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Again, in the email, I get all sorts of things. Yeah. This one I received from Omaha Tribal Historical Research Project in corporate Walthill, Nebraska. They are talking about a book that they are giving away, an online book that they're giving away as part of their Giving Tuesday now campaign. Giving Tuesday is a worldwide event. The first Giving Tuesday campaign that they had been involved in was the Tuesday after Thanksgiving in 2019.

Nationwide or worldwide, I guess. The first Giving Tuesday campaign was reported as raising over $511 million online, and almost $2 million in total international donations was slated for thousands of nonprofits across the globe. Something that we need to look into a little bit more, Giving Tuesday. They happen every year.

But this press release was talking about one of their tribal members who back in the 1890s, at Standing Rock agency in Dakota Territory, Josephine Von Feldman lived around 1865 to 1915. She was raised on a the reservation, a Omaha tribal member. She was trained as a nurse and a teacher. She was teaching music at the Grand River on Standing Rock agency when the epidemic struck the reservation.

Hearing that the agency Western trained hospital staff had fled and, and confident in her medical skills. what she did, she walked the 42 miles to Fort Yates and took charge of the hospital with assistance and guidance from local traditional medicine elders. Von Feldman took charge of the hospital and directed all the hospital volunteer help for three months until the epidemic ended. Until the non native help arrived.

As a story, they're talking about epidemics. And we talked with Melodie Moore about any time in our past when we experienced such things. Well, here's a story from the Omaha Tribal Historical Research Project. I can post these on our website and if you want to take a look at them. And you could take part in their Giving Tuesday, on May the fifth, when the event happens. We'll look a little deeper into this whole resource. Maybe we can get involved in the next round. I think it's coming up the Tuesday after Thanksgiving. So stay tuned. Thanks for listening.

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