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DR. W. E. COOK GOES UP HIGHER

Is Appointed Chief Medical Examiner of the Modern Woodmen of America.

From Tuesday's Daily.

This morning Dr. E. W. Cook received notification from Hon. A. R. Talbot, head counsel of the Modern Woodmen of America, that he had been appointed to the office of supreme medical director of the Modern Woodmen of America. This is an honor well bestowed as there is no more deserving member of this great fraternal organization than Dr. Cook, who is well qualified for the office to which he has been appointed by the head of the society. The position is one of the most important in the supreme lodge and in Dr. Cook the Modern Woodmen have secured one of the ablest men of his profession in the state and a gentleman in every sense of the word.

The position will require the presence of Dr. Cook at Rock Island, Ill., the supreme office of the M. W. A. being in that city, and will make necessary his removal with his family from this city, and this will be the occasion of great regret from the people of Plattsmouth, who during a great many years have held Dr. Cook and wife as close and dear friends. Dr. Cook has made his home in Plattsmouth for the past thirty-three years, and during this time has been engaged in the practice of his profession for the past several years, and has been medical examiner for Nebraska for the Modern Woodmen, laying aside this office to accept the new position.

Dr. Cook has been a member of the Modern Woodmen for many years and was one of the men who made possible Cass Camp No. 332 of this city, and has been one of the most active men in the organization, and to his ability and untiring efforts a great deal of the success of the local lodge can be laid.

In his new position Dr. Cook takes the best wishes of the hundreds of warm personal friends in this city and county with him, and while with great regret the friends part with this splendid family, they feel a great pride in the honor that has been tendered our fellow townsman from the head of this great fraternal organization in which he has been such a faithful laborer. Dr. Cook will leave at once for Rock Island, but expects to return to arrange for his permanent removal to that city.

ELMWOOD BOYS HERE.

From Tuesday's Daily.

This morning Joseph A. Capwell, Earl Cool, Floyd Coon, Harold Hulfish, Lloyd DelesDernier and Roy Wade of Elmwood were in the city to spend a few hours taking the examination for members of the Sixth Nebraska infantry machine gun company. Mr. Capwell was not able to pass the physical examination and will not be able to accompany the members of the company to the training camp preparatory for service in France. The Cass county members of the machine gun company will be called to Omaha in a very few days to be inspected by a representative of the federal government, preparatory to being mustered into the service and sent with the Fourth, Fifth and Sixth regiments to the training camp at Deming, New Mexico.

VISITS FRIENDS IN CITY.

Miss Leonora Bibbon of Zanesville, O., who has been visiting in the west for some time past, and who but recently was a guest of friends at Denver, Colo., came in this morning and is visiting at the home of her friend, Mrs. Fred Munn of this city, where she will stay for a few days before departing for her home in Ohio.

WILL MAKE EXTENDED VISIT.

Miss Helen Egenberger departed this afternoon for Iowa City, Ia., where she will be the guest of three of her mother's sisters, and where she will stay for some six weeks. Miss Helen was accompanied as far as Omaha by her mother, Mrs. L. B. Egenberger and son, Stewart.

QUITE A LARGE DELEGATION ATTENDED THE AK-SAR-BEN KNIGHTS

From Tuesday's Daily.

The visit of the Plattsmouth delegation to the fair of Samson in Omaha last evening was one of the most successful that has ever been undertaken, in point of numbers and the showing made by the city at the den was one very pleasing to the committee in charge of the affair. The excursion left this city in the special over the Burlington at a few minutes past 7 o'clock and the four coaches provided were loaded down with the hundreds of enthusiastic boosters who were to enjoy the delights of the big Omaha show. The Burlington band was secured to assist in the good work and accompanied the excursion and added a pleasing note to the outing, with their musical numbers given during the progress of the trip. The residents of Nebraska City were also guests of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben last evening and with the several hundred from this city made a most pleasing outpouring from the South Platte country. The excursion from this city was in charge of President W. A. Robertson, of the Commercial club, L. O. Minor and August Clويد, who made the affair a great success in point of attendance and in the enjoyment which was experienced by everyone in the party. The special train returned shortly after midnight with the load of delighted newly-made knights, some of whom had survived the special tortures reserved for the initiates of this booster organization.

The Plattsmouth visitors who took part in the various stunts provided for the edification of the crowd were all up and going and this morning are resting up from the strenuous work. R. W. Clement, Burlington agent, was among those selected by Samson to work upon, and startled even the knights by his evolutions in the "Bear Rag," while G. O. Dovey, in his submarine experience was very entertaining. Rev. H. G. McClusky, John Hennish and County Attorney A. G. Cole were selected to take part in the thrilling melodrama, "On the Beautiful Island of Care, or Straining Soup Through False Whiskers," and in their antics kept everyone greatly amused. The toe dancing of these gentlemen was especially pleasing. William Holly, the clothier, was another of those performing stunts too numerous to mention.

HOLD SOCIAL MEETING.

From Tuesday's Daily.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. held their social meeting yesterday afternoon at the cozy home of Mrs. Thomas Glenn on Granite street, which proved most enjoyable to those fortunate enough to be present. The early hours of the afternoon were devoted to a business session, at which the ladies decided to assist the National W. C. T. U. in purchasing a \$1,600 ambulance to be used at the front in France, and also, to assist the national organization in paying the salary of the man who will have charge of this ambulance. A program had been arranged and which was rendered at this time. Mrs. T. A. Truscott gave a most interesting paper on the work that is being done in South America, Miss Irene Truscott contributed a Spanish solo and Miss Mina Kaffenberger furnished a vocal selection. This little program was very much appreciated by those in attendance. A few moments was then devoted to a very pleasant social time. The hostess served dainty refreshments, which greatly assisted in making the afternoon's pleasures most enjoyable to all. About 5:30 the ladies dispersed, very much indebted to the hostess for the splendid entertainment afforded them.

MRS. MINNER RETURNS HOME.

Mrs. Chas Minner, wife of the genial barber working in the Clark tonorial parlors, who has been a guest in Plattsmouth for the past few days, visiting with her husband and son, Jack Minner, departed for Glenwood, Ia., where she will remain until after the other boys, who have enlisted in the Iowa National Guard, shall have gone to the service. After that she will have the household effects removed to Plattsmouth, and the Minners will then be at home again.

DEATH OF ANOTHER PIONEER CITIZEN

Francis Marion Kouble, Commonly Known as "Uncle Frank," Passed Away at Early Hour This Morning.

Francis Marion Kauble was born January 31, 1838, in Shelby county, Indiana. Died July 19, 1917, at Plattsmouth, Neb.

Death has claimed another of the men who for more than half a century has helped make history for Cass county and the state of Nebraska. Francis Marion Kauble first saw light in Shelby county, Indiana, but when a small boy with his parents went to Savannah, Mo., where he lived for some time, and in the early fifties came to southwestern Iowa, locating at Sidney, where he lived until in 1857, when he came to Rock Bluffs, then a very new town, and since then has made Cass county and Nebraska his home.

In Rock Bluffs, on July 27, 1865, just after the close of the civil war, Mr. Kauble was united in marriage to Miss Marietta Bradford, from which union there were four children born, Mamie, who died when but an infant; Henry B. Kauble, now residing in Omaha; Frank B., living here with his parents, having been engaged with the mercantile firm of A. W. White for some years, and Lillian Caldwell, of Bancroft, Neb.

Mr. Kauble, after coming to Nebraska purchased a small farm near Rock Bluffs, living on it for some time, when he came to Plattsmouth, and after making this city his home for a short time returned to the farm, but later sold it, making Plattsmouth his permanent home, and had lived here over thirty years. During the past few years Mr. Kauble has been in the employ of A. W. White. Some three months or more since Mr. Kauble was taken ill, and for a while fought against the malady which finally claimed his life.

Mr. Kauble, or "Uncle Frank," as he was known, had been confined to his bed for the past eight weeks, and during the past two weeks has been so low that he did not know any one except at intervals.

The funeral will occur from the home on Friday afternoon at 1:30 and will be conducted by the Rev. H. G. McCluskey of the First Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a member. The interment will be at the Young cemetery south of the city near Murray.

KEEP A SHARP LOOKOUT FOR BEDSPREAD MAN

Complaints are coming to this office that a certain agent selling bedspreads had been making himself obnoxious at the places where he has been canvassing. At one place this morning he persisted in making his sales, saying that he only canvassed "working people's homes," not selling to the rich. At this place he went to the piano, and after examining the music demanded that the lady of the house, who was alone, play him some music. She told him that she did not want him in the house and for him to "get," but he would not go. Then she went out in the yard, and when he came out he still endeavored to sell her a bedspread. She finally took one to get rid of him, but told her husband when he came to dinner, and he was on the street after he had had his dinner looking for the "bedspread" man with the intention of settling with him. In this case the goods will not be kept and it will be unhealthy for the agent to have the irate husband find him about the home.

MRS. PARMELE SOME BETTER.

Mrs. C. H. Parmele, who for the past week has been confined to her home suffering from illness, is reported as feeling slightly improved, although still quite weak, and her condition has been somewhat relieved. The many friends of this estimable lady throughout the county will be pleased to learn that she is showing some improvement and trust that it may continue.

SUPERINTENDENT BROOKS WILL GO TO NEBRASKA CITY

From Tuesday's Daily.

Last evening the board of education held their regular meeting to transact the routine business coming before them, chief of which was action upon the resignation of Superintendent W. G. Brooks, who has been elected to the position of head of the Nebraska City schools. The resignation of Mr. Brooks was received with the greatest of regret by the board, but it was decided to release Mr. Brooks in order that he might take the new position which is an advance in the educational line and will place him at the head of one of the leading schools in this section of the state. Mr. Brooks has been at the head of the Plattsmouth schools for a number of years and is one of the most capable school men in eastern Nebraska and one in whom the patrons of the school have had the greatest confidence. He has a special degree from Columbia university of New York in the line of superintendent's work and his excellent handling of the Plattsmouth schools has shown his ability as a school man who understands perfectly the modern school methods. A number of applications for the position in this city have been received, but none have so far been acted upon. It is with regret that the friends of Superintendent and Mrs. Brooks will see them depart, but wish them the greatest of success in their new home in Nebraska City.

BESLIN BASEBALL TEAM OF OMAHA HERE SUNDAY

From Tuesday's Daily.

For the attraction at the Red Sox base ball park on next Sunday, the management has signed up the Beslin team of Omaha, one of the best teams in that city and one that is playing independent ball. The Beslins have had a number of very strong games and their record is an assurance that there will be a real treat in store for the fans of the city. The Sox are now playing in good form and will give the Beslin team one of the fights of their lives, and hope to bring home the long end of the gate receipts. It will be arranged that many of the unsatisfactory features of the last few games will be omitted and a good clean contest is looked for by the fans.

DIED IN BAKER HOSPITAL.

From Tuesday's Daily.

George W. Bennett, known to a great number of people of Eagle Valley residents, passed away at the Baker hospital on Saturday, July 7th, and was buried in the cemetery of that city Monday. Death being attributed to old age.

Mr. Bennett came here in January, 1906, and remained for about eighteen months, returning here about a year ago and making his home with his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Stone, until May 22d, when he went to Baker.

The deceased was born at Philadelphia, Pa., in January, 1830, and was married in Egypt, Delaware. His wife died at Camden, N. J., in 1879, and shortly afterward he moved with his children to Glenwood, Ia., where he resided until coming to Richland. There survive his death two sons and one daughter, Hedge T. Bennett of Piermont, N. J.; Arthur S. Bennett of Plattsmouth, Neb., and Ella M. Stone of Richland, Ore.; also fifteen grandchildren and several great-grandchildren. — Richland (Oregon) Eagle Valley News.

BESLINS HERE SUNDAY.

The base ball game scheduled for next Sunday afternoon on the local grounds will be between the Red Sox and the Beslins of Omaha. The Beslins is one of the fast independent teams of Omaha and will put up a fast game here Sunday afternoon. The game will be called at the usual time and will no doubt be hotly contested from beginning to end.

Mrs. W. H. Freeze and daughter, Mrs. L. V. Copenhaver were passengers to Omaha this morning, where they will be the guests of friends for the day.

FAREWELL TO THE BOYS OF THE 'DANDY SIXTH'

Large Crowd at Depot to Bid Boys God Speed This Morning. When 34 of Our Men Departed For Omaha.

From Wednesday's Daily.

The Cass county detachment of the Sixth Nebraska machine gun company departed this morning at 8:16 over the Burlington for Omaha, where the company is to be assembled and formally mustered into the service of the nation. The Cass county members were examined in this city yesterday by a board of officers of the regiment, and as a result six of the members were disqualified from membership, owing to physical infirmities. The machine gun company of the Sixth will be assembled at the Auditorium in Omaha, and remain there until orders to move to Fort Crook or to the training camp at Deming, New Mexico, are received, which it is thought will be only a few weeks at the least. At Omaha the members will be vaccinated and inoculated before starting south for training. Those comprising the Cass county detachment leaving for the metropolis were: Matt Jirousek, Daniel B. Cooney, Lieutenant F. H. Stone, James Robert Applegate, George F. Wolfe, Harold W. Hulfish, Roy A. Wade, John Gruber, Simon Gruber, Jr., Warren Trumble, Ernest L. Trumbell, Roy A. Vickers, William H. Sheldon, T. Frank Mead, A. Earl Cool, Floyd L. Coon, Edgar L. Glaze, Otto E. Lutz, Lloyd Gilmore, James Robert Jones, Carl A. Wohlfarth, Emil Finder, Arthur Sampson, Albert Carnes, Harry Johnson, Percy A. Worthen, Richard H. Wells, Frank Smith, Malcom Brown, Paul C. Spreacher, Robert B. Wolfe, Hiram A. Sheldon, Frank Miller, William H. Brinkman.

At the station, to give the boys from this city and Cass county a royal start in their departure for the war, and that encouragement which is their due, were gathered a large crowd of the patriotic citizens of Plattsmouth with the city band, which played a number of enlivening airs, while Old Glory floated to the breeze, held by a number of the boys from the Fourth regiment from Omaha, who stood behind on a truck, and while in front were the boys who have enlisted in the Sixth. As they were arranged they made a very pretty scene, and Emil Weyrich, climbing the semaphore, took pictures of the boys who are to defend our nation. Then, after climbing down, pictures of the crowd from other angles were taken.

While all seemed to think that it was the only thing, and were enthusiastic in encouraging the boys in whose eyes were not day, when they thought of the possibilities which might come to their loved ones.

Great-Grandmother is Pleased.

At the farm home of Adam Kaffenberger, the stork left a small bundle this morning, which contained the daintiest little girl baby imaginable, a present for the fond parents, who are greatly elated over the arrival. Not alone are the parents pleased, but Grandma Tritsch, and if you could see the happy smile that lights up the face of Great-grandmother Wehrbein, you would know the little one was bringing joy all along the line.

FEW BOYS WAIT A WHILE.

Of the boys who went to Omaha as members of the "Dandy Sixth" yesterday morning a number returned last evening, as they were not as yet ready for all who have enlisted. They will be called in a short time as in a few days they will be ready to place all in training camps, that they may be ready for service as soon as possible.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.

Brown spaniel dog, with light fringe on tail. Any information will be appreciated by William Hinrichsen. 1917 tag on dog.

FORMER PLATTSMOUTH MAN DIES AT CENTRAL CITY

J. P. Taylor, a former citizen of Plattsmouth, and for a number of years a roadmaster for the Burlington, died this morning at the age of 79 years at Central City, Neb. Many of the older of the citizens of Plattsmouth will remember Mr. Taylor as being a genial gentleman and a hard working man. He was one of the men who in the early days of the Burlington road in Nebraska made it possible for the great system which it is now.

DR. COOK MAKES A BUSINESS TRIP TO ROCK ISLAND, ILL.

Dr. E. W. Cook, of whom mention was made a few days since as having been appointed supreme medical examiner for the Modern Woodmen of America, and who was called to Rock Island, Ill., returned home this afternoon.

While in Rock Island Dr. Cook accepted the position, which carries a salary of \$5,000 with it, and was duly installed in the office the term commencing yesterday. He will be here for a short time until he can arrange his business matters so that he may remove to the Illinois City to make his home. During the third of a century of his residence in the city of Plattsmouth he has gained a host of friends who will be pained to know that he will move from this city but will be pleased to know of his good fortune in this promotion from state medical examiner to supreme medical examiner. Dr. Cook will have under him two assistant examiners, as well as two other men assistants in the office and six stenographers to care for the enormous business which passes through the office, for its jurisdiction comprises the entire United States.

INSPECTING FIRE RISKS.

James C. McCleery of Hastings, one of the deputy wardens of Nebraska, came in this morning, and will with the fire chief, Percy H. Fields, make a personal inspection of all questionable risks. Mr. McCleery is a personal friend of Chief of Police Barclay, having known him before he became a citizen of Plattsmouth, and is also well acquainted with Mr. Earl Barclay. Mr. McCleery, who has not been in Plattsmouth for a number of years, was much surprised as well as pleased at the marked improvement in the appearance and business energy displayed here.

VISITS RELATIVES HERE.

Richard King of Waukegan, Ill., came in this morning from his home and will visit with relatives in this city for some time, after which he will visit elsewhere before returning home. Mr. King is 16 years of age, and a nephew of T. M. and Rae Patterson, being a son of Mrs. Edyth (Patterson) King.

DEATH OF MRS. MARY-ETTE D. REYNOLDS AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

At an early hour this morning, after having been confined to her bed for over two years, the death angel came to call from this world Mrs. Maryette Dayton Reynolds at her late home in the southern portion of the city.

Mrs. Reynolds, Miss Maryetta Dayton, was born December 4, 1838, at Milford, N. Y., where she lived during her girlhood, and was united in marriage to Rev. Philander Reynolds at Summit, N. Y., August 25, 1862. During her life Mrs. Reynolds was a consistent member of the Baptist church, for which church her husband was a minister for over fifty years in the state of New York. They continued in the ministry until but a few years since, when they came west with their only child, Victor Dayton Reynolds of Omaha, being here and have since made their home in Plattsmouth. For a short time they stopped in Omaha, but on purchasing the property where they have since made their home, they came to Plattsmouth early in January, 1912. During their stay here they have gained many friends who greatly prize the beautiful character of "Grandma" Reynolds. The funeral will be held from the late residence and will be conducted by the Rev. W. J. Coulston of Sac City, Ia. Burial will be in Oak Hill cemetery, west of the city.

WOMEN'S RELIEF CORPS FARES SUMPTUOUSLY AT PARADISE PARK

Yesterday the Women's Relief Corps of this place gathered together themselves and having well-filled baskets invited the members of the Grand Army of the Republic, or that portion known as the McConihie post, of this city, to assist in eating the contents of the well-filled baskets. The place selected was north of the city and is known as Paradise Park, at which place J. R. Lee lives, and a very nice place for a picnic, for there is plenty of shade and a spring of cool, clear water bubbling up. Here they told stories of the other days, and when the noon hour came did justice to the good things to eat. There were nearly a half hundred in attendance and a joyful time they had.

DOING HIS BIT.

E. G. Cooley, who has been visiting in this city for the past few days, had made up his mind to return to his home in Lincoln this morning, but when he was approached by Fred Kehne, Jr., with a request that he help in the harvest field, and as help was short, and Mr. Cooley having a patriotic spirit, concluded that he could serve his country as well by garnering the harvest as any other way, and went out to assist in getting in the grain. This shows that our former citizen is made of the right kind of stuff.

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