

## Miss Sallie Ritchie of Prairie Home Dies

Pioneer Cooper Countyan, 91  
Years Old, Had Been Bedfast  
Since Last November

Miss Sallie D. Ritchie died at the home of her great-nephew, Emil Ritchie, in Prairie Home, Saturday afternoon at one o'clock. Miss Ritchie was 91 years old her last birthday.

Funeral services were held at the home of Emil Ritchie Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. L. E. Brown, pastor of the Prairie Home Baptist church. Burial was made in the New Salem Cemetery.

Miss Ritchie was born Nov. 6, 1839, near Boonville, one of the twelve children of Jacob and Jane Dordy Ritchie, pioneer Cooper County residents. When young she moved to Prairie Home where she has since lived. She is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Elias

D. Ritchie of Kansas, Thomas E. Ritchie of Arkansas, Robert H. Ritchie of Iowa, and Mrs. Rhoda O. Fain of Fortuna. She also leaves a number of nieces, nephews, grandnieces, and grand-nephews.

"Miss Sallie" as she was affectionately known, was a charter member of the Pisgah Baptist church, later transferring her membership to the Prairie Home Baptist church when it was organized.

When she was younger she was a great worker in Sunday Schools of the town, always teaching a class in one of the schools. Almost all of the young people of Prairie Home and community have been in "Aunt Sallie's" classes. Miss Ritchie was unusually active for one of her age until she fell in November and suffered a fractured leg. She had been confined to her bed since that time. She was bright and cheerful and enjoyed the friendship of hundreds.

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## Mr. and Mrs. Knorp Married Fifty Years

Jamestown Couple Observe Annl-  
versary at Home Tues-  
uesday

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knorp of  
Jamestown observed their Golden  
Wedding anniversary Tuesday,  
March 10, at their home. Mr. and

Mrs. Knorp were married March 10, 1881, and bought the farm on which they now reside from the bride's father and have lived there all their married life. Mrs. Knorp is 70 years old and Mr. Knorp is 75. They were the parents of seven children, five of whom are still living. They are: Mrs. W. R. Batty of Russellville, Mrs. Elmer Snieler, Boonville, John of Glasgow, and F. W. and Carl of Jamestown. One daughter, Mrs. J. O. Wood, died two years ago, and one daughter passed away in childhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Knorp also have

seven grandchildren. Both of these fine people are active and enjoy the honor and respect of the community. Before her marriage Mrs. Knorp was Katherine Moog, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Moog. She was born on a farm one and one-half miles northwest of Jamestown. Mr. Knorp was the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Knorp and was born on a farm three and one-half miles northeast of Prairie Home.

The early return of Professor Albert Einstein to the United States to continue his uncompleted scientific research at the California Institute of Technology was announced by the Jewish Telegraphic Agency.

Rear Admiral Richard Evelyn Byrd, aerial conqueror of the polar waste lands, is planning another voyage toward the South Pole for further explorations.