

OBITUARY.

Sylvia Elandor Cambell, was born November 11, 1874 at Seymour, Iowa. On October 22, 1891, she was united in marriage to Charles B. Pearce, at Arnold, Neb. To this union were born four children, Vera, of Denver, Colo., Cecil M., Gladys, and Nolan, all of Arnold, all of whom survive their mother, and were with her at the end.

Mrs. Pearce united with the Methodist Episcopal church at Arnold on September 3, 1893, and has been a true and faithful member, giving unsparingly of her time and effort to all things that were a benefit to the church and its members. She was a member of the Arnold Womens Improvement Club, having served most successfully as its president for the past two years, and being, at the time of her death, chairman of the Child Welfare Department. She has been one of the principal members who have made the club such a success and benefit to the town and community. She was also a member of the Loyal Mystic Legion.

Mrs. Pearce had been feeling ill for several months, but her cheerful and sunny disposition led her many friends to believe it was nothing serious, and it was with a distinct shock that the community learned a few days ago that her condition was such that she had been taken for hospital treatment. Although medical skill was employed untsintingly, she failed to recover and on the evening of August 25, 1923, Mrs. Pearce was called to her reward at the age of 48 yrs., 9 months and 14 days.

She leaves behind to miss her, a kind and faithfull husband, her four children, her aged mother, Mrs. Miriam Campbell, one sister, Mrs. Carrie A. VanHorn, of Nemo, S. D., and three brothers, Chas. Leach, of Santa Anna, Calif., John Leach, of Lantry, S. D., and Leo Campbell, of Arnold. Besides relatives, she leaves a host of friends and neighbors, and her loss will be keenly felt by her church, and her club.

We are closer drawn to heaven,

Since Mothers there;

Her voice completes inaudibly,

Our family prayer.

Give vision, Lord, each day to see a need;

Give strength along the way for every deed,

Of kindness as we live, that we "may read

Our title clear," with Mother there.

Card of Thanks.

We are unable to express our heartfelt appreciation to our relatives and friends, who so willingly and tenderly extended their help and sympathy during the recent illness and death of our beloved wife and mother Sylvia E. Pearce.

Neither can we express our deepest appreciation for the constant watchfulness and tireless efforts of the doctors and nurses, to the very last.

And we wish to thank our friends for the many beautiful flowers and the singers and pianist for the sweet sentiment expressed.

C. B. Pearce, Vera Pearce, Cecil M. Pearce, Gladys Pearce, Nolan Pearce