

Will Honor Four Charter Members Of Red Cross



Mrs. J. L. Fellows, Dr. C. E. Harris and S. J. Pooley are shown looking over the original minute book of the Poweshiek County Red Cross organization here. J. H. McMurray, a fourth charter member to be honored was unable to be present for the picture.

McMurray was chairman for civilian relief the first three years and headed the War Fund drive in 1918. Dr. C. E. Harris was chairman of the First Aid to the injured, but soon moved away from Grinnell.

Of the thirteen charter members, two others have moved away from Grinnell; Mrs. E. H. Spaulding, and H. G. Lyman.

Honored guests of the evening will be the many members who have been active in the Red Cross in past years. Mrs. Stanley Preston is in charge of arrangements.

Four of the original charter members of the Poweshiek County Red Cross will receive special recognition at the annual meeting to be held Monday, September 25, county chairman George Hiser announced Saturday. These are Mrs. J. L. Fellows, S. J. Pooley, Dr. C. E. Harris, and J. H. McMurray, Jr. A brief report of some of the high lights taken from the minutes of the early years of the organization will be given by J. W. Charlton. The meeting will be held at the chapter offices starting at 8 p. m.

Mrs. Fellows served as the first secretary, then chairman of hospital supplies during the first World War. Later she was chapter chairman, and has been active a good many years. Pooley was the first treasurer and chairman of the finance committee for the first ten years.

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