

## Warner creates loan fund in memory of friend for benefit of ag students

From half way around the world, a few days ago, came a check that will help students get a college education in years to come—all because one such student received aid from a friend 10 years ago.

That is the story behind creation of the Chester Woodman student loan fund at the college of agriculture.

Out of Allahabad, India, through the hands of a war-time censor, came a letter from James Warner to Prof. L. K. Crowe, asking that the loan fund be established in memory of his friend.

Was 4-H member.

As Warner begins the story, he had been a 4-H club member in Scottsbluff county, and in 1927 he received a Union Pacific 4-H scholarship. He was unable to enter college immediately, and the expiration date was set ahead. By September of 1931 he was barely able to scrape up \$50 in addition to the scholarship.

He was debating whether to enter college with such limited funds when Chester Woodman of Morrill—his own plans to become a medical missionary interrupted by illness—called Warner to his bedside, and offered him help from his small disability income.

Loaned \$150.

With loans from Woodman totalling \$150, Warner entered the agricultural college that fall—and received news of his friend's death before the school year was over. But he went on with his education and was graduated in 1936. Then came an industrial scholarship to pay the expenses of one year of graduate work.

Later on, Warner went to India where he is now a professor of dairying at the Allahabad agricultural institute, operated under the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian church.

At six percent interest, the loan from Woodman gradually built up to a total of \$235 at the first of this year. Woodman's relatives refused to accept repayment, however.

At last, Warner hit upon the plan of repaying the money into a memorial fund. In his letter to Prof. Crowe he explained, "I propose to return the help I received from Chester Woodman in such a way that it will help others. I am sure he would have me do it this way.

"In appreciation of kindness."

"It is thus in appreciation of his kindness and encouragement, and in memory of a sincere friend that I make available the Chester Woodman loan fund to students of the college of agriculture. May each of the recipients be as deeply conscious of its value as I have been.

"May it help them to attain much of that which they feel is of value in life, as I feel it has helped me. And may they always remember that it comes not from one who has only used it for awhile, but from one who gave it with the hope that it would give great and durable benefits. It has done so and I can not use them all."

## Faculty-

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ject of "Wisdom in Nutshells." At the same meeting Dr. John D. Clark of Cheyenne, Wyo., who taught at the university several years will speak on "The King of France."

T. Bruce Robb, former director of business research at the university and now of the department of research and statistics in the federal reserve bank at Kansas City, will discuss "The Inflation Prospect" at a session Friday morning.

Other members of the college attending the Des Moines meeting are Professors W. A. Spurr, C. L. Nelson, J. A. Pfanner, C. E. McNeill, G. M. Darlington, D. F. Cole, C. M. Hicks, C. O. Swayzee, and E. S. Fullbrook, and E. B. Schmidt, A. B. Carson, William Dick, and T. F. Marburg. Prof. L. B. Snyder of the department of rural economics also is attending the meeting.

Dr. David Rubio, head of the Romance language department of Catholic university of America, is visiting Spain and Portugal to collect additional volumes for the library of congress.

A personal note from Warner to Prof. Crowe revealed that he was married last May to Miss Cleone Brookins, a graduate of Iowa State college. A son-in-law of world-famous Dr. E. Stanley Jones performed the ceremony, in Bombay. For their honeymoon, the Warners lived for a month in a house boat on the canals, rivers and lakes of the Kashmir valley, renowned for its beauty, and made an 11 day trek to the head of the Kolahoi glacier, near 17,000-foot Kolahoi peak.

## Student health directors meet here tomorrow

Annual convention of student health directors from Nebraska, Kansas, and Missouri will convene at the university tomorrow for the regular yearly meeting of the south central section of the American Student Health association.

President of the south central section, Dr. M. S. Husband, student health director of Kansas State college, will open the meeting, and Dr. R. A. Lyman, director of student health at Nebraska will give a brief welcome address.

Ann Sheridan, movie "oomph" girl, was known as Clara Lou Sheridan when she attended North Texas State Teachers college.

## Debate-

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bate will be Robert Chambers and Bud Johnson.

Postponement for next Tuesday's debate can be made no later than one day previous to the

scheduled contest, H. A. White, debate coach, warned. Debate will be on the question, "Should the English speaking nations form an alliance for their common interests and protection."

Debate will be judged by a present or former member of the varsity debate squad.

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