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SOME FACTS ABOUT LIFE OF DR. COOK, NORTH POLE DISCOVERER.

Born in Callicoon Depot, Sullivan county (N. Y.), June 10, 1863. Son of Dr. Theodore A. Koch and Magdalene Long Koch. Surname changed to Cook in 1869.

Educated in schools of native town and Brooklyn (N. Y.) College of Physicians and Surgeons, 1883-87; New York University, graduated 1888.

1891—Surgeon on Peary Arctic expedition.

1893—Leader of party that explored western coast of Greenland.

1894—Took steamer Miranda to South Greenland.

1896 and 1897—Climbed Mount McKinley, Alaska.

1897—Selected surgeon of the Belgian expedition to the Ant-arctic.

1901—Accompanied Peary's auxiliary expedition north as surgeon.

Fall of 1907—Sailed from Sydney (C. B.) in schooner John R. Bradley.

March 3, 1908—Left Etah, Greenland for North Pole, accompanied by one Norwegian and eight Eskimos.

Reached pole and planted American flag April 21, 1908.

Now on way to Denmark on steamer Hansgede, which passed Lervick, Shetland Islands, at noon yesterday.

Married at Brooklyn (N. Y.) on June 10, 1902 to Mary Fiskell Hunt.

Decorations—Order of Leopold, Belgium; silver medal Royal Geographic Society, Belgium.

Author of various works on exploration.

President of the Explorers' Club, New York.

Residence, 670 Bushwick avenue, Brooklyn (N. Y.)

THE ANNUAL FAIR

The annual fair, which is held in the city of St. George, N. F., is one of the most important events of the year. It is a time when the people of the town and the surrounding country gather together to enjoy the various amusements and to do some shopping. The fair is held in the city of St. George, N. F., and is one of the most important events of the year.

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BY THE WAY

Quite a Port!

The fair season.

"Charlotte County should be interested in our first big fair."

\$4,500 in premiums at the three days in St. Stephen.

Address, Dr. Frederic Cook, North Pole.

Some people have to be compelled to do common sense things.

It costs two dollars to shoot a deer in Charlotte Co. and one dollar to sell the meat.

The fair at St. Stephen Sept. 28, 29 and 30 will be Charlotte County's first big exhibition.

We have the shipping, the mail requirements. Pull together and we shall have an office worthy of the business.

Three, three masted schooners, in the harbor last week. Two thousand tons of pulp shipped and a half a million of lumber. Why not a Port of Entry?

W. S. Stevens St. Stephen is secretary of Agricultural Society No. 88. Write to him for pamphlet containing full information of the "Big Fair" at St. Stephen Sept. 28, 29, 30.

Hit or miss, the man who shoots at another should be severely punished. A would-be criminal should not be allowed to profit by the accident of a bad aim. Kill the pistol or knife carrying habit.

Much was expected of Peary, but little thought was given to Dr. Frederic A. Cook, who has achieved the crowning distinction of discovering the North Pole. It's the unexpected that happened this time.

"The killing of Robins, Swallows and other small Birds of Song (excepting the English Sparrows), and the shooting, wounding, killing or destroying of Sea Gulls, or the trapping, snaring or taking alive of any of the birds referred to or the taking or removing of the nest or eggs of any such birds shall be unlawful; penalty, \$5.00 for each offence."

Human nature likes to be cheered up. The harder the labor the more rollicking the song seems to be the rale as exemplified in railroad construction. Of course there's a reason. Cheerful people usually find some way of diffusing sunshine and even crude vocal efforts are sometimes celestial music to the downhearted and discouraged. If you feel healthy, you feel glad, and feeling glad, you must express it. Happiness is contagious. Cheer up.

Dr. Hale once told of a minister who preached over an hour on the four greater promises, and then, when his expression was so much that he was through with his sermon, he said: "I was through with my sermon, but I was not through with my people. First let us assign to their proper order. Where, brethren, shall we place Hoses?" An irascible old gentleman in a back pew rose, took his hat and stick, and said as he departed: "You may give him my place if you want to, I'm going."

Sad Story

Wanted I went on a picnic to the woods where the big creek runs through.

An' my maw went along an' she jes' set there an' took care of me.

No other feller's maw was there. Mine said she guessed they didn't care And didn't have no hearts, but she— Well, she thought more'n that of me.

The other boys went in to wade; But can't my maw was so afraid, I had to sit an' watch while she Stayed round there an' took care of me.

"Don't take your shoes an' stockin's off."

Maw said, "er else you'll have a cough An' I can't have my nerves upset An' you out there a-gettin' wet."

I have to stand around an' see Then boys a-sniggering at me, Er play of sissy games with girls— I might as well wore skirts and curls.

Maw says boys never 'preciate Their parents till it's all too late; She says I'll thank her lots some day But I can't see it jes' that way.

When I'm a paw an' have a son I'll bet I'll let him have some fun, An' I'll let him go to law He shan't be bothered by his maw.

PERSONAL

Paul Erickson who is visiting in Pennington has been quite ill, but is now recovering.

Mrs. Wm. Finigan and family leave this week for Montreal, where Mr. Finigan is filling an important position with the International Paper Company.

Mrs. J. D. McNett and son, Jack, left on Thursday for Truro, they will spend a few days in St. John.

Miss Lyman, who has been the guest of Miss Blanche Gilmor has returned to Montreal.

Rev. E. V. Buchanan and family are enjoying the vacation time in the country.

Mrs. Fred Gearson, after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. A. McAdam has returned to St. John.

F. B. Hill of St. Stephen, was here last week on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Connor, Black River, were among the visitors in town last Saturday.

Arthur Macdonald of L. River, who is attending high school here, was seen recently in town. Mr. Macdonald is in attendance.

H. R. Lawrence was in St. John, last week on business.

J. O. Lewis is in town Tuesday and will be in St. John on Wednesday, accompanied by Charles H. Lyson.

Miss May Stewart has been visiting in St. Stephen.

Mr. C. Young, of Red Beach, was in town last week.

Mrs. J. E. Wilson of St. John is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Goodwin.

A young son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brown on Sunday.

Senator Gilmor, Mrs. Gilmor and Horace left on Monday for Montreal where Horace will enter school.

Mrs. Harry Lynch and child left on Thursday for Northfield, Vt. Her sister Annie Curran accompanied her as far as St. Stephen.

Mrs. John O'Malley and family left on Friday for Berlin, Vt. after spending the summer with Mrs. O'Malley.

Edward Rankine of Bonny River game warden of this district was in town Saturday and gave Greetings a pleasant call.

Fred Paul of Beaver Harbor was in town Saturday.

Mr. A. M. Mealy will probably spend the winter in Portland.

Miss Hazel Dines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dines of Letete, is attending school in town.

Wallie Burbank of Bonny River, was in town Friday.

A. C. Gilmor was in Eastport last week.

Miss Mary Curran of Calais is visiting Miss Annie Curran.

Inspector McLean paid his first official visit to the schools here last week. Mr. McLean taught school in St. John for forty years and succeeded Inspector Carter when the latter became chief Superintendent of Education.

Mr. and Mrs. Dockmoff (nee Miss Elie Matheson) of West, Boston, Mass., are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son Sept. 1st.

Miss Humphrey of St. Stephen, is the guest of Miss Teresa Mestling.

Mr. Dent of Boston is visiting his friend, Mr. Lord, at the home of Mr. Thomas Kent.

Miss Julia Doyle of Boston, is the guest of Mrs. Henry McGrattan.

Miss Reva Beck of Milltown, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Nellie Kehoe, who is taking a course in nursing in one of the largest hospitals in Boston, is visiting Mrs. N. Kane.

Henry J. Marshall of Red Beach spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George Marshall.

Willard Hanson was hurt Saturday in the pulp mill. Several bundles of pulp fell striking him on the body causing painful injuries.

Octave Fudge, manager of the pulp mill left last week with his two boys, Earl and Douglas for his old home in New York to enjoy a well earned vacation.

Mrs. Lawrence Murphy left last week for Barre, Vt. where she will spend a month with her eldest son Edward.

Mrs. Nell McGillan, Misses Mamie, Annie and Clara O'Neill and Alma Coffey spent last week tenting at Canal Point. Messrs Edward, Lon, and Chas. McGrattan, Hazen Magowan, Arthur Frailey, Edward O'Neill and Ross Mann spent the evenings with the party driving foot town and returning in the mornings.

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