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OUR MOTTO

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Death of Mrs. Breuklander

Mrs. Nellie Breuklander died at her home in this city Sunday night, April 15, aged 36 years, after a lingering illness of nine weeks. Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Methodist church, by the Rev. Oastler, and interment in the local cemetery followed.

Nellie Vansteenis married E. Breuklander in Iowa during the month of June, 1881, and with her husband moved to Cherry county in 1886, and this has been her home ever since. The marriage resulted in the birth of eleven children, eight of whom, six boys and two girls are living, the youngest being but nine months old. It is this which makes her death a peculiarly sad and regrettable one, as it will result in breaking up a once happy home. Her only relative is Henry Vansteenis of Woodlake.

Mrs. Breuklander was a consistent member of the Presbyterian church, in which organization her husband is a deacon, and was one of those members who show by their lives instead of activity their faith in God. She also was a social member of the Degree of Honor, and that lodge and the A. O. U. W. attended and assisted at her funeral. Her death came not as a surprise, but it nevertheless caused a shock to the community at large, and all unite in paying her that greatest of tributes, "She was a good woman."

CARD OF THANKS.

To the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted and consoled with us in the sickness, death and burial of our beloved wife and mother, we desire to express our sincere thanks.

E. Breuklander and Children

Valentine, Nebr., April 18, 1900.

Whereas, Our Heavenly Father has seen fit to remove by death our beloved sister, Nellie Breuklander, a charter member of Hope Lodge No. 110, Degree of Honor, and whereas, By her death we have lost a worthy sister, her husband a kind wife and her children a loving mother. Therefore be it Resolved, That we extend to the family and relatives our heartfelt sympathy in their hour of affliction.

We shall miss her pleasant face in our lodge room, but knowing that our loss is her eternal gain we bow in humble submission to the call of Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That our charter be draped in mourning for thirty days, that this tribute to her memory be spread upon our records, that a copy be sent to our bereaved brother, and a copy be given the Valentine papers for publication.

JENNIE PETTIJOHN, AMANDA CARLSON, AGNES GALLOWAY.

The Citizens' Duty.

Five thousand women have registered in Cleveland. The Ohio man is not to have the exclusive voice in politics forever.—Chicago Record.

Even in conservative Ohio woman is waking up to the call of duty which has been sounded from the crest of the Rocky Mountains. In Ohio women possess only the limited form of school suffrage, and the fact that in one city five thousand of them have registered indicates that a deepening sense of responsibility is taking possession of them.

In about twenty other states women may vote on school questions, and the fact that they have not universally exercised their right has been used as an argument against the further extension of the suffrage to them. It is said that women do not feel any sense of duty about voting.

But more and more are both men and women coming to realize that every citizen owes his vote to the government as a solemn duty which none have the moral right to evade. Especially do women feel this when there is an issue in which the welfare of their children is at stake. Thus on special occasions when a moral question arises in the school election, women register and vote in large numbers. As they study other political questions more deeply they will find that the most of them have a direct or an indirect relation to the home and the child, and that it is not only their duty to vote if they have the privilege, but to demand it if they do not already possess it.

LIDA A. GARRETT.

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Mrs. Goodman, of Pueblo, Colorado, arrived in town Saturday on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Kneeland, whom she has not seen for thirty odd years.

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W. H. Baldwin has begun the manufacture of his now famous windmill at his shop here. Mr. Baldwin has overcome, by an improvement, the only seeming defect in the former mills which he had built and now feels assured that he has the perfect wheel.—Ainsworth Home Rule.

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This paper made a mistake last week in reporting the death of Elmer Dillon, instead of Frank. Elmer died in Cuba. The other facts were correct. The county had to pay to get this soldier boy into the government hospital; and yet we donate money to support and enlighten the heathen.

C. W. Allen, one of the old-time democratic newspaper men of the northwest, formerly of this place but now the owner of a fine ranch north of Merriman and a resident of Gordon, was in town Tuesday shaking hands with old friends and making new acquaintances. Charley is still a strong democrat, and says that if Bryan is not elected this fall we might as well crawl in a hole.

Anderson—Dodd

Communicated.

Married, at Cody, on April 12th, 1900, at high noon, at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Will H. Carter, Will M. Anderson and Maud I. Dodd. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Connell, a Methodist minister from Gordon, only a few friends beside relatives witnessing the marriage. The guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. John H. Dodd, of Mullen, parents of the bride; Mr. Anderson, father, and C. J. Anderson, of Neleigh, brother of the groom; Mrs. Rhamp and husband, sister and brother-in-law of the groom; H. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Sparks, M. G. Hopkins, of Rosebud; John H. Shore and wife, of Valentine.

The bride wore a becoming costume of white brocaded silk, finished with white satin ribbon and lace, and is a winsome little lady who has made many warm friends in the county as well as some in Valentine, having visited there during the time of the June races last year as the guest of Mrs. Shore.

The groom is a prosperous young stockman and owns a fine ranch in the hay flats south of Cody. He is a young man of good habits, generous and kind and well worthy the hand of the lady whom he has chosen for a life partner.

After partaking of a bounteous repast the happy couple departed for their home followed by the good wishes of all.

Several useful presents were received, a partial list of which follows: From Mamma Dodd, a fancy set of drawn work; Aunt Nellie Carter, a white counterpane; Uncle Will Carter, an elegant chair; Mrs. Rhamp and Miss Nina Rhamp, each a pair of hemstitched pillow cases; Mrs. C. J. Anderson, a lovely chamber set; H. Carter, a beautiful pink tinsel tea set; M. G. Hopkins, a fancy chair; L. C. Sparks, a pair of Haviland china tea cups and saucers; Mrs. Sparks, an embroidery set; Miss Helen Sparks, a pair of linen towels; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shore, a parlor lamp

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The C. T. A. U. Still Scatters the Letter Among the Churches.

The Rev. Father Alexander P. Doyle, president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America, speaking of the influence of Bishop Watterson's work for the temperance cause, and especially of his famous decree, said last week to a representative of The New Voice:

"Bishop Watterson's decree has been and continues to be a great moral force in the cause of temperance. It was in perfect accordance with the council of Baltimore, where Bishop Watterson's eloquent address created much enthusiasm. It is the stand that all Catholic bishops take on the question. It continues to be scattered broadcast by the publication bureau of the Catholic Temperance Union of America, and the moral good it has accomplished, as I have said, has been immense. At the present time in New York city there is not a member or officer in the Society of St. Vincent de Paul who is connected in any way with the liquor traffic. There was a time when this could not be said."

The W. C. T. U. will meet next Tuesday at 2 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. Come!

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Mrs. Cottle and children, who have been visiting her sister, Mrs. Blackmer, for a few days, left today for the Alberta country, Canada, where her husband went a few days ago with several car loads of stock from their old home ranch near Valentine.—Atkinson Plain Dealer.

We owe an apology to Bro. Lyon for printing without credit last week, his article regarding L. C. Peyton's museum of stock curiosities.

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