Union Department

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SERVICE

is a word you often see in advertising—with many it is only a word—here it is an actual fact. Service means to us just what it means to you. Service is something we practice as sincerely as we preach.

Bank of Union

UNION, NEB.

The folks are all reported on the sick list at the home of J. R. Dysart and family, although they are improving slightly at this writing.

Miss Verna Craig, daughter of Wm. Craig, who has been rather sick at their home for several days past with the flu, is now showing a slight improvement.

Mont Robb returned from a prolonged business trip a few days ago, and was a visitor at home for a few days only, departing again to resume his work on the road.

Rev. J. B. Taylor officiated at the funeral of the young man, Charles James, who died last week, while attending school at Lincoln and whose remains were brought here for burial last Monday morning.

Joseph Dare, the drayman, who has been kept to his home for some time past with the grippe, is so far improved as to be able to be out again, and will soon be able to resume his work with the team.

Mrs. Belle Frans was called to Amarilla, Texas, a few days ago to look after some business matters connected with the sale of a farm which she had in that portion of the country. Mrs. Frans was away for several days.

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a complete general line of

Staple Merchandise

When in need of anything call on

A. L. BECKER,

Union, Nebraska

Joe Banning says he does not expect to have the flu, but that the folks at home who have it are getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. B. Taylor, wife of Rev. Taylor of the Baptist church, was a visitor in Omaha last week, where she attended a meeting of the Baptist Ladies Missionary society.

Ed (Whitie) Shaw, who was been kept at home on account of an attack of the flu, is reported to be making good progress towards recovery and hopes to be out again in a short time.

Miss Ora Clark was a visitor at the home of her parents, C. W. Clark and wife of Union, over Sunday, returning to her studies at the Lincoln conservatory of music the first of the week.

Miss Grace Bogenrief, one of the teachers in the Union schools, spent her week-end vacation at the home of her parents in Elmwood, returning in time to take up her duties in the school room Monday morning.

Frank Bauer, the rustling harnessmaker and cobbler, who is kept busy, has been absent from his place of business for the past nearly a week with an attack of the flu, but is now slowly recovering and hopes to be able to be out again in a short time.

F. H. McCarthy, the genial grain man and a member of the Board of Education of the Union schools, who has been kept at home for the past week with the flu, is so improved as to be able to be up and dress himself and hopes to be down town to look after the elevator in a short time.

Will C. Carraher, who quit farming and is now engaged in the mercantile business, having charge of the Union market, in which he is the interested owner, will hold a sale of his farming implements and other farm property on February 28th. Watch for the bills and announcements which will appear in the papers in a short time telling of the numerous articles which he will offer for sale.

Lem Barrett was a visitor at home over Sunday from the state university, where he is attending school.

The families of Daniel Lynn, Matt McQuinn and Wm. Marks, who have been sick, are reported as being greatly improved.

Miss Elizabeth Rabe was a visitor at her home in Lincoln for the week-end, where she enjoyed the time with her friends.

Miss Angie McCarroll was a guest at the home of Mrs. George Rhodes, at Howe, last week, returning home last Saturday evening.

Professor E. A. Ward was a visitor at the county seat over Saturday and Sunday, spending the time at the home of his parents.

Miss Banning, who has been at the hospital in Omaha for several days past, has so far recovered as to be able to return to her home on last Sunday.

Misses Crozier and Anderson, of the Union schools, were visiting at their homes in Weeping Water over Sunday, returning to their work on Monday morning.

Superintendent McDonald, of the Union schools had some business matters to look after at the capital city and also visited at his home in Wahoo over Sunday.

Vernon L. Rodgers and family will soon depart for southeastern Colorado, where they will make their home in the near future, and where Mr. Rodgers will engage in farming.

W. L. Sidwell has been looking after the work at the Missouri Pacific during the illness of Edward Shaw, who has been down with the flu. Mr. Sidwell has proved an excellent man for the place.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Farris, living northeast of Union, were reported as being rather sick at their homes a few days last week, but are now on the mend, which is good news to their many friends.

Ed Lewis and family were kept at home for a few days with an attack of the flu, which engaged the entire family, but at last reports they were all feeling some better, and it is hoped that the improvement will continue.

Jack Chalfant, who has been sick for some time at his home with the flu, is so he can be out again, but not well yet. He reports the remainder of the family, who are sick at home, as getting along as well as could be expected.

The families of the Rev. J. B. Taylor and Roy Gerkin were guests at the home of Ross Niday and wife for dinner Sunday, they all enjoying the occasion greatly, and the guests were loud in their praise of the hospitality of the host and hostess.

County Commissioner C. F. Harris was a passenger to the county seat last Tuesday morning, where he was sitting with the county board looking after the interests of the county. Mr. Harris reported two members of his family as being down with the grippe, but getting along all right.

S. C. Keckler was confined to his home for a short time with something resembling a severe attack of the grippe, but was able to be out again, and down looking after his business, though feeling far from well. He is putting up a good fight and hopes to be all right again in a short time.

L. R. Upton, like many another man, has developed considerable capacity and accumulated much experience as a cook, during the time the family has been sick with the grippe, and the added experience has not hurt him, but for many reasons he is rejoicing at the improvement of the folks.

L. O. Miner, salesman for the Pollock Auto company, was a business visitor in Union last Monday, looking after some matters in connection with the sale of Ford cars. The Pollock agency is selling a large number of cars just now and finds the demand already crowding the supply they can get.

J. D. Cross, who was sick some time since, being kept home from his business with the flu, is down looking after the store again. Mrs. Cross is kept busy at the home on the farm nursing other members of the family. Ray has been pretty sick with the malady, but is now showing some improvement.

T. J. Brendel, of Union, representing an automobile insurance company with headquarters at Lincoln, was in Union looking after business last Monday. Mr. Brendel is a hustler for business and having an excellent company to represent, he is writing a large amount of good insurance over his territory.

Dr. B. F. Brendel, of Murray, was a professional caller in Union and vicinity last Monday, and was being driven by Mr. L. H. Puls, of the Puls garage of Murray. The prevailing epidemic is keeping all the physicians pretty busy these days, many of them being compelled to make over a hundred calls in twenty-four hours.

J. B. Roddy, who has been in Colorado for several months past, was a visitor in Union for a short time last Saturday, remaining until Monday, when he was called to Omaha to look after some business matters in connection with the sale of some lands in the west. He returned home again Tuesday before departing for the west.

Entertained at Nebraska City

The members of the Baptist Young People's Union of this place were guests of the B. Y. P. U. at Nebraska City last Friday, where an excellent program was given, after which a fine supper was served in honor of the guests from Union.

Two Jacks for Sale

I have two large jacks, one 6 years and the other 8 years old, which I am offering for sale. The younger one especially large. Their colts can be seen here. Address or telephone me.

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We have accepted the agency in Union and vicinity for the "Baby Overland," which you must see and ride in to appreciate. We also carry Oldsomobile Cars and Trucks and Reo Cars and Trucks. We have a number of good mechanics ready for any work that may be offered in the repair line. We also carry a full stock of tires and accesories for all makes of cars. See us for cars or repair work.

ROBERT WILLIS,

UNION -:- -:- -:- NEBRASKA

HENRY BECKER RETURNS FROM EAST

Where He Attended Advance-Rumely Dealers' School in La Porte, Indiana for Two Weeks.

H. H. Becker has just returned from the Advance-Rumely Thresher company's dealer school at La-Porte, Indiana. He stated to the Journal representative that he spent a most profitable and pleasant two weeks as the guest of the OilPull company. But we will let him tell his own story:

"On arriving at La Porte, we registered and were assigned to rooms with private families in town, giving a little touch of home life which only a stranger in a strange land knows how to appreciate.

"The school was run much like a large university with regular lectures and laboratory classes running from 8:00 in the morning until 5:00 at night. Lectures were given by some of the best engineers in the automobile industry. After the lectures we would put on our 'overalls' and go into the laboratory and work on the machines. There was an enthusiastic group of men working on motors, transmissions, running tractors, etc. We had, altogether, some 250 dealers from all over the United States and Canada.

"One man, a Mr. Rosenius, came all the way from Stockholm, Sweden, to attend the school. He represents a company in Stockholm which handles the Rumely line in Scandinavia, Russia and Poland.

"We made a trip through the entire plant, spending a half day in the OilPull and the same amount of time in the Separator factory. Believe me, it is a whale of a plant. The factory alone covers 85 acres and employs over 2,000 men. Everything is well organized and things sure do run through in a systematic, thorough way.

"The spirit within the Advance-Rumely organization is another thing that impressed us. There is a strong sense of loyalty prevailing throughout the whole works which makes the organization seem like one big family.

"Another instance of this spirit is shown in the Advance-Rumely club, which is made up of the Rumely workers. They have a two-story brick building which they turned over to the dealers. We spent many pleasant hours in the writing room, reading room and billiard rooms, which were so kindly put at our disposal.

"This club room was fitted up with a regular stage and everything. We had some great entertainments brought down from Chicago. One night we had the Imperial Quartette, which makes records for the Victor company.

"Another night we had a boxing entertainment. A regular vaudeville show from the best circuits in Chicago made a big hit. There was a cabaret girl who came down off the stage and kidded us. We will remember that quite a while.

"The climax of the entertainment was the banquet given at the Masonic hall by the Rumely company as sort of a farewell party. Some 'feed,' I claim. During the meal we were entertained by more cabaret—this time by a Hawaiian Hula dancer and a Hawaiian orchestra."

Mr. Becker is more enthusiastic than ever about the company and its product and states that he is now in a position to give personal service to his customers of the kind that can't be beat.

County Supt. Visits Schools

Miss Alpha Peterson, county superintendent of schools in this county, was a visitor in Union last Monday looking after the interests of the schools, and after a visit and consultation with the board here, departed for Nehawka, and other portions of the county, where she continued on her mission of school visitation.

Relative to the schools in Union, Miss Peterson had to say that they were getting along in fine shape, but with a very slender attendance at the time of her visit due to the prevailing sickness in the city and community.

The teachers were complimented on the thoroughness of their work, and aside from the lack of attendance the schools presented a most pleasing appearance to Miss Peterson.

Rev. Morrison Sick at Syracuse

Rev. L. Morrison, who visited last week at the home of relatives in Syracuse, was taken with an attack of the grippe, which prevented his return home in time to take charge of the work here at the Methodist church last Sunday, there being no services in the evening as was expected. The other services at the church were enjoyed however by those who attended, they being the Bible school and various meetings of the Young Peoples society of the church.

Death of Charles James

The community is grieved at news of the death of Chas. James in Lincoln, where he was attending school. Mr. James was stricken with an attack of the flu, which terminated in pneumonia, complicated with scarlet fever and was unable to withstand the rigors of these various diseases, any one of which is enough to give the average person a hard tussle. A more complete account of the life of this young man is contained in an article found elsewhere in this issue, and which is reprinted from the Daily Journal of a few days ago.

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If it's in the book line, call at the Journal office.

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We are making trips to Colorado every week. Come and make a trip and see the country. Special prices on farms to March 1, 1920. Prices $17.50 to $50 per acre, according to location and improvements. One wheat crop will pay for the land. Land already sown in wheat. Have 60 acres 3 miles west of Union for quick sale at $135.00 per acre. Good terms. Phone L. R. Upton, phone No. 39.

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RUMELY OILPULL TRACTOR LA PORTE IND.

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WHEN you buy a tractor you want first, the most efficient, dependable and economical tractor on the market. Second, you want to be sure of a **personal service from your dealer that means something.** For what good is the best tractor to you if you don't thoroughly know how it works and how to keep it working.

I went to the Advance-Rumely Dealers' School at LaPorte, Indiana, where the famous OilPull Tractor is built for the **express purpose** of putting myself in a position to give you such service. I was privileged to attend this two weeks' course in company with some 250 other dealers selected by the Advance-Rumely Thresher Company.

During the two weeks we worked, and worked hard. We learned the tractor thoroughly—not from books—but by stripping it down and assembling it again. We worked on the motor, transmission—the cooling, ignition and lubrication systems—in fact every part of the machine.

And they put the "cards on the table" there at LaPorte. We were allowed, and urged, to look into every branch of the factory—no department was closed to us—nothing was kept from us. We saw the whole inside workings. The bigness of it impressed me—the machine shop alone is 800 feet long—but more than that was the systematic way things are organized and the thoroughness with which the goods are manufactured, inspected and tested. One of the machines, a cylinder grinder, is the only machine of its kind in the country. The OilPull cylinders and pistons, you know, are ground to within 1-1000 of an inch.

I was pretty well satisfied before I went down to LaPorte that the materials and workmanship that went into the OilPull were the best that went into any tractor—now I am SURE of it.

In the Rumely OilPull Tractor, I am not only selling absolutely the most efficient, dependable and economical tractor on the market—and guaranteed, remember—but I am backing it with a **personal service that means something** to you.

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