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Mrs. Edward Cook Dies

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cook, were pained to learn of the lady's death, which occurred at her home in Nowata, Okl., last Monday. No particulars are available at this writing except that she suffered an attack of flu and fatal pneumonia followed.

She was the wife of Dr. Henry Cook's eldest son, and will be remembered as a visitor here for some length of time last summer. In addition to the other relatives she leaves two little girls and a baby boy who is only a week old. Mira Cook was with her during her illness.

The sympathy of all goes out to the bereaved relatives.

The Koreans

Miss Esther Beck of Korea gave a most instructive and entertaining address concerning the character and customs of Koreans, at the Congregational church last Sunday. The audience was especially impressed when she spoke of how these people hungered for religious instruction and education. Miss Beck's appearance in Korean costume added to the interest of her remarks.

Special music was also an attractive feature of the ever-charming service.

Two New Industries

Red Cloud is two steps on the road to a new prosperity.

Productive industries are the making of cities and a flour mill and an ice plant are both in this class. "Tall oaks from little acorns grow," and who can say how much may come of these beginnings.

In passing, one might speak of the oil well now going down. It—but the possibilities of that if, are beyond measure of a few words.

The new flour mill is now in operation and Mayor Damerell was the first man to obtain some of the first product.

Fruits of the efforts of the Commercial Club are already apparent in the matter of an ice plant. Ground is being broken and work started for this enterprise, which is located on the vacant lot back of the Orpheum and the printshops.

Narrow Escape

An accident which nearly resulted fatal to the occupants of the car occurred on Saturday evening, at the C. B. & Q. crossing, on the river road. Charles Smith and wife, enroute to their home over the line in Kansas, via auto, reaching the crossing the same time as did an engine which was pushing several cars ahead of it. Evidently Mr. Smith realized he could not beat the train across, but became confused and applied the brakes without shutting off the engine. The step of the car connected with a fender on the auto, and before pushing it in the clear, wrecked the body and otherwise damaged the same. The occupants of the car jumped, all escaping injury with the exception of Mrs. Smith, who has not as yet completely recovered from the shock. The lady suffered considerably on Saturday, but reports from the Oscar Sattley home, today where she was removed, state that she is able to sit up.—Com-Ad.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our deep and sincere thanks to the kind friends and neighbors, who so kindly and ably assisted us during the death and burial of our dear son and brother.

MR. AND MRS. ED. FEY AND FAMILY.

Coming Conventions

Four important conventions will be held in Omaha in the near future: Jan. 28, Nebraska Polled Hereford Breeders; Jan. 29-30, Nebraska Bottlers Association; Feb. 4-7, Nebraska Retail Hardware Association; Feb. 6-7, Nebraska Lumber Dealers Association.

Commercial Club Meeting

From Wednesday Commercial Ad.

That the Red Cloud Commercial Club's newly adopted plan of re-organization on a Community Club basis meets with the approval of all is not only evidenced by the number signifying their willingness to join, but likewise by the large and enthusiastic gathering at the Club rooms last evening, the purpose of the meeting being to perfect the new organization and discuss in detail the proposed program of the club work for the coming season.

Under the new plan, the heretofore initiation fee of \$5.00, is to be dispensed with, and the necessary requirement of membership consists only in the payment of \$3.00, or the first quarter dues of the applicant. To the farmer and those outside the business district, who desire to join, this fee has been cut in half, which makes the financial consideration involved, in becoming and remaining a member, of such small importance that it would seem the duty of all to get behind the Club, whether anticipating personally enjoying the social privileges offered or otherwise. Regardless of the fact that all organizations of this character are bound to be occasionally knocked and often fall short of coming up to the expectations of all, our local Club has thrown off no more "hot air" than consistent with its progress, and has in many ways, some perhaps unknown to the public at large accomplished much good and proved to be the big shoulder at the wheel, even though to the organization did not fall the glory after the plum had landed.

The re-organization of the Club requiring a new constitution and by-laws, consequently on taking up this matter last evening Messrs. Fred Maurer, O. C. Teel and L. H. Blackledge were appointed as a committee to perfect same, and in order that the big membership drive should become a real success only gentlemen known to possess the pep necessary to put it across were selected for these committees which comprise: First Ward—Messrs. R. P. Weesner, chairman; W. G. Hamilton and M. A. Albright. Second Ward—Flave Grice, chairman, J. E. Butler and Frank Perry. Country—F. G. Turnure, chairman; F. W. Cowden and Joe Hewitt.

The Club has already launched an active campaign for better city streets and country roads, and on ascertaining that the County Commissioners, after a lapse of several years of practically no road work, with the exception from the State Bank corner to a mile or so west, have at last been sufficiently aroused as to consider the purchase of a tractor, appointed a committee composed of Bernard McNeny as chairman, W. D. Edson and W. B. Smith to confer with said Board and render such assistance as they might be able. The tractor proposition was discussed from all angles, and it was the unanimous opinion of all present at last night's meeting, that the purchase of one large tractor, if operated by experienced hands, would prove far more economical and beneficial than several smaller ones. This opinion is, we believe, well founded, since it is based on actual experiences of adjoining counties.

All the committees appointed are to report their benefits derived or damages sustained to the Club, on Tuesday evening, February 4th, at which time plans will also be completed for a big get-together meeting, smoker and luncheon, to be held about the middle of February.

Another Printer Returns

Glen Ralph, one of Uncle Sam's navy boys, is home on an honorable discharge ticket. He was visiting friends in Red Cloud first of the week. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elery Ralph, reside at Guide Rock and on completion of a visit with them Glen will resume his old position of foreman in the Benkleman News Chronicle office.

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Nebraska furnished 51,000 soldiers, sailors and marines during the great war, or one man with the colors for each twenty four of the population. And Nebraska challenges any other state to exceed that record.

On January 2, 1919, the deposits in the banks of Nebraska totaled approximately \$70,000,000 more than January 1, 1918. This too, despite the fact that Nebraska bought more Liberty Bonds and Thrift Stamps in proportion to population than any other state.

Reports to the State Board of Agriculture point to a largely increased wheat acreage, and the crop prospects were never better at this time of the year. Western Nebraska reports an unusual amount of snow, which spells ample reserve moisture for the growing season.

During 1918 the secretary of the state issued 170,000 automobile licenses. There are enough automobiles in Nebraska to give every man, woman and child in the state a ride all at the same time without undue crowding—an average seven passengers to the car.