

# Edwin Brant Frost Park Dedicated

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About four hundred people from Williams Bay and surrounding towns gathered at the new small park Sunday evening at 7 o'clock for a twilight dedication service. It was a very impressive service Mr. F. Arthur Anderson, Village President, presented the park to the citizens of Williams Bay, proclaiming its name to be "EDWIN BRANT FROST PARK" in memory of one of their most beloved citizens. The he introduced the speakers: Mr. Henry Bartholomay, of Lake Geneva, an intimate friend of Dr. Frost and Mr. M.T. Peterson of Williams Bay, both of whom gave very appropriate and eloquent addresses. The ceremony exercises were opened and brought to a close with a verse of "America" sung by all and led by Mr. R.R. Vernon of College Camp, and an invocation and benediction by Rev. Victor H, Keiser.

The thunderstorm which was threatening held off until the end of the ceremony contributing to it with a wonderful display of golden lined clouds and a very timely rainbow.

The members of the Williams Bay Garden Club are very much pleased to have the Park nearly completed for this occasion and are very grateful to all who have contributed financially or otherwise toward this living monument to the memory of Dr. Frost, who was such a great lover of nature.

Some trees and shrubs have still to be planted in the Fall, and if finances permit, a low hollow stone wall is considered in which flowers could be planted to enhance the Park with a little more color.

The Park is a great asset to the village and will become in time a real beauty spot. Let us all cooperate to keep it so, in memory of the one for whom it was named, who found beauty in all living things.



*Edwin Brant Frost Born July 14, 1866 - Died May 14, 1935 "He sought and found order in the heavens"*

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