

IN BATTLE THEY WERE LIONS.

But in Peace They are as Lambs and Belong to the G. A. R.

HISTORY OF U. S. GRANT POST 110.

How It Lost Its Early Records and How They Have Been Supplied Through Indefatigable Energy.

The Grand Army of the Republic, comprising at the present time over seven thousand men and women...

On the streets of every town and hamlet in the north may be seen the badge which denotes membership in an organization to which no money can purchase admission...

Omaha is the seat of three posts of this grand organization, which include within their membership many of the most prominent of her citizens.

The U. S. Grant post, No. 110, is an offshoot of Custer post and was organized August 18, 1882, by the following gentlemen...

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as follows: N. B. Apple, H. P. Victor, Mus-selman, K. J. Joseph, R. Stafford, S. J. Samuel, Koolen, secretary; U. Anderson, treasurer.

Royal Arcanum. Union Pacific chapter No. 1,999 had the largest attendance on Monday night of any meeting since its organization.

K. P. Kismet lodge of Havana elected the following officers: D. O. Hewitt, C. C. J. W. Dunkin, V. C. A. W. Wicher, K. R. and S. J. H. Hughes, P. C. W. Hodgins, M. A. J. H. Eckerston, C. N. Davenport and H. H. Rankin, trustees.

SINGULARITIES. The wife of a miner named Hodges at Carthage, Mo., has given birth to a girl baby who weighed just eight ounces when she made her advent into the world.

At Hamilton, Ont., a coon attacked a citizen in the street and was obliged to run. Meeting a policeman the coon was treed and shot.

Dr. B. F. Roney cures catarrh, Bee bid g.

MINDFUL OF THE AGED ONES.

How the Women's Christian Association Tenderly Provides for Friendless Women.

HISTORY OF THE BURT STREET HOME.

The Number of Inmates It Has Sheltered and the Efforts of Noble Ladies Who Are Its Chief Support.

The following interesting chapter, in the Burt Street home, one of the most commendable of the private charities of this city, is taken from the annual report to the Women's Christian association by Mrs. Dr. Ludington, chairman of the committee having that institution in charge.

Seven years ago the Women's Christian association was organized to furnish a temporary home to destitute women and children.

After a time, a new department was added, designed, not from a lack of clients, but from a desire to have a permanent home for aged women.

To the above mentioned unappreciated class we do not offer a permanent home. On the contrary, they are always advised to promptness in doing for themselves, but who could not do so on account of their infirmities.

It is pitiful in a whole city full of friends she had none.

To these our door must ever be open until they are helped to be self supporting and thus made self respecting.

During the year, we have cared for as transients fifty-six women and thirty-six children. Some of these have gone from us into service in various capacities.

Of permanent inmates we now have seven, and two have died. The oldest, eighty-seven years of age, usually they seem contented, but who can doubt that the way often seems long to the better world.

The holidays of the year have not been forgotten by the friends of the institution, and Thanksgiving and Christmas have found our inmates filled.

The committees have been faithful in their work, which has fallen heavily on the few engaged in it. Some of our good workers have been obliged to withdraw from active service, let us hope only for a time.

The devotional committee has met and held services nearly every Sunday afternoon. This service has become quite the event of the week. Occasional as the committee have seen fit, ministers of different denominations have been present and conducted services.

We desire here to express our thanks to Drs. Cascard and Burroughs who, without reward save that which comes from the doing of a kindly deed, have responded to our many calls made upon them for professional services.

One thousand dollars was given in bequests—\$500 from an invalid who rested with us a few days, and \$500 from our constant friend Mrs. O. E. Davis. No sterner trial could stand a sweeter memorial of our gentle sisters.

The raising of the remaining sum is an unwritten history save in the memory of the few who recall the effort it took to go uninvited into the offices and business places of our citizens. Payments always promptly met and finally cancelled bespeak the generosity with which the callers were received.

After the property became ours, needed improvements were considered and the long-wished-for laundry presented its claims. A committee volunteered to solicit for this. A convenient addition bears testimony to the success. As this soliciting was done in the heated summer months, the ladies engaged in it are entitled to our thanks.

Thus have we hastily reviewed the year's work, and would render thanksgiving to God for His care over us and the way in which He has led us—often through perplexities, but reviewing this work, the thought promptly presents itself: Have we done all that we could or should have done? To few is it given to look back on a completed career and feel that it has always been well done. Then we need feel no surprise that our summing up does not bring complete satisfaction.

We are all proud of the success and prosperity of Omaha, proud of her splendid buildings and luxurious homes. Can we be proud of her charities? We have abundant faith in the generosity of our people to raise structures to which all may point with pride. What then is lacking? If the committee of the Burt Street home may be permitted to voice this need it earnest, patient workers: Our organization should lose none of its vitality as years are added to its record.

Let us let our work go on. Let us have separate homes for our various inmates and who can foretell the possibilities that lie before us?

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