

Obituary

Harrison P. Warrener

HARRISON P. WARRENER, one of the founders and for many years secretary and general manager of the Whitaker Paper Company, Cincinnati, Ohio, died on November 3, 1917. The loss of Mr. Warrener is felt not only to be a loss to the Whitaker organization but to the entire trade.

At the time of his death Mr. Warrener, in addition to



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his duties in Cincinnati, was performing the duties of a member of the board of directors of the Union Central Life Insurance Company, of that city, and member of the board of trustees of Marietta College, Ohio, of which institution he was an honored alumnus.

Mr. Warrener is survived by his widow, Augusta Clark Warrener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse R. Clark, of

Cincinnati, and by an infant son, Harrison P. Warrener, Jr.

The following tribute was officially adopted by the board of directors of the company at a special meeting called to take action upon their loss:

Harrison P. Warrener was born in Athens County, Ohio, on April 26, 1877. Within the brief compass of forty years he achieved greatly. His career was one of service in the business, the social, the educational, and the spiritual life of the communities in which he lived.

Mr. Warrener was one of the founders of this company. The impress of his genius and of his noble personality has been made on every member of our organization and every aspect of our business. To attempt to chronicle his contributions to our common cause would be to belittle them. They transcend the limitations of our words.

Beautiful in form and feature, masterful in intellect, resolute and courageous in action, steadfast in justice, loyal in friendship, pure in heart, compassionate, gentle, lovable, he lived—and his life was a Beatitude.

We, who have known him intimately and who have loved him, realize the greatness of our loss and bow in solemn sympathy for those of his own flesh and blood.

His work is finished. We have come together today to pay our tribute of honor and affection to his memory. We are left destitute by his going. But we are grateful for the legacy of noble example which he has bequeathed to us.

Pittsburgh Stationers Elect

AT the recent meeting of the Pittsburgh Booksellers and Stationers' Association, the following officers were elected: Charles H. Clough, president; F. C. Hergert, vice president; Robert Crawford, treasurer; J. A. Cooper, recording secretary; George H. Alexander, corresponding secretary.

The banquet committee includes: Charles H. Langbein, chairman; Jos. Blume and Robert Crawford.

The annual dinner will be held on January 29th. The place will be announced later.

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