors are all of the greatest importance, and an omission of any one of them may prevent completely the gathering of the honey crop of the following year, and if any of the factors are given in less degree the honey crop invariably is reduced.

All three may be given in the early fall, so that, without further handling, the bees will come through the spring with the maximum population. If, for example, the room for breeding is not provided in the fall, it becomes necessary to handle the colony early in spring, and this may be detrimental. Similarly, it is the practice of some beekeepers to add to the stores of the colony in the spring, rather than to leave enough in the fall to last until new honey comes in. This is dangerous for two reasons. Too often the stores are not given on time or in adequate quantity and frequently they can not be given without expending the colony too greatly. It is therefore the best practice by far to provide all of these factors in the fall, and no other methods are so safe and certain of success. By practicing these methods the enormous annual loss of colonies in winter may be almost entirely eliminated, and what is more important, much stronger colonies may be obtained for the early sources of honey.

Many to Come Via Air.  
Nebraska skies should be full of airplanes around about November 1.  
According to prediction of the Omaha Aero Club, substantiated by letters from America's aviators, nearly 100 of 'em plan to fly to the Omaha air meet to be held November 2-4 and 5.

On Ordering From State Serum Plant  
Numerous inquiries come to the office of the State Serum Plant at the Agricultural College as to whether hog cholera serum and hog cholera virus are available to residents of Nebraska, also the price and how to order. Those wishing such information should read the following paragraph carefully.

When hog cholera serum and hog cholera virus or black leg vaccine are desired by any person living in the state of Nebraska wire, telephone, or write the State Serum Plant, College of Agriculture, Lincoln. If you address your correspondence otherwise it may be several days before it reaches the office of the State Serum Plant, which results in much unnecessary delay and inconvenience to you. The price of hog cholera serum and virus is one cent per cubic centimeter, but the black leg vaccine is free. Serum and virus are usually sent by express as only a limited amount of liquid can be sent parcel post, but black leg vaccine is sent by mail. All shipments of serum and virus are sent C. O. D. except to County Farm Bureau or other state institutions.

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## DAKOTA CITY SCHOOL NOTES

By Prof. H. M. Eaton

The reception given by the ladies of the Wednesday Literary club to the teachers was a splendid social affair. We wish to thank the ladies for the chance to meet so many of the parents of the school. We accepted the invitation to meet the people on their own grounds, now come and accept our invitation to meet us at the school house on our grounds.

Not a soul came to see us this week. I know you are busy, but that does not excuse you even a little bit. If your boy or girl don't do well, blame yourself. You have not been interested enough to even see how he is getting along, let alone how he is being taught.

The State Teachers' association will be held at Omaha on the 9th, 10th and 11th of November. A program will be given that no real teacher can afford to miss. The railroads have granted a one and one-half fare for the round trip.

There will be a teachers' meeting at Emerson on the 22nd of October. This is really one of the best gatherings held. It is on Saturday and does not break into the school work. A splendid program has been arranged and much work done to make this Emerson meeting a real meeting.

Our football team will play the Emerson High there next Saturday on the adjournment of the teachers' meeting. We will play a strictly high school team, and are sure that our lads, even though light, will give a good account of themselves.

## COUNTY SCHOOL NOTES

By W. E. VOSS, Superintendent

For a number of weeks the school notes dealt with the compulsory education law in particular. Now they will begin to include other phases of the attendance problems.

The special function of the school is to educate the children of the community. The school cannot perform its duty unless there is regularity of attendance. Hence, regularity of attendance on the part of all pupils is essential to the highest success of any school. How this may be accomplished, is an important problem that involves a far-sighted and modern interest on the part of the parent in the education of his children. On the other hand, it is a problem of school management in some cases, while in others it means the administration of school law to those who believe in using their children for earning money directly or indirectly when the law requires them to be in school. Just how these problems are best co-ordinated and solved is a duty as well as a burden placed upon us as citizens of a Republic, as parents, and as administrators of the compulsory education law.

From a civic standpoint, regularity of attendance is of the utmost importance in order that the children may get the training in citizenship needed so much in this country. The public schools are maintained primarily to make better citizens out of the children that they would otherwise become. It is a well-known fact that the children who do not attend the schools to get at least an eighth grade education do not, as a rule, become leading citizens or even the best type of people for the community or the Nation. There are, of course, occasional exceptions to this rule, but no one should risk, much less be permitted to risk, his children's becoming one of these exceptions to the rule.

## Pruning and Winter Protection of Grapes.

Systematic, intelligent pruning determines in a large measure the productivity of grape vines. Grape pruning is not an art to be mastered only by experts; anyone can learn to do it.

Grapes may be pruned any time after the wood has ripened in the fall and before the sap starts flowing in the spring. It should not be done, however, when the canes are frozen, as they are then brittle and break easily. In the eastern third of the state the best time is usually in February and March. In the central, western and northern parts of the state it is advisable to prune after the leaves are off in the fall in order to facilitate winter protection.

Where there is a likelihood that the dry winter winds will kill back the canes, as in the case in western, northern and central Nebraska, winter protection is necessary to assure a crop. After pruning the vine it is taken from the trellis, the canes tied together, laid down, and covered with 4 or 6 inches of dirt. Where the soil is sandy and apt to dry out during the winter a shallow trench may be dug or a furrow plowed close to the vines. Then the vine is laid in this furrow and the dirt pulled over it. As an added precaution a covering of straw may be provided to prevent the evaporation of soil moisture.

## STATEMENT

Of the ownership, management, etc., required by the act of congress of Aug. 24, 1912, of The Dakota County Herald, published weekly at Dakota City, Neb., for October 1, 1921:

State of Nebraska, County of Dakota—ss.  
Before me, County Judge, in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared John H. Ream, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor, publisher, business manager and owner of The Dakota County Herald.

John H. Ream, Dakota City, Neb.  
That the known bondholders, mortgagees and other security holders are None. John H. Ream, Owner.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of October, 1921.  
SHERMAN W. MCINTYRE,  
County Judge.

## OUR MARY CANNOT ATTEND; SENDS REGRETS TO PORTER.

Little Mary Pickford wants to attend the Omaha air congress, but she can't. For early in November the meet will be held on the 3, 4 and 5th—Mary will be on her way to Europe with Doug.

Expressing her regret, Mary says in a letter to Earl W. Porter, president of the Omaha Aero Club: "I shall be in Europe at the time as we are planning to go immediately upon completion of Mr. Fairbanks production of the 'Virginia'."

"I do so appreciate the invitation and my memories of Rockwell Field tell me just what I shall miss for I know how royally the Almerch can entertain and what true hospitality is their's."

During the war, Mary was a great friend of the soldiers and spent much of her time at Rockwell flying field.

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