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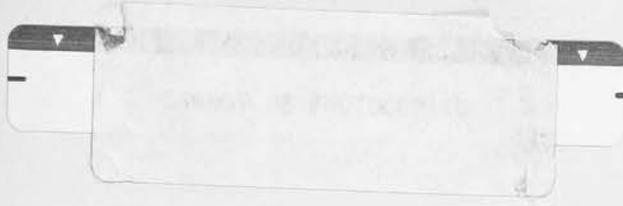
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WAS ACTIVE IN MANY WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS

Post—Jan. 20
Death Comes Suddenly to Adeline
Miller Van Hoesen at Her Home
in Oxford Street.

The sudden death in her home, 304 Oxford street, yesterday morning, of Adeline Miller Van Hoesen, wife of Frank P. Van Hoesen, came as a distinct shock to the active women of the city. Since her early girlhood Mrs. Van Hoesen had been active in all the leading movements here in which women were interested or which had for their object civic betterment. So greatly had she become identified with forward work here that in recent years it had been the custom of both men and women, when any particularly necessary or important work which was to affect the community as a whole was to be undertaken, to bring her into the leadership. She never had to be drafted for a worthy cause, but was there, alert, with mind, heart and fullest intelligence centered on the thing to be done and with a strict adherence to every duty until the thing undertaken had been accomplished.

She had been a member of the Woman's Educational and Industrial union since its organization and was for many years on its educational committee. For many years as a member of the City Federation of Women's clubs she had been a leading spirit of that organization as she had been of the other, and last spring was chosen its president for 1918-19. Friday she presided over the monthly meeting in the Powers hotel with an interest and vigor unusual even for her. One of her associates to-day said that she had never seen her more keenly alive or in better form than she was at that meeting in which for the first time she saw a programme which she had been mainly responsible for outlining, taking the direction and the impetus she had so much desired, for much of the club work in which she was interested had this winter been held up by the epidemic and this was the first real meeting of the organization.

She was active in other organizations, including suffrage, and since young womanhood had been a member of Central Presbyterian church. She had been for years superintendent of its Sunday school, and was president of the largest woman's Bible class there—Class 24—which she sometimes taught. She was a former president of the Mothers of the Temple, an organization of women of Central church, and to it she gave a great deal of careful attention.

Mrs. Van Hoesen was chairman of the women's division of the last two Liberty loans, and of the woman's division of the War Savings Stamps campaign. In every war activity she had an important part, and in no way spared herself when there was work to be done.

As long as the old Public Health association was in existence she was active in it, and she was one of the women responsible for the establishment of the Convalescent Home at Charlotte and the new Girls' Home of Rochester, recently located in Driving Park avenue by the Women's Industrial union.

One of the women closely associated with her for many years said to-day: "Mrs. Van Hoesen was a well-rounded, practical woman whose whole heart and sympathies were in those movements intended to improve the condition of the individual and the community generally. She loved Rochester and she gave her best to it."

Mrs. Van Hoesen was born in Phoenix, N. Y., but came to Rochester as a child. She was the wife of Frank P. Van Hoesen here and her home had always since been here. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Miller P. and Frank C. Van Hoesen, now in France with the American army; five sisters, Mrs. Wesley Wheeler, Mrs. L. K. Miller, Mrs. D. P. Moore and Mrs. Amelia Acker, of this city, and Mrs. W. L. Curtin, of Brooklyn; one brother, Francis C. Miller, of San Francisco, Cal., and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the family home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

RESOLUTIONS ON DEATH OF HEAD OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

~~Resolution~~
Board of Directors of Federation Holds Special Meeting—Funeral To Be Held From Home Tomorrow Afternoon.

Jan. 21—1919
Resolutions on the death of Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen were adopted by the Board of Directors of the Federation of Women's Clubs at a meeting called by the vice-president, Miss Adeline Zachert, at Powers Hotel yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Van Hoesen was president of the Federation at the time of her death, which occurred on Sunday.

The resolution was framed by the following members of the Executive Committee: Mrs. Orlo Gray, Mrs. William Pitkin, Mrs. A. T. Probst, Mrs. Isaac M. Briekner, Miss K. D'Olier, Miss Pauline Hofman and Mrs. William A. Buff. The resolution follows:

In the passing of Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen the Federation of Women's Clubs has lost a courageous leader, a faithful worker and a loyal friend. Mrs. Van Hoesen was a woman of unusual ability and strength of character, and was always willing to stand for her convictions. She was fair in her judgments, and always willing to listen to both sides of a question before forming an opinion.

Hers was a full life, counted by deeds rather than hours. Her charities were many, but of such a quiet nature that but little was known of them. Her hand was ever ready to grasp that of one in trouble, and her heart was ever quick to sympathize and to offer words of encouragement and understanding whenever needed.

Our grief is closely intermingled with our gratitude to the Giver of all good for the opportunity which has been given us to come into intimate contact with such a splendid spirit and to know and to love one possessed of such a broad mind and wide vision.

We are also grateful that while her going was sudden her sunset faded into a beautiful dawn, and there was no night between.

Mrs. Van Hoesen for 10 years was deeply interested in the work of the Federation of Women's Clubs and had been president of the organization during the past year. She was a friend of Miss Susan B. and Miss Mary S. Anthony and was also active in Central Presbyterian Church. The funeral will be held from the house tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MRS. FRANK P. VAN HOESEN S. & C. — Jan 23 Church and Other Organizations Represented at Funeral 1919

Funeral services for Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen were held yesterday afternoon at the home in Oxford street. Rev. G. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, of which Mrs. Van Hoesen had been a member for years, officiated.

Representatives of the Federation of Women's Clubs, the W. C. T. U., Classes 24 and 42 of Central Church, the Y. W. C. A., Pershing War Relief Circle, the primary teachers of Central Church, and other organizations of which Mrs. Van Hoesen was a member, were present, including the Mothers' Club of No. 23 School, which she helped to organize, and before which she recently delivered a series of lectures on citizenship.

A quartette composed of Guernsey Curtiss, Mrs. Horace Hooker, Mrs. Loula Gates Bootes and John M. Singleton sang "Crossing the Bar" and "Abide with Me." The bearers were Dr. B. S. Hert, E. C. Bickford, A. E. Bickford, J. F. Dale, F. H. Dennis and William Ford.

The employees of the Rochester and Buffalo stores of the F. P. Van Hoesen Company were present, also William Curtin, of Brooklyn; Miss Anna Van Hoesen, of Newark, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Reynolds, of Plainfield, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brecker, of Stamford, Conn.; Miss Mary Emerson, of Poughkeepsie; R. D. Smith, of Buffalo; George W. Burr and Allie Burr, of Warners.

The floral tributes were unusually beautiful. Besides those bearing individual cards were a blanket of carnations from the Federation of Women's Clubs which partly covered the casket, and large pieces from the directors of the Monroe County Co-operative Fire Insurance Company, Class 24, Class 42 and the teachers of the primary department of the Central Presbyterian Church, Pershing War Relief Circle, Mothers of the Temple, Central Church, employees of F. P. Van Hoesen Company, Buffalo store; employees of F. P. Van Hoesen Company, Rochester store; Rochester Paint and Glass Company, N. X. Club, shutter department, Camera Works, Eastman Kodak Company. After ceremony the flowers were sent in large quantities to Iola Sanatorium, to the Churchville Convalescent Home, to the Girls' Home in Driving Park avenue, to the almshouse, in which Mrs. Van Hoesen had been especially interested, and to friends who are ill.

On the side of the casket was a large silk service flag, representing Frank C. Van Hoesen, who is with the American Army in France. After the casket was sealed this flag was draped across it, and left there when the body was placed in the vault in Mount Hope Chapel, where it will remain until the arrival of the son from France, when interment will take place.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919 Herald — Jan. 3 Funeral of Miss Stevenson.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth H. Stevenson, principal of Plymouth School, took place yesterday afternoon from her home at 583 Plymouth Avenue South. Miss Stevenson had taught in Rochester schools for 24 years. She was born in Springfield, Ohio, but received her education in the public schools of Rochester. She was appointed in February, 1895, as teacher in No. 3 School, and taught later in Schools No. 29, 28, 9 and 13. In June, 1904, she became principal of No. 32 School, holding that position until the time of her death.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919
Herald Jan. 11
Miss Elizabeth H. Stevenson.
Miss Elizabeth H. Stevenson, a teacher in the city schools for the last twenty-three years and for ten years principal of No. 32 School, died yesterday morning at her home, 583 Plymouth Avenue South. Miss Stevenson was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John W. I. Stevenson, who came to Rochester in 1877 from Ohio to make their home. At that time Miss Stevenson was a small child. She received her education in the city schools and in Rochester Free Academy. Miss Stevenson was widely known among members of the Rochester teaching profession and was highly regarded. As a mark of respect No. 32 School remained closed all day yesterday. She leaves two brothers, John G. and Robert B. Stevenson, both of Rochester. The funeral will be to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home.

**YOUNG MINISTER DIES
IN CALIFORNIA HOME**
Death of Rev. A. Ross Kitt
Is Announced.
D. & E., Jan. 4 - 1919



REV. A. ROSS KITT.

Rochester friends of Rev. A. Ross Kitt were surprised on Tuesday by a telegram announcing his death in Los Angeles. Mr. Kitt was a graduate of the Rochester Theological Seminary in the class of 1916. During his student days he had served as minister of the Niagara Street Baptist Church. He acted as stated supply for the South Avenue Baptist Church after the removal of Rev. H. C. Peoples and later was called to the pastorate of that church.

His pastorate continued until the summer of 1917, when he moved to California. His work in the church was unusually successful. He succeeded in re-organizing both Sunday-school and church and in permanently impressing himself upon the community as well as upon the membership of the church. His pulpit ability was marked. He was unusually successful in winning men.

ROCHESTER—On Tuesday, January 14, at 122 California Street, Washington, in her 74th year, Louisa Avatha Baiman, widow of Roswell Hart Rochester, and mother of Anna Rochester. Funeral and interment at Englewood, New Jersey.

Herald Jan. 16 - 1919

Stephen W. Darling, a veteran of the Civil War, Company C, 7th Pennsylvania Cavalry, died yesterday at the home of a son, Charles Darling, 41 Pine Street, aged 86 years. Besides his son, he leaves four grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Feb. Herald Jan. 30 - 1919

PHILIP J. HARTELL DIES
D. & E., Jan. 4
In Earlier Life Served Nineteen Years in Fire Department.

Philip J. Hartell died yesterday at his home, No. 15 Carthage road, following an illness of a year. He was 67 years old. Mr. Hartell was a member of the Fire Department for than than nineteen years. Though ill, he was at work until about December 1st.

He was born in Rochester on February 1, 1851, and was the son of John A. and Caroline Hartell, who were pioneer residents of this district. He was educated at old School No. 3. He joined the Fire Department in young manhood and served the city as a fire fighter for nearly twenty years. At length he resigned to become chief engineer for the consolidated breweries of Rochester. After eighteen years at that he took employment with the Bausch & Lomb Company as night superintendent. He held this place until the time of his death.

Besides his wife, Margaret Bayer Hartell, the deceased leaves one daughter, Laurette L. Hartell, and one son, George E. Hartell.

Funeral of Jacob Gloor.

The funeral of Jacob Gloor, a Civil War veteran, held Friday afternoon from the home of his son, William Gloor, at 25 Chamberlain Street, was attended by many old residents. A large number of them accompanied the body to Webster, where burial was in the Rural Cemetery.

Mr. Gloor was born in Berne, Switzerland, and spent the greater part of his early life with relatives in different parts of France. His parents, who died when he was an infant, were of French-Swiss descent. When 21 years old he came to America, and when the Civil War broke out he enlisted for three years in Company I, 6th U. S. Cavalry. September 18, 1862, he was wounded and after being in the hospital for several months he was appointed body guard to General Charles M. Profort, in which capacity he served the rest of his three years. October 25, 1864, he again enlisted, this time in Company A, 33d New Jersey Guard. After being in several battles he was wounded again and taken to the General Pavilion Hospital. As he recovered he was made wardmaster of the hospital and served as such until the end of the war.

September 12, 1865, Mr. Gloor married Miss Anna Hilbold of New York City, who died in 1875. April 4, 1877, he married Miss Barbara Stellen of Rochester, who died in 1892.

Daily Death Roll.
Times Union
T. T. Davis, Civil War Veteran, Dies At Daughter's Home
Jan. 13 - 1919

T. T. Davis died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Willis K. Gillette, 84 Adams street, aged 93 years.

He was a veteran of the Civil War. He enlisted in a Michigan regiment and served throughout the war. He was a prisoner for 18 months in Andersonville and Libby prisons and when released was terribly emaciated. He was born in Elba, Genesee County, and lived most of his life in LeRoy. His father was a pioneer of that country in the first decade of the last century. Mr. Davis was born on the farm February 25, 1826. He was in possession of his faculties until his death.

Surviving are his widow, Lydia Davis; two daughters, Mrs. W. K. Gillette and Mrs. Elmer Van Gelder, of this city, and one son, Clarence S. Davis of LeRoy.

Jacob Gloor Buried *Jan. 10 1919*
Times Union
From Home Of Son;
Civil War Veteran

Jacob Gloor, Civil War veteran, died Wednesday at the home of his son, William Gloor, 35 Chamberlain street, aged 86 years. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the home of

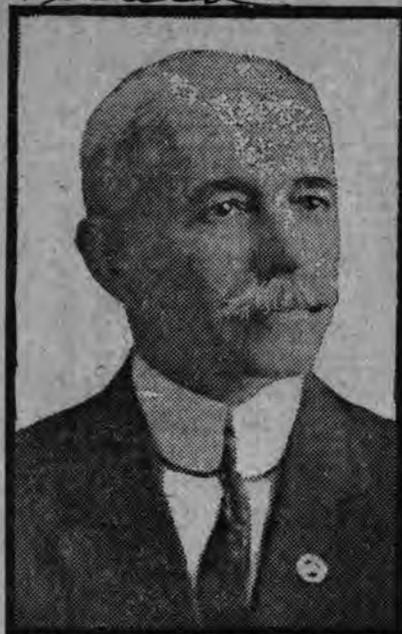


JACOB GLOOR.

the son, and burial was at Webster Cemetery.

Mr. Gloor was born at Berne, Switzerland. During the Civil War he was a despatcher. For several years of late he has lived at the Soldiers' Home, Va. He leaves two sons, William and Charles Gloor, and one daughter, Minnie Gloor of Amsterdam, N. Y.

Jan. 11-1919
CHARLES P. BURRITT,
VETERAN EMPLOYEE OF
POSTOFFICE, IS DEAD



CHARLES P. BURRITT.

Charles P. Burritt, foreman of the delivery department of the Rochester Postoffice, died at his home at 269 Barton Street yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, aged 53 years. Pneumonia was given as the cause of death, though Mr. Burritt had been in poor health since last fall when he contracted pleurisy while on a fishing trip in Canada.

Postmaster George C. Staud, when notified of the death of his assistant, paid a tribute to his memory by saying that he was one of the most capable and best liked men in the postoffice. Mr. Burritt had grown gray in the postal service. He was appointed a carrier July 12, 1890, and July 1, 1912, he was appointed a foreman and stationed at the main office in Church Street, where he continued until his final illness.

During his long connection with the Postoffice Mr. Burritt made many acquaintances, and was known to old and young throughout the city.

Mr. Burritt leaves his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Burritt; two daughters, Mrs. Maud Miller and Miss Molly Burritt; two sons, Ralph A. and Stephen G. Burritt; his mother, Mrs. Mary J. Anderson; four brothers, Sylvester W. and Stephen D. Burritt of Rochester and Edward and Chester Burritt of Chicago.

The funeral will be Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home and will be under the direction of the Masonic Lodge of which the deceased was a member. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery.

DEATH OF WILLIAM E. BOYD

D. & C., Jan. 31-1919
Born in Rochester in 1842 and Long a Farmer in Greece.

William E. Boyd, a member of one of the old families of Rochester, died on Wednesday. His parents, John and Catherine Cain Boyd, came from the Isle of Man in 1829 in a small sailing vessel that was eleven weeks in making the voyage. They settled in the town of Rochester, a group of dwellings that included a log cabin on the site now occupied by the Powers building.

William E. Boyd was born in Rochester on September 23, 1842. When he was 7 years of age the family moved to a farm on Stone road, in the town of Greece, and where he spent nearly all his life. He was known as a successful garden truck farmer, the Boyd melons and tomatoes being famous throughout this part of the country. During recent years he cultivated the pansy extensively and the Boyd pansies are well known in this city. Thousands of dollars worth of the flowers have been sold in Rochester and the surrounding towns each season.

Mr. Boyd will long be remembered by a host of friends for his kind and jovial disposition and the friendly word he had for all.

Near surviving relatives are his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Harry G. Patrick, of No. 124 Ridgeway avenue; Mrs. Fred Stenzel, of Rochester, and Mrs. Sheldon Risher, of Lockport; one son, Walter E. Boyd, of Barnard, and two sisters Mrs. Charles J. Hinds, of Henrietta, and Mrs. John Christian, of Barnard. Seven grandchildren also survive him.

For the past eight months Mr. Boyd had made his home with Mrs. Patrick, at No. 124 Ridgeway avenue, and the funeral services will be held there on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Death Removes Two Members of Old Rochester Family within One Week; Bits of City's History Recalled

For the second time within one week the hand of death has been laid on the Rochester family, descendants of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester. Announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. Louisa Agatha Bamman Rochester, widow of Roswell Hart Rochester, had died yesterday in Washington, D. C., where she had been living for some years with her daughter, Miss Anna Rochester, who is connected with one of the United States Government departments.

Mrs. Rochester formerly was Miss Louisa Agatha Bamman of New York City, where she was married to Roswell Hart Rochester soon after he went to live in the metropolis. Mr. Rochester was one of the founders of the Western Union Telegraph Company, when that concern was started in the old Reynolds Arcade. At that time he was assistant treasurer of the company. He removed to New York City when the headquarters were taken there, and at the time of his death was treasurer of the company. He

died twenty years ago at his home in Englewood, N. J. Some time after his death, Mrs. Rochester went to live with her daughter in Washington. Besides her daughter, she leaves a number of relatives in New York. The funeral and burial will take place at Englewood, N. J.

Son of Henry E. Rochester.

Mr. Rochester was a son of the late Henry E. Rochester and a grandson of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, founder of the city. He was a brother of Mrs. Clinton Rogers of 127 Spring Street.

Thomas Barnes Cuming, who met death in the South Byron wreck on the New York Central Railroad early Sunday morning, was a great-grandson of Colonel Rochester and a nephew of Roswell Hart Rochester.

Another member of the Rochester family who was taken by death recently was Nathaniel N. Rochester, killed in the Argonne Forest, France, while serving with the American forces.

Daily Death Roll.

Freeman H. Bettys Dead; Prominent Business Man

Feb. 11-1919

Freeman H. Bettys, aged 68 years, died yesterday afternoon in Homeopathic Hospital. Mr. Bettys was a well-known business man here and is said to have bought the first automobile ever owned in this city. Mr. Bettys was for some time the senior member of the firm of Bettys & Mabbett, manufacturers of the Humming Bird bicycle. Until recently Mr. Bettys was connected with A. P. Little in the manufacture of typewriter supplies.

He was a member of West Avenue Methodist Church, president of its board of trustees for many years. He took an important part in the prohibition movement.

Mr. Bettys was a member of the Society of the Mayflower and of Rochester Lodge, F. and A. M., and Cyrene Commandery, Knights Templar. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from West Avenue Methodist Church. Interment will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Mr. Bettys leaves one son, Raymond M. Bettys; one daughter, Mrs. Karl Cottrael, and six grandchildren, all of this city.

William J. Cramond.

William J. Cramond, a former resident of Rochester and a Civil war veteran, died at his home, 119 East Dominick street, Rome, February 11th. He was born in Rochester in 1841 and received his education here. Shortly after the start of the Civil war

he enlisted in Company H, Seventy-Eighth New York Volunteer Infantry, serving until the end of the war when he was discharged with the rank of first lieutenant. Returning to Rochester he engaged in the contracting business with his father and later removed to Rome where he entered the same business building some of the largest buildings in the city, among them the jail and the City hall.

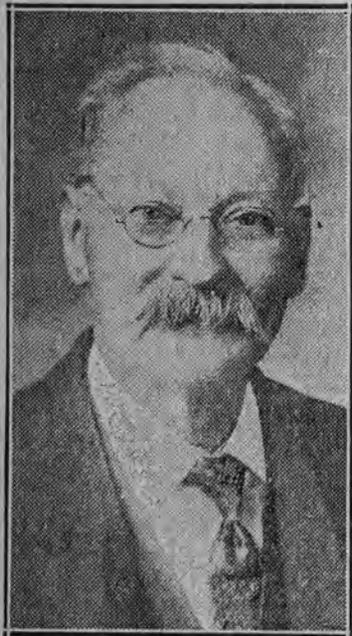
MORTUARY RECORD

Herald Jan. 1919
William J. MacFarland.

William J. MacFarland, a native of Rochester and well known here, died at his home in Roxbury, Mass., shortly before Christmas, aged 48 years. He was the inventor of the "unlocked process" of shoe manufacturing, and was a member of the New York Commercial Travelers Association and of a number of other organizations. He was a practical shoemaker, had been a factory manager and overseer and for some years had traveled for the United Shoe Machinery Company and the Dell Last Company.

Jau. 1919
SERVED THROUGH CIVIL WAR IN INFANTRY RANKS
Heard

Jacob Schmitt died Monday at his home at 24 Kondolf Street, aged 81 years. He leaves his wife, Caroline Schmitt; one brother, Aloise Schmitt, commander in the French Army; two sisters, Lena and Marguerite; five sons, George, Frank, Jacob and Fred Schmitt of Rochester, and William Schmitt of Buffalo; one daughter, Mrs.



JACOB SCHMITT.

John Bauer-Schmitt; sixteen grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Mr. Schmitt settled in this city in early childhood, coming to this country from Alsace-Lorraine. He was a Civil War veteran and enlisted April 18, 1861, as a private in Company F, 14th New York Infantry, and was discharged on June 6, 1864, as a corporal, after serving three years and one month. Mr. Schmitt joined F. E. Pierce Post, G. A. R., in March, 1897, and attended all national encampments since. He belongs to St. Francis Society of SS. Peter and Paul's Church.

Post **DAVID THOMPSON.**
Jau. 21
Funeral of Civil War Veteran—Veterans' Chorus Sings. *1919*

The funeral of David Thompson, who died Friday, was held from Mt. Hope chapel yesterday afternoon. He was a Civil war veteran, having been corporal of Company A, 19th New York Infantry, and sergeant in Battery A, New York Light artillery. The funeral was conducted by C. J. Powers post, G. A. R., of which he was a member. Members of C. A. Glidden camp, S. O. V., acted as bearers. Members of Monroe County Civil War Veterans' chorus sang the soldiers' memorial hymn, "Sleep Soldier Sleep," the words of which were written by Comrade Thompson and the music by Mrs. Kate Bennett Smythe, who presided at the organ.

DESCENDANT OF FOUNDER OF THE CITY
Post

Killed in Railroad Wreck at South Byron.

Jau. 13-1919
HE LIVED HERE AS A BOY

Grandson of First Rector of St. Luke's Church.

Second Great-grandson of Colonel Rochester to Die Unexpectedly Within a Few Weeks.

Twice within a few weeks a great-grandson of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, founder of this city, has met with death violently. Nathaniel N. Rochester was killed in action October 8th fighting in the Argonne with Colonel Whittlesey's famed "Lost Battalion." Death came to the other, Thomas Barnes Cuming, in the early hours of yesterday morning when the Southwestern Limited crashed into the rear of the Wolverine, on the New York Central lines a short distance from South Byron station. His body was taken to Batavia and will be taken to New York for burial. The body of the other rests in a crude grave somewhere near where the heroic Americans staved off the German attack for four days, without food and water, but with plenty of pluck and determination.

Thomas Barnes Cuming is known to many Rochesterians. For several years after the death of his father his mother lived in Meigs street and he received his early education in the public schools and in high school. Later he returned to New York, entered business and at the time of his death was a member of the firm of Meyer, Sniffin & company, and his home was in Englewood, N. J.

He was the son of Allen Jackson and Anna M. Rochester Cuming and a grandson of Henry E. Rochester. His paternal grandfather was Rev. Dr. Francis Cuming, the first rector of St. Luke's church. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Anna VanVoorhis, of New York, and an aunt, Mrs. Clinton Rogers, 127 Spring street, and three cousins, Mrs. Sidney S. B. Roby, Helen Rogers and Lieutenant Rochester Rogers. He was married to Miss Laura Bliss, who died some years ago. Rochester relatives have gone to Batavia to claim the body and make arrangements with one of his business partners for the funeral.

Among the others who suffered in the wreck were Mrs. Carl B. Antisdale, 362 Harvard street and her two daughters, Virginia Frances, 8 years old and Matilde, 5 years old. They were on their way to visit Mrs. Antisdale's mother in St. Louis. Mrs. Antisdale suffered from shock and the older girl had one foot sprained. They were taken to Buffalo and placed in a hotel, under the care of a physician

Jau. 1919
Daily Death Roll.
Jacob Schmitt, Civil War Veteran, Dies At Kondolf Street Home
Times Union

Funeral services for Jacob Schmitt, Civil War veteran who died Monday morning at his home at 24 Kondolf street, aged 81 years, will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning from the home and at 8:30 o'clock from Holy



JACOB SCHMITT.

Family Church. He leaves his wife, Caroline Schmitt; five sons, George, Frank, Jacob and Fred of Rochester, and William of Buffalo; one daughter, Mrs. John Bauerschmidt, 16 grandchildren and five great grandchildren, two sisters and one brother.

Mr. Schmitt came to this country from Alsace-Lorraine in early childhood, and settled in Rochester. He enlisted on April 18, 1861, as a private in Company F, 14th New York Infantry, and was discharged on June 6, 1864. He joined F. E. Pierce Post, G. A. R., in March, 1897. He was a member of St. Francis Society.

The following members of Pierce Post will act as bearers tomorrow: Comrades Voght, Young, Klem, Hensler, Hill and Keilhammer.

Me. 21 **William G. Ellwanger.** *1919*

William G. Ellwanger, an expert rose culturist and nurseryman, who had been a resident of Rochester and vicinity for over 60 years, died yesterday at his home, 200 Rosedale Street, aged 77 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Ellwanger; one son, William T. Ellwanger of London, England; six daughters, Mrs. Clara Ellwanger Briggs of Plandome, L. I., Miss Emma L. Ellwanger, Mrs. Flora Ellwanger Culp, Mrs. Bertha Ellwanger Cadwick, Miss L. May Ellwanger, all of Rochester, and Mrs. Helen Ellwanger Hanford of Chappel Hill, N. C., and eleven grandchildren.

Mr. Ellwanger was born in Germany and came to America when but 11 years of age. He lived in Rochester a few years and then in young manhood worked farms in Henrietta and Rush. Returning to Rochester he engaged in the nursery business and continued in it until his death. The funeral will be private and burial will be at the convenience of the family.

Daily Death Roll.

Oscar C. Palmer, Civil War Veteran, Is Dead

Oscar C. Palmer, a former president of the Eighth New York Cavalry (volunteers) Association, died last Saturday at his home, Lake road, near Union Hill. Mr. Palmer had lived in Wayne County nearly all his life. He was born at Lake Side on March 5, 1844. He received his education in Macedon and at Genesee Wesleyan Seminary. He was a student at the seminary when he enlisted on September 10, 1864, in Company B, Eighth New York Cavalry. This unit was in General Sheridan's division, and was under the command of Custer. Mr. Palmer served in many important engagements and was severely wounded in the battle of the Five Forks on April 3, 1865, a few days before the war ended. When he was convalescing he witnessed the surrender of Fitzhugh Lee and Commodore Semmes, of the Alabama. Later he was transferred to the Rochester General Hospital, and received his honorable discharge from the service on June 26, 1865. At that time he was 20 years old.

On October 14, 1868, Mr. Palmer married Amelia A. Botsford. He held positions of trust in his home community. He was a Republican, a member of Wayne Lodge of Masons and the G. A. R.

Mr. Palmer leaves his wife and two sons, Myron B. Palmer, a captain in the Medical Corps, stationed in the surgeon-general's office, Washington, and Howard R. Palmer, of the advertising staff of the Eastman Kodak Company.

PHILIP H. RILEY
DIES, AGED 83

Father of Park Commissioner William S. Riley Has Been Ill for Past Two Weeks. Feb. 4 1919

Philip H. Riley, father of William S. Riley, commissioner of parks, died this morning at 11 o'clock after an illness of two weeks. Mr. Riley was born on Spring street,



PHILIP H. RILEY.

New York City on June 13, 1835, and came to Rochester at an early age. Up to two weeks ago he was in excellent health and was associated with his son in business, going to the office in West avenue every day.

Mr. Riley is survived by his wife to whom he was married on October 2, 1856, by his son, William S. Riley and by four grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

The funeral services will be held from the home of his son, 900 Culver road at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

LAST RITES FOR
PHILIP H. RILEY

Funeral of Father of Park Commissioner Held From Home, 900 Culver Road, This Afternoon. Feb. 6 1919

The funeral of Philip H. Riley took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his son, Park Commissioner William S. Riley, 900 Culver road. Interment was made at Riverside Cemetery.

Mr. Riley, whose death occurred on Tuesday morning at the General Hospital, was born in New York City June 13, 1835, and came to Rochester by way of the Erie Canal in his boyhood. For 38 years he was a valued employe of the New York Central Railroad and for the past 27 years had been associated with the business of his son in Main street west. He was a member of the old Rochester Fire Department from 1853 to 1874.

Mr. Riley was a member of Central Presbyterian Church and of Class 42 of Central Church Sunday school. He leaves his wife, his son, four grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
Post Feb. 13 1919
GEORGE BILLINGS BUSH.

One of the Founders of the Bush & Bull Company, Dies.

George Billings Bush, who died at the home, 722 Dewey avenue, Monday, was one of the founders of the Bush & Bull company, which operated department stores in several cities in New York, Pennsylvania and Connecticut. He was born in Thompson, Sullivan county, New York, December 16, 1841. After being graduated from the Eastman Business college, he went to work for the Erie railroad and later left that company to engage in the drygoods business in Easton, Pa., with his brother, S. R. Bush, and James V. Bull.

The firm operated department stores in Port Jervis, N. Y., Watertown, Rochester, Easton, Bethlehem and Williamsport, Pa., and Bridgeport, Conn. The Rochester store was located in a part of the building now occupied by the E. W. Edwards & Sons store. The opening of the Rochester store in 1884 brought Mr. Bush here and when the business was later sold he retired from the firm and retained his residence here.

Mr. Bush became a member of St. Tammany lodge, F. and A. M., of Port Jervis, early in life and always retained his membership. He leaves his wife, Abbie Eustis Bush; three sons, Joseph H. Bush of Rochester, in Y. M. C. A. work in Virginia, Martin R. Bush of Mt. Vernon, N. Y., in Y. M. C. A. work in France, and Arthur S. of Rochester; two grandchildren, Merton H. and J. Ainsworth Bush, and one brother, S. R. Bush of Easton, Pa. Funeral services were held from the home this afternoon. Burial will be in Hinsdale, Mass.

MORTUARY RECORD

Mrs. George V. Shaw. Feb. 21 1919

Mrs. George V. Shaw of 923 Harvard Street died suddenly yesterday morning. Apparently in good health she was stricken early yesterday and died a few hours later, news of her death coming as a great shock to a wide circle of friends.

Mrs. Shaw was born in Rochester and, with the exception of a few years in New York City and a period abroad, had spent all her life here. She received her education at Nazareth Academy and at Lady Cliff Seminary on the Hudson. She was a member of St. John the Evangelist Church, in the affairs of which she took a prominent part. During the war she gave freely of her time and efforts to the work of the Red Cross and other patriotic activities.

Besides her husband, George V. Shaw, she is survived by one daughter, Miss Eileen Shaw; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Cunningham; two sisters, Mrs. J. Harry Shale of Larchmont, N. Y., and Miss Ann F. Cunningham of Rochester; also three brothers, Charles J., George A. and Arthur J. Cunningham, all of this city.

The funeral will be held from the home at 9:30 o'clock Monday morning and at 10 o'clock from St. John the Evangelist Church in Humboldt Street. Feb. 21

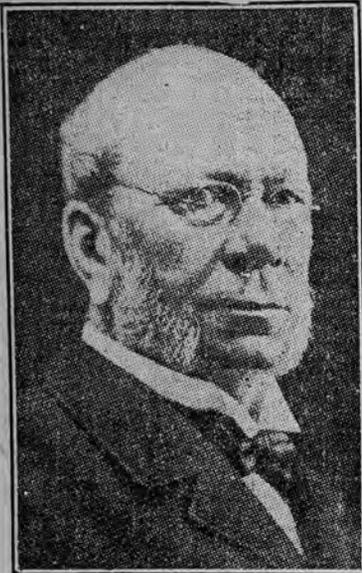
MARY PETTIS MOORE
PASSES AWAY AFTER
SHORT HEART ATTACK

Miss Mary Pettis Moore, eldest daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Edward Mott Moore, died yesterday at her home, 90 Beverly Street. She had been an invalid for the last few years of her life, but an attack of heart trouble to which she succumbed had been of only a few days duration.

One of eight children of the late surgeon, whose fame extended far beyond local confines, Miss Moore had made for herself a distinctive place in the favored circle in which she was privileged to move. She was a well known member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church and a prime mover in its beneficent enterprises. Steadfastly devoted to the members of her family, it was said of her that she truly exemplified the real meaning of the word "sister."

Notwithstanding the physical affliction with which she was visited a few years ago, she maintained the same bright, sunshiny disposition toward all that had won for her a warm place in the hearts of those privileged to call her friend. Her keen intellect and sharp wit had won for her, as well, their sincere admiration.

The funeral and burial will be private.



JAMES E. BOOTH,
President Monroe County Savings
Bank, who died to-day.

**CITY'S OLDEST
FINANCIER DIES;
ILLNESS BRIEF**

Post — Feb. 7
JAMES E. BOOTH AT BUSINESS
ALL DAY MONDAY.

1919
CELEBRATED 92D BIRTHDAY

President of Monroe County Savings
Bank Came Here in 1852—Born
in New York.

James E. Booth, president of the Monroe County Savings bank, died early to-day at his home at 105 Lake avenue, aged 92 years. He had been ill only three days, having spent all day Monday at the bank.

Mr. Booth celebrated his ninety-second birthday last December and at that time the belief was expressed among Rochester's bankers that he was the oldest executive of a financial institution in the United States.

Announcement was made that the funeral will be held next Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home. Mr. Booth leaves two sons, Quentin W. and Irving E. Booth, and a daughter, Miss Estelle A. Booth.

Born in New York city December 29, 1826, Mr. Booth came to Rochester in 1852 and has resided here ever since. He joined the firm of Woodbury & Co., manufacturers of steam engines and boilers, and two years later the firm was changed to Woodbury & Booth. The firm sold out to a syndicate in 1884. In 1875 Mr. Booth was elected a trustee of the Monroe County Savings bank and in 1891 he became its president.

Early Days in New York.

On the occasion of his ninetieth birthday, Mr. Booth gave an interesting interview to The Post Express in which he told reminiscences of his early life in New York and Rochester.

"When I lived in New York," said M. Booth, "Fifth avenue was a wilderness, being rough and rocky. Sixth avenue was a vegetable garden. When Fourteenth street was laid out people scoffed at it and said it would never build up. What is now Brooklyn was almost a barren tract, there being a residential section called Brooklyn Heights. Hoboken was a pleasure ground, laid out in a park, with hotels, drives, etc.

"Transportation was different then. There were no subways, trolleys or even horse cars. Kipp & Brown had a line of coaches which ran in Hudson street, Canal street and Broadway. Most people walked and those that had to come from the outer section took the coaches.

"Drinking water was carried by carts. Large casks of water would be taken into the business section for the use of those at work. In the residential district pumps at various corners served the people with their water supply. As I remember it the water had a brackish taste.

Saw Rochester's Growth.

"Travel in and out of New York was limited. There was not much steam railroads being rather crude. A fine line of boats plied on the Hudson river, however, and there was more travel on them than on anything else. When the two boats would come down the river from Albany they would race for the New York harbor. The first one in usually got the passengers.

"I went from New York to Troy by boat in 1835 and remained in Troy a number of years. When I came to Rochester in 1852, the city was a good deal smaller than it is now, of course. State street was built up to the railroad, and Main street was pretty well built up. I remember that when Alderman James H. Kelly suggested the laying out of Jones square people thought it was way out in the country.

"Rochester was well supplied with banks. Among the early banks were the Rochester Savings bank, Bank of Rochester, Bank of Monroe, Rochester City bank, First National bank, Bank of Western New York, Farmers and Mechanics bank, Union bank, Eagle bank, Manufacturers bank, Flour City bank, Monroe County bank and some private banks."

Voted for Zachary Taylor.

Mr. Booth voted for Zachary Taylor for president in 1848 and voted in every presidential election since then. When he came to Rochester in 1852 he settled in the Second ward, where he lived until 1872. In that year he built his present home where he has lived since. In 1875 Mr. Booth was elected alderman for the Ninth ward. He was a member of the old Elevated Track commission, Water commission and State Line commission.

**James E. Booth Feb. 7
Funeral Today Feb. 10
From Residence**

Funeral services for James E. Booth, former president of the Monroe County Savings Bank, were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home, 105 Lake avenue. Interment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery. Services at the home and grave were conducted by the Rev. J. W. A. Stewart of Rochester Theological Seminary.

The active bearers were Charles P. Kingston, J. Wesley Kingston, William R. Barnum, Charles F. Crandall, Spencer W. Greene and James Johnston. The honorary bearers were Cyrus F. Paine, Rufus K. Dryer, William B. Lee, Martin Bristol, P. V. Crittenden and William Carson, all trustees of Monroe County Savings Bank.

**Despondent, Civil War
Veteran Takes Carbolic
D. & C. Feb. 7, 1919**

Despondent because he was along in years, out of work and reduced to but a few pennies, Charles Prebel, 74 years old, a veteran of the Civil war, went to his room in the Metropolitan Hotel at No. 376 St. Paul street late yesterday afternoon and swallowed two ounces of carbolic acid. He was found dead a short time afterwards.

The coroner because he was along in years, out of work and reduced to but a few pennies, Charles Prebel, 74 years old, a veteran of the Civil war, went to his room in the Metropolitan Hotel at No. 376 St. Paul street late yesterday afternoon and swallowed two ounces of carbolic acid. He was found dead a short time afterwards.

Coroner Thomas A. Killip was notified and the body was removed to the morgue. The coroner learned that Prebel had been employed in munition plants and at the Bausch & Lomb plant in recent months, but that of late he had not worked. The fact rather upset him. He had been rooming at the Metropolitan Hotel for five months and was well liked.

The dead man has a son in Toledo. The coroner has notified him by telegraph.

We mourn to-day the loss of our president, James E. Booth. His death on the morning of February 7, 1919, marked the close of a life continued far beyond the Scriptural limit, but which to the very end was an active force and influence.

He was elected a trustee March 2, 1875, and it is our great satisfaction and pride that the last twenty-eight years of his life were given to the service of this bank as its president, to which office he was chosen January 6, 1891.

How admirably he filled the duties of the position is well known to us and to the extended circle which is reached by the activities of the bank. His was no nominal but was a real leadership in all matters of essential importance.

It was his peculiar distinction to keep a personal human interest in men and events to the last. He possessed a calm, judicial temper, combined with strong common sense, great integrity and a serene consciousness of duty well performed. He had a contempt for any professions or conduct which were not real and genuine. We all know that he had a sound mind in a sound body; that a clear mind was accompanied by physical powers of remarkable strength, so that to the end of a very long life, his mental power and vigor were undiminished.

His old age was the ideal old age, work to the last, with mind unimpaired, with no gloom of approaching death affecting his cheerfulness or happiness, spending his days in the declining years of his life in the city which he loved, and the growth of which he had watched since early manhood, and with the respect and affection of his fellow-men.

We have been honored by our association with him; the record of his distinguished services will be an inspiration to us and our successors in the years to come. Such a life does not end with death but survives in its influence for good on those who follow.

To the surviving members of his family, his daughter and two sons, we extend our sincere sympathy.

In Memoriam—James E. Booth.

The following memorial was adopted at a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Fidelity Trust company, held Monday, February 10, 1919.

Death has again invaded our number and taken our oldest and one of our most esteemed associates, James E. Booth.

He had a long and honorable career. He was born ninety-two years ago, in New York city, but moved to Rochester in 1852. He was a successful business man, served his city on various boards and commissions, was a trustee of the Monroe County Savings Bank for twenty-seven years and for seventeen years prior to his death, its president. He was an incorporator of this trust company and one of its trustees from its organization, in 1898, until his death.

He was strong and upright in character, but simple in his tastes, somewhat retiring in disposition, and always unobtrusive in his dealings with other men. He never willingly failed in his attendance at meetings of this board or in discharging his duties as a member of its executive committee so long as he was one of its members, for one of his chief characteristics was absolute faithfulness to every trust committed to him.

We shall greatly miss his commanding figure, his sturdy common sense and his loyal support, and we extend our very cordial sympathy to his daughter and his sons in their bereavement.

J. S. GUBELMANN, AT SEMINARY 32 YEARS, IS DEAD

James Gibson
 Native of Switzerland, He
 Held Pastorates in Middle
 West and Philadelphia Be-
 fore Coming to Rochester
 Institution. Feb. 11, 1919.

Jacob Samuel Gubelmann, D. D., professor Emeritus at Rochester Theological Seminary, died at his home 39 Brighton street, last night after a short illness. He was born in Berne, Switzerland, on November 26, 1836, coming to the United States with his parents in 1848 and lived for a short time in New York City. He removed to Ohio, where his grandfather was minister of a German Reformed Church. Returning to New York in 1851, he became affiliated with a German Baptist Church there which sent him to Rochester the following year to prepare for the ministry. He graduated from the University of Rochester in 1858 and from Rochester Theological Seminary in 1860.

After his ordination to the ministry, Dr. Gubelmann held successful pastorates in Louisville, Ky., and St. Louis, Mo. In 1868 he became minister of First German Baptist Church, Philadelphia, where he remained until 1884, when he was called to the chair of Christian theology, ethics and homiletics in the German department of Rochester Theological Seminary. This position he held for 32 years, when he felt that the strain of his professional duties was growing too severe. For the last two and one-half years Doctor Gubelmann kept up his interest in the seminary giving a short address each week at the chapel service.

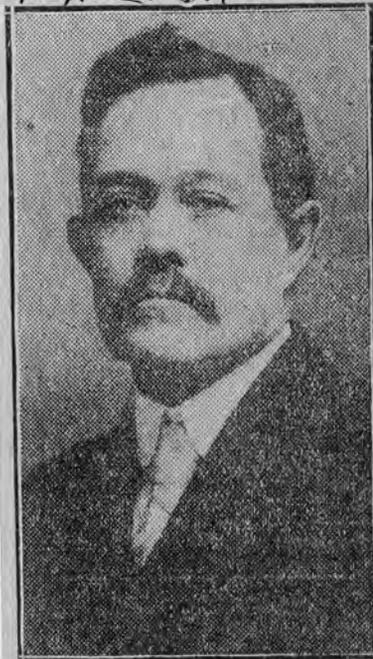
Private funeral services will be held at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the home at 39 Brighton street, with Dr. Clarence A. Barbour, president of the seminary, officiating. Memorial services will be held later at the seminary.

Doctor Gubelmann married twice. His second wife, who was Miss Sophie Heste, he married in 1862. She survives him, as do also two sons, and two daughters, Professor Albert Gubelmann of Yale, W. S. Gubelmann of Buffalo, Mrs. Otto Koeing of New Haven and Miss Ella C. Gubelmann of this city.

DEATH OF S. G. DANA, A LIFE-LONG RESIDENT

Had Done Much to Develop
 and Build in City.

D. & E. McIlwain



SEYMOUR G. DANA.

Seymour G. Dana, a lifelong resident of Rochester, died yesterday at his home, No. 137 Broadway, aged 68 years. He was born in Rochester on December 3, 1850. In his earlier years he was employed as chief train dispatcher by the New York Central Railroad. Later he became a traveling salesman.

About thirty years ago Mr. Dana purchased the Perry and Bly tract, located between South Goodman street and the Plinacle section, which he developed, building more than two hundred houses there and many others in various parts of the city, which took up the greater part of twenty years of his life.

For the last ten years Mr. Dana was associated with his sons in the insurance business. He leaves his wife, Mrs. S. Frances Clark Dana; three sons, Howard C., Raymond H., and Frank S. Dana, all of this city; two brothers, J. Monroe Dana, of this city, and W. H. Dana, of Dallas, Texas; and a sister, Mrs. F. H. Coman, of Buffalo.

The funeral will take place from the home tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in Mount Hope cemetery.

Mr. Dana was a life member of Yonondio Lodge, F. & A. M.; of Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M., and Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

E. SMITH MUNN. Post - Jan. 22 Member of Family Prominent in Rochester Since 1824, Dies 1919

E. Smith Munn died yesterday at the home, 103 Plymouth avenue, aged 40 years. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Eduah Smith Munn, and one sister, Miss Emily L. Munn. Mr. Munn, who had lived in Rochester all his life, comes from an old and prominent family. His grandfather, Elijah F. Smith, moved to Rochester in 1824 and was the first mayor of the city elected by popular vote, and his father, Captain Henry C. Munn, served through the Civil war with the 8th New York Cavalry.

Funeral services will be held at the home Thursday afternoon and burial will be in Mt. Hope cemetery.

HOWARD T. MOSHER, MONROE COUNTY FOOD ADMINISTRATOR AND PROMINENT LAWYER, DIES SUDDENLY

Herald

Feb. 17
1919



HOWARD T. MOSHER.

Howard Townsend Mosher, Monroe County Food Administrator, twice candidate for Mayor on the Democratic ticket, and one of Rochester's ablest lawyers and most respected citizens, died unexpectedly at 5.15 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home at 216 Alexander Street. Although he had been in ill health since the latter part of December, and unable to leave his home most of the time, Mr. Mosher's death came as a shock to all who knew of his sickness, as it was supposed that he was slowly, but surely, regaining his health. He was 60 years old.

Overwork as a result of the duties and responsibilities placed upon him by the office of Food Administrator, which he assumed upon the retirement of George D. B. Bonbright to become Deputy State Food Administrator last fall, is assigned as the cause of the breakdown which marked the beginning of Mr. Mosher's illness. He had been confined to his bed only five days.

In the death of Mr. Mosher the entire community cannot but feel a great and genuine loss. He was a man of strong character, and as one of his closest friends expressed it last night, "he never knowingly did anything to harm another, and always tried to see the other fellow's point of view." He had accomplished much in a busy life, given largely to the study and solution of problems involving municipal, state and national government, but he was never too busy to engage in anything worth while that demanded self-giving service in the interest of his fellow men. Much of his early life was spent as an educator.

Was Twice Abroad.

Mr. Mosher was born in Albany in 1868 and was graduated from Albany Military Academy and later from Union College, where he was a member of the Class of 1890. He studied in Paris for two years and, upon his return to this country, became an instructor and later professor of French at Union College. Upon leaving that position, Mr. Mosher came to Rochester to engage in the practice of law, and entered the law office of Foote & Havens. He again visited Europe and Africa in 1904.

through a series of lectures on citizenship at the University of Rochester, beginning in 1910 and continuing four years. These lectures sounded a new note in the preparation of college men for the duties of citizenship, and the course was the first of its kind in America.

From his earliest manhood Mr. Mosher took an active interest in public matters. He was especially well versed on political and economic questions, and frequently was in demand as a lecturer on such topics.

Mr. Mosher was a lifelong Democrat, and had long been active in Monroe County politics, as one of the foremost and ablest representatives of the Democratic party. He was candidate for state Senator in 1904, for Surrogate of Monroe County in 1906, and for Mayor on the Democratic ticket in the elections of 1911 and 1915. He was chairman of the Democratic county committee for a number of years, and a delegate to the Democratic national convention in 1916.

Prominent Throughout State.

In 1914 Mr. Mosher was made one of five members of the New York State Workmen's Compensation Commission, which office he held for one year and until the commission was supplanted by the State Industrial Commission. He served as a member of the Prison Reform Commission of the State of New York from 1913 to 1915, and was a director of the Municipal Government Association of New York State at the time of his death.

He was a member of Psi Epsilon and Sigma Xi fraternities, and president of the Union College Alumni Association of the Genesee Valley in 1916. He was a member of the University Club, Rochester Athletic Club, City Club and Rochester Chamber of Commerce.

After serving his legal apprenticeship in the office of Foote and Havens, Mr. Mosher was admitted to the bar in 1901, and later entered the law office of Supreme Court Justice Adolph J. Rodenbeck. He was a member of the law firm of Smith, DeGraff, Castleman and Mosher for many years, and until he took up the work of compensation commissioner in 1914. On completing his term of office with the compensation commission he formed a law partnership with George Herbert Smith, which continued until the time of his death.

When George D. B. Bonbright was appointed Food Administrator of Monroe County he at once invited Mr. Mosher to become associated with him, and together they undertook the difficult task, both understanding that no compensation could ever be received for their services. They worked harmoniously, Mr. Mosher in all things recognizing Mr. Bonbright's leadership, and Mr. Bonbright, in turn, fully appreciating Mr. Mosher's ability and co-operation. Both were agreed that no politics should enter into the conduct of the office, a fact which, combined with the ability and efficient management displayed by these two men, made the Monroe County Food Administration envied throughout the state.

Taken Ill in New York City.

Upon the appointment of Mr. Bonbright to be Deputy State Food Administrator, State Administrator Charles E. Treman did not hesitate in selecting a worthy and entirely capable successor for Monroe County. He immediately appointed Mr. Mosher, who continued to actively attend to the arduous duties of the office until the latter part of November when, while attending a conference of county food administrators in New York City, he was stricken with the illness from which he never recovered.

One of his associates in the Food Administration said of Mr. Mosher:

The people of this county will never comprehend or fully appreciate the great service rendered by Mr. Mosher. His devotion, his constant attention to duty, and his enthusiasm were an incentive and example for all of us. Often he would be first at the office in the morning and last to leave it at night. His legal training and broad education enabled him to analyze complex situations and to outline the course of action that would cause the least friction, and his broad human sympathies made him as patient with the transgressor as justice and loyalty would permit.

When we saw that his strength was being seriously impaired and urged him to take a vacation, he replied: "No, I cannot take a vacation; this is the one thing I can do for my country, and I am going to finish the job even if it kills me."

To my mind, Howard T. Mosher made the supreme sacrifice just as surely as the man who fell in France.

Another Fine Tribute.

Dr. George W. Goler, one of Mr. Mosher's closest friends, had this to say of him:

Never in robust health, Howard Mosher had a fixed idea of his duty to the world and the people who lived in it. He saw more clearly than most men the injustices under which men, women and children labored, and so far as lay within his power he spared no effort to right those wrongs under which he felt society labored. In doing that work in the world which he thought was the work to do and for which he has now paid the penalty, he had no thought of self. He was a genial and sensitive soul.

The buffeting by opponents hurt him, but he rarely demurred. That he was a member of the minority party in politics and that he had very little opportunity of practicing the policies for which he stood in the offices he was asked to stand for had no effect upon his standing again and again for what he believed to be the right. He had a host of friends, both among those of his own party and his opponents. He was warm hearted, generous, unostentatious, quiet, reserved, but firm in the beliefs which he held as well as in his social and political practices.

His work upon the Compensation Commission was largely that kind of constructive work with which few people except his intimates associated him. Both his associates and his subordinates always had a just measure of whatever credit was due for work performed, and if errors were made he shouldered the blame. His last, but not the least important work he did, was as director of the Monroe County Food Administration, and this labor of love, like most of his labors, rounded out a life of work full for others. Whatever he did, whether speaking in settlements or on the streets of Paris, teaching in universities, speaking at political meetings or conventions, working in the Compensation Commission, or on the Food Commission, was done with faithfulness and unostentation, and the students, the men and women who came under his influence, derived an inspiration from his genial, earnest soul as it worked for the benefit of mankind.

He has gone from us, but like those men who do work in the world similar to his, the words of inspiration which he planted in the minds of his bearers can never die.

Those Who Survive.

Mr. Mosher leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Seward Mosher; three brothers, Dr. J. Montgomery Mosher, eminent physician of Albany; Rev. G. F. Mosher of Wush. Chiba, a prominent missionary, and Carl Mosher of New York City, a well known real estate broker, and one sister, Gertrude Knight, wife of Rev. Franklin Knight, rector of the Episcopal Church at Holyoke, Mass.

Howard T. Mosher, whose death came, unexpectedly to the community, on Saturday, was a citizen and a man in whom were joined an infinite variety of fine and worthy elements.

Modest and gentle in demeanor that outwardly spoke almost for shyness, patient and tactful to the point of surrender of everything but conviction, never contentious and rarely in controversy, his was nevertheless a character seasoned with clear understanding, firm beliefs and purposes and resolute courage. From boyhood he had been frail, and his powers of physical endurance were often overtaxed by the duties and services to whose call his active mind and generous spirit were prompt to respond. Still, in his unobtrusive and wholly unambitious way, he contrived to live a life of marked usefulness and of wide influence. Thus it came to him to perform tasks of greater magnitude of responsibility and of even greater value when measured by their enduring results, than have been accomplished or essayed by many men who achieved wider notice through that instinct for self-advertisement which he was wholly without.

Mr. Mosher was, by nature, studious and reflective. His mental processes were simple and unconfused, and his speech was always in harmony with this attribute of his mind. He was an agreeable talker and an attentive and sympathetic listener. So, when he spoke, either in conversation or in public addresses, one rested secure in the expectation that he had something to say. Being without pretension or pretense, he invariably left the impression of the lucid and straight thinking that leads to inevitable conclusion. These faculties, of the possession of which he seemed to be quite unconscious, gave him success alike in the college classroom and on the public platform; and they enhanced the charm of personal contact with him which was shared equally by persons of an educational refinement sufficient to admire them, and by persons who were too little educated to admire anything save his honesty, good manners and good sense.

Mr. Mosher's influence in Rochester was very great, though it was never of the kind that is hailed with noisy acclaim. Most of it proceeded from the force he exerted within a wide circle and variety of friendships. On only two occasions was he in official responsibility, though he was amply and conspicuously suited for public duty requiring a wise head and a firm hand.

At the inception of the administration of the Workmen's Compensation act, he was appointed a member of the commission to institute the system of investigating, appraising and settling the claims of injured employes. This was a labor calling for great industry,

for superior judgment and foresight and for careful selection of administrative methods and standards. Of this work, Mr. Mosher did far more than his proportionate share, and did it so well that the vast and novel system was in successful operation within a comparatively brief time. It was a misfortune to both this new institution and to the state that a political overturn in the Governorship resulted in the removal of the compensation commissioners and the undoing of much of their work.

When the United States entered the war, it was Mr. Mosher's ardent wish that he might devote his talents and energies to some need of his country. The opportunity for this came, and in a way that employed to the full the resources of his character. The enforcement of the food regulations, an enterprise without precedent or guide in American political administration, called for men of clear perception, inflexible resolve, and withal, sound practical sense and inexhaustible patience, tact and good humor. Mr. Bonbright, the Food Administrator for Monroe County, promptly chose Mr. Mosher for his assistant. Later when Mr. Bonbright's widened jurisdiction took him away from Rochester, Mr. Mosher succeeded in full authority in this county. The record of his tenure is summed up in the known fact that when it was concluded, there was universal appreciation and commendation of the skillful and impartial performance of a task of vexatious difficulty—a task which was no less vital to the winning of the war than were those duties that were performed under the emotional inspiration of waving flags and cheering throngs.

Herald Editorial
Feb. 17, 1919

RED CROSS PAYS TRIBUTE TO KATHERINE R. CONGDON

Herald Jan. 28
At a meeting of the executive committee of the trustees of Rochester Chapter, American Red Cross, the following resolution was adopted:

Rochester Chapter learns with profound sorrow of the death of Katherine Robinson Congdon.

Without thought of self she labored unceasingly among the soldiers and sailors who were ill and came later to occupy the position of military field aide for this chapter. As such she took charge of the work among men quartered not only in the hospitals of the city, but the Military Base Hospital at Charlotte.

Her kindly services and tender care will be remembered by hundreds of enlisted men and their families. It should not be forgotten that her two sons and the husband of her daughter are in the service of their country.

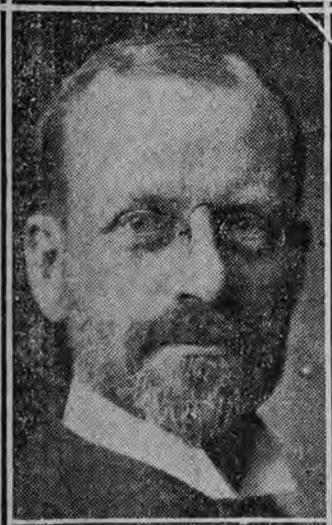
Rochester Chapter takes this occasion of expressing to the husband and children of Katherine Robinson Congdon its heartfelt sympathy. Her memory and the results of her work will live for generations.

LAST RITES FOR HOWARD MOSHER

Times Union
Funeral of Well-Known
Lawyer and Food Admin-
istrator Held From His
Home This Afternoon.

Feb. 17 — 1919
The funeral of Howard T. Mosher, who died unexpectedly on Saturday, was held this afternoon from the home, 216 Alexander street. The Rev. Franklin Knight of Holyoke, Mass., brother-in-law of the deceased, officiated.

Howard Townsend Mosher, scholar, lawyer and consistent worker in be-



HOWARD T. MOSHER.

half of honest and efficient govern-
ment, died on Saturday afternoon at
his home, aged 50 years. He leaves
his widow, Mrs. Mary Seward Mosher,
three brothers, Dr. J. Montgomery
Mosher of Albany, Rev. G. F. Mosher
of Wash, China, a missionary, and
Carl Mosher of New York City and
one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Knight, wife
of Rev. Franklin Knight of Holyoke,
Mass.

Howard Townsend Mosher was the
son of Dr. Jacob S. Mosher and Emma
Starr Montgomery, born in Albany on
July 6, 1868. He received his early
education in the schools of that city
and was graduated from the Albany
Military Academy. His college educa-
tion was obtained at Union College,
Scheneectady, from which institution
he graduated in 1890.

After two years' study in Europe
to familiarize himself with the French
language he returned to this country
to become a member of Union College
faculty, teaching there until 1898.
Then he removed to Rochester and
studied law in the office of Foote &
Havens, being admitted to the bar in
1901.

In 1893 he married Mary Josephine
Seward of Rochester.

In 1904 Mr. Mosher again visited
Europe and Africa and upon his re-
turn continued the practise of law. In
1910 he was named as professor of
citizenship at the University of Roch-
ester, holding that position until 1914,
when he was made one of the mem-
bers of the State Workmen's Compens-
ation Commission and held the office
until the commission was changed to
the State Industrial Commission. He
had also served as a member of the
Prison Reform Association of the
State of New York and was a director
of the Municipal Government Associa-
tion of the State of New York at the
time of his death.

As a consistent supporter of Demo-
cratic principles Mr. Mosher was once
a candidate for state senator, twice for
mayor and once for surrogate, and
had served as chairman of the Demo-
cratic county committee and was a
delegate to the Democratic national
convention in 1916.

When George D. B. Bonbright was
named as Monroe county food admin-
istrator he requested the co-operation
of Mr. Mosher as assistant and when
Mr. Bonbright was made deputy state
food administrator Mr. Mosher was
promptly selected by State Adminis-
trator Charles E. Treman to fill the
county food administration, in
which position he was engaged when
he contracted the illness which re-
sulted in his death.

He was a member of Psi Upsilon
and Sigma Xi fraternities, and presi-
dent of the Union College Alumni As-
sociation of the Genesee Valley in
1916. He was a member of the Uni-
versity Club, Rochester Athletic Club,
City Club and Rochester Chamber of
Commerce.

Feb. 18 High Tribute Paid Howard T. Mosher by Bar Association *Herald*

Rochester Bar Association paid tribute
to its late distinguished member, Howard
T. Mosher, in a set of resolutions adopted
at a special meeting yesterday. The asso-
ciation at this time also appointed a com-
mittee to represent it at the funeral. In
part the text of the resolutions read as fol-
lows:

Mr. Mosher never enjoyed robust health,
yet he overcame in a remarkable way his
lack of physical strength by his mental
power and courage. His studious nature
and mental ability enabled him to render
valuable service to his clients, whom he
served faithfully with little thought of the
demands made upon his physical resources.

He always took a keen and active in-
terest in public affairs, and his pioneer
work as a member of the New York State
Workmen's Compensation Commission was
evidenced by the successful operation of the
system inaugurated by him. During his
last year he volunteered his services as
Monroe County Food Administrator and
the many vexing problems of this office
were solved by his patient, painstaking and
patriotic attention, with the result that his
administration was conspicuous for its
efficiency.

In the sudden and untimely death of
Howard T. Mosher, the bar of this city
has lost a studious and conscientious mem-
ber; the city of Rochester a loyal and un-
selfish citizen and his associates a cultured,
learned and lovable friend.

LONG CONNECTED WITH LUMBER AND IMPORTING BUSINESS *Herald*

Feb. 20 -
Robert Dewart, who died yesterday
morning, aged 53 years, was the son
of William Dewart, who was known
as the father of the protective tariff
policy of the Dominion of Canada.
He came to Rochester when he was
16 years old from Fenelon Falls,
Ontario, and not long after his arrival
took employment with the M. B.
Schantz Company.

Soon after his marriage in 1894 to
Elizabeth Bingham of Berlin (now
Kitchener), Ontario, Robert Dewart
went into the lumber business, and
had an office in the Granite Building
from soon after that time until the
fire of 1904. Not long after the fire
he went with the Lewis-Thompson
Importing Company, importers of mah-
ogany, and was its representative for
a number of years in Western Ontario
and other parts of Canada. He was
connected with this company until the
war broke out, when the difficulty of
obtaining mahogany greatly handi-
capped the business.

A year ago this week, Mr. Dewart
fell in Buffalo and broke an arm, and
from that accident he never recovered.
The break mended so that he could go
to Philadelphia, but there he became
worse, and after his return to Roches-
ter, he died in the General Hospital.

Mr. Dewart was a member of Mon-
roe Avenue Methodist Church for 25
years, and he was a member also of
Genesee Lodge, F. & A. M.; Monroe
Commandery, K. T., and Flower City
Council, United Commercial Travel-
ers.

Of Mr. Dewart's three sons, the eld-
est, Robert Karl Dewart, 20 years old,
is manager of the Mohican store in
Main Street West; William Frederick
was a student at the University of
Rochester, but last week took em-
ployment with the Eastman Kodak
Company, and Hugh Edward is at-
tending East High School. One of
two brothers, William T. of New York,
is vice president of the Frank Munsey
Company, and Hugh of Montclair,
N. J., is general manager of all the
Mohican stores. Mr. Dewart also
leaves his wife and four sisters, Miss
Cassie Dewart and Mrs. Margaret L.
MacDowell of Montclair, N. J.; Mrs.
C. J. Winslow of Philadelphia, Pa.,
and Mrs. Henry Drury of Pipersville,
Pa.

The funeral will take place from the
home, 41 Alliance Avenue, at 2
o'clock to-morrow afternoon.

Herald Feb. 18 - William J. Cramond, 1919

William J. Cramond died February 11
at his home at 119 East Dominick Street,
Rome, N. Y. He was born in Rochester
June 24, 1841, and shortly after the Civil
War began he enlisted in Company H, 78th
New York Volunteer Infantry. He rose
to be a first lieutenant. He was discharged
July 12, 1864. On his return to Rochester
he went into business with his father, John
Cramond, who was a contractor.

Mr. Cramond was a member of Roman
Lodge, F. and A. M.; Fort Stanwix Chap-
ter, R. A. M.; Rome Commandery, Knights
Templars; Zeba Grotto, M. O. V. P. E. R.,
and Skillin Post, G. A. R. He was high
priest of the chapter in 1890 and captain
general of the commandery in 1894-5.

He leaves two daughters, Mrs. A. I. Dale
and Miss Esther A. Cramond of Penfield;
one son, John H. Cramond of Albany; two
sisters, Mrs. George Copp and Mrs. William
Partridge of Rochester, and one brother,
Robert Cramond of Passaic, N. J.

Oldest American Numismatist and One of Founders of American Numismatic Society Buried on 86th Birthday

Headed
On what would have been his 86th birthday, Joseph Hooper, said to have been the oldest numismatist in the United States, will be buried to-day from his late home at 80 Emerson Street, the funeral to take place at 3 o'clock.

Mr. Hooper was born in Plymouth, England, February 19, 1833. It was there that he learned his trade as marble cutter at which he became expert. When 8 years old he started his collection of coins with an ancient coin for which he worked a considerable length of time. In the course of

tion of his work in the organization of this society he was awarded a life membership in the association at its convention in this city in 1912. He also was made the recipient of one of every medal struck off to commemorate the annual conventions since the organization. The very seal of the association is the work of Mr. Hooper, being a drawing of the first medal for the society, a copy of which hangs in his late home.

Mr. Hooper was proud of his handwriting and took great pride in writing the Lord's Prayer within a circle drawn around a ten cent piece, every word of which was clearly legible.

Came to America in 1851

It was in the year 1851 that Mr. Hooper first came to America, and, after staying a few months in this city, moved to Canada, where he took up monumental work at Port Hope. He remained there a number of years, always keeping in touch with this city.

Crosses Lake Many Times.

During the Civil War Mr. Hooper made many trips across Lake Ontario. Horse raising was one of the principal industries about Port Hope and Cobourg at that time, and many persons wishing monuments and being unable to pay for them in cash offered horses in part payment. These were accepted and, when he had accumulated enough, he sailed across the lake to Charlotte with these horses and showed them in a line where Pindell Alley is now, between Powers Hotel and Powers Block. Here it was that Rochesterians came and purchased Canadian bred horses of Mr. Hooper. He made more than 300 voyages across the lake.

Among his numerous accomplishments was singing, and in his frequent trips to this city he always took time to visit the wounded soldiers that were brought back from the southern front and entertained them by singing selections of which the men were fond.

Up to the time of his death Mr. Hooper always enjoyed excellent health, a fact which he believed was due to his temperate life and interest in the affairs of the day.



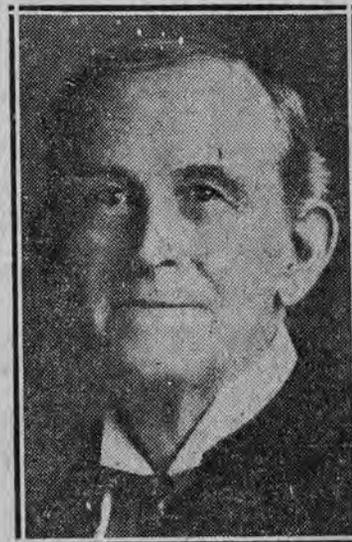
JOSEPH HOOPER.

his life he gathered old coins valued at \$15,000, the greater part of which he disposed of in recent years.

At the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893, Mr. Hooper, with a group of numismatists from other parts of the country, founded the American Numismatic Association, and in apprecia-

Daily Death Roll. *Times Union* Abram H. Cushman, Pioneer Seedsman, Is Dead At Home *Feb. 20-1919*

Abram H. Cushman, for many years prominently identified with the seed business in Rochester, died yesterday

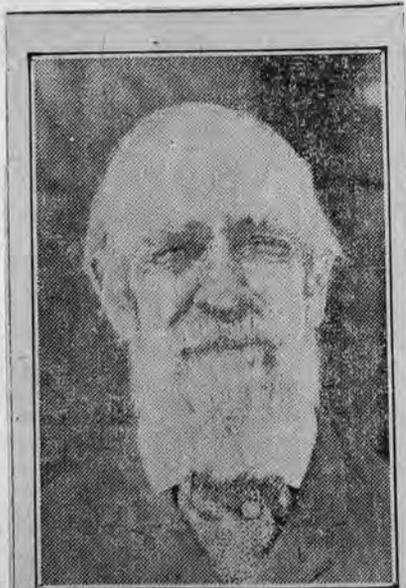


ABRAM H. CUSHMAN.

at his home, 230 Magee avenue, in the 83d years of his age. He leaves one son, William G. Cushman of this city. The funeral will take place from the house at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and interment will be at Mt. Hope.

Abram H. Cushman was of New England ancestry, being a direct descendant of Robert Cushman, who boarded the Mayflower but with other Puritans was compelled to make the journey to the New World in the Speedwell. Abram H. Cushman was born July 22, 1836, at Raymertown, near Troy, and at the age of 14 years came to Rochester to enter school and to stay with an elder brother, William T. Cushman, with whom he was later associated in the grocery business. Later he entered the seed business and for eight years was manager of the Cleveland Seed Company in New York City. Then he returned to Rochester and engaged in the seed business with which he was connected at the time of his death.

Mr. Cushman was the representative from the Second Ward in the Board of Aldermen in the early 70's. He was a member of Rochester Lodge, F. and A. M., and also of the Protectives.



JOSEPH HOOPER.

Aged Numismatist Who Died at His Home Here Sunday.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post—Jan. 23
E. SMITH MUNN, 1919

Funeral of City's First Mayor's Grandson Held This Afternoon.

The funeral of E. Smith Munn, grandson of the first mayor of Rochester, was held this afternoon from the family home, 103 Plymouth avenue. Rev. Elijah A. Hanley, D. D., pastor of First Baptist church, officiated at the services at the house and later at the committal service in Mt. Hope.

Bearers were: Edward L. Williams, Augustine J. Cunningham, W. Osborne Ashley, J. Archibald DuPuy, Abram J. Mann and James C. Dryer.



CHARLES A. WEBSTER
Prominent Citizen and Former Public Official.

WAS HEAD OF THE PENITENTIARY TWENTY-ONE YEARS

Post
Funeral of Charles Alvin Webster to Be
Held To-Morrow--Burial at

Feb. 20-1919
Spencerport.
Funeral services for Charles Alvin Webster, who died yesterday at his home, 221 Alexander street, will be conducted at the home to-morrow at 2 o'clock by Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian church. Burial will be in Spencerport and the services at the grave will be in charge of the Masonic order.

Mr. Webster was for twenty-one years prior to 1909 superintendent of the Monroe County Penitentiary. He returned recently from California and was apparently in excellent health until three weeks ago when he caught a severe cold which developed into influenza. He was born in the town of Ogden, August 19, 1844, the son of Alvin and Cornelia Bailey Webster. He was educated at Genesee Wesleyan Seminary. He married Miss Harriet Doty of Adams Basin in 1866. She died some years ago and in August, 1913, he married Kate Cecil Johnston of Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. Webster had been active in politics for forty years. He was for three years a customs inspector in Charlotte and in 1868 was appointed a deputy sheriff by Sherrif Campbell. This office he held until 1888 when the Board of Supervisors appointed him Superintendent of the penitentiary. He held this position twenty-one years, resigning in 1909.

He was one of the oldest members of Etolian lodge, 479, F. and A. M., of Spencerport. He was a 32d degree Mason, a member of Rochester Consistory, A. A. Scottish Rite, a member of the Whist club and of various political organizations. Besides his wife he leaves one brother Judson H. Webster of 107 Adams street.

MRS. SUSAN B. NAGLE DIES

Post
Feb. 21
Charter Member of South Congregational Church Was 85 Years Old.

Mrs. Susan Bodell Nagle, widow of John Nagle, died yesterday at her home, No. 515 South avenue, at the advanced age of 85 years. Mrs. Nagle was born in Selkirk, Ontario, Canada, in 1834. She was a daughter of Adam Bodell, a soldier who fought under Napoleon in 1814. She came to Rochester in 1852 and married John Nagle, who was one of the earlier occupants of the old Central Market in Front street, and later followed the market business for twenty-five years in South avenue.

Mrs. Nagle was a charter member of the South Congregational Church and during her earlier life was active in church work. She leaves a daughter, Mrs. F. H. Corbuser; four sons, John A., Jacob E., Roswell P. and C. Eugene Nagle; ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the house. Interment will be made in Mount Hope cemetery. *1919*

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post ELIZA NORTON HINDS.

Widow of Prominent Mill Operator
Feb. 26-1919
Died at Age of 87.

Eliza Norton Hinds, widow of James A. Hinds, for years prominent in the flour milling industry in Rochester, died yesterday at her home 388 Lake avenue, aged 87 years. She was born March 27, 1832, in Bridgewater, Mich. The family afterwards moved to Aurora, Ill., where she married James A. Hinds in 1853. In 1868 she moved to Rochester with her husband and he became interested in the milling business which he followed until his death fifteen years ago.

Mrs. Hinds was active in First Unitarian church until the beginning of her last illness in October, and was one of the supporters of the Boys Evening Home. She was for many years president of the Browning club and was always interested in literary affairs. She was noted for her liberality and unselfish character, and there will be many friends who will mourn her loss. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. William C. Walker of Rochester and Mrs. Francis L. Schoeffel of Scranton, Pa., five grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the home and burial will be private.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald Mrs. Catharine A. Begy Caffery.

Mrs. Catharine Adelaide Begy Caffery died suddenly at the home, 58 Rugby Avenue, yesterday afternoon. She leaves her husband, George H. Caffery of Caffery & Evans, plumbers at 366 Main Street West; two sons, G. Walter and Thomas R. Caffery; two daughters, Della A. and Marion K. Caffery; her mother, Mrs. Catharine Begy, and one sister, Miss Lillian M. Begy.

Mrs. Caffery was a daughter of Colonel George A. Begy, an officer in the Civil War. The father was born in Rochester and was the first superintendent of letter carriers of the city. Mrs. Caffery was a member of St. Augustine's Church, of Loretta Circle, of St. Aloysius' Guild and of the L. C. B. A., in all of which organizations she was active. *Feb. 26-1919*

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post JOHN H. RITCHIE.

Death of Newspaper Man Formerly of
Feb. 28 Rochester, 1919

John H. Ritchie, formerly of the editorial staff of The Post Express, died Sunday at his home, 2628 Emerson avenue, South Minneapolis, Minn. He had been ill for some months and had gone to Los Angeles in November in hope of building up his health, but returned to Minneapolis some weeks ago.

John Ritchie was one of the best known newspaper writers in the country, both as an authority on sports and as a humorous writer, and while in this city he made a host of friends. He was a member of the local staff of this paper, sporting editor and writer of special stories and bits of humorous verse. He was born near Carlinville, Ill., July 9, 1873, the only son of Frederick Barnard and Sarah H. Ritchie. His father was a newspaperman, and the boy started in the business, going through the mechanical side. His education was received in the Waverly, Ill., high school.

His first experience on a city newspaper was with the "St. Louis Globe-Democrat" and about 1890 he turned to sporting writing for the St. Louis "Star-Sayings," specializing on cycling.

With the death of his father in 1897 he took charge of the paper his father had established, the Waverly "Journal," and operated it for about two years, then sold it, and with Warren Case of Jacksonville, Ill., established the "Central Illinois Democrat" in Jacksonville. The venture was unsuccessful and Mr. Ritchie became advertising manager of the Decatur, Ill., "Review." From there he went to the advertising department of "Trade," Detroit, Mich., and thence came to Rochester and The Post Express. For the past 15 years he had been a member of the staff of the Minneapolis "Journal," at one time city editor but generally in charge of sports.

Mr. Ritchie leaves a wife and three children—a daughter, Dorothy and two sons, Fred and Robert.

The funeral service was conducted at the home, Tuesday afternoon and interment was at Waverly, Ill.

Post WILLIAM WHITLEY.

Father of State Senator and Veteran
Feb. 27 of Civil War Dies, 1919

William Whitley, father of State Senator James L. Whitley, died yesterday at the home 760 North street, aged 73 years. Mr. Whitley was born in Rochester and was a member of Mack's Eighteenth New York Battery during the Civil War. Since the close of the war he had been secretary and historian of that organization. He was a charter member of O'Rourke Post, G. A. R., and one of the founders of St. Mark's Episcopal church and was a warden there for a number of years.

Besides his son he leaves his wife, one daughter, Elizabeth Whitley and two brothers, John and James W. Whitley, all of Rochester. The funeral will be held from St. Mark's church Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Rochester Young Woman Y Worker Dies Overseas

D. & C. Feb. 26 - 1919

New York, Feb. 20.—The death overseas of four Y. M. C. A. workers, three of them women, were announced today at the headquarters here of the National War Work Council of the organization. Among them was Blanche A. Rowley, of Rochester, N. Y., who died in Liverpool. The cause of her death was not given.

Miss Rowley signified her intentions of entering Y. M. C. A. work some time ago, but it was not until about six weeks before the armistice was signed that she was accepted by the Rochester committee.

Miss Rowley was 22 years old. She was born and brought up in Rochester. She attended No. 27 and No. 18 schools and East High School. Before joining the Y war workers, she was secretary to Frank Gebbie, president of the Mohawk Condensed Milk Company, with offices in the Granite building. Miss Rowley was closely connected with activities at the East Avenue Baptist Church, where on Sundays she was a regular attendant.

Besides her father, Miss Rowley leaves a sister, Miss Maude Rowley, and two brothers, William and Howard Rowley.

Miss Rowley is the first woman of this city to give her life for the Red Triangle cause. Word of her death was received in a cablegram by her father, William L. Rowley, of No. 658 Main street east, on Monday. It stated that she had died of pneumonia. On the Thursday previous, a cablegram was received that stated that Miss Rowley was seriously ill.

NINETEEN YEARS SUPERINTENDENT OF CITY STREETS

Post- Feb. 27
Richard Husbands Dies from Heart Disease—But 14 Years Old When
in Civil War, 1919

Richard Husbands, nineteen years a member of the public works department of the city, died last night at his home, 1 Rundal park. Though under the doctor's care the past four years, he was at his work yesterday forenoon. In the afternoon he visited his physician and upon returning home told his daughter of his approaching end and even went so far as to give instructions as to the funeral.

Mr. Husbands was 72 years old. He was a member of I. F. Quinby post, 409 G. A. R. In the Civil war he served with Company K, N.Y. Heavy Artillery. He often told that he was but 14 years old when he enlisted and had to swear he was 16.

Mr. Husbands came to Rochester as a railroad man. He was brought here by the New York Central from the Fall Brook road, now one of the New York Central branches. He was yardmaster here when the present trestle across the Genesee river was built. From the railroad he went into the meat business and for years conducted a meat market in the old Culver block on University avenue. That was then in a section of the city called East Rochester.

On March 1, 1900, J. Herbert Grant, commissioner of public works, appointed Mr. Husbands general superintendent of streets, and he had held that title since, though in recent years he had direct charge only of the streets of the east side. He leaves three daughters, Miss E. Husbands and Mrs. C. Wellman, of Rochester, and Mrs. Clark Brown, of Forest Hills Garden, N. Y.

DEWITT C. GIBBONS, WIDELY KNOWN DEALER IN MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND A NATIVE OF ROCHESTER, DIES AT 69

Herald Feb. 26 - 1919

DeWitt C. Gibbons of Gibbons & Stone, the oldest piano and musical instrument store in Western New York, died yesterday morning at his home, 229 Dartmouth Street. He was born in Rochester March 12, 1849, and so was in his 70th year.

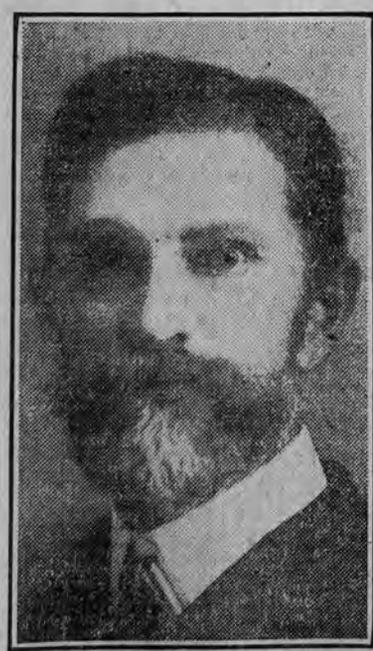
Mr. Gibbons was a lifelong resident of Rochester. He was educated here, and was graduated with the class of '71 from the University of Rochester, where he was a member of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity.

When their father died, DeWitt C.

and Arthur J. Gibbons, the sons, took his place in the firm, in partnership with the surviving member, Lyman L. Stone, and on Mr. Stone's death, in 1890, they continued the partnership with Mrs. Stone. DeWitt C. Gibbons was one of the best known men in the musical instrument business in the Eastern States.

Mr. Gibbons was a member of Valley Lodge 109, F. and A. M. Besides his brother, he leaves his wife, Martha C. Gibbons, and two daughters, Ruby S. Gibbons and Mrs. J. Wade Becker of Fairport.

The funeral will be held at the home at 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon.



DEWITT C. GIBBONS,
Business Man Whose Funeral Was
Held This Afternoon.

FIRST-GRADE TEACHER DIES

D. & C. Jan. 23
Rose E. Larwood Was Student of
First-Grade Problems. 1919

Rose E. Larwood, a teacher in Concord School, No. 18, died at the Hahnemann Hospital on Saturday, January 18th, after a brief illness.

For ten years before going to Concord School she was a first-grade teacher in Riley School, No. 29. She was considered one of the most successful primary grade teachers of the city. At her own request she was given, in September, 1918, an opportunity to make a special study of first-grade problems among foreign children. This work was undertaken in Concord School.

As chairman of the Program Committee of the First Grade Association she performed important service. Under her leadership many first-grade problems were carefully investigated and valuable data collected. She was said to be a keen student of educational psychology and in the highest and best sense of the term a teacher. Teachers said yesterday that in her death the school of Rochester have suffered a distinct loss.

ARMIN BUCHTERKIRCH. Well Known Artist, Painter of Portraits and Landscapes, Dies.

Post- Feb. 28 - 1919
Armin Buchterkirch, artist and portrait painter, died to-day at his home, 84 Avenue D. He leaves his wife, Harriet Buchterkirch. Funeral services will be held from the home to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial will be in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Mr. Buchterkirch was born in Rochester and after his graduation from the public schools, took up the lithographing business. This he followed for several years and then he went to Munich to study art. Returning to Rochester he took up art in a serious way. He has painted portraits for a number of Rochesterians, but he is known best for his charming landscapes which have pleased visitors to the annual exhibit of the Rochester Art club since 1890, when he became a member.

For a number of years Mr. Buchterkirch had been spending his winters in California and the Bermudas and it was here that he gathered the materials for his best work. His work is much better known in these resorts than in Rochester for he usually set up a studio there and painted local scenes which he sold to the visitors.

Physician of Prominence Mortally Stricken When Driving His Automobile

D. & E.
**Dr. William B. Jones,
Active in Chamber
of Commerce as
well as in His Pro-
fession, Succumbs
to Heart Attack.**

Mich. 2-1919
Rochester lost one of its most skilled surgeon and physicians yesterday when Dr. William B. Jones, of No. 525 Lake avenue, died suddenly at about noon. He was attacked with heart disease when driving his automobile in South avenue, in front of the building of the Genesee Amusement Company.

Dr. Jones turned the automobile toward the curb, shut off the engine, and sat weaving in his seat as the car started to run over the curb on to the walk. When the machine collided with another and stopped Dr. Jones apparently collapsed.

Roy C. Draper, of No. 43 Linden street, was nearly run down by Dr. Jones's car. He was walking in South avenue and had to spring to one side to avoid being struck. The jar of the collision at the curb caused Dr. Jones to fall forward, and his head came into contact with the steering wheel with sufficient force to cut a slight gash in the forehead.

Death Comes Quickly.

Mr. Draper and others lifted Dr. Jones from the car and carried him into the hall of the Genesee Amusement Company. He gasped as he was being carried and died in a few seconds. A hurry call was sent for an ambulance, and one of the Hahnemann Hospital's responded, but the physician had ceased to breath when it arrived. Coroner Thomas A. Killip was notified and went to South avenue. He directed the removal of the body to the Jones home and later granted a certificate.

The death of Dr. Jones was a severe shock to Mrs. Jones. She was not told of it until her arrival home late in the afternoon. None of the family had any thought that he was ailing in any way.

Dr. Jones was an osteologist of repute. He was connected with leading medical societies, and took an active part in the work of the Chamber of Commerce, of whose Public Health and Americanization committees he was a member. A few years ago he served as a chairman of the Public Health Committee and went to Albany a number of times on legislative matters for the chamber.

Found Time for Service to City.

A. E. Crockett, assistant secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, said last night:

"Dr. Jones served the Chamber of Commerce as few men have served it. As a member of the Public Health Committee he did noble work, giving much time to the affairs of the committee. When he was chairman he was an excellent one. Dr. Jones was a much-interested member of the Americanization Committee of the chamber. The chamber has lost one of its most devoted members."



DR. WILLIAM B. JONES.

Dr. Jones was born in New York fifty-seven years ago and came to Rochester when a child. He lived first in Macedon, and then moved to Greece, near the city line. He attended School No. 7 and other schools before going to the University of Michigan. In 1884 he received his degree of doctor of medicine from Columbia. After obtaining his degree he served for a year as interne at St. Peter's Hospital, Brooklyn. Then he began to practice medicine and moved to Rochester. For a long time he was a member of the surgical staff of St. Mary's Hospital.

Enrolled in Medical Corps.

Last Wednesday Dr. Jones was mustered out of the service of the United States Medical Corps, in which he held a commission as captain. He volunteered for service at the beginning of the war, and had charge of the examination of physicians volunteering from this section.

Dr. Jones was the first president of the Rochester Medical Association and at his death was a member of its Board of Directors. He at various times held the presidency of other medical organizations. Among the medical societies with which he was connected are the Rochester Medical Association, American Medical Association, New York State Medical Society, Rochester Pathological Society, Rochester Academy of Medicine and Monroe Medical Association.

Since 1898 Dr. Jones had been an elder of Brick Presbyterian Church.

Funeral Monday Afternoon.

The funeral will take place at 3:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon from the home. Burial will be made at Mount Hope cemetery. Rev. William R. Taylor, D. D., pastor of the Brick Church, will conduct the service.

Dr. Jones leaves his wife, Mrs. Catherine Jones; four daughters, Miss M. Elizabeth Jones, in training at the Johns Hopkins Training School for Nurses, Baltimore; Miss Winifred Jones, in Y. M. C. A. work in France; Mrs. Benjamin Forsyth, of this city, and Mrs. Herbert Ward, of Bushnell's Basin; a sister, Mrs. Beekman Rouse, of Geneva, and two grandchildren.

Action by Medical Societies.

A joint meeting of the Medical Society of Monroe County, the Rochester Pathological Society, the Rochester Academy of Medicine, the Rochester Medical Association and the Rochester Hospital Medical Society was held last night in the Rochester Medical Association building to take action on the death of Dr. Jones. The following expression was adopted:

"These societies in special meeting assembled for that purpose desire to put in words an appreciation of their great loss in the sudden death of Dr. William B. Jones. Dr. Jones has been for many years prominently identified with all medical and surgical activities of Rochester and vicinity, having held a leading position in all the medical societies and hospital services of the city. He was a member of the staff of St. Mary's Hospital and gave in unstinted degree the full measure of devotion to the arduous labors of his chosen profession. Even when handicapped by the results of serious illness he was not willing to curtail his work, but added to his duties by enlisting in the service of his country and faithfully performing the work he was called upon to do. The medical profession can ill afford to lose the co-operation of so faithful and conscientious a fellow physician."

GEORGE BELMONT.

Post
Veteran of Civil War Dies at Soldiers'

Home—Burial Here.

Mele. 31-1919
George Belmont died Friday at the Soldiers' Home in Bath, aged 76 years. He was a veteran of the Civil War, serving in Company B, 140th New York Volunteers. He leaves five sons, John, George, Benjamin and Charles, of this city, and William of Springfield, Mass., one daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Franklin.

The funeral will be held from the home of his daughter, 601 South avenue, Wednesday morning at 8.40 and at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's church.

MARY CHILD WALKER.

Death of Wife of John A. Van Ingen
—Prominent in Church Work.

Mary Child Walker, wife of John A. Van Ingen, died to-day at the family home, 1376 Highland avenue. Besides her husband, she leaves three brothers, Albert C. Walker, William C. Walker and Edward H. Walker.

The funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon with services at Christ Episcopal church at 4.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Van Ingen had been a member of Christ Episcopal church from childhood and had been a great many years one of the most prominent workers in the parish. She was a member of the Parish Aid society and at one time its president; a member of the Woman's Auxiliary and of the Girls' Friendly society of the church; a visitor of the Rochester Female Charitable society; a member of the Humane society and a member of the board of managers of the Hahnemann hospital.

Of her work in Christ church, the rector Rev. David L. Ferris, said it could not be over-estimated and that she had been a wonderful help and a great inspiration to him. She was a woman of remarkably beautiful Christian character.

FUNERAL OF DR. WILLIAM B. JONES THIS AFTERNOON

Post
Last Services for Prominent Surgeon
Who Died Suddenly in His

Automobile Saturday.

Med. 3-1919
Funeral services for Dr. William B. Jones, physician and surgeon, who died suddenly Saturday afternoon, were held at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon from the home, 525 Lake avenue and were conducted by Rev. Dr. William R. Taylor, pastor of Brick Presbyterian church. The services were attended by many prominent business and professional men among them C. C. Beahan, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who represented that organization of which Dr. Jones was a prominent member, and Dr. Henry T. Williams, who represented the medical associations.

The active bearers were Dr. James B. Woodruff, Dr. John Ottoway of Charlotte, Dr. Albert Snell, Dr. Albert E. Sager, Frederick Miller and Edward B. Miller. The honorary bearers were Dr. Frederick W. Zimmer, Dr. Charles R. Barber, A. B. Lamberton, John Desmond, and Captain Wright, who represented the Medical corps of the United States army. Burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Dr. Jones was born in New York city fifty-seven years ago and came to Rochester when a child. After preparatory education here he went to the University of Michigan. His degree of M. D. was received from Columbia in 1884. For a year thereafter he served as an interne at St. Peter's hospital, Brooklyn, then started to practice medicine and moved back to Rochester. Later he became a member of the surgical staff of St. Mary's hospital. Last Wednesday he was mustered out of service of the United States Medical corps, having held a commission as captain. He volunteered at the beginning of hostilities on the part of the United States and had charge of the examination of physicians volunteering from this section.

Dr. Jones, besides being an osteologist of repute, took interest in public health matters. He was a member of the Chamber of Commerce's public health and Americanization committees and, a few years ago, served as chairman of the city's Public Health committee. He was the first president of the Rochester Medical society and a member of the board of directors at the time of his death. Since 1898 he had been an elder of Brick Presbyterian church.

A various times Dr. Jones held presidencies in other medical bodies. Among the medical societies with which he was connected are the Rochester Medical association, American Medical association, New York State Medical society, Rochester Pathological society, Rochester Academy of Medicine and Monroe Medical association.

At a meeting of the Medical society of Monroe county, the Rochester Pathological society, the Rochester Academy of Medicine, the Rochester Medical association and the Rochester Hospital Medical society, last night in the Rochester Medical association building, a resolution of regret, paying a high tribute to Dr. Jones, was adopted.

Death of Long-time Leader in the W. C. T. U.

Post
A resident of this city since she was 20 years of age and most of that time active in women's affairs, Sarah J. Vosburgh died yesterday, aged 82 years.

There were few women better known throughout the county than this quiet, gentle, little person, fired with the zeal of reform, who spent the greater part of her sixty-two years here in fighting for temperance. While lying helpless on her sick bed news was brought to her that the prohibition amendment had been ratified by more than a sufficient number of states to make it operative. That she was deeply moved was shown in her feeble attempt to clap her hands.

Nearly everybody knew and respected Sarah Vosburgh, and this is especially true of the newspaper men. For more than twenty-five years she was superintendent of press work for the Monroe county W. C. T. U., and much of the publicity pertaining to its activities she personally conveyed to the offices so that she became a familiar figure in them. All of the city editors knew her and to-day they express the most kindly sentiments regarding her.

Often at odds with people in the stand she took for temperance and on other questions of welfare, she never failed to hold the respect of even her most bitter opponent. Quiet and dignified, she went about the city seeking what good she might do, saying little about herself or her personal effort in behalf of others, but always intent in doing the greatest good her abilities and energies could accomplish. Few knew of the mission school she carried on Sunday afternoons for many years in Prospect street where she gave freely of herself in an effort to bring about the return of the erring and make easy their way to peace, but she carried on the work as diligently as she did her W. C. T. U. activities.

For all of her long residence here she was a member of the First Methodist church. Miss Vosburgh was a daughter of Cornelius and Mary Lathrop Vosburgh, and a sister of W. J. Vosburgh, a pioneer drygoods dealer in West avenue. She was born in Kinderhook, Columbia county. Her father died when she was a young child and in her twentieth year her mother with her children removed to this city. For many years Miss Vosburgh taught art and maintained a studio here.

As a W. C. T. U. advocate she was a delegate to many of the early conventions of that association and knew personally nearly all of the great leaders in the temperance movement. She was in close association with Susan B. Anthony in temperance work and they were frequently Rochester's delegates to the same conventions. She was a suffragist, but never became a conspicuous advocate of votes for women.

Speaking of her to-day, Mrs. Mary Bishop, former county president of the W. C. T. U., said: "I first came to know Miss Vosburgh at least twenty-eight years ago. She was then very active in temperance reform, and was doing a great deal in the way of press

work. Her vigilance and diligence in that respect could not be equaled. She had engaged in temperance work since early girlhood and was instrumental in organizing and was a charter member of the Monroe County W. C. T. U. Her faithfulness and indomitable will and faith in the ultimate success of prohibition was remarkable. She was for many years secretary of the Eleventh Ward W. C. T. U., and was especially interested in work for children. She was superintendent of press work for the county union at least twenty-five years."

Eleven years ago Miss Vosburgh suffered a stroke of paralysis, but later recovered so that she resumed her former activities. Three years ago she had another attack, but again recovered sufficiently to be active for a woman of her years. She was again stricken in October and had since been too ill to get about.

Six weeks ago her sister, Mrs. R. R. Odell, came from Minneapolis, Minn., her home, to assist in her care. Besides Mrs. Odell, Miss Vosburgh leaves another sister, Mrs. Helen Pierce, of this city, and one brother, George Vosburgh, of Hudson, Mich.

The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at Chestnut and Court streets at 2.30 o'clock. Members of the W. C. T. U. will assemble there at 2.15 o'clock to attend the services.

TRIBUTE PAID DR. JONES BY BRICK CHURCH SESSION

Med. Herald 1919
Brick Church Session met yesterday to adopt resolutions on the death of Dr. William B. Jones, who had been a member of that body for eighteen years. The resolutions paid tribute to the high character of Dr. Jones, as well as to his devotion to his family and his profession and his consistent interest in church work. A singularly appropriate paragraph read: "The calmness, the unbroken poise and the quiet cheerfulness of his nature veiled, but never concealed, a character of extraordinary strength and a heart that always overflowed with loving kindness."

DEATHS—FUNERALS CHARLES ALLEN CLINE.

Post
Veteran Resident of Rochester Dies

Apr. 2 at His Home. 1919
Charles Allen Cline, 62 years old, died to-day at the family home, 15 Rowley street. He leaves his wife, Alberta Holdridge Cline. He was born in Amenia, N. Y., but was brought here by his parents when an infant.

He received his education in the schools of Rochester and later was graduated from the University of Rochester. Of late years he was in the real estate business and before that for a long time had been employed in Rochester banks.

HAD LIVED FOR NEAR CENTURY

Mrs. Mary Gretton Dies at
Age of 95 Years.

ENTERTAINED BY VICTORIA

D. & C.
Was Among Children Who Shared in
Festivities of Queen's Coronation
—Took Long Journeys After She
Reached Age of 80 Years

McL. 7-1919

Mrs. Mary Gretton died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. M. Gretton, No. 433 Flower City park, at the age of 95 years. She had been ill about one week and apparently was not afflicted except by the failing strength of advanced age.

It was Mrs. Gretton's fortune to live in several of the world's most interesting periods. In England she saw in her childhood the woman who later was Queen Victoria and on one occasion shook hands with her. She shared in festivities which the Queen gave to some of the little people in her kingdom when she was crowned. She has seen the



MRS. MARY A. GRETTON.

United States take part in three wars, and given a son for one. With her memory enriched through her long life she had the ability to entertain her friends with interesting tales.

Saw Queen as a Child.

When about 12 years old, Mrs. Gretton, then Mary A. Burgess, came from England with her parents. Their former home was in Staffordshire. It was while attending school there on the estate of Lord Baggett that she first saw England's future queen. Then a young woman of less than 20 years, she visited near the school, and one day as she crossed land on the estate the children scattered flowers in her path. She was then only niece of King George the Fourth. As she came nearer to where the children were grouped, she shook hands with each. Not long afterwards, when she became queen, she helped celebrate her coronation by entertaining many of the children in one of the parks, and Mary Burgess was among those little guests. She also remembers later seeing the Queen's husband, Prince Al-

bert, who accompanied the voyage to America in the Queen's vessel. After reaching New York the members of the party came to Albany, then took a boat on the Erie canal. This was then quite a popular way to travel and through part of the day a band played on the deck of the canal boat. Mary and her parents had their first home in this country in Michigan, reaching the wilds of that state by traveling in a prairie schooner. Only three months after reaching his Western home, her father died. The family soon moved back to New York state, settling on a farm near Brockport, in the vicinity of Rochester.

George Gretton, also a native of England, came to this country and went to live in the same section. He and Miss Burgess were married, and took a farm of their own. They were the parents of five children. The only one not now living was William Gretton, who enlisted in the Spanish-American war, and when serving was taken ill and died in the Philippine Islands.

Mr. Gretton died a number of years ago. Since rearing her family Mrs. Gretton has been considerable of a traveler. She made frequent trips to Michigan and since she has been 80 years old went there, to the Thousand Islands, and to Philadelphia.

Until her eyes failed she was a great reader. She had a remarkable memory, retaining the impressions of scenes and events that now seem in this generation to belong only in history. She came of an old and noble family, and its heirlooms and its annals made fascinating stories. She had old silver and other relics, now scattered among her relatives and friends.

The funeral will be held on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of Mrs. L. M. Gretton, No. 433 Flower City park. The burial will take place in Lake View cemetery, near Brockport, where Mr. Gretton lies. Mrs. Mary Gretton leaves four children, Mrs. Ellen Whiteher, of No. 12 Strathallan park; Mrs. George Hewes, of Barnards; Mrs. L. M. Gretton, of No. 433 Flower City park, and G. Frank Gretton, for many years with the Fire Department, and now in business in Arnett boulevard.

FUNERAL OF HENRY H. RICH

Takes Place from Home and Is
Largely Attended—Masonic Honors

D. & C. McL. 26-1919



H. H. RICH.

The funeral of Henry H. Rich, who died on Saturday night in Clifton Springs Sanitarium, took place yesterday from the home, No. 1,011 Monroe avenue. Many friends attended the services. Rev. E. P. Hubbell, of Shepard street, officiated. Numerous floral tributes from intimate friends covered the casket and tables. Mrs. Lucille Davis sang "Lead, Kindly Light." The Masons conducted burial services at Mount Hope cemetery.

Mr. Rich was well known in commercial and literary circles in Western New York. He came here twenty-five years ago from Nova Scotia, where he was born. In his later years, he had been identified with the real estate business. He had been a member of the Chamber of Commerce, a charter member of the Ad Club, a member of the Whist Club and the Pinnacle Club. He leaves his wife and a daughter, Miss Doris Rich, both of Rochester.

JULIUS M. KRAUSNECK DIES

D. & C. McL. 13
Man Long Resident of Rochester

Dies in Los Angeles, Cal. *1920*

Julius M. Krausneck, long a resident of this city, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 1,853 West Fifty-first street, Los Angeles, Cal. He lived practically all his life in Rochester, removing about six years ago to California. While here he built up an extensive hardware business, and was interested in real estate. He retired from business shortly before leaving this city and spent much time in traveling.

In 1893 he married Miss Cora Young, of this city, whom he leaves. He leaves also a sister, Miss Christine Krausneck, who resides in California. Mr. Krausneck was a member of North Presbyterian Church and of Corinthian Temple Lodge, F. and A. M.

P. 151 Kate Amelia Drake.

Kate Amelia Drake died at Emporia, Kan., March 27th, at the age of 75 years. She was a daughter of Cornelius Crowley and was born in Strong street, now 91 Columbia avenue, in the old Third ward and saw Rochester first lighted by gas in 1849. Her sisters were Julia, wife of Michael McCarthy; Margaret, wife of Nelson B. Hines, and Mary, wife of John Cyrus Wilson. Her brother, Michael, served in the Civil war. In 1868 she married Irving Oliver Drake and was the mother of eight children. *McL. 1919*

Manager of Factory of Eastman Kodak Company Taken by Sudden Death

D. & C. — Feb. 11-1919

Leaving his home yesterday morning in apparent good health, Fred W. Barnes, manager of the Hawk-Eye Works of the Eastman Kodak Company, was stricken with apoplexy in his office late yesterday afternoon, and he died early last evening after being taken to his home, No. 284 Westminster road.

Mr. Barnes was born in Evans Mills in 1870. He had been connected with the Hawk-Eye Works for the past eighteen years, and since September 1, 1903, had been manager. Before becoming manager he traveled for the company. He conducted a bicycle store before entering the company's employ.

It was said at his home last night that Mr. Barnes had been in ill health for some time.

Details of the funeral arrangements have not yet been completed, although it already has been decided to hold them sometime to-morrow and that Rev. William R. Taylor, minister of the Brick Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Barnes was a member, will officiate. Burial will be made in Rochester.

Mr. Barnes was a member of the Rochester Club and the Chamber of Commerce. He leaves his father, Randall Barnes, of Vermont; his wife, Mrs. Estelle Huntington Barnes; a daughter, Elizabeth Barnes, and an uncle, Asa Barnes, of Syracuse.



FRED W. BARNES.

7 Feb. 23
Daily Death Roll, 1919

J. J. ...
Mrs. Mary A. West McCoy.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. West McCoy, who died yesterday at her home, 83 Richmond street, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Mrs. McCoy was born in Plattsburg in 1839, the daughter of Hall and Mary West. In 1846 her parents came to Rochester and moved into the house at 83 Richmond street. The house was rebuilt when she was seven years of age and she had lived in it ever since, a period of 73 years. At that time Main street east extended only as far as Scio street and the University campus was a dense woods. She attended the old Summit street school and at the completion of School 14 marched with the class when it was transferred to the new building. Last year was the only time that she did not attend the annual reunion of her class.

The first city tax paid by Mrs. McCoy's parents amounted to \$1.50. At that time she could stand in the doorway and see the New York Central trains pass. In January, 1871, she was married to Francis McCoy. She was one of the oldest members of Christ Episcopal Church and always took an active interest in its work.

She leaves one son, Frank West McCoy; one daughter, Mrs. James J. Phillips; two granddaughters and one niece, Mrs. H. B. Ayres.

FUNERAL OF MARIA L. SMITH

D. & C.
Her Grandfather Servid in Revolution. Member of O. E. S.

7 Feb. 15-1919
The funeral of Maria L. Smith, of No. 229 Lexington avenue, who died on Sunday, April 13th, took place yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Smith was born on May 12, 1844, in Suffolk, Va. Her parents were Miles and Mourning Lassiter. Her grandfather was Nathaniel Lassiter and her great grandfather was Colonel Willis Riddick, who served in the Revolution. On July 17, 1865, at the close of the Civil war, she was married to Hervey H. Smith at Suffolk, Va., and they came North. She had lived in Rochester about forty-eight years. She leaves two children, Mrs. Edward A. Bennett and George H. Smith, and a grandson, Hervey E. Bennett. Several nephews and nieces live in the South.

Mrs. Smith was a life member of Monroe Chapter, No. 57, O. E. S., and the oldest member of the Episcopal Church of the Ascension. The services were conducted by Rev. W. C. Compton, rector of the church. Mrs. Sadie Austin, Mrs. Nola Kron and Mrs. Mabel Young sang two favorite selections. The bearers were William Pidgeon, Jr., and F. A. Bigelow, representing the neighborhood; Franklin Adsit and Sam B. Ray, representing Monroe Chapter; and Henry Brown and Charles L. Raymond, representing the church. Burial was in Mount Hope cemetery.

New York city where he had lived at the Murray Hill hotel.

Mr. Ely was the last survivor of five sons of the late Dr. William W. Ely, after the death in 1911 of Dr. William S. Ely, probably one of Rochester's best known and most skillful surgeons. The other sons, George, Augustine and Dr. Edward T. Ely, all died in the eighties. Besides the social prominence of the family, they were all singularly gifted, possessing unusual literary ability with high professional attainment.

DEATH OF SARAH VAN BERGH

D. & C. — April 13 1920
Teacher in Nos. 13 and 14 Schools
Passes Away at Her Home.

Miss Sarah Van Bergh, daughter of Mrs. Dinah Van Bergh, died yesterday at her home, No. 196 Culver road. Besides her mother, she leaves two sisters, Aadie Van Bergh and Mrs. D. Werden Schlag, and three brothers, Captain Marcus H. Van Bergh, Frederick W. Van Bergh and Morris E. Van Bergh. Miss Van Bergh was a teacher in the public schools for a number of years, having taught in Schools No. 13 and No. 14.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

P.O.S. 1 - April 3 - 1919
REV. JOSEPH ALLEN ELY.
Member of Old and Prominent Rochester Family Dies in New York.

Rev. Joseph Allen Ely, a member of an old and prominent Rochester family, died yesterday at the Presbyterian hospital in New York city at the age of 72 years.

Mr. Ely was born in Rochester October 19, 1846, and was the son of Dr. William W. Ely, a prominent physician and member of one of the old Third ward families who helped to build Rochester. He was graduated from the University of Rochester in the class of 1866 and from the Rochester Theological seminary in the class of 1870. In 1873 he went to Germany and spent two years in study at the University of Leipzig.

After completing his studies abroad he returned to Rochester and in June, 1876, was called to the pastorate of the Congregational church at Orange Valley, N. J., which he held until 1883. In 1885 he returned to Rochester and had since devoted his time to preaching and literary work, broken by several periods of travel in Europe and the Far East. He was at one time on the editorial staff of The Post Express, holding the position of literary editor and conducting a department called "Spindrift." For the past few years he had made his home in

MRS. CAROLINE E. PERKINS DIES IN PALM BEACH, FLA.

Times Union
Death Comes Unexpectedly to Woman Long Identified With Social Life and Charitable Work of City—Funeral Probably Tuesday.

March 22 1919
A few particulars regarding the death at her winter home, Palm Beach, Fla., of Mrs. Caroline Erickson Perkins, were received in Rochester this morning. Mrs. Perkins went to sleep on last Thursday night, apparently in perfect health, and never woke up. Her son-in-law, John Craig Powers, left Florida last night with the body. Mrs. Perkins' sons, Gilman N. Perkins and Erickson Perkins, will arrive in Rochester tomorrow. It is expected that the funeral



MRS. CAROLINE E. PERKINS.

will take place on Tuesday, although no announcements have as yet been made.

Mrs. Perkins' death came as a great shock to her many friends. A woman of unceasing activity, great personal charm and wide interests, she stood as one of the last of the "grande dames," who have lent such character to Rochester's social life, which, in the old days, always possessed a background of unique distinction. Those who were privileged to be present at the Centennial Celebration of St. Luke's Episcopal Church last year will never forget the picture presented by Mrs. Perkins as, wearing a wonderful costume of the fashion of years ago, she presided at a tea table in the parish house. Mrs. Perkins' many philanthropic works and her sympathy and kindness made her widely loved and her death leaves empty a place that will not soon be filled.

She was born on December 31, 1835, and was married to Gilman Hill Perkins, on July 17, 1856, in St. Luke's Episcopal Church, one of the first large weddings held in Rochester. She was a lifelong and active member of St. Luke's, being confirmed there in 1857 by Bishop Arthur Cleveland Cope. She was married by the Rev. Benjamin Watson, rector of the church.

Mrs. Perkins was the founder of the Perkins' society and at the time of her death she was its honorary president. The first meeting of the society was held at Mrs. Perkins' house in 1837, continuing to meet there for four years until it was necessary to meet in larger quarters. She was one of the founders of the City Industrial School, and for more than 60 years its recording secretary. She was second vice-president and one of the board of directors of the Deaf Mute Institute. Mrs. Perkins was also an active member of the Garden Club. Mrs. Perkins leaves five children, Mrs. Thornton Jeffress and Mrs. J. Craig Powers of this city, Mrs. Van Wyck Wicks of Rye, N. Y., Erickson Perkins and Gilman N. Perkins of this city, and three grandchildren, Gilman Perkins, 3rd, Erickson Perkins, 2nd, and Miss Caroline Jeffress.

MRS. PERKINS LAID TO REST
S. & C. March 26 - 1919
Funeral Takes Place from the Home in East Avenue—Silent Tributes.

Many friends were at the funeral of Mrs. Caroline Erickson Perkins yesterday afternoon at the home, No. 421 East avenue. Rev. Samuel Tyler, rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church, conducted the services. Handsome floral tributes were about the casket. A greater tribute was paid to Mrs. Perkins in the presence of many delegations from the organizations with which Mrs. Perkins had been identified during the long period in which she had part in Rochester's philanthropic activities. They represented the Industrial School, in Exchange street, of which Mrs. Perkins was a founder; the Historical Society, the directors of the Western New York Institute for Deaf Mutes and other benevolent enterprises, also employees of Smith, Perkins & Co.

The burial was in Mount Hope. Mrs. Perkins, who was the widow of Gilman H. Perkins, died on Friday at her winter home, Palm Beach, Fla.

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Aged East Avenue Resident Dies
Her Winter Home
Herald



MRS. CAROLINE E. PERKINS.

Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins of 421 East Avenue, widow of Gilman H. Perkins, died suddenly Thursday night at her winter home at Palm Beach, aged 83 years. She had spent all of the last winter at the residence there, which she had just had completed last fall. Her two sons, Gilman N. and Erickson Perkins, had been with her all of last week, but left for New York two days before her death.

Mrs. Perkins was the daughter of the late Aaron Erickson, one of the pioneer bankers of Rochester. She was a faithful member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church and was honorary president of the Rochester Historical Society. On January 10, 1914, she had the unusual distinction of election for the 58th consecutive time as corresponding secretary of the Rochester Industrial School. She was first elected to that office in 1837 at the organization of the board of directors.

Mrs. Perkins leaves her two sons and three daughters, Mrs. John Craig Powers and Mrs. Thornton Jeffress of Rochester and Mrs. Van Wyck Wick of Rye, N. Y.

MORTUARY RECORD
Herald Feb. 27 1919
Mrs. Evalina Knickerbocker

Mrs. Evalina Ransom Knickerbocker died suddenly Friday night at her home in Pittsford, three days after the death of her husband, James Monroe Knickerbocker. She succumbed to an attack of heart disease, with which she had been afflicted at intervals for several years past. She had been up and about the house as usual until fifteen minutes before her death.

Mrs. Knickerbocker was born at Woodstock, Ulster County, 71 years ago, the sixth child of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Ransom, later of Victor. She is the last but one of the family, Mrs. Wilbur Howard of Victor, the youngest child, surviving her sister, Evalina Ransom and J. Monroe Knickerbocker were married nearly 52 years ago at Medina, where their former pastor, Rev. Mr. Wilkinson of Pittsford, resided.

The family went to Pittsford and took up their residence in the Knickerbocker homestead, widely known as Oak Grove Stock Farm, where they had lived continuously for many years. Mrs. Knickerbocker was long a member of Christ Episcopal Church. She leaves two sons, George R. and Harry C. Knickerbocker; four grandsons, two granddaughters and her sister.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the homestead, one mile east of Pittsford. Rev. Van Rensselaer Gibson, pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, will conduct the services. Burial will be in Pittsford Village Cemetery.

Resolutions Adopted *M. 26. 1919*

On Mrs. Perkins' Death
James Mason

The following memorial to Mrs. Caroline E. Perkins, whose funeral was held yesterday, has been adopted by the Rochester Historical Society:

And now Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins has gone.

Her indomitable will ever resisted physical ailments. Like an emperor she believed she would die standing. "A King of France may die; he is never ill."

Into the green lanes of eternal spring-time has passed a wonderful woman. With the heart of a girl, the courage of a man, the spirit of a hero, Mrs. Perkins has lived out the fullness of her time. All that a mother could be she was. All that ripened womanhood could win she accomplished. Beloved, honored, revered, at last she waved her world farewell, and with calm, level eyes crossed the western sunset into the final glory of her God.

True in every relationship of life she has won the heavenly welcome: "Well done, good and faithful servant; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

What she was in her family life is sacred. "Her children rise up and call her blessed."

What she was in good works is reflected in the civic and social welfare organizations to which she gave her heart and which she vitalized by her tireless energy. To advise with Mrs. Perkins was to receive inspiration. Quick to perceive, firm in decision, decided in opinion, she was a tower of strength in any good cause.

How can we gauge the influence of such a life? The cunning hand of man cannot devise instrument of precision to weigh the influence of lofty character. Radiance of soul is measured only by eternal standards. Our human hearts can only love and miss her.

Mrs. Perkins again demonstrated that worthy institutions are but the lengthened shadow of some personality. The Rochester Historical Society was, in a peculiar way, the child of her brain. She was the founder, she was the life, honorary president. To the four walls of her hospitable home for years she summoned the leading men and women of Rochester to study the history and plan for the welfare of her city. For over thirty years she has given her best thought to establishing, on an enduring basis, an historical society worthy to preserve the great record of our civic deeds.

She left the Rochester Historical Society as her living, corporate being; an agency to guard and cherish the soul of Rochester, expressed in the achievement of its citizens.

Every resident of Rochester is her debtor because of this accomplishment. She was proud of her city. She loved its men and women. She gloried in our past and was determined that the record should be guarded with holy zeal for the benefit of posterity.

From her falling hands she has tossed the torch of high endeavor. We shall not fail to seize and carry on.

Representing the society, and the citizens of Rochester, the members of the Board of Managers of the Rochester Historical Society memorialize the life of Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins. By every expression of honor, by every tribute of love we speak her name.

Her hail and farewell is both sorrow and great joy. She dies to the sound of music. She has won her day. Though we greet her no more she has set up her standards. A noble life, crowned with heroic death, rises above and outlives all earthly pomp.

At a special meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Managers of the Industrial School, Exchange street, the following tribute to Mrs. Perkins was adopted:

It is with profound sorrow that the executive committee of the Board of Managers of the Industrial School of Rochester records the death of Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, recording secretary of the board. As one of the founders of the institution, her connection with the board began in 1856, the annual meeting of January 4, 1919, closing her sixty-second year of continuous service.

Though a very young woman at the inception of the work, Mrs. Perkins entered upon the task of ministering to the destitute children of Rochester with a deep sense of responsibility, spending much time and thought upon them and repeatedly caring for their personal needs with her own hands.

of advancing years, the clerical duties of her office were performed by an assistant, but her sympathetic concern for the success to be present at all meetings of the board, and in recent years has been actively interested in the food of the children, spending morning after morning at the school to plan a daily diet which would be sufficiently varied and nourishing.

In times of perplexity her advice, based upon the experience of years, was always to be relied upon, and together with her time and interest were ever at the service of this institution.

We desire to record our appreciation of the clear judgment, the keen discernment and the untiring zeal which have distinguished the service she has rendered.

Her presence will be greatly missed at our monthly meetings and we feel a deep sense of loss as we say farewell to this beloved and revered officer of our board.

The fruitage of her years is garnered and with ripened sheaves she has entered into the presence of her Master. "Silence here—but far beyond us, many voices crying, 'Hail!'"

Apr. 10 - 1919
MORTUARY RECORD
Heard
Funeral of George S. Riley

The funeral of George S. Riley, who died Monday at his home in Geneseo, took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from Mt. Hope Chapel. Rev. Warren S. Stone, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, conducted the services, which were attended by a large number of friends.

MARTIN ERDLLE, VETERAN OF CIVIL WAR
AND FOR HALF A CENTURY PROMINENT
ROCHESTER MEAT DEALER, DIES AT 85

Heard
Martin Erdle, sr., one of the most highly respected citizens of the older generation and a veteran of the Civil War, died yesterday morning at his home, 634 South Avenue, aged 85



MARTIN ERDLLE, SR.

Mr. Erdle was born in Bavaria, Germany, in August, 1834. He came to America in 1863, and for four months was employed on a farm in Webster. On August 5, 1863, he came to Rochester to enlist in Company B, 63th New York Infantry, under General Hancock. His regiment went to the front, and for valor in much active fighting he was promoted to corporal on September 1, 1864, and to sergeant on December 15 of the same year. He participated in many of the famous battles of the war, and was present at the surrender of Lee at Appomattox Court House on April 9, 1865. He took part in the grand review on May 23, 1865, and was mustered out of the service with his regiment on July 14 of that year.

Business Career after the War.

Mr. Erdle, upon his return to Rochester, hired out to Mr. Rice, with whom he served in the war, at the latter's meat market in South Avenue. Twelve years later he purchased the business and had been actively engaged there until twelve years ago, when he retired in favor of his two sons, Joseph and Martin Erdle, jr.

Mr. Erdle and Miss Barbara Schlerth were married in the old St. Boniface's Church in Gregory Street by Rev. John Fyer, the rector, on June 18, 1867. Their golden wedding anniversary was celebrated at the home on June 18, 1917. Of twelve children born to them, only four were living to participate in the event. Mrs. Erdle died last year.

Mr. Erdle was a member of St. Boniface's Church and one of the oldest members of the Holy Name Society of that parish. He was one of the best known and most highly regarded men in the congregation. He leaves three sons, Joseph, Charles and Martin Erdle, jr., the latter being at Camp Upton; one daughter, Mrs. Leo McNamara, and nine grandchildren.

The funeral will take place from the home on Monday morning at 9:15 o'clock and from St. Boniface's Church at 9:30 o'clock. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

years. He had a long and successful business career as one of the foremost retail meat dealers of the Thirteenth Ward, where he was the proprietor of the well-known market now conducted by his sons in South Avenue, near Gregory Street.

DR. F. R. SMITH MAN OF LEGIONS OF FRIENDS, DIES

After Illness of Week Succumbs to Pneumonia.

HIGH IN MASONIC ORDER

D. & C.
In His Profession, in Motoring and in Politics Also was Man of Commanding Influence—Held Highest Office in Gift of Mystic Shrine
Feb. 26 - 1919

Dr. Frederick R. Smith, a leader in North American Masonry and one of the best-known and best-liked men of this city, died of pneumonia at 9:10 o'clock yesterday morning at his home, No. 89 Plymouth avenue south. Since a week ago Monday Dr. Smith has been critically ill, but death came as a crushing shock to his family and hosts of friends.

Dr. Charles R. Sumner and Dr. Shirley R. Snow were in constant attendance and battled desperately for their fellow physician's life. They believed as late as Monday that he had a slight chance of recovery, but about 2 o'clock yesterday morning his heart failed to do the work demanded of it.

Family and Friend with Him.

Dr. Smith's wife, two daughters and brother, William C. Smith, of this city, were summoned to the bedside. They and Emil Schmidt, one of the intimate friends of the physician, were with him when the end came after several hours of peaceful sleep.

Telegrams were sent immediately to Elias J. Jacoby, of Indianapolis, imperial potentate of the Mystic Shrine of North America; to other members of the Imperial Divan and to the many close friends of Dr. Smith in the Shrine. Many of these men are expected to come from various parts of America to attend the funeral, which will be held from this hour at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Many Messages Received.

Telegrams poured into Dr. Smith's home throughout yesterday afternoon and evening. They came from prominent Shriners and thirty-third-degree Masons, many from far-distant points. All expressed grief at the loss of the senders' friend and fellow Mason and sympathy for Mrs. Smith.

Throughout the city business and professional men gathered in little groups to speak of Dr. Smith. Tears were in many eyes. In the poorer sections of Rochester there grieved others who had known of the big heart and tenderness of the physician. Few deaths have affected the city more.

Funeral Thursday Afternoon.

The body will lie in state from 11 o'clock to-morrow morning to 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The funeral services at 4 o'clock will be in charge of Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, D.D., rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, assisted by Yonnonadio lodge, F. and A. M. At the cemetery, Mount Hope, Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, will be in charge.

The honorary bearers will be William Bausch, Dr. Charles R. Sumner, James L. Hotchkiss, George W. Aldridge, C. C. Beahan, William W. Hibbard, Judge Willis K. Gillette, Coroner Thomas H. Killip, Herbert W. Pierce, Judge John B. M. Stephens, Fred H. Rapp, Charles D. Van Zandt, R. Andrew Hamilton and Jacob Messner. The active bearers will be members of the Damascus Temple Patrol and Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

Usefully Active in Life of Rochester



DR. FREDERICK R. SMITH.

Sister and Four Brothers.

Dr. Smith married Miss Clarissa Martin, of this city, in 1894. She and two daughters, Dorothy and Frances Smith, survive him. Dr. Smith was always the loving father, big brother and jolly companion in his home. It is given to few homes to be as happy as his was.

Dr. Smith's father, Thomas Warner Smith, a prosperous Penn Yan business man, died on March 1st last, at the age of 84 years. Besides his immediate family Dr. Smith leaves one sister, Miss Ella J. Smith, of Penn Yan, and four brothers, Charles W. and Jasper O. Smith, of Penn Yan; William C. Smith, of Rochester and Lewis D. Smith, an attorney, of Syracuse.

Won Success and Friends.

The life of Dr. Smith was one of achievement. Ability coupled with a big, whole-hearted personality brought him success in his profession, in politics and in Masonry. Few men reflect radiant good-fellowship to such a warming degree as did Dr. Smith. Everyone who knew him was instantly his friend, and the greatest tribute that can be paid to him is perhaps to say that the longer one knew him the stronger was the regard for him.

"A whole-souled optimist," is the way one friend described him.

It was inevitable that Dr. Smith, with his ability and remarkable leadership in good fellowship, would rise high in the councils of Masonry. Through a long succession of honors he advanced to a Scottish Rite thirty-third degree and to the office of imperial potentate of the Mystic Shrine of North America. His home was filled with costly gifts received from Masonic bodies.

Notable Shrine Ceremonies.

When imperial potentate in the year 1914-15 Dr. Smith took part in two notable Shrine ceremonies. He was one of a party of Shriners who journeyed to Hawaii in 1915 to install Aloha Temple and incidentally confer a degree in the crater of the volcano Kilanea. Before this Dr. Smith accompanied a Minneapolis party of Shriners to Pauama, where a temple was dedicated. He participated in the conferring of a Shrine degree in one of the big locks at the Gatun dam, a ceremony that attracted nation-wide attention among Masons.

part in another unique ceremony in the Grand Canyon of Colorado.

During his year as imperial potentate Dr. Smith traveled 52,600 miles, or more than 1,000 miles a week. He devoted six months to visiting the various temples of the shrine in North America, and everywhere the Shriners heaped gifts upon him. San Francisco Shriners presented to him a huge key of solid gold to show the city was his. Among other gifts were a silver dinner service of 347 pieces, a genuine totem pole, rugs, cut glass, statuary, magnificent loving cups, clocks, tables, punch bowls—hundreds of valuable things. Ninety-five of the 105 shrines he visited as imperial potentate showed him their esteem in valuable gifts.

Dr. Smith's Masonic connections began when he was a master Mason by Yonnonadio Lodge, F. and A. M., on December 11, 1894. After passing through the chairs of this lodge, then housed in the Smith-Perkins building, Exchange street, Dr. Smith was chosen master in 1899. He became identified with Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, in 1896 and with Doric Council, Royal and Select Masters, in 1895. He was knighted by Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, on May 14, 1897, and later became its commander. He served as district deputy of the Thirty-third Masonic District in 1906.

Dr. Smith united with Damascus Temple on May 12, 1897. He became potentate after a succession of other offices. Entering the Imperial Divan of the Mystic Shrine of North America as outside guard, he served in various offices of that august body, including deputy imperial potentate, until May 13, 1914, he was chosen by the Shriners at their Atlanta convention as imperial potentate. He retired as imperial potentate in Seattle in July, 1915. No past imperial potentate ever had such power in the Shrine as that Dr. Smith has since enjoyed.

Received Thirty-third Degree.

Dr. Smith was given his Scottish Rite degree by Rochester Consistory in 1902. He was made a thirty-third degree Mason at the Saratoga conclave on September 19, 1911. He was commander-in-chief of Rochester Consistory from May, 1911, to May, 1913, and in 1901 he was elected high priest of Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons.

Dr. Smith was, in addition, a member and former president of the Masonic Club and a director of the Masonic Board. He was affiliated with every local endeavor of Masonry. He served for some time as a member of the committee on foreign correspondence of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York. He has been president of Damascus Temple Patrol since its organization nineteen years ago.

Born in Penn Yan on August 31, 1870 Dr. Smith received his early education at Penn Yan Academy and later at the preparatory school at Dundee, N. Y. Medicine appealed to him, and he entered the Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, from which he was graduated in 1893. He came to Rochester to take up the duties of resident physician at the Homeopathic Hospital, then in Monroe avenue.

Went to Alaska for Gold.

The adventurous spirit of the boy of Penn Yan caused Dr. Smith to satisfy his longing for the West by organizing, outfitting and directing a mining expedition into Alaska during the gold boom of 1898 and 1899. The expedition did not uncover millions in the yellow metal, but Dr. Smith had many interesting experiences and adventures.

Dr. Smith returned to resume the practice of medicine in Rochester. His success as a physician kept pace with his rise in Masonry, and he held to the last an enviable clientele of patients.

When Charles S. Owen resigned as supervisor of the Third ward in 1907 to become commissioner of public safety Dr. Smith, easily the most popular man out of office in the ward, was persuaded

Associates Tell of Their High Regard for Dr. F. R. Smith

Many tributes were paid to Dr. Smith by leading men of the city. They declared his death a severe loss to Rochester.

"This community has received a great shock," said Esten A. Fletcher, commander-in-chief of the Rochester Consistory and a thirty-third degree Mason. "Dr. Smith was one of the most popular men in the city and one of the most popular Masons in the United States. His loss will be severely felt. His was a leavening influence for good in the world. We need his kind of optimism."

"I cannot express how keenly the medical profession feel this loss," said Dr. H. T. Williams, president of the Rochester Medical Association. "Dr. Smith was a credit to his profession and to his community—a fine physician and a fine man. He was one of those rare big-hearted men who go about helping the other fellow. I do not believe he had an enemy in the world. He gave his best service to poor patients with no thought of remuneration. He was a public-spirited man in every way, and we are all going to miss him."

"Dr. Smith was the most efficient president the Automobile Club of Rochester ever had," declared C. D. VanZandt, first vice-president of that body. "It will be difficult to fill his place. As in his profession, in Masonry and in everything he undertook, Dr. Smith gave his best to the developing of good roads and good motoring conditions. His work as president of the Automobile Club stands as a monument to his ability and public-spiritedness. We feel the loss greatly."

by the Republicans to fill the vacancy. He served a month, when the Democrats replaced him with P. E. Connaughton. But in the fall of 1908 Dr. Smith was elected to the supervisorship by the Republicans. He remained a member of the board until December 31, 1915. He was chairman of the supervisors in 1911, 1912 and 1913, being the second man to hold that office for three consecutive years; the other was former Sheriff Harley E. Hamil.

Dr. Smith was elected alderman of the Third ward in 1915 and held this post until December 27, 1918, when he retired to take up his duties as coroner on the West Side, to which post he had been elected that fall. He was one of the most efficient coroners the county ever had. Of him it may be truly said that his political popularity grew with the years.

Dr. Smith became president of the Automobile Club of Rochester on March 29, 1915, and continued in that office until he died, proving to be a power in good road work and general improvement of motoring. Under his presidency the club grew in membership from around 1,200 to about 4,000. His work here won him recognition throughout the state and this winter he was elected to the presidency of the New York State Motor Federation.

Force City Will Miss.

Dr. Smith's business activities were many. He entered things in a big way, and the life of Rochester loses a force that will be missed.

Dr. Smith was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy, New York State Homeopathic Medical Society, Western New York Medical Society, Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias. He was field investigator for the War Risk Insurance Bureau of the government. He was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, the Chamber of Commerce and the Rochester Club.

During the past two years Dr. Smith devoted much time and energy to various war work campaigns, including those of the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army and Red Cross.

DR. SMITH TO BE BURIED FROM HOME TOMORROW

Times-Union

Body To Lie in State at 89
Plymouth Avenue From
11 to 1 O'Clock—Tele-
grams of Condolence From
All Parts of Country.

Mch. 26 1919

Funeral services for Dr. Frederick R. Smith who died yesterday morning, will be held at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the home at 89 Plymouth avenue, with the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, officiating, assisted by Yonnandio Lodge, P. and A. M. Burial will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery, where Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, will be in charge.

The honorary bearers will be William Bausch, Dr. Charles R. Sumner, James L. Hotchkiss, George W. Aldridge, C. C. Beahan, William W. Hibbard, Judge Willis K. Gillette, Coroner Thomas H. Knip, Herbert W. Pierce, Judge John E. M. Stephens, Fred H. Capp, Charles D. Van Zandt, R. Andrew Hamilton and Jacob Messner. The active bearers will be members of the Damascus Temple Patrol and Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

The body will lie in state at the home from 11 to 1 o'clock, when opportunity will be given to view the remains.

A guard of honor will be appointed tonight to remain with the body while in state.

Assurance has been received that Elias J. Jacoby of Indianapolis, imperial potentate of the Mystic Shrine, of perial potentate of the Mystic Shrine, of which Dr. Smith was a past imperial. Other officers of the imperial divan who will come are Imperial Treasurer William C. Brown of Pittsburgh and Past Imperial Potentate William C. Irwin of Wheeling, W. Va.

Telegrams of Condolence.

From all parts of the country as well as New York State have come telegrams of condolence to Mrs. Smith and the other members of the family, all the messages stating the high regard in which the deceased was held. Tributes of the highest have been paid to the man who was the most popular Shriner in America, as well as a physician of note and one vitally interested in civic affairs.

Secretary George C. Donohue of the Automobile Club of Rochester, of which Dr. Smith was president, this morning received telegrams stating that the following would come tomorrow to attend the funeral: Members of the board of directors of the New York State Motor Federation, of which Dr. Smith was also president; Lester Rush of the Rome Automobile Club, H. C. Finch of the Genesee Valley Automobile Club of Retsaw, Charles Weilborg of the Jamestown Automobile Club. A telegram of condolence was received yesterday from A. G. Batchelder of Washington, D. C., executive secretary of the American Automobile Association.

This morning the following telegram came from W. E. D. Stokes of New York.

"President Smith's death most unfortunate. Rochester and the state have lost an encouraging progressive citizen and the motorists of this country a good friend."

A meeting of the board of directors of the New York State Motor Federation will be held at Powers Hotel at noon tomorrow, when action will be taken on Dr. Smith's death. Following the meeting they will proceed to the house in a body, as well as the directors of the Automobile Club of Rochester.

Before the traffic squad of the Rochester Police Department went on duty this morning, the members adopted a resolution of sorrow, and made plans to march to the house tomorrow while the body lies in state.

DEATH OF FREDERICK R. SMITH.

Editorial Note
The death of Dr. Frederick R. Smith, which occurred at his home yesterday, will come as a personal affliction to thousands of residents of Rochester as well as elsewhere, for few men in this community were more widely known or highly regarded. The news was not unexpected, as his condition had been known to be critical for something like a week.

Dr. Smith occupied a prominent position in Rochester's professional, civic and fraternal affairs. Indeed there were few if any worthy activities in which he did not participate; and his energies, his talents and his skill were always at the service of his fellow citizens. As an energetic member of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce he served on important committees, and his counsel was much in demand regarding matters which had to do with the interests of the people of the city.

Dr. Smith was widely known in fraternity circles and had the happy faculty of making friends of all with whom he became acquainted. Although he was a skillful physician, with an extensive practice, he always found time for duties not strictly confined to his profession, and those duties were always performed efficiently and helpfully. *Mch. 26-1919*

Editorial Smith / recall

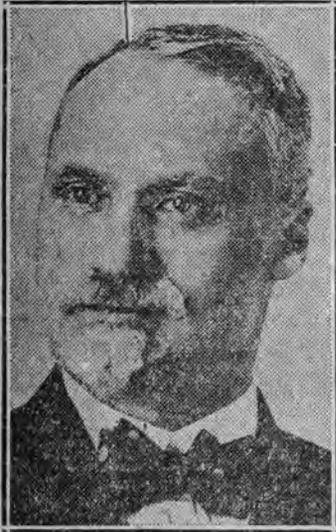
Dr. Frederick R. Smith was one of the most popular citizens of Rochester and one of the most willing and useful in various forms of community service. His name, his time and his untiring effort were lent with generous and even joyous eagerness to every good cause that sought his aid.

This spirit of zealous participation in civic and patriotic undertakings was, perhaps, most conspicuous in Dr. Smith's work since the social energies of the city were concentrated in war activities. But it was no new manifestation or acquired habit. To be helpful and generous and warm-hearted toward others, even to others outside the range of friendship and association, had been instinctive with Dr. Smith from boyhood. It accounted for both the affection and the grateful sense of value in which he was held by so many thousands of his fellow-citizens. *Mch. 27-1919*

WAS PROMINENT IN JEWISH LIFE OF COMMUNITY

Tribles-Union
Reuben Goldstein, Clothing
Manufacturer, Dies This
Morning After Brief Ill-
ness—Body To Lie in State
at Charities Building.

Apr. 3 — 1919
Reuben Goldstein, one of the most prominent and respected members of the Jewish community in Rochester, died at 9 o'clock this morning at Rochester General Hospital, following an



REUBEN GOLDSTEIN.

illness of two weeks. His home was at 169 Dartmouth street.

Mr. Goldstein was born in Russian Poland in 1858, the son of Sol and Anna Goldstein. He came to the United States and to Rochester about 40 years ago. On arriving here he had no assets except his indomitable pluck, and began on the lowest rung of the ladder. His first business experience in the clothing manufacturing business was with Garson, Meyer & Company in 1880.

For the past 30 years he has been in the clothing manufacturing business for himself, his establishment being located at 104 St. Paul street, and his product is known from coast to coast.

Mr. Goldstein was one of the pioneers in all Jewish community undertakings in Rochester. He was a charter member and one of the prime organizers of the Associated Hebrew Charities of Rochester, and it was due to his efforts that the charities building at 144 Baden street was erected. This building, it is said, will stand as a monument to his endeavors.

He was one of the organizers and a charter member of Temple Beth El, Park avenue and Meigs street, and was one of the organizers and a charter member of the Leopold street synagogue. He was a member of nearly every Jewish society working for the betterment of his race, and always gave his time and money to aid any worthy cause. He was a member of the National Board of Directors of the Jewish Consumptive Society, and a member of the Knights of Pythias.

He leaves his wife, Anna Goldstein, two sons, Lester and Joseph; five daughters, Mrs. Anna Samuelson of Montreal, Mrs. Catherine Garner of New York, Mrs. Emma Roblin of Buffalo, Mrs. Dorothy Freed of Montreal and Mrs. Evelyn Kaplan of Detroit; eight grandchildren and three brothers, Albert of Rochester, William of Dayton, Ohio, and A. Goldstein of New York.

The body will lie in state from 1 to 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the Associated Hebrew Charities at 144 Baden street, and the funeral will be held at 2 o'clock.

Post **REUBEN GOLDSTEIN.** *1920*
Apr. 5
Funeral Services for Prominent Charity Worker Attended by Hundreds.

One of the largest funerals ever held in Rochester for an Orthodox Jew was that of Reuben Goldstein, yesterday. Services were first held at the home, 169 Dartmouth street, after which the body was taken to the Associated Hebrew Charities building in Baden street, where it lay in state from 1 until 2 o'clock, where it was viewed by more than 2,000 people.

The services were conducted by Rabbi Solomon Sadowsky and Rabbi Solomon Levine. Eulogies were delivered by Lester Nusbaum, president of the Associated Charities, and John B. M. Stephens, justice of the Supreme court. The board of directors of the Associated Hebrew Charities attended, as did representatives of all the clothing manufacturers of the city and various other organizations of which Mr. Goldstein was a member. Burial was in Mt. Hope cemetery.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
Post — *Apr. 24*
1919
MRS. A. M. LOWRY.

Death of One of Rochester's Old-time School Teachers.

Mrs. Anna M. Lowry who died at her home in Pinnacle road, April 19th, was one of the oldest residents of this city. She was for many years a teacher in the public schools, being principal of School 7 from January, 1884, until June, 1894. As a teacher she exerted great influence upon her pupils in whom she always retained an active interest.

For several years she was a member of the astronomical section of the Academy of Science, and derived much pleasure from the observation of the stars through a small telescope which she gladly shared with others interested in the same study.

A genuine book lover, Mrs. Lowry maintained a keen interest in literature and current events during her long illness; her accurate memory and vivid characterization made her recollections of earlier days interesting.

In her earlier years she was a frequent contributor to the "Poets Corner" of the newspapers and her magazine articles were of recognized merit.

Possessed of a generous disposition, Mrs. Lowry rejoiced in kindly acts; in her charities, unostentatiously bestowed, she will be remembered gratefully by friends and neighbors.

She was formerly identified with the First Presbyterian church, but since 1872 has been a member of the Third Presbyterian church.
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WAS PROMINENT MUSICIAN HERE

Tribles-Union
Death of Fred Albert Reynolds, Organist of Church of Ascension and Masonic Bodies. *Apr. 19-1919*

Professor Fred Albert Reynolds, son of the late Dr. John Andrus Reynolds, died at his home, 1281 St. Paul street at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon after a short illness. Professor Reynolds was one of the best known musicians in this section of the country. He was for years professor of music at Allegheny College in Meadville, Penn., and also at Lima Seminary. He was widely known as a teacher, organist and pianist.

Professor Reynolds was a member of Yonondio Lodge No. 168, F. and A. M., Monroe Commandery No. 12, K. T., Rochester Consistory A. A. S. R., Hamilton Chapter, No. 62 R. A. M., Doric Council No. 19, R and S. M., Lalla Rookh Grotto No. 5, Damascus



FRED ALBERT REYNOLDS.

Temple A. A. O. N. S., Odd Fellows and Knights of Pythias and the R. M. P. A. Local No. 66, A. F. of M. Professor Reynolds was organist and choir master for 17 years at the Second Baptist Church. He also served as organist at the Jewish Synagogue, Trinity Episcopal Church and at the time of his death was organist at the Church of the Ascension, as well as for several masonic bodies.

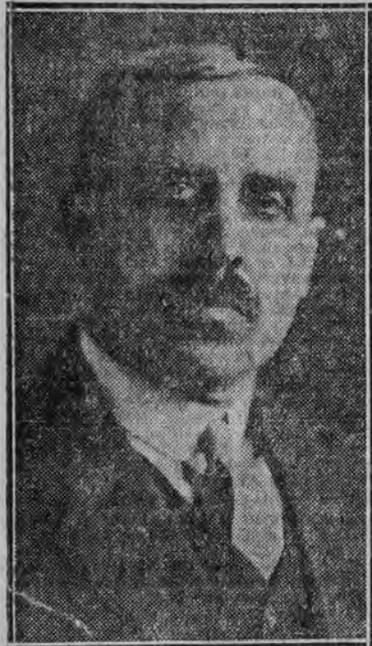
Professor Reynolds leaves his wife, Nellie Higgins Reynolds and three sons, Fred M., Harold A., and Howard E. Reynolds, one daughter, Mrs. Herbert W. Brigham and one granddaughter, Pauline Eleanore Brigham. The funeral from the Church of the Ascension, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, will be masonic in character.

INCREASED BUSINESS ACTIVITIES AND OVERWORK CAUSE HOWARD W. CLARK TO END LIFE BY CHLOROFORMING SELF

Herald
Apr. 28 - 1919

Suffering from melancholy, Howard W. Clark, president of the W. N. Clark Canning Company, yesterday committed suicide by administering to himself a dose of chloroform at his home at 125 Strong Street. His mental state was brought about by increased business activities and overwork.

Mr. Clark was born at Cleveland, O.,



HOWARD W. CLARK.

his time, but he made them feel that it was only a pleasure to him.

In religion, Mr. Clark was a Unitarian and believed with all his heart that service to one's fellows was a necessary part of his religion. He took a deep interest in the social work of the church and was closely identified with the Boys' Evening Home. He also was active in the movement for the erection of the addition to the Gannett House and enlarging the circle of activities carried on there.

Mr. Clark was prominent in many activities of the city, and was a devotee of the City Club, as well as of the Open Forum. Last Sunday he began a series of talks or debates with a follower of the Socialist party on the topic, "Capital and Labor," defending the capitalistic side. He was to have presented the second part of his argument yesterday.

Socialists of Rochester had great admiration for Mr. Clark's fearlessness in coming out and defending the side of which he claimed to be a part, and last evening expressed their regret that the friendly discussions were unable to be continued at the weekly meetings. Mr. Clark is survived by his father, William N. Clark; a brother, Frank E. Clark; two sisters, Mabel A. Clark and Helen C. Spencer, and his aunt, Rosamond S. Stark. The funeral will be held from the residence to-morrow morning.

September 16, 1871, and came to this city four years later. He was educated in the public schools of the city and at the Rochester Free Academy. He entered Cornell University, where he pursued his studies until his junior year, when the need of his services in his father's business was so urgent that he left Cornell and took up the work which continued actively to occupy him up to the time of his death.

The economic problems of the day deeply interested Mr. Clark. He believed that public discussion would help familiarize the people with the problems and help solving them. He was always ready to state and maintain his views but was always willing to learn from others.

In business affairs he was possessed of sound judgment and this, combined with energetic application to his work and a desire to be just and fair to all, brought to him marked success.

Many Acts of Kindness.

Mr. Clark in private life was a loyal friend and one who did many acts of kindness. To many he gave the impression of having done only the natural thing. He was always interested in young people and children and carried out many plans for their welfare. He was especially thoughtful of his elders. His courteous and his kindness to them were many and took much of

GEORGE L. PRIMROSE DIES

Lives Only Short Time After Seizure

D. J. C.
Apr. 30 - 1919
in His Office.

George L. Primrose, president of the Primrose-Johnson Company, dealer in dentists' supplies, with offices in the Chamber of Commerce Building, died suddenly yesterday noon. He went to his office in the morning apparently in sound health. Soon he became ill and was taken to his home, No. 52 Rutgers street, and he died in about an hour.

Mr. Primrose was well known throughout Western New York through his business connections and was held in high esteem by a large number of Rochester acquaintances. One of his friends said last evening of him that he was a man of the most admirable qualities.

Mr. Primrose was a resident of Rochester for thirty-five or forty years. Before the Primrose-Johnson company was formed he was connected with the F. S. White Company, of Philadelphia, manufacturer of dentists' supplies. He was an active member of Asbury Church and of Masonic bodies.

He leaves his wife, Frances Clough Primrose; a sister, Mrs. William Turner, of Philadelphia, and a brother.

DEATH OF MISS ALICE PERRY

D. J. C.
Principal of No. 15 School Passes
Away at Her Home

Apr. 30 - 1919
The flag at No. 15 School was at half-mast yesterday in honor of Miss Alice M. Perry, principal of the school, who died yesterday at her home, No. 7 Boardman street. She contracted an illness during the Easter vacation and the recent weather brought her illness to an acute stage.

Miss Perry was born in Rochester sixty years ago. At the age of 18 she became connected with No. 15 School in Monroe avenue, as a teacher of the eighth grade and acted in that capacity for forty years. She served under Mr. Osborn, Mr. West and Mr. Clark, all of whom were principals of No. 15 School. She had been principal for the last three years and for many years previous was assistant principal.

Miss Perry was a life-long member of Brick Church. She leaves two brothers, Charles Perry, of Rochester, and William Perry, of Greenfield, Mass.; four nieces and four nephews.

The funeral will take place from the home on Thursday at 4 o'clock. Out of respect for Miss Perry, No. 15 School will be closed during the afternoon.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald
May 3 - 1919

Mrs. Maria K. Hoskins.

Mrs. Maria K. Hoskins, widow of Samuel P. Hoskins and mother of Dr. Byron A. and George C. King of Rochester, died Thursday at her home in Perry, aged 90 years. She was the daughter of William Elliott, and the granddaughter of George Elliott, a Continental soldier who saw long service in the Revolution.

Her first husband was Ranson King, who died in 1884. Their oldest son, William E. King, who was killed in the Civil War. Mrs. Hoskins leaves two sons and two daughters, Mrs. Julia King Parker of Forest Plain, N. J., and Mrs. Flora K. Westlake of Perry. Her second husband was Samuel P. Hoskins, who died several years ago.

Ashbel W. Riley.

Ashbel W. Riley, 87 years of age, who died suddenly in Grand Rapids, Mich., was buried yesterday afternoon in Mt. Hope Cemetery. The remains were accompanied to Rochester by his wife, Mrs. Joan Hammond Riley, and his niece, Mrs. George Dennis of Chicago.

Mr. Riley was born in Rochester in 1832, the son of General Ashbel W. Riley, one of the most prominent residents of the city and one time head of the New York State Militia. The son had been for 54 years in the employ of the government at Washington, first in the Treasury Department and later in the War Department, where his work had been continued up to a month ago. He was a brother of George Riley, who died recently.

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JOHN SYLVESTER WILSON IS DEAD AT AGE OF 104

His Lifetime Spanned Decades from Days of Wilderness Village in "Far West" Indian Country to Age of Aeroplanes; Retained Use of Faculties until the Last.

Herald Apr. 20-1919

John Sylvester Wilson, Rochester's famous post-centenarian and oldest citizen, the dean of the Rochester Historical Society and the grand old man of the Pioneer Association—he who has been reverently known as "Uncle John"—is dead at the remarkable age of 104 years and 30 days. In his passing, citizens in general and members

well adorned for the occasion and laden with eatables that would suit an occasion of a birthday for one of 60 or 16, and he dined with the relish of a youngster.

Only a few of the numerous points of interest in the one hundred and four years of his life can be given.

John Sylvester Wilson was born in Pittsfield, Mass., March 20, 1815, the son of Albert and Mabel Wilson. His father was a gunmaker who moved his family to Rochester in 1822, when the city was little more



JOHN SYLVESTER WILSON.

of the Historical Society in particular will find opportunity again to revel in the wealth of associations with the past that are engendered by thoughts of his life, a veritable human span across the decades that brought Rochester from its infancy as a hamlet to its present proud place among the foremost cities of the state.

Mr. Wilson died at 10.30 o'clock yesterday morning. A few days after celebrating his birthday on March 21 he suffered a fall in which ribs were fractured. The shock was naturally severe to a person of his advanced years and brought about his final illness.

His course well run, the allotted three score and ten years long since past, the widespread sorrow in the passing of the venerable citizen will be softened by joy in the splendid example of his longevity, for it was not remarkable that he died, but that he had lived so long. His life for the last ten years, exceptional not alone in its duration, but especially in its unusual vigor, has been the subject of numerous sketches and by a full history of his life, read on the occasion of his one-hundredth birthday, when he was the guest of the Rochester Historical Society at a public meeting in Catharine Strong Hall of the University of Rochester. He was made an honorary member.

Ever-Increasing Interest.

Each birthday for years has been an occasion of ever-increasing interest and has been marked by paying of tribute in person by groups of representative citizens, headed by the Mayor. Many others came from far and near, or conveyed their respects by wire or letter. The historical society has been especially active in setting forth, as each mile-stone was passed, the deep significance of a life that stood out as such a shining example and was as well such a fertile source of first-hand historical facts.

He had grown up with the city, had rounded out but three years short of a century as one of its citizens, had retained until virtually the end the full use of his faculties. On the occasion of his 104th birthday, his mind still keen, he had been able to give by word of mouth rare pictures of the life in this community that antedated the digging in Rochester of the Erie Canal. He was a source of history that was vital, living. He gave the reminiscences of one who had been there and seen, the human touch was there, the life of which the printed page can but attempt to duplicate.

Enjoyed His Smoke.

The example of the life of John S. Wilson runs a bit across the grain of the oft-accepted truism of Arbuthnot, who said: "The instances of longevity are chiefly among the abstemious," although it may be held that the many virtues of the rugged pioneer offset his indulgence in his daily smoke. He was found, however, on the occasion of his 104th birthday, March 20, just past—the event that inspired the most recent story of his life—enjoying at 9 o'clock in the morning—an excellent cigar brought to him by a neighbor. Like Mark Twain, he used to say, "I only smoke once a day and that's all day long." But chiefly of that occasion is recalled that he arose bright as a dollar and happy as a schoolboy ready to celebrate his birthday. He allowed himself but one little nap that day, declaring that naps were for the old and infirm.

The day was passed with his children and grandchildren gathered about him and he was featured by a visit, as usual of officers of the Rochester Historical Society, who presented him a bouquet. There was a dinner at 6 o'clock, and the table was

than a settlement in the wilderness. Sylvester was seven years old when the trip from Pittsfield was made by team to Little Falls and thence by canal to the western Basin, which was then the terminus of the Erie Canal. The voyage in open scows, and stops were made at night when travelers sought rest wherever they could find it. The rest of the trip was made by wagon. The whole journey took 11 days.

In Heart of Town.

The father bought a piece of land at Spring and Exchange Streets, on which the Rochester House was later built. On it he built a house, and here the family lived until 1828, when they removed to a farm of 147 acres at Joseph Avenue and Norton Street. John Sylvester continued to live on a part of that farm until seven years ago, when he removed to his late home.

The home of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, founder of the city, was opposite the Wilson home. Mr. Wilson had often recalled him as a spare, gray, kindly man, who dealt in real estate and owned a farm which he worked. The Rochester children were playmates of the boy, John Sylvester.

In his youth, John engaged for some time in farm work on his father's place, but later learned silversmithing and followed that trade for a number of years. Of his early experiences he often recalled how the Indians lounged about the old log cabins when the site of the Theological Seminary was a wood, near which the Rochester Artillery Company used to drill. On all the land where the New York Central Station stands and that vicinity were corn and wheat fields.

It was the artillery that John Sylvester was called out in 1837 to go to Buffalo. The "Patriots" in Canada had rebelled, and his company went to preserve neutrality. The trip from Batavia to Buffalo was on foot. Mr. Wilson was present when the old aqueduct was formally opened in 1825 and had a very vivid recollection of La Fayette's visit to this city. He used to recall how the distinguished Frenchman stood on the top of a canal boat so as to see and be seen.

Used Delegates "Rough."

In those days a line of packets plied the canal for business and pleasure, and Mr. Wilson told him in 1837 he went to Syracuse via canal to attend a Whig convention. He said that all along the route, from the brides the opposition party members dropped stones in an effort to disconcert the Whig delegates. One delegate, he said, was hit in the eye by a large rock and was quite cut up over it.

Many of the other interesting recollections of the grand old man included the time when Lincoln spoke from the platform of a train as he passed through here on his way to Washington, the visits of William H. Seward, Thurlow Weed and Daniel Webster, Frederick Douglass, Mr. Wilson remembered from his boyhood days up. The richest lore, however, that the venerable Rochesterian had in store was that of the men who made Rochester: Jonathan Child, first Mayor; Rev. Comfort Williams, the first Presbyterian minister in the city; Enos Stone and many others. He used to tell of Black Tom, the peculiar negro character of those days, who picked up lost articles and cried them about the streets. He told how he saw Sam Patch leap down the falls of the Genesee at the time when the island in the river just above the falls was a popular picnic resort.

Knew All the Mayors.

Mr. Wilson had known all the Mayors from Jonathan Child to Hiram H. Edgerton, and with the latter his friendship had extended over more than fifty years. The present Mayor as a boy used to deliver lumber at Mr. Wilson's father's farm.

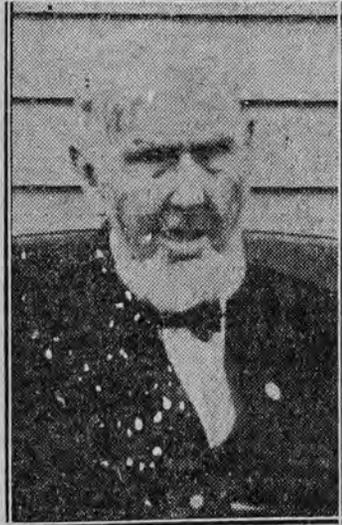
In 1846, John Sylvester Wilson and Harriet E. Jennings were united in marriage in Rochester. They went to live at a house he had built the year previous on a corner of his father's farm. The house was located at what is now Norton and Townsend Streets, and was his home for more than 66 years. In that house Mrs. Wilson died, January 11, 1912, at the age of 65 years.

Mr. Wilson was a staunch Republican and cast his first vote for John Quincy Adams. Last election day he was taken to the polls in an automobile and pulled down all the levers for Republican candidates. In early life he attended First Presbyterian Church, and then Third Presbyterian Church. After his marriage he became a member of Second Baptist Church, to which Mrs. Wilson belonged.

**JOHN S. WILSON
DIES AT AGE
OF 104 YEARS**

Jessie Union
Oldest Resident of Rochester Victim of Accident Which Occurred Shortly After His Last Birthday—Knew First Mayor.

April 19 1919
John Sylvester Wilson, Rochester's oldest citizen and the last person remaining who could speak as an eyewitness of the events in the early history of the city, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Helen A. Ely, 241



JOHN SYLVESTER WILSON.

Ridgeway avenue, this morning, following an illness which resulted from an accident occurring about three weeks ago in which he fractured a number of ribs.

Mr. Wilson was born in Pittsfield, Mass., on March 21, 1815, and therefore lived nearly a month over 104 years. At his last birthday he was in his usual good health and received visits from many friends and a flood of letters and telegrams of congratulation from those who were not able to call upon him in person. His kindly and cheerful disposition and his old-time courtesy of manner won the esteem of all with whom he came even casually in contact.

The man who in future days takes up the task of writing an adequate history of Rochester will owe much to the reminiscences of Mr. Wilson which were gathered by members of the Rochester Historical Society in the course of conversations held with him during the weeks before his 100th birthday. These reminiscences were prepared in manuscript form and were read at the centennial birthday celebration held for Mr. Wilson by the Historical Society. They are now filed in the archives of the society.

Mr. Wilson came to Rochester with his parents in 1822, when he was seven years of age, and the family lived in a log cabin in what is now the Third Ward. He remembered the personal appearance of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, Jonathan Child, the first mayor of Rochester, and other men and women who are but historical figures in the minds of the Rochesterian of today. He could also picture in detail the scenes which attended the opening of the Erie canal, the visits of Lafayette and Daniel Webster and of Lincoln to Rochester.

Mr. Wilson was a life-long member of the Republican party and he not only voted at the last election, but took his granddaughter to cast her first ballot, a fact of which he was very proud.

Mr. Wilson is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Ely, who has cared for him during his later years; a son, Herbert J. Wilson; six grandchildren, Mrs. A. J. DuRocher, Mrs. E. J. Bolter, Mrs. J. E. Millard, Herbert B. Wilson and Katherine H. Wilson of this city, and John W. Ely of Preskill, N. J., and five great-grandchildren.

Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

Past **Jennie Weaver Potter.**

March 1930
Jennie Weaver Potter, widow of Charles B. Potter, died to-day at her home, 37 South Washington street, aged 83 years. She leaves two sons, Dr. Henry Noel Potter of Santa Monica, Cal., and Captain Nathaniel R. Potter, of Rochester; two sisters, Delia W. Kellogg and Abigail Thayer. Funeral services will be held at St. Luke's church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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May 1919
C. E. VAN LAER
DIES AFTER A
LONG ILLNESS
Times Union

Was One of Rochester's Most Highly Cultured Musicians—Was Once a Teacher in the Granger Place School at Canandaigua.

Charles E. van Laer, one of Rochester's most highly cultured musicians, died at his residence, 1058 South avenue, early yesterday morning, following an illness of several months. He leaves his wife, Florence M. van Laer; one son, George Edgar von Laer, president of the Rochester Brass and Wire Works Company; two grandchil-



CHARLES E. VAN LAER.

dren, Anne and Elizabeth van Laer; a sister, Mrs. James MacDougall of Newton Center, Mass., and a brother, Alexander T. van Laer of Litchfield, Conn.

Mr. van Laer was a son of Peter Cornelius and Minna Verbeck van Laer and was born at Auburn, N. Y., September 7, 1854. During his boyhood and early youth he was associated with his father, who carried on a music and piano business in Auburn. Having early proved himself possessed of marked musical ability, Charles, in 1873, went to Germany to study at the famous conservatory of Leipzig. There his teachers were Reinecke, Jadassohn and Paul.

After his graduation from the conservatory in 1876, he returned to America and soon became connected with the well known Granger Place School for young ladies at Canandaigua. While holding this position he was married to Clara Poggenbeek of Amsterdam, Holland. By this marriage there were three sons; Adolph C., George Edgar, and Richard A. The youngest died in infancy; the oldest died recently, widely known as a piano and organ tuner.

Mr. van Laer's second wife was Mrs. Katharine Peck, widow of George W. Peck. She died in November, 1914.

In 1882 Mr. van Laer came to Rochester to reside, opened a studio and soon became one of the prominent music teachers of the city. Being an organist of marked ability, he occupied positions as such in the Unitarian, St. John's, First Methodist and Salem churches. He also organized and directed choral societies here and in Canandaigua and was widely known as a composer of sacred as well as secular music, his compositions being published by Schirmer and, also, Schubert, New York publishers. He ranked high as a teacher, not only of piano and organ but of harmony and composition. He was always ready to aid other composers who appealed to him for assistance. His old friends and those who loved him honored him for the outstanding characteristics of his nature, geniality, unselfishness and loyalty.

In October, 1915, Mr. van Laer was married to Mrs. Florence M. Smith of Glenside, Pennsylvania.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from his late residence.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Paris
MARIA K. HOSKINS.

Descendant of Old American Family,
Died in Perry.
May 7 1919
Maria K. Hoskins, widow of Samuel P. Hoskins, died Thursday at her home in Perry, N. Y., aged 96 years. She was the daughter of William Elliott, and the granddaughter of George Elliott, a Continental soldier who saw long service in the Revolution.

Her first husband was Alanson King, who died in 1884. Their oldest son, William E., was killed in the battle of Cedar Creek, Virginia, in the Civil war. Four other children survive; Mrs. Julia King Parker, Forest Plain, N. J., Mrs. Flora K. Westlake of Perry, N. Y., with whom Mrs. Hoskins made her home; Dr. Myron A. King of Rochester; and George C. King, who is connected with the job printing department of The Post Express.

Her second husband was Samuel P. Hoskins, who she married in 1894 and who died several years ago.

Mrs. Hoskins was always deeply interested in current events and questions of the day, and retained her mental faculties to a remarkable degree even to the last.

Funeral of Charles E. Van Laer.

There was a large attendance of friends and former pupils at the funeral of Charles E. van Laer, which took place Tuesday afternoon from his late home at 1058 South Avenue. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Franklin F. Fry, pastor of Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Reformation.

The bearers were Richard Lansing, W. H. Boardman, Fedor Willimek, F. H. Goler, William S. Johnson and Ludwig Schenck. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919
Herald May 2
Mrs. Helen E. Jeffers.

Mrs. Helen Elizabeth Jeffers, wife of Herbert C. Jeffers, died yesterday afternoon at East Stroudsburg, Pa. She had lived in Rochester until last fall, when her husband obtained a position as teacher of mathematics in the State Normal School of East Stroudsburg. For many years he was head of the school book department of Scrantom, Wetmore & Company. Mrs. Jeffers was well known in Rochester, where she had achieved considerable reputation as an author and writer of verses. She had published several books, including a volume of verses, which came from the press about three years ago. Her girlhood home was at Montour Falls. After her marriage she lived for some years at Perry, coming to Rochester from there. She had been ill since early in the year.

Mrs. Jeffers leaves her husband, her mother, Mrs. Sarah Van Sickle of Montour Falls; a son, Ralph Jeffers, last heard from as a member of the Engineer Corps, United States Army, and a daughter, Mrs. Harvey W. Southgate of Rochester. The body will be taken to Montour Falls for funeral and burial.

George Breu.

George Breu, a veteran of the Civil War, died yesterday at the home, 190 Bronson Avenue, aged 73 years. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home.

Mr. Breu was a native of Germany, whence his parents emigrated when he was 3 years of age. As the family came almost immediately to Rochester, Mr. Breu has thus been a resident here for 70 years. In 1863 he enlisted in the United States Navy and served until the close of the war in the South Atlantic, Squadron commanded by Rear Admiral Dupont.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lena Nier Breu; three sons, George, William and Fred Breu, and two sisters, Mrs. Libbie Gerling and Mrs. Kate Yost, all of Rochester.

May 13 1919
Daily Death Roll.
Times Union

The Rev. Dr. George Hebe Jones.

The Rev. Dr. George Hebe Jones, assistant secretary of Methodist Board of Foreign Missions, died Saturday in the South, where he had gone for his health. He was a former assistant secretary of the Rochester Y. M. C. A. and he had been affiliated with Asbury Methodist Church of this city.

The Rev. Mr. Jones achieved notable success as a pioneer missionary to Korea. He went to a part of that country where there were no Christians, and in 10 years organized 44 churches.

Dr. Jones is the author of several technical and biblical works. He received the degree of doctor of divinity in recognition of his part in translating the Bible into the Korean language.

Dr. Jones was 52 years of age. He had resided in Leonia, N. J., where he leaves his wife and two daughters.

SCRANTON—Entered into rest, at her home, No. 23 Argyle St., Sunday, May 4, 1919, Mrs. Helen M. Scramton, wife of the late E. Henry Scramton.
—Funeral from the residence Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial private. Friends kindly omit flowers.

Herald May 8 1919

Hundreds Pay Honor To Memory Of Dead Motorcycle Policeman

Times-Union May 6-1919

Scenes At Funeral Of Officer D'Brien

SERVICES AT ST. MONICA'S CHURCH TODAY

Prominent City Officials Attend Funeral of Officer O'Brien, Who Was Killed in Performance of His Duty.

This morning at 9 o'clock at St. Monica's Church, Genesee street, solemn requiem high mass was celebrated for Motorcycle Policeman William A. O'Brien of the University avenue precinct station, who was slain last Friday evening while in the discharge of his duty.

The church was crowded with city officials, friends of the dead man, policemen from every precinct in the city, and members of the Rochester Fire Department, with whom the policeman had served before joining the city police force. Among the prominent citizens who were present were George W. Aldridge, R. Andrew Hamilton, commissioner of public safety, and Herbert W. Pierce, commissioner of public works. Chief of Police Quigley and Deputy Chief Zimmerman headed the delegation from the Police Department, and a guard of honor consisting of two platoons of policemen, made up largely from members of the Third Precinct, headed by Captain Jacob Klein, accompanied the casket from the O'Brien home to the church.

The following policemen acted as bearers: Harold J. Burns, Leo F. Renaud, Frank X. Hughes, Michael J. Devaney, Frank W. Masterson and Robert H. Strong. A corps of honorary bearers from the city Fire Department was made up of the following firemen: Captain Slinker, Joe Culligan, John McPartlin, Thomas Coates, Emmett Connaughton and Frank Sweeney.

As the long procession entered the church the organ broke into the strains of Chopin's funeral march, and when the church had filled the offices of the solemn high requiem mass were begun. The services were marked with an impressive simplicity, and a single choir selection was sung by Mrs. Frank Cunningham and Mrs. Edward Walsh. The officers of the mass were the Rev. John P. Brophy, celebrant; the Rev. Francis T. Moffatt, deacon; and the Rev. Raymond Quigley, sub-deacon; there were three visiting priests present, the Rev. T. F. Connors of the Blessed Sacrament Church, the Rev. William Kilackey also of the Blessed Sacrament, and the Rev. Victor Hurley of Henrietta.

In the funeral procession a place of honor was given to a little group of football players from the Jefferson team, with whom the dead policeman had played a brilliant game for many seasons, and the street outside the church was lined with people who had known O'Brien from his boyhood, and had gathered to do honor to the man who had lived bravely and died heroically. The many floral offerings were taken from the home to the grave site.



At the top—Two platoons of Rochester policeman forming guard of honor in procession to St. Monica's Church.

At Bottom—Bearers with casket, leaving church after solemn high requiem mass had been celebrated.

At the conclusion of the church ceremonies the remains were taken to the Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, where the interment rites were conducted by the Rev. John Baier.

Actress Killed in Automobile Accident Was Native of Rochester Heard and Distinguished in Vaudeville

May 11 - 1919
The death of Mrs. Paul Petching, who was killed on the night of April 25 in a collision between two motor 'buses near Camp Merritt, N. J., and whose funeral took place from the home of Elmer E. Fairchild in this city recently, came as a distinct shock to her hundreds of friends in the theatrical profession. Mrs. Petching, who at the time of her death was engaged with her husband in the act known as "The Musical Flower Garden," had been for ten years an established favorite with vaudeville audiences in all parts of the country. Gifted with a striking personality and the ability to win genuine friendships, her career had been decidedly successful.

The original "Musical Flower Garden" was developed by the Petching Brothers, Emil and Paul, and was well known to the managers on all vaudeville circuits.

It was thirty years ago that Paul Petching first began producing musical acts for the variety stage, and, before he had been long in the business, he was joined by his brother, Emil. The brothers worked up an act that combined musical novelties and comedy, and met with marked success.

Home in Rochester.

Ten years ago, however, other interests led them to dissolve their partnership, and Mrs. Petching, whose maiden

name was Miss Minnie Webb and whose home was in Rochester, was able to step in and take the place left vacant by Mr. Petching's brother. She had married Mr. Petching some years before and had been traveling with the act for a considerable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Petching had been playing at the camps for the soldiers and sailors for a week or two previous to the accident. They were at Camp Merritt fulfilling an engagement on the night of April 25 and had boarded one of the motor 'buses that carried passengers to and from the camp. The 'bus was traveling at high speed when a head-on collision occurred with another 'bus equally heavy, and all passengers in the 'bus at the time were killed with the exception of Mr. Petching and the driver.

John F. Sully, head of the famous Sully family, and his 13-year-old son were two of the passengers killed at the same time. The tremendous impact with which the machines came together can be judged by the fact that Mrs. Petching's death was caused by a splinter from the machine being driven through her heart. Her death was instantaneous.

Mrs. Petching was 39 years old. The body was brought to Rochester and buried from the home of a relative, Mrs. Elmer E. Fairchild of 140 Edgerton Street. Mr. Petching is at present living here.

MORTUARY RECORD *May 1919*

Heard
Wallace W. Page.
An exceptionally successful business career was brought to an untimely close in the death Tuesday night at Geneva of Wallace W. Page, a son of Frank W. Page of the Page Realty Company of Rochester. The end came suddenly after an attack of pneumonia. Mr. Page was secretary of the Geneva Cutlery Company, president of the National Wire Wheel Company and a director of the Goodwin Press, besides being intimately connected with other business enterprises.

Wallace W. Page was born in Rochester 38 years ago and was educated in the public schools of this city. His first business venture was the publication of an advertising sheet which met with considerable success and which was purchased by the Post Express. He was later employed in the advertising department of the Post Express. Subsequently he accepted a position with the Hornaby Oatmeal Company of Buffalo, for which firm he served with signal success during the course of its reorganization.

Mr. Page's next connection was as advertising manager of the Kirstein Company of Rochester. In this capacity he attained further business prestige and was credited with a large part in placing the firm in its present notable place in the business world. Mr. Page had made a conspicuous name for himself throughout the Eastern states and was sought by several well known national manufacturing concerns. He spent much of his time in New York and finally went to Geneva to take over the active direction of the National Wire Wheel Company, which business he developed from a small beginning to a nationally known firm.

Mr. Page leaves his wife, Mrs. Edythe M. Page; his father and mother; two brothers, Laurence I. Page of Rochester and Glenn A. Page of Geneva, and three sisters, Mrs. C. P. Rodenmayer of Rochester, Mrs. William Mohr of Ridley Park, Pa., and Mrs. Vonder Smith Anderson of Passaic, N. J. Mr. Page was a member of Christ Protestant Episcopal Church of Rochester.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 1 o'clock from his late home, 775 South Main Street, Geneva. Burial will be made in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Rochester, at 4 o'clock of the same afternoon.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post
RALPH PENDLEBURY.

Civil War Veteran and Retired Fireman. *May 10* 1919

Ralph Pendlebury, for twenty years a member of the fire department, died yesterday at his home, 654 Seward street, aged 83 years. He was born in Manchester, England, and came to America and settled in Rochester at the age of 16 years.

At the outbreak of the Civil war he enlisted in the 13th Infantry, with which he served for two years. Returning home when discharged, he immediately re-enlisted in the 21st Cavalry and served in that regiment until the end of the war.

Mr. Pendlebury later became a member of the fire department and was for some time connected with the Extinguisher company in Front street. He was promoted to the rank of captain and assigned to Engine company 7 in Plymouth avenue. After twenty years' service he retired.

He leaves his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Salo Friedenwald, of Scranton, Pa.

MORTUARY RECORD *May 1919*

Heard
Funeral of Wallace W. Page.
The funeral services for Wallace W. Page, which were held Friday afternoon from Trinity Episcopal Church, Geneva, were attended by a large number of his former business associates and other representative citizens. The remains were brought to Rochester and were buried in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

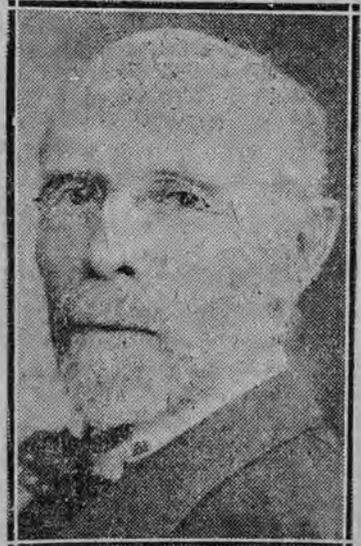
A funeral cortege was formed at the Geneva Armory by former employers and employes of Mr. Page, which marched to the church where the body was borne between its columns. Floral tributes were received from his late business associates and friends from all sections of the country. The services were conducted by Rev. W. L. Davis, archdeacon of Rochester, uncle of the deceased, assisted by Rev. Dr. David Lincoln Ferris, rector of Christ Church.

The bearers were Harry Tarbell, Horton Meyer, Richard Ritter, Herbert Place, A. J. Ott and Clarence Black. The honorary bearers were David H. Henry, H. Lynn Henry, Paul Henry, Walter Althoff, all officers of the Geneva Cutlery Company; James J. Fine of Providence, R. I., and P. S. Dean of New York City.

L. L. WILLIAMS
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EDUCATOR OF
1919
WIDE RENOWN
Times-Union
Death of Man Who Founded School Which Afterward Became Rochester Business Institute—Trustee of Central Church 33 Years.

Louis L. Williams, founder of the school which afterward became the Rochester Business Institute, and for 40 years one of the leading business educators in the country, died yesterday at his home at 34 Meigs street, aged 77 years.

Mr. Williams was born on July 14, 1841, in Livonia, Livingston county, a son of Mason and Wealthy Green Williams. Many prominent business men of this city had their training at his hands. His career began in 1861,



LOUIS L. WILLIAMS

when he was invited by the faculty of the seminary at Dansville to give a course of lessons in penmanship in that village. In the following September he was called to teach in the school at Buffalo, by which he was graduated in 1861.

He formed a partnership with H. E. Bryant and H. D. Stratton in June, 1866, to manage the school known as the Bryant, Stratton and Chapman College of Rochester, the name of which, in August of the same year, was changed to the Bryant, Stratton and Williams College. At that time the school was quartered in the Baker and Durand Building, at Main and Fitzhugh streets, where the Duffy-Powers Building now stands. In 1875, the school changed hands again, Mr. Williams becoming associated with F. E. Rogers and the name being changed to the Rochester Business University. Quarters were taken in the Masonic Hall Building, which stood where the Wilder Building is now; later the school was removed to the Field Building at State and Market streets. In 1890 the top floors of the Y. M. C. A. Building at South avenue and Court

street which had been planned especially for the school, were occupied. The institution was incorporated in 1896 under the name of Williams and Rogers Business Institute, with Mr. Williams as president and Mr. Rogers as vice-president. The school later passed to the present control, when it became known as the Rochester Business Institute.

In 1881 the firm began publishing commercial text books. In 1900 this business was sold to the American Book Company with depositories in 14 of the largest cities in the country.

A few years later Mr. Williams retired from active business life until 1912-1913 when he founded the L. L. Williams Commercial School. In three years this new school had grown so that he contemplated enlarging its quarters in the American News Company Building, Church street, when failing health made it necessary for him to retire again and to sever his connection with the school.

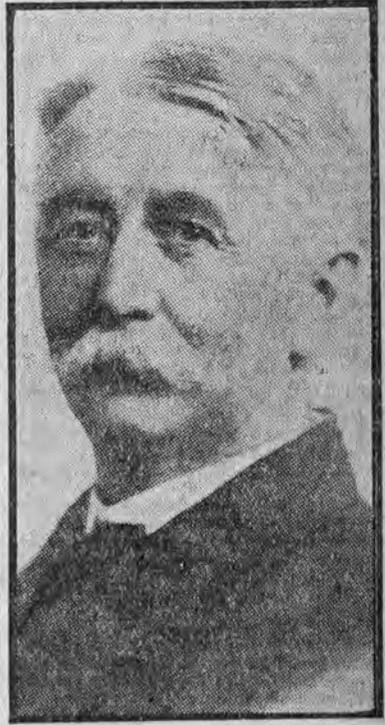
Mr. Williams leaves his wife, Sarah Gilman Williams; two sons, Herbert G. Williams and Theodore L. Williams of Minneapolis, Minn., and two grandchildren, Herbert Gilman Williams, jr., and Marion Sarah Williams. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock from the home of his son, Herbert G. Williams, 267 Dartmouth street.

The Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Williams had been a trustee for 30 years, will officiate. The honorary bearers will be F. E. Rogers, P. V. Crittenden, P. M. Ellery, William A. Hubbard, jr., Thomas Dransfield, J. A. Seel, I. H. Dewey and Charles S. Hastings. The active bearers will be F. S. Miller, B. H. Hayes, Dr. E. E. Lewis, Walter Williams, Arthur Q. Pryor and Dr. H. H. Baker. Interment will be made in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

JOHN J. BURROWS,
WELL KNOWN HERE,
IS KILLED IN OHIO
Headed

John J. Burrows, for years general baggage agent of the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburg Railway and for 34 years a resident of Rochester, was killed by an automobile Tuesday of this week while standing in front of his house in Unionville, O.

May 16 - 1919



JOHN J. BURROWS.

Details of the accident have not reached here.

Mr. Burrows was widely known through his connection with railroading. Before coming to Rochester to enter the employ of the B., R. and P. he was dispatcher on the Lake Shore road at Cleveland. He was a veteran of the Civil War and was identified with various veteran organizations.

Burial will be made at Perry, O., to-day. He leaves his wife and one daughter.

L. L. WILLIAMS IS BURIED
B. + C. May 16

Funeral Takes Place in Forenoon from Home of Son, 1919

The funeral of Louis L. Williams, who died on Tuesday at his home, No. 341 Meigs street, took place yesterday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock from the home of his son, Herbert G. Williams, No. 267 Dartmouth street. The services were conducted by Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, minister of the Central Presbyterian Church, of which Mr. Williams had been a trustee for thirty-three years. Burial was made in Mount Hope cemetery.

The honorary bearers were F. E. Rogers, P. V. Crittenden, P. M. Ellery, William A. Hubbard, jr., Thomas Dransfield, J. A. Seel, A. H. Dewey and Charles S. Hastings. The active bearers were F. S. Miller, B. H. Hayes, Dr. E. E. Lewis, Walter Williams, Arthur Q. Pryor and Dr. H. H. Baker.

Mrs. Theodolia Webster Moore.
1919

Mrs. Theodolia Webster Moore died on April 11th at the age of 89 years. She was a member of the Colonial Dames. The funeral took place at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Wood, No. 8 Howell street.
B. + C. May 12

Daily Death Roll
May 16
James Union
George W. Sprague 1919

George W. Sprague died yesterday in this city, aged 81 years. He was the son of Foster and Elvira Sprague, and was born May 14, 1838, in Coburg, Ontario. He came to Rochester in early childhood and had resided here ever since. He entered partnership with his father in the stove and hardware business on Main street afterwards taking up the fire insurance business, continuing it until he retired about 10 years ago.

Mr. Sprague is survived by his wife Mrs. Emily V. Sprague; a son, Charles Foster Sprague; three daughters, Mrs. Helen S. Waterbury of Springfield, Mass.; Mrs. Carrie E. Waters and Anna Louise Sprague of Rochester; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home, 42 Vick Park A. Interment will be made in Mount Hope Cemetery.

Pos 1 — ^{May 19} 1919
JAMES H. HAYDEN
 Large Attendance at Funeral Services
 for Superintendent of Hose Depot.

City officials, members of the fire department and many friends attended the funeral this morning of James H. Hayden, superintendent of the hose depot in Central avenue, who died last Friday. The services were held at 163 State street, at 8.15 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock in Cathedral chapel. Rev. John McMahan celebrated requiem mass. Beautiful floral pieces in large numbers sent by his former associates of the department were tokens of their esteem and respect.

The bearers were George W. Aldridge, Herbert W. Pierce, commissioner of public works; Fire Chief Charles Little; assistant Chief Frank A. Jaynes, Battalion Chief William Creegan, and Clerk Edward J. Stape. Supervisor of Engines Frank Walter and Superintendent of Alarm Bureau Emil Schmidt were present with about twenty-five officers and men of the department. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre.

EPHRAIM PUNNETT

One of Oldest Residents Dies—Came from England in 1842.

Ephraim Punnett died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Elliott, in Newark. Mr. Punnett was born in Punnett's Town, Sussex, England, on September 23, 1838. He came to America with his parents, Reuben and Harriet Punnett, in 1842. The family came to Rochester by express packet on the Erie canal. Reuben Punnett became a prominent building contractor. Among other structures he erected the Whitney elevator, the Whitney malt house, the old Rochester cotton mill at the upper falls, and the Parsons sawmills, built on the brink of the falls, which withstood the great flood of 1865.

Mr. Punnett was the eldest of six brothers, three of whom, Abner, Byron H. and Milton B. Punnett, all of this city, survive him. He leaves also two daughters, Mrs. Elliott, of Newark, and Mrs. Mitchell, of Pasadena, Cal. Mr. Punnett was one of the oldest members of Valley Lodge, F. and A. M.

Pos 1 — ^{May 21} 1919
DEATHS—FUNERALS
LOUISE M'KEARNEY.
 Funeral of Woman Who Taught Forty Years in School 20.

The funeral of Louise McKearney took place yesterday morning at 8.30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Kelly, 1768 St. Paul street, and at 9 o'clock from St. Bridget's church. Miss McKearney had taught in School 20 for more than forty years and many teachers and pupils were present in the church.

The music of the requiem mass was sung by Mrs. W. H. Rampe, Blanche Drury, William F. Predmore and John Hart. Rev. John J. Bresnihan celebrated mass. Rev. John F. Nelligan, Rev. George V. Burns and Rev. E. Joseph Esser were in the sanctuary. Right Rev. Bishop Hickey gave the blessing. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

PETER HALLINGS.

Funeral of Civil War Veteran Who Served in Eighth Cavalry.

Pierce post, G. A. R., had charge of the funeral of Peter Hallings, which was held this afternoon from his home, 71 Avenue A.

Chaplain W. G. Ricker of Pierce post officiated. The bearers were Webster Young, John T. Vogt, Hiram Krill, Eugene Durand, M. Krehaller and E. Heinsler. Burial was in Mt. Hope.

Mr. Hallings was born in 1840. He served in the Civil war in the Eighth New York Volunteer cavalry.

Pos 1 — ^{May 29} 1919
DEATHS—FUNERALS
HANNAH S. SHUART.

Death of Old Resident of East Avenue—Member of St. Peter's Church.

Mrs. Hannah S. Shuart died yesterday in her home, 360 East avenue. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Shoecraft, who came to Rochester from Penfield many years ago. Her husband, W. Dean Shuart, was for six teen years judge of the Surogate's court. He was in a law firm with William A. Sutherland and later with Judge Arthur E. Sutherland, who was junior partner. Mrs. Shuart was probably the oldest resident in East avenue, having lived in the same house for sixty-five years. She was a member of St. Peter's Presbyterian church.

The funeral, which will be private, will be held from her home to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Dr. John Hutchison will officiate. Mrs. Shuart leaves two daughters, Mrs. William N. Tubbs and Miss Stella Shuart, both of whom lived with their mother; two sisters, Mrs. Helen N. Millard and Mrs. M. H. Brayton, of Hampton, Va., and one brother, Ross P. Shoecraft of Olympia, Wash.

Pos 1 — ^{May 27} 1919
DEATHS—FUNERALS
MISS ANGELINA S. MUMFORD.

Death of Old Resident Prominent in Charitable Work.

Miss Angelina S. Mumford, for many years a leading figure in religious and charitable work, died this morning after a long period of precarious health in her home, the Pillars, 37 South Washington street.

Miss Mumford was a descendant of one of Rochester's oldest and well-known families. She was born August 30, 1833, the daughter of William Mumford. Her brother, George Mumford, was a prominent lawyer and business man and for years president of Merchants' bank. From 1876 to 1914 she was a member of the board of managers of General hospital and since then an honorary member. From 1891 to 1898 she was president of the board and to her efforts is due in a large measure the extension and success of its activities.

Miss Mumford was at the time of her death the oldest member of First Presbyterian church. Previously she had attended the Church of the Epiphany. She had a large circle of friends among the older residents, all of whom speak in the highest terms of her remarkable ability and her unselfish work along altruistic lines. She leaves four nephews, William, George, Norman and Phillip Mumford.

Pos 1 — ^{May 22} 1919
MORTUARY RECORD
George W. Bacon.

George W. Bacon, a well known photographer of the past generation, died yesterday morning, aged 63 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lily B. Bacon; one daughter, Mrs. Roy Cromwell, and one sister, Mrs. James Sommerville.

Mr. Bacon was born in Rochester on November 7, 1851, and was associated with his father, Franklin W. Bacon, in the old Burke Building for a number of years. He retired from business some time ago. He had been a resident of the Fourteenth Ward for the past seventeen years.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence at 589 Monroe Avenue. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

A. B. LAMBERTON IS DEAD AT 80

Head
Gave Years of His Time to Up-
building of City's Parks.

WAS A NATIVE OF IRELAND
Had Been in Failing Health Recently,
but Friends Did Not

Expect Death.
May 27-1919

Alexander B. Lamberton, former president of the old Park Board and later Park Commissioner, died yesterday at his home, East Avenue and Oxford Street, aged 80 years. Although he had been in failing health for some time, his death came as a shock to his many friends, many of whom did not know that his condition was serious.

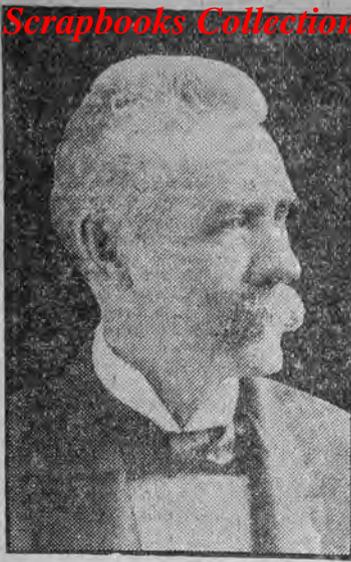
Alexander B. Lamberton was born at Rich Hill, County Armagh, Ireland, February 28, 1839. Early records dating back to the Tenth Century show that the family was of French descent, and later records give an account of three brothers who migrated from Scotland and settled in the north of Ireland in 1666. His father was Alexander Lamberton. His grandfather, William Lamberton, with eight sons came to America in 1830, but Alexander remained in Ireland until 1839, when he, too, came to this country. For many years he was a Methodist minister in the eastern part of the state, dying in Clinton County in 1878.

Alexander B. Lamberton, his son, who came to this country as an infant with his father, acquired his early education in the public schools of New York. Later he was a student at the University of Rochester and Auburn Theological Seminary. He expected to devote his life to the ministry and for two years was pastor of Thompkins Avenue Presbyterian Church in Brooklyn. His health failed, however, and he abandoned the ministry, turning his attention to business.

Mr. Lamberton became a resident of Rochester in 1864, engaging in industrial pursuits. He became proprietor of a lumber yard and planing mill at Exchange and Spring Streets and continued in that business for a number of years, making at the same time many investments in local real estate that proved valuable. For a number of years he had retired from active business, devoting his attention to looking after his investments and giving much of his time unselfishly to public matters. He was for many years a director and vice president of the East Side Savings Bank.

Notable Public Services.

His public services are many and notable. Years ago, through his influence, the first swing canal bridge in the state was built at Exchange Street. In his early days he was active in politics, accepting several important nominations at a time when the Republican party was in the minority. At



ALEXANDER B. LAMBERTON.

various times, he was a candidate for Mayor, State Senator and Congress. He was for many years a manager of the old State Industrial School. In 1900 the Legislature passed an act creating a public market commission, and he was appointed a member. For a time, he served as president, and his activity resulted in the establishment of the present market, one of the finest and most successful municipal markets in the United States.

Mr. Lamberton was always active in the affairs of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce, and in 1901 he was honored with election as its president. He declined a re-election that was offered, preferring not to break the one-term precedent that had been established in that office.

His Work for the Parks.

Mr. Lamberton's greatest public service in recent years was as president of the Rochester Park Commission. He was appointed a member of the commission in 1894 and was elected in 1902, succeeding the late Dr. E. M. Moore, who was the first and only president until that time. The position paid no salary, but he devoted to it virtually his entire time, giving the city the benefit of his extensive experience and intelligent ability.

Under Mr. Lamberton's management the Rochester parks have been greatly developed and extended. During his administration the valuable gifts of Durand-Eastman Park at the lakeside and the Cobbs Hill Park were received and to the development of those parks from their inception, Mr. Lamberton devoted much time and attention. In the establishment of the public market and the development of the Rochester parks, Mr. Lamberton did a public service for which he received no remuneration, and the benefit of his unselfish and intelligent supervision of these two great municipal enterprises can scarcely be overestimated.

On June 11, 1910, there were unveiled at Genesee Valley Park two handsome medallions of the two presidents of the Park Commission, the late Dr. E. M. Moore and Alexander B. Lamberton. The memorials form in the parks a permanent record of the great service done by the two men most instrumental in providing for Rochester the finest park system of any city of its size in the United States.

Mr. Lamberton was married in 1864 to Mrs. Eunice B. Hussey, daughter of Charles R. Harbuck of Nantucket, Mass. His wife died in 1898, leaving three daughters.

Mr. Lamberton had been all his life a great hunter and fisherman. Field sports and outdoor life were of absorbing interest to him. His fishing and hunting expeditions led him into the most famous game regions on the continent. He passed many days hunting in the Adirondacks and many weeks each winter fishing in Florida waters. It was never his ambition, however, to distinguish himself by the mere amount of game he could bring into camp. He had the sportsman's idea of sport for sport's sake. He was an early advocate of fish and game protection and of forest preservation.

As vice president of the national association for the protection of game and as chairman of its committee on nomenclature, he wrote some valuable monographs of scientific interest on game birds, quadrupeds and fish of North America. In 1875 he introduced brook trout artificially propagated into the waters in the northern woods, liberating 50,000 fry in the Fulton Chain of lakes. He was one of the first to urge the state to establish forest preservation in the Adirondacks.

Mr. Lamberton was appointed the first park commissioner of Rochester by Mayor Edgerton, March 8, 1915, and served in that capacity until February 1, 1918, when he retired to private life, feeling that the burdens of office were too heavy for a man of his years. He was succeeded by William S. Riley.

Mr. Lamberton leaves two daughters and one step-daughter. They are, Mrs. Charles Hone, Park Avenue, this city; Mrs. Isaac Kaiser of Brooklyn, and Miss Martha Hussey, with whom he lived at 737 East Avenue.

MANY OFFICIALS ATTEND FUNERAL

Times Union
Services for Alexander B.
Lamberton Held This
Morning From His Home
—Interment in Mt. Hope.

May 27-1919
The funeral of Alexander B. Lamberton was held this morning at 10:30 o'clock from his late home, 737 East avenue. Services were conducted by the Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church. The funeral was attended by a number of officials. Among them were: Mayor Hiram H. Edgerton; president of the Common Council, William W. Hibbard; Republican state committeeman, George W. Aldridge; superintendent of city parks, Calvin C. Laney; foreman of park laborers, Patrick Slavin; Bernard Slavin of the City Department; Henry C. Brown, engineer in the Park Department; William S. Riley, park commissioner; Gertrude M. Hartnett, office manager of the Park Department, and a number of others.

Burial was private. Interment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

The Board of Trustees of the Rochester Chamber of Commerce met at noon yesterday, and took action on the death of Alexander B. Lamberton who had served the chamber as its president in 1901, and before that date and until the time of his death was a member of the Board of Trustees. The resolution was drafted by a committee consisting of G. W. Thayer, Granger A. Hollister and Clinton Rogers, three former presidents. They also will form a committee to represent the chamber at the funeral this morning.

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E. H. SHERWOOD OF HIGH RANK AS MUSICIAN, DEAD

D. J. E.
Made Distinguished Name
for Himself as Composer.

June 3 - 1919
LONG ROCHESTER RESIDENT

Most of His Life Since Close of Civil War, in Which He Served, Spent in This City—Ailing for Last Five Years of His Life—Leaves Wife

The music world yesterday lost a figure of real worth. Edgar H. Sherwood, widely known as a musician and composer, died at his home at No. 366 Gregory street, after an illness of five years. It was only for the past six weeks that he had been seriously ill.

Among the piano works that brought renown to Mr. Sherwood were "Grand Menuet" (in A flat), "Polonaise" (A minor), and "Anemone" (rondeau). A number of artists have been using his later compositions.

Mr. Sherwood was born in Lyons on January 29, 1845, a son of the late Lyman Sherwood, who was one of the leading lawyers of Western New York, held the office of judge and surrogate of Wayne county for several terms and served in the state Senate. The musician on his mother's side was a descendant of the Earl of Huntington of Nottinghamshire, England.

Played Violin When a Child.

The first instrument chosen by Mr. Sherwood was the violin. At 4 years he accompanied his brother, Rev. L. H. Sherwood, father of William H. Sherwood, who became one of the foremost pianists of America, at the homes of acquaintances. The father of the future musician and composer did not look favorably upon a musical career for his son, and chose for him the medical profession. In 1861 Edgar Sherwood was in the office of a physician in Lyons.

In 1862 Mr. Sherwood enlisted in an infantry unit, and he served in the Civil war until the struggle ended in 1865. He returned home about a month after his father, his surviving parent, had died. He then decided upon music as a career and began a course of study in piano playing and the theory of music. He began as a teacher in a seminary in Dansville, where he at once made friends and had marked success.

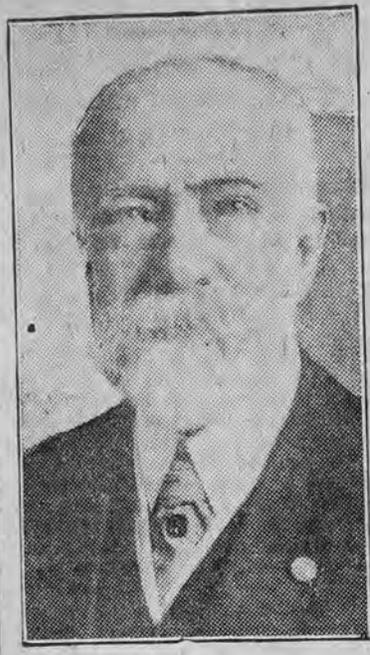
Composed Patriotic Songs.

Mr. Sherwood some years ago received from Louis F. Ellis, of Lima, Ohio, commander-in-chief of the Union Veterans' Union, a commission as national director of the organization with the rank of colonel. Mr. Sherwood was the author of a number of popular songs, among them "We Loved that Dear Old Flag," and "Comrades All," as well as a march entitled "War Veterans," which was often played by the famous Gilmore Band.

The capabilities of the musician and composer as an instructor obtained for him prominence in the musical circles of various cities. His written works will live long.

Mr. Sherwood came to Rochester soon after his return from the war, and except for twelve years spent in Chicago and New York had lived here since. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary A. Sherwood, and three nieces of Lyons. He was a member of Powers Post, G. A. B.

Up to last evening no arrangements had been made for the funeral. Mrs. Sherwood made a request that no flowers be sent to the home.



EDGAR H. SHERWOOD.

Final Tribute *June 3 1919* Paid By Friends To Mrs. Tatlock *Times Union*

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Clara Josephine Tatlock, wife of Harry A. Tatlock were held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Corn Hill M. E. Church which was well filled with sorrowing friends and relatives of the deceased. Mrs. Tatlock died late Saturday afternoon, May 31, 1919, aged 43 years. For several weeks she had been a patient sufferer from an incurable condition and for more than a week had taken no nourishment.

Her son Carlton B. had returned from overseas duty only a few weeks ago but was still at Camp Stewart. Efforts were made to secure his discharge so he could go to the bedside of his mother but the release came too late and he did not reach Rochester till Sunday.

Mrs. Tatlock was an active worker in the Corn Hill Church and by her service for others, her devotion to her family and her fine Christian character had a legion of friends. The esteem in which she was held was manifested by an unusual number of floral tributes.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. E. P. Hubbell and the Rev. James F. Bisgrove, pastor of the church. Interment was in the family plot in riverside cemetery.

Besides her husband she leaves two sons, Carlton B. and Harry Russell Tatlock; her mother Mrs. E. P. Baker, all of 45 Shelter Street; three brothers, F. S. Baker, of Eldred, Pa.; John W. Baker, of Ithaca, N. Y. and George W. Baker of Boston, Mass.

MANY SPEAKERS AT SERVICE FOR JOHN G. HOWARD

D. J. E.
Pulpit Covered with Floral Offerings of Friends.
June 3 - 1919
SHOW RELICS FROM WRECK

New Testament and Watch Among Articles Washed Up from Sea After Plane Fell—C. N. Howard Speak in Washington To-night

So large was the attendance at the memorial service held for John G. Howard, eldest son of Clinton N. Howard, in the Lake Avenue Baptist Church last evening, that it was found necessary before 8 o'clock to move the audience from the lecture room into the main auditorium. The service was conducted by Rev. S. W. Beaven, assistant pastor of the church, and Clinton N. Howard.

Among those who spoke in appreciation of the worth of John Howard was William M. Bennett, principal of West High School, of which the young aviator was a graduate; Franklin N. Gray, director of athletics of the Rochester high schools, with whom Howard spent his summers in Algonquin Park, Canada, as leaders of the Pathfinders camp; Lucius Atwater, Richard R. E. Powell and two ensigns who were in the service with Howard.

Letter from Bryan Read.

Mr. Howard read letters from William Jennings Bryan; President Alexander Mickeljohn, of Amherst College; Dr. Charles M. Sheldon, of Topeka, Kan.; Dr. Clarence A. Barbour, the pastor of the church, Rev. Albert W. Beaven, which arrived from France by special delivery late yesterday afternoon.

A large, life-sized portrait of John Howard was draped with the national colors at the front of the church. The pulpit was covered with floral offerings from societies in the church and friends of Mr. Howard in the city. Favorite hymns of his son were sung, and objects that came back from the sea where young Howard lost his life by the wreck of his sea-plane on April 25th were exhibited. Among them were a New Testament, given to him by his mother; the watch which was presented him by his father at the time of his graduation from West High School, and a Kodak carried on the fatal trip, containing five exposures of the sea into which the plane fell.

To Speak at Capital To-night.

At the conclusion of the service "taps" was sounded and the floral offerings were carried to Riverside cemetery to be laid on the spot where the young man's body would have been buried in the family lot had it been recovered from the sea.

At the close of the service 300 copies of a memorial of John Howard containing his picture, the prayer poem written by his father when he made a vain search for the body of his son off the coast of Cape Cod and Mr. Howard's address, "My Whitesouled Son," were given away.

Clinton N. Howard left last night for Washington to attend the national convention of temperance organizations. He will deliver his address on "The Demise of John Barleycorn" there to-night.

EDGAR H. SHERWOOD
WORLD FAMOUS
COMPOSER, DEAD

Post
Distinguished Rochester Musician and
Veteran of Civil War Won

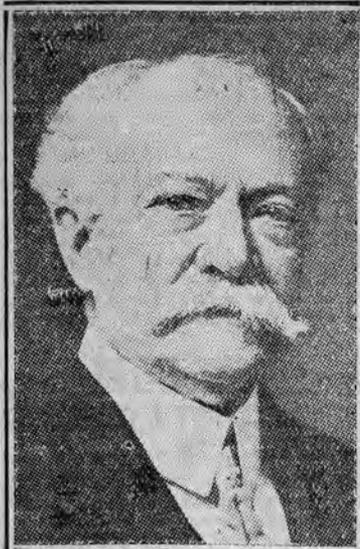
National Reputation.

June 3 - 1919
Edgar H. Sherwood, a Rochester musician and composer, who had been a prominent figure in the music world since the Civil war, and who gained national recognition from his original compositions, died last night in his home, 366 Gregory street. Although in poor health for the past five years, it was only for six weeks that he had been seriously ill. Mr. Sherwood was a veteran of the Civil war and took a leading part in the activities of veterans. In 1897 he was appointed national music director of the Union Veterans union, with the rank of colonel.

Mr. Sherwood was born in Lyons on January 29, 1845, a son of Lyman Sherwood, who was one of the leading lawyers of Western New York, held the office of judge and surrogate of Wayne county for several terms and served in the state senate. On his mother's side he was a descendant of the Earl of Huntington, Nottinghamshire, England.

At the early age of four years he played the violin and often accompanied his brother, Rev. L. H. Sherwood, father of William H. Sherwood, who was one of the foremost piano players in the United States. Yielding to the wishes of his father, who did not look favorably upon a musical career for him, Mr. Sherwood took up the study of medicine and in 1861 was in a physician's office in Lyons. In 1862 he enlisted as a musician in Company C, 160th New York Infantry and served with this organization until the close of the war. He became a member of C. J. Powers Post, 391, G. A. R.

On returning home he decided that music was to be his vocation and he immediately planned a course of study in piano playing and the theory of music. He began as a teacher in a school in Dansville, where he made many lifelong friends and achieved considerable success. Vigorously carrying on his chosen work, Mr. Sherwood rose rapidly. He soon made a reputation as a com-



EDGAR H. SHERWOOD.
Musician and Composer, Who Died Last Night.

poser, and successes followed rapidly. His works for the piano were marked by grace and expressiveness.

Among his more popular works are "The Dreamer," a march composed as an elegy on Gottschalk; "The Nun and the Fountain," two polonaises in B flat and A minor; "Grand Minuet in A flat; "Souvenir de Montmorenci," "Anemone;" "L'Heroux'Retour," a grand concert duet; "Footsteps in the Snow," "No Black for Me;" "War Veterans' March," a composition of splendid force and spirit, and many other instrumental and vocal works, nearly all of which were established favorites on concert programmes.

Many of Mr. Sherwood's pupils later became famous in their professions. Mrs. Barton S. Chase, of Chicago, won the title of the "American Sembrich." Professor George E. Fisher, of this city, organist of the Lake Avenue Baptist church, is another of his pupils. Allen H. Spencer was later director of piano in Toledo conservatory.

Letters of appreciation and congratulation from many distinguished musicians testify to the high quality of Mr. Sherwood's talent and the enduring worth of his compositions.

For twelve years Mr. Sherwood lived in Chicago, where he was editor of a musical and social journal, and where he also conducted classes in

music. Subsequently he lived in New York for some time, but he returned to Rochester, where he had lived most of the time since the close of the war. Mr. Sherwood leaves his wife, Mary Sherwood, and three nieces in Lyons.

IS LAID TO REST
NEAR SCENES OF
HIS EARLY LIFE

June 1919

The funeral of Lovasso Field, former well known business man of Rochester, who died last Friday in Columbus, Ohio, took place yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the home at 43 South Goodman Street, in charge of Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church. Honorary bearers were Thomas Dransfield, F. M. Ellery, W. A. Hubbard, P. V. Crittenden, Valentine F. Whitmore, W. J. Fuller, J. Stuart Page, Robert Tait, F. S. Miller, J. R. Childs and George Garrison, all of Rochester, and George E. Graham of Buffalo. Burial will be made at Corning, Mr. Field's former home, to-day.

Mr. Field was born at Stillwater, N. J., May 25, 1849, the son of John R. and Henrietta Roy Field. Ten years later the family moved to Chemung, N. Y., where he attended the district school. He later completed his schooling at the Binghamton Business College, where, upon graduation, he became a member of the faculty. Leaving there after a short term of service, he entered the employ of the Western Union Telegraph Company, working successively in the Chemung, Painted Post, Canisteo and Corning offices. He became manager of the Corning office in the year 1869, at the age of 20 years. He was engaged by the First National Bank of Hornellsville in the fall of 1871, and within a short time became its cashier.

On January 6, 1874, he was married to Alice B. V. Heermans, daughter of the late John and Nancy Travis Heermans of Corning, and established a home at Hornellsville. Returning to Corning in 1875 he entered business with his father-in-law, operating a steam granite works, an enterprise which was a pioneer in its line.

In 1883 he became a partner in the firm of Clague, Wegman, Schlicht & Field. Incidental to the formation of this firm, Mr. Field went to Chicago and purchased the original Shannon file patent from its inventor. It is to be noted that the file for many years was accepted as an efficient device and was adopted by the government at Washington as such.

It was in Rochester in 1886 that Mr. Schlicht and Mr. Field published the first numbers of the Cosmopolitan Magazine.

Shortly afterwards Mr. Field established the Rochester Cabinet Company, the Sanitary Communion Outfit Company, and in 1909, the Field Baking Company, all of which are now operated by his sons.

Daniel Blossom Hoyt.

Daniel Blossom Hoyt died yesterday afternoon at his home, 5 Birch crescent, aged 87 years. He is survived by his wife, Kathryn W. Hoyt, and a daughter, Emily Wells Hoyt.

Mr. Hoyt probably was the second oldest living descendant of the Brighton pioneers, his grandfather, Levi Hoyt, and his greatuncle, Thankful Blossom Hoyt, having migrated to this section in the War of 1812, building a log cabin in the forest at Winton road and Hoyt place. The latter street still bears his name and leads to the Brighton Cemetery, where his ancestors are buried.

Widely known as a commercial traveler, Mr. Hoyt for 35 years visited the large cities throughout the eastern, northern and southern states.

The funeral will take place from the home, 5 Birch crescent, the Rev. Paul Moore Strayer officiating at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Burial will be made in Brighton Cemetery, beside his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoyt. *June 9 - 1919*

KATHRIN MACKENZIE HOYT.
Post
Widow of Old Resident Dies Day After
Husband's Funeral. 1919

One day after the funeral of her husband, Daniel Blossom Hoyt, who died Friday, Kathrin MacKenzie Hoyt died in her home, 5 Birch crescent, yesterday. She leaves a daughter, Emily Wells Hoyt, and two nieces, Mrs. A. H. Case of Rochester and Mrs. K. A. McVean of Caledonia.

The funeral will be held from her home to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial will be in the family lot in Brighton cemetery.

F. B. HUTCHINSON TAKEN BY DEATH

D.V.C.
Lawyer and Veteran Dies
at His Home Here.

June 8 - 1919
PRACTICED SINCE CIVIL WAR

Walked Mile and Half Twice Every
Week Day Between Office and
Home—Wounded Twice and Was
in Thirty-three Engagements

Franklin B. Hutchinson, one of Rochester's oldest lawyers and a prominent veteran of the Civil war, died on Friday at his home, No. 85 Warwick avenue.

For many years Mr. Hutchinson had been a familiar figure in the city. Since his admission to the bar, just after the close of the Civil war, he had practiced law in an office in the Reynolds Arcade, and ever yweek day, year after year, he walked the mile and a half between his home and office morning and night in the conviction that the exercise helped him to preserve the robust health he always enjoyed. It was on May 8th that he visited his office for the last time. He was nearly 82 years of age.

In College and in War.

Born in Penfield on July 3, 1837, Mr. Hutchinson attended the district school and later went to the Genesee Wesleyan Seminary in Lima. He was graduated by the University of Rochester in 1862 and was commissioned a second lieutenant in Company H, 108th New York Infantry. He went to the front with his regiment on August 15th and on the 19th took part in the battle of Antitam. During the war he was in thirty-three flights and skirmishes, including the seven-day Battle of the Wilderness. He was wounded twice, but neither time seriously.

After being promoted to the rank of first lieutenant, Mr. Hutchinson served as regimental quartermaster. When Colonel C. J. Powers, who commanded the 108th, was made a brigadier-general, Lieutenant Hutchinson commanded the regiment for a time.

Active in Fraternal Work.

Mr. Hutchinson took an active part in the activities of the G. A. R. as a member of C. J. Powers Post. A few years ago he was elected national commander in chief of the Union Veterans' Union, an office which he held with distinction. He was a member of the Loyal Legion, also. He was keenly interested in the Masonic fraternity, being a member of Penfield Union Lodge, F. and A. M.; Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M., and Monroe Commandery, K. T. At the recent centennial of Hamilton Chapter he was one of the two oldest surviving members. He was made a life member of the organization when he had been a member fifty years.

Mr. Hutchinson leaves his wife, three sons, Major Franklin S. Hutchinson, who was an assistant to General Crowder and in charge of the draft in New York state; William and Halbert G. Hutchinson; a brother, Edward T. Hutchinson and six grandchildren, all of Rochester.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at the convenience of the family and will be private.

Daily Death Roll

Times Union
V. Moreau Smith,
Former President Of
Rochester Trust, Dead

June 9 - 1919
The funeral of V. Moreau Smith, former president of the Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company, whose death occurred early yesterday morning at his home 593 Mount Hope avenue, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from Mount Hope Chapel.

Mr. Smith was born in Albany on June 25, 1863. When still a boy he came here with his parents. He attended public schools here and later was graduated by Hobart College. He entered the employ of the Merchants Bank, where he remained until 1888, when his father, J. Moreau Smith, founded the Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company. V. Moreau Smith became a teller for the new trust company and continued in that capacity until 1899, when he was elected secretary.

When his father died in 1907 Mr. Smith was chosen to succeed him as president of the Rochester Trust and Safe Deposit Company. He held the office until 1913, when he resigned and was succeeded by William C. Barry. He continued a member of the board of directors until his death.

Part of the later years of his life Mr. Smith devoted to European travel, of which he was fond. About five years ago Mr. Smith married Mrs. George Ellwanger of Mount Hope avenue. They were in Europe when the war began. They experienced considerable difficulty in leaving the war zone and spent about eight months in Switzerland before returning home.

Mr. Smith was one of the early directors of the Pfaudler Company and also served on the board of the Rochester Telephone Company and the Federal Telephone Company of Buffalo.

Mr. Smith was a member of the Union League Club of New York, and of the Genesee Valley Club, the Rochester Club and the Rochester Athletic Club. For several years he served as vestryman of Christ Episcopal Church, of which he was an active member. He leaves, besides his wife, a brother, L. Walton Smith of Rochester.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post - June 13 - 1919
JAMES EDWARD WELSH.

Prominent Educator Born in Rochester Dies in Chicago.

James Edward Welsh, a prominent educator born in Rochester, died Tuesday in his home in Chicago, aged 62 years. He leaves his wife, two sons and one daughter.

Mr. Welsh was born in Rochester on January 12, 1857, and later moved to Dubuque, Iowa, where he received most of his education. He became an instructor and taught in elementary and high schools here, and was principal of elementary schools for twenty-three years. In 1904 he was chosen principal of the Colman school in Chicago and a year after transferred to the Garfield school where he remained to the time of his death.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post - June 10 - 1919
MEMORIAL BY DIRECTORS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Rochester Trust & Safe Deposit company held to-day, the following memorial was adopted:

Through the death of Vincent Moreau Smith, which occurred the eighth day of June, this institution records the loss of a member of its board who had been connected with it from its inception.

When the company was organized in the year 1888, Mr. Smith filled the position of teller. In 1899 he was elected secretary and in 1907 succeeded his father, the late J. Moreau Smith, as president, continuing to serve in that capacity until April, 1913, when he asked to be relieved of the duties of that position.

He always had great pride in the success of the company and its standing in the community, and his helpfulness and interest were largely instrumental in maintaining its high character. His thoughtfulness of others, his integrity and his loyalty to his friends were characteristics worthy of being exemplified.

We extend to his widow and brother our profound sympathy.

We direct that a copy of the minutes be entered upon our permanent records.

Franklin B. Hutchinson.

The funeral of Franklin B. Hutchinson, who died Friday, was held yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from his home, 85 Warwick avenue. Rev. O. N. Fisher, D. D., of St. Stephens' Episcopal church, conducted the service. The bearers were Henry D. McNaughton, Richard E. White, John H. Hopkins, Peter A. Costich, E. E. DeGraff and Samuel C. McKown. Burial was in Mt. Hope.

VALENTINE DENGLER.

Post - June 7 - 1919
Death of Resident Born Here in 1841
Founder of Company.

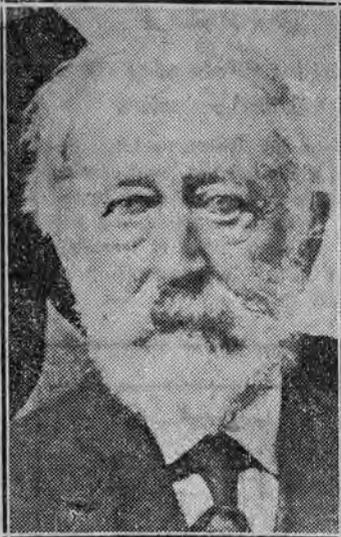
Valentine Dengler, a lifelong resident of Rochester and one of the founders of the Dengler Machine company, died yesterday after an illness of five months in the home of his son, Leo F. Dengler, 87 Rugby avenue, aged 78 years. Besides his son, he leaves two grandsons, Leo J. and Joseph V. Dengler.

Mr. Dengler was born in Rochester on June 19, 1841. His parents lived where Saxton street extension begins at Brown street. For seventy-three years he lived in the house in which he was born. He attended school in SS. Peter and Paul's parish, and had been a lifelong member of that church. He was a member and vice-president of Connell & Dengler Machine company, in which he was actively engaged for forty-five years. Three years ago he retired.

The funeral will take place Monday morning with burial in Holy Sepulchre.

Success Union
**Death Claims
Last Member Of
Pioneer Family**

1919
Pittsford, June 10.—Hanford Ray Stone, a lifelong resident of Pittsford, died yesterday, aged 84 years. His family was one of the pioneers of the town, his grandfather, Amos Stone, coming here in 1793, when he purchased the farm a mile and a half west of this place, which has been the "homestead" ever since. It was on this farm that Hanford Stone was born and spent most of his life, as did his father, Solomon Stone. His mother was Sylvia Ray, also an early resident of the town.



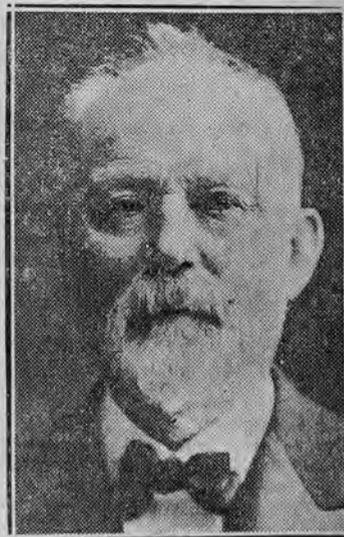
HANFORD RAY STONE.

from the residence of his daughter on the West Bloomfield road, four miles south of here. The Rev. James L. Jewell will officiate.

**WAS PROMINENT
IN G. A. R. CIRCLES**

Times Union
Death of Edwin A. Bishop,
Past Commander of Pow-
ers Post—Member of Com-
mandery Drill Corps.

June 16-1919
Edwin A. Bishop, one of the most prominent G. A. R. members in Rochester, died yesterday morning at his home, 1677 Clifford avenue, aged 80 years. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. M. E. Walker of Terminal, Cal.,



EDWIN A. BISHOP.

Mrs. W. J. Pinkney of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. H. J. Drake of Rochester; one son, G. H. Bishop, and one great-grandson.

Mr. Bishop was born in Guilford, Conn., in 1834, and came to New York State in 1858, settling in Ontario County. He came to Rochester in 1868 and followed the business of practical house painting until 1896, when he retired on account of disease contracted while in the army.

He enlisted on August 8, 1862, at Ontario, and was mustered in as a private in Company B, 138th Infantry, on August 14 to serve three years. This organization became the Ninth Artillery later. He was promoted to be company commissary sergeant and was mustered out with his company on July 6, 1865, at Washington, D. C. He participated in the following battles: Cold Harbor, Monocacy, Winchester, Cedar Creek, siege of Petersburg, taking of Petersburg and Sailor's Creek, and the following skirmishes: Snickers Gap, Charleston, Halltown, Smithfield and Hatch's Run.

Mr. Bishop was a commander of the Veteran Brigade of Monroe County and a past commander of C. J. Powers Post, past commander of the G. A. R. relief committee and a delegate to the national encampment at Boston. He was a life member of the drill corps of Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, and a member of other masonic bodies.

**INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL
OFFICER IS DEAD**

Success June 14
John H. Sharpe, for 25 years an officer at the Industrial School and a member of one of Monroe County's pioneer families, died yesterday morning at his residence in Industry, aged 77 years. Mr. Sharpe was a son of Daniel Sharpe and Rose Hill Sharpe, and was born in the vicinity of Rochester, where his father was engaged in business as a contractor.

The Sharpe family residence, a short time after his birth, was established in the town of Greece and up to the time of his death, Mr. Sharpe's father was known as one of the foremost and one of the wealthiest residents of that district. John Sharpe was educated at St. Joseph's College, Fordham, and was a man of marked literary attainment. He was a warm personal friend of the late Joseph O'Connor and, like the latter, loved the out of doors. In his younger days he was noted for his marksmanship and his ability with rod and reel.

He was a brother of Major Daniel A. Sharpe, who served many terms as Coroner of Monroe County, and a brother of Mrs. Katherine Dowling, who for many years was librarian of the Rochester Public Library.

Mr. Sharpe became an officer of the State Industrial School before it was removed from this city and when it was transferred to Industry and took on an agricultural character, he remained with it. He was a gentleman of the old-fashioned type of courtesy and was respected and admired by his associates. He leaves a wife and one daughter.

MORTUARY RECORD

H *Success*
HENRY F. STOWELL.

June 9-1919
Dr. Henry Fowler Stowell died yesterday afternoon at the family residence, 29 Atkinson Street. His parents moved from Hornell to Rochester when he was a lad. Dr. Stowell received his degree of M. D. at the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Columbia University, New York City. He practiced for a time in New York City as a specialist in diseases of the eye and ear, but later opened an office in this city. He retired from active practice several years ago.

Dr. Stowell had unusual ability in diagnosis. He was modest and of retiring disposition, well informed on many matters outside his profession and to those who knew him well he was a most interesting conversationalist. After giving up the active practice of his profession, Dr. Stowell found pleasure in the study of mechanical devices and took out patents for many of his inventions, a number of which are in practical use.

Dr. Stowell had been in failing health for a year and death was caused by complications due to age.

He is survived by two brothers, C. L. Stowell of Rochester and Charles F. Stowell, a consulting engineer of Albany, and one sister, Miss M. Louise Stowell of Rochester.

DEATH CLAIMS
June 21, 1919
FRANK COLTMAN,
NEWSPAPERMAN
Herald

Frank G. Coltman, one of the best known newspapermen in Rochester, despite the fact that he was a comparative newcomer to the field, died yesterday after a brief illness. Although his health had been failing for some months, it was not until a week ago that it took a serious turn. He was about 48 years old.

Mr. Coltman had been identified with Rochester newspapers for less than eight years, starting in reportorial work on The Herald in the fall of 1911. Infinite care in detail and conscientious efforts to insure accuracy and exactness in every item that he prepared for publication quickly distinguished his newspaper work, although he had but slight training for it before coming to Rochester. Soon after, he was made night editor of the paper, remaining in that capacity until poor health caused him to leave newspaper work for a time. In the fall of 1915 he entered the employ of the Post Express as a reporter, but his stay there was brief. About two years ago he joined the staff of the Democrat and Chronicle in the capacity of music critic and assistant dramatic critic, revealing a soundness of judgment and an incisive knowledge of music and the stage that made his articles on those subjects authoritative and widely read. He remained in that position to the time of his death.

Before coming to Rochester, Mr. Coltman had won recognition on the stage as a portrayer of comedy characters in association with such comedy stars as Tim Murphy. Many years of his life were devoted to this profession, which took him to all parts of the country and made his name well known to theatergoers of a decade or more ago. In "Harbor Lights," the famous old melodrama, Mr. Coltman won a particularly conspicuous success. It was perhaps this inherent comedy talent and keenness to appreciate the humor in commonplace types and incidents that made Mr. Coltman the favorite of companions and won him friends as though by an irresistible power. His disposition was quiet and unassuming, he never sought personal display; yet his unflinching ability to make other persons cheerful and his readiness of sympathy drew him quickly to those who knew him.

Mr. Coltman's early home was at Tidoute, Pa., and he was a member of the Masonic Lodge of that place. He abandoned the stage and came to Rochester soon after the death of his mother. Death has taken virtually his entire family, his nearest living relative being a niece, Miss Marion Shaw of Mannington, W. Va. He was a cousin of the late Mrs. Charles Rodenbeck of Rochester. For the last year he had lived at Brick Church Institute. The regard in which Mr. Coltman was held by his fellow newspaper workers was testified to last fall when he was elected secretary of the Newswriters' Club, a position which he was obliged to resign because of ill health.

CAPTAIN JOSEPH DE VILLE
June 26, 1919
Post

Civil War Veteran and Great Lakes Shipping Man, Dies.

Captain Joseph De Ville died Friday in his home, 419 West avenue, aged 78 years. Captain De Ville was born in Sodus Point in 1841. He served in the Federal army through the Civil war and at its close moved to Cleveland, where he purchased and operated three schooners on the Great Lakes. About thirty years ago he sold out his fleet and returned to Sodus Point, where he opened the Hotel De Ville. The business was successful and the hotel became well known as "Captain Joe's place." Last winter he moved to West avenue. He leaves two sons, Harry and Frank, of Cleveland; and three brothers, Captain Henry and Charles, of Sodus Point, and F. D. De Ville, of Toledo. The burial will be in Jefferson, O.

MARY A. RHINES.
Post

Widow of Pioneer Settler Dies at Chicago Home at Age of 97.

Mary A. Rhines, widow of Peter F. Rhines, pioneer settler and well known business man of Rochester for over half a century, died Saturday at her home in Chicago at the age of 97 years. Mrs. Rhines moved to that city with her husband in 1882, where she has since resided.

Mrs. Rhines was the mother of twelve children, seven of whom are still living. They are Lady Cora Hunter of Scotland, who was on a visit to her mother at the time of her death; Mrs. Hattie Dunn of Chicago, Mrs. Emma Staley of Muskogee, Mrs. Ella Robinson of Kansas City, Mrs. Addie J. Baldwin of St. Louis, Mrs. Sanford A. Penny of East Rochester, Mrs. Charles Reinhart of Rochester, and J. H. Rhines of Chicago, and five grandchildren. She was a member of St. Peter's Presbyterian church of Rochester.

MRS. WILLIAM H. JAMES.

Wife of Rochester's Oldest Mail Carrier Dies at South Street Home.

Isabella Augusta, wife of William H. James, Rochester's oldest mail carrier, died Saturday morning at the home 21 South street. Mrs. James, whose maiden name was Isabelle Augusta Stevenson, was born in Henrietta in 1846 and since her marriage forty-seven years ago, lived continuously in the South street home.

Besides her husband, Mrs. James leaves one son, Frederick W. James and two daughters, Mrs. George Bartholomew and Mrs. J. B. Castle. The funeral will be held at 3.30 this afternoon.

THROUGH AT FUNERAL OF THOMAS WILLIAMS
Post
Oldest Shoemaker in City

Dies at His Home.
July 18-1919



THOMAS WILLIAMS.

Many of Rochester's old-time shoemakers as well as many younger shoemakers, besides representatives of the shoe and leather trades of this city, were present yesterday afternoon to pay their final respects to the memory of Thomas Williams. His funeral took place from the home, No. 55 Cypress street, at 4:40 o'clock.

Mr. Williams, although but 74 years old, had worked more years in a Rochester shoe factory than any other person living, according to the claims of his friends. Before the Civil War he learned the shoemaker's trade, and in the early '60's he was one of a team in the old and almost forgotten factory of Churchill & Company.

Later, Mr. Williams was with Pancost, Sage & Morse for several years. In 1873, when his cousin, the late William Williams, and Charles E. Hoyt started the business of Williams, Hoyt & Company he went with that house as foreman of the making room as well as a stockholder. He had kept that connection since.

Mr. Williams's acquaintance among shoe, leather and machinery men of the present and of the last two generations is said to have been more extensive than any other shoe man in Rochester if not in the United States. He died on Tuesday after a breakdown in health more than a year ago. It was only three weeks ago, however, that he gave up the duties of his craft for good. The body was laid to rest in Mount Hope cemetery.

C. J. BROWNING IS TAKEN BY DEATH

D. & C.
Lawyer Passes Away at His
Home in George Street.

IN LAW HERE FORTY YEARS
July 6 - 1919

Began to Study with Late John Van-
Voorhis in 1877 and Private Prac-
tice in 1888—Occupied Offices in
Wilder Building Nearly 30 Years

Clarence J. Browning, well known attor-
ney and counseor of this city, died at his
home, No. 18 George street, on Friday
morning, July 4th. Mr. Browning was the
son of Alfred P. Browning and Delia
Stearns, who had been residents of Monroe
county all their lives. The mother died in
1891 and the father died in 1906, leaving,
besides Clarence J. Browning, a daughter,
Clara M. Woolston, wife of William J.
Woolston, of Fairport, who died in January,
1919.

The first of the Browning family to live
in Monroe county was Dr. John Browning,
father of Alfred P. Browning, who located
in the town of Mendon in 1816, coming
there from Massachusetts, where he prac-
ticed medicine until 1866, passing away at
the age of 82 years. He was a typical doc-
tor of the old school, giving his life for
others, riding and driving the lonely trails
and roads in all kinds of weather, practic-
ing medicine, surgery, dentistry and dis-
pensing healing and hope.

His Legal Career.

Clarence J. Browning was born at the
homestead in the town of Mendon on
March 27, 1856, and after exhausting the
advantages of the public schools of his dis-
trict, he entered Genesee Wesleyan Semina-
ry at Lima, where he was graduated with
the class of 1877. Soon afterwards he be-
gan the study of law in this city under the
preceptorship of John Van Voorhis, at that
time and for a long number of years one
of the most eminent lawyers of the state of
New York.

Mr. Browning continued his studies in
the Van Voorhis office until he success-
fully passed his state bar examinations in
1882. He remained in that office after
his admission and was associated with that
firm until 1888, when he began the private
practice of his profession. Shortly there-
after, Edner A. Marsh entered into part-
nership with him, and they opened law
offices in the Wilder building, which were
the same offices occupied by Mr. Browning
at the time of his death and where he
had been for nearly thirty years.

New Partnership Formed.

A few years later, Mr. Marsh having
been appointed clerk of Surrogate's Court
of Monroe county, Derrick W. Ross suc-
ceeded him as a partner of Mr. Browning,
which firm continued for several years un-
til Mr. Ross went to Colorado. From 1908
until 1910 George F. Hixson occupied offices
with him and on November 1, 1910, Edward
L. Cleary then opened his first office for
the practice of law by becoming associ-
ated with him in his office in the Wilder
building, which association had ever
since continued.

Mr. Browning married on March 6,
1883, Harriet S. Hastings, of Lima, who
died in February, 1917. He leaves a
nephew, Clarence Browning Woolston, of
New York, and a niece Mrs. Roy W. Rat-
tams, of Fishers.

Funeral of Clarence J. Browning. The
Association will be held to-morrow at noon in
the Court House to take suitable action
upon the death of Mr. Browning. The fu-
neral will take place from the home, No. 18
George street, at 2 o'clock to-morrow after-
noon.

ORPHAN ASYLUM PRINCIPAL DEAD

Times Union
Miss Catharine Ella Hunt
Had Also Taught for
Years at School 32—Was
Highly Respected.
Oct. 7 - 1918

Catharine Ella Hunt, who was for
many years a teacher at School 32,
and for the past year principal at the
Rochester Orphan Asylum, died yester-
day at her residence, 581 Monroe
avenue. She is survived by several
cousins, but no immediate relatives.
She was a daughter of the late John
and Catherine Clark Hunt. The time
of the funeral has not yet been an-
nounced.

Teachers associated with her express
their appreciation of her in the fol-
lowing words: "In her was personi-
fied all that is faithful and loyal. Al-
ways tireless in every good activity
pertaining to her profession, she was
able to perform her duties to the end.
Her memory will be cherished by her
relatives and her many friends and
pupils."

Miss Hunt was graduated from the
old Rochester Free Academy in 1879
and from the City Training Class of
Teachers in 1890. In 1890 she became
a teacher at School 32 and remained
at that school until last year, when
she was appointed as principal at the
Rochester Orphan Asylum.

Mabel Mutschler *July 29 - 1919* Dead; Well-Known *Times Union* Soprano Soloist

Mrs. Mabel F. Mutschler, well
known in musical circles in Roches-
ter, died Sunday at Memorial Hospi-
tal, Canandaigua, aged 38 years. Fu-
neral services were held this after-
noon from her late home on Sly street,
Canandaigua. The Rev. H. L. Gay-
lord, rector of St. John's Episcopal
Church, officiated, and interment was
in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mrs. Mutschler was the widow of
Henry C. Mutschler, who died about
four years ago. She underwent an op-
eration for appendicitis and seemed to
be recovering when complications de-
veloped. She leaves one daughter,
Emmalina; her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
A. E. Fletcher of Canandaigua, and
one sister, Mrs. James Smith of Chi-
cago.

Mrs. Mutschler possessed a soprano
voice of unusual quality. She had
sung in a number of Rochester
churches and at various other func-
tions, including musical events in the
city parks. She was also widely
known in Western New York and had
considerable success as a teacher. She
was preparing to take an engagement
at Albany when stricken ill two weeks
ago.

JOHN H. WALLACE DIES AFTER TRIP TO CANADA

D. & C.
Member of Howe & Rogers
Company Passes Away.
July 21 - 1919



JOHN H. WALLACE.

Word was received on Saturday of the
death of John H. Wallace, a member of
the Howe & Rogers Company, at the
summer home of his daughter, Mrs. Mat-
thew Kellner, at Rose Hill, Ontario, Can-
ada.

Mr. Wallace was ill about two weeks.
Although he had not been in the best of
health for some time, the end came un-
expectedly. Some of his family urged
him not to go to Mrs. Kellner's home,
fearing that the journey might be too
trying, but he was eager to make the
trip. He died soon after his arrival.

Mr. Wallace was born in Peterboro,
Ontario. When a child he came to
Rochester with his parents, the late Rob-
ert and Elizabeth Wallace. After leav-
ing school, he entered the store of Howe
& Rogers, by which firm he was em-
ployed for many years and eventually
becoming a member of the company.
He was a specialist in judging Oriental
rugs. He married Miss Annie Milow,
of this city.

Mr. Wallace was a member of Trinity
Episcopal Church, a charter member of
Corinthian Temple Masonic Lodge and a
member of Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch
Masons. He was actively interested in pol-
itics and served as a Republican commit-
tee-man in the Ninth ward. He was a man
of many acquaintances. It had been said
of him that 90 per cent. of the business
men of Rochester knew him.

He leaves his wife, three children, Robert
Wallace, of No. 275 East avenue; Miss
Clara Wallace, of Rochester, and Mrs.
Kellner, of Buffalo, and two brothers, Rob-
ert Wallace, of No. 684 Dewey avenue,
and James Wallace, of No. 91 Magee ave-
nue.

WELL-KNOWN CIVIL WAR VETERAN
AND POLICE OFFICER FOR 25 YEARS
Harald DROPS DEAD DRESSING FOR DUTY

July 21 - 1919

Theodore H. Cazeau, a veteran of the Civil war and a member of the Rochester Police Department for the past 25 years, dropped dead from a heart attack while dressing preparatory to go on duty yesterday noon in his home at 161 Reynolds Street. On Saturday he had been at his post as usual in the office of the Chief of Police, where he had been stationed for the past fifteen years. Not having complained of illness to any member of his family, they suffered a severe shock in his sudden demise.

The passing of the aged officer will be felt with deep regret by all the members of the police department, among whom he was held in the highest esteem, and by Rochester business men, especially of the older generation, among whom he was widely known and deeply respected. Prior to his connection with the police department, Mr Cazeau completed his first quarter of continuous service, which was with the American Express Company

Came With Parents by Packet.

Theodore H. Cazeau was born in Albany on June 7, 1843. While still a boy his parents moved to this city, the trip made by packet on the Erie Canal. When the Civil War broke out he enlisted in Company M, 8th Regiment, New York Volunteer Cavalry, which was organized in Rochester. On November 14, 1861, this Rochester command left the state and became attached to the Armies of the Shenandoah and Potomac, respectively. In the latter army the regiment served in the defense of Washington. Among the many skirmishes and battles in which it participated were Winchester, Harper's Ferry, Fredericksburg, Beverly Ford and Gettysburg.

Private Cazeau was among a number of prisoners taken by the Rebels in the Battle of Beverly Ford on June 9, 1863. Before reaching the prison, however, he succeeded in making good his escape and returned to his command. He was honorably discharged at Camp Stoneman on March 17, 1864.

Soon after the close of the war, Mr. Cazeau became engaged in a clerical capacity with the American Express Company in this city. For 25 years he faithfully served the company and earned the fullest confidence of his employers for efficiency. He came in contact with many of the city's business men in his work and through his genial, whole-souled disposi-

tion made for himself a wide circle of staunch friends.

Impaired health led Mr. Cazeau to seek out-door employment and 25 years ago he was appointed a patrolman. Ten years later he was made doorman at the office of the chief of police by John Hayden, who was then chief. He served for four years under Chief Hayden and had since been retained in that capacity by Chief Quigley during the eleven years the latter has served. His post was one of considerable importance and he was most favorably known by officials of high and low station and the many others who had business with the chief, by reason of his efficiency and unflinching courtesy in the performance of his duties.

Chief Quigley Pays Tribute.

Chief Quigley paid high tribute to Mr. Cazeau yesterday afternoon, saying:

"He was one of the finest, kindest and most generous characters I have ever known. His duties at Police Headquarters required the utmost tact, and he has served long and faithfully and in a manner that reflected credit upon himself and the department. His never failing courtesy, his kindly smile and his hearty handshake greeted one and all. He was especially kind and solicitous toward women and children and all who were in trouble. He was a splendid, fearless police officer in his day, and at all times a gentleman. He will be greatly missed by me and everyone at headquarters."

Mr. Cazeau was a member of E. G. Marshall Post 397, Grand Army of the Republic. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Ella V. Ford Cazeau; one daughter, Miss Ella F. Cazeau, and four sons, Theodore C. and Chester A. Cazeau of Rochester and William G. and Edwin H. Cazeau of San Francisco, Cal. The funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock from the home. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

TAUGHT IN PUBLIC
SCHOOLS IN THIS
CITY MANY YEARS

Post - July 21 -
Wilhelmina A. Sontag, Principal of
School 21, Dies—Funeral to Be
Held To-morrow Morning. *1919*

The death of Wilhelmina A. Sontag, principal of School 21, Saturday afternoon, after an illness that began Memorial day, came as a distinct shock to many friends, among whom were hundreds of former pupils. But nowhere was the shock greater than in the teaching staff at School 21, where through a long series of years there had prevailed the utmost harmony and unanimity of purpose.

As a teacher Miss Sontag ranked among the best, and her record as a principal stands pre-eminent. The more than thirty years of service which she gave to the schools of this city stand as part of the finest portion of educational history here. She had taught in several schools and, then as a recognition of her services, fourteen years ago she was made principal of School 21, where she served until taken suddenly ill on Memorial day.

Among school men and women today there is the sincerest sorrow at her passing, a sorrow which extends from the Board of Education to the children at present in the schools and those many other hundreds of children now grown up who passed under her influence.

Miss Sontag was born in Watertown, a daughter of Ferdinand and Wilhelmina Sontag, and came to Rochester when a little child. She was educated in the local schools, graduating from the old Free academy, then taking training as a teacher. She received her first appointment as teacher in the public schools in October, 1882. She was assigned to School 16, where she taught until she was transferred in 1887 to School 31. She taught there until 1894 when she was granted leave of absence. She taught in Detroit from September, 1894, to November, 1901, when she returned to Rochester. She was a supply teacher from January, 1902, to July of the same year. She was reappointed to the regular staff in June, 1902, and assigned to School 23. Seven years later she was made principal at School 21 and had since held that post.

In the school records and in the directories Miss Sontag is recorded as Minnie A. Sontag. The diminutive of her baptismal name was used in the family and among her intimates, and finally she became generally known by it. In recent years to satisfy this use of a "pet" name she had always signed herself as Minnie A. Sontag.

Funeral services will be held to-morrow morning at 10.30 at the family home in Cornell street.

Principals, directors and supervisors in the public schools will meet at Monroe avenue and Cornell street to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock to attend the funeral of Miss Sontag. It is expected that many of the grade teachers will also attend.

Imm-Union
Daily Death Roll
Mrs. M. L. Hughes,
Mother Of Priest,
Dies At Her Home

July 23 - 1919

Mrs. Charlotte Adelaide Fleming Hughes, wife of M. L. Hughes, the oldest real estate agent in Rochester, died this morning at the family residence, 106 Tremont street.

She was a daughter of R. T. Fleming, who was the secretary to William A. Reynolds. She was born in Dublin, Ireland, and came to this country at an early age. She was married to M. L. Hughes in 1868 and on July 14, 1918, they celebrated their golden wedding at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, where they were married 50 years previous.

Five children were born to them: The Rev. Arthur A. Hughes, pastor of Holy Rosary Church, who recently celebrated his 25th anniversary of ordination, just three days after his mother was stricken; Tudor V. S. Hughes, Cecilia I. Hughes, Mae G. Hughes, Sister Mary Arthur of Nazareth Normal School; a brother, Richard T. Fleming of Temple, Texas; two sisters, Belle M. and Mary C. Fleming of this city.

The funeral will take place from the Immaculate Conception Church Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Burial private. Interment in the family lot at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

LONG TERM OF POLICE SERVICE ENDED BY DEATH

Theodore H. Cazeau Succumbs at His Home.

July 21, 1919
CAVALRYMAN IN CIVIL WAR

Served in Union Army Until Discharged for Disability—Doorman at Headquarters in His Latter Years in Police Department.

Theodore H. Cazeau, for twenty-five years a member of the Rochester Police Department, died suddenly at noon yesterday at his home, No. 161 Reynolds street. He was on duty at headquarters on Saturday. Mr. Cazeau was 75 years old. He leaves his wife, Ella V. Cazeau; four sons, Theodore C. and Chester A., of this city, and Edward H. and William G. Cazeau, of San Francisco, and a daughter, Miss Ella F. Cazeau, of this city.

Mr. Cazeau was born in Albany and came to Rochester when a young man. After his schooling in his home city he obtained employment with the American Express Company, serving the company in Albany and later in Rochester. He was with the company for twenty-five years.

Cavalryman in Civil War.

In the Civil War Mr. Cazeau served as a private in Captain Vincent M. Smith's Company M, Eighth Regiment, New York Volunteer Cavalry. He enlisted on September 1, 1862, and was mustered into the cavalry service in October. Private Cazeau participated in many battles, including that at Winchester, the siege of Harper's Ferry, Beverly Ford, Fredericksburg and Gettysburg. He fought in scores of minor actions and was several times wounded.

The battle of Beverly Ford was fought on June 9, 1863, and in it the Eighth Cavalry suffered its heaviest losses. Private Cazeau and four comrades were captured. When on their way to a rebel prison Private Cazeau succeeded in making his escape, in company with one of his comrades, and returned to his command.

Full Year of Campaigning.

A certificate issued by the Soldiers' and Sailors' Historical and Benevolent Society refers to Private Cazeau's war record as follows: "He bore a gallant part in all the campaigns of his command from the time of his enlistment until the latter part of 1863, when he was taken ill. On March 17, 1864, he was honorably discharged at Camp Stoneman, D. C., by reason of his disability."

After the war Mr. Cazeau continued his work as an American Express employee until 1885, when he was appointed to the Rochester police force. For years Patrolman Cazeau was a familiar figure in the downtown section of the city. He was a large man, and he controlled his beat with the same fidelity and determination as he served his country in the army. In his twenty-five years of police work he made a number of important arrests.



THEODORE H. CAZEAU.

His Last Police Duty.

When his health failed several years ago Patrolman Cazeau retired, but as soon as his health improved his natural activity asserted itself and he obtained the position of doorman at police headquarters. He occupied the anteroom between the offices of Chief Joseph M. Quigley and Detective Captain William H. Whaley. Persons calling at headquarters to see either of these officials were taken in charge by Mr. Cazeau, who arranged for their reception in turn. His courtesy and tact were of real value in the work of receiving callers on the second floor at headquarters.

Mr. Cazeau was born at Albany on June 7, 1843. On October 8, 1874, he married Miss Ella V. Ford, of this city. He was a member of E. G. Marshall Post, G. A. R.; the Maccabees, the A. O. U. W. and the Police Benevolent Association.

Daily Death Roll Was Prominent In Western New York; Fred U. Swarts Dead

July 22, 1919

Fred U. Swarts, former owner of the Harris Court apartments, 270 Alexander street, died on Saturday at Canandaigua after an illness of more than a year. He was 60 years old, and leaves a son, Roy Swarts of this city.

Mr. Swarts was born in Starkey, Yates county, on November 18, 1858, a son of the late Tewart Swarts, a well known farmer of Southern Yates. He was educated at Starkey Seminary, and on leaving that institution engaged in the hotel business. He conducted hotels in Dundee, Prattsburg and Penn Yan. In the latter place he ran the famous old Sherman House for 25 years prior to his removal to Rochester in June, 1915.

From boyhood Mr. Swarts was interested in horses and farming. He assisted in organization of the Prattsburg Agricultural Society, and was connected with the directorates of the Dundee Fair Association and the Yates County Agricultural Society. For years he officiated as a judge at the race meets in Central-Western New York.

After Mr. Swarts became a resident of Penn Yan in addition to managing the Sherman House, he was head of the Hammondsport Vintage Company, makers of Gilt Edge champagne, and removed the wine cellars and offices from the head of Lake Keuka to Penn Yan. He assisted in promoting a medicine company in Penn Yan for several years.

At different times he owned many speedy trotting horses, among them Gothonet, Aintro and Artemus B. In 1895 and several times since he selected valuable horses for shipment to Vienna, Austria, and other European points.

Mr. Swarts was prominent in village and county politics when in Penn Yan. He held the office of village trustee. In 1900 he received the Republican nomination for member of Assembly and was elected by a large plurality.

He was a member and foreman for several years of the Ellsworth hose company of Penn Yan, which in 1888-1889 was the best-drilled fire organization in the United States. He was a member of Dundee Lodge, F. and A. M.; Jerusalem Commandery, Knights Templar, of Jerusalem Commandery, Knights Templar, of Penn Yan; Damascus Temple, of Rochester, and the Elks.

After Mr. Swarts sold his business interests in Penn Yan in 1915 he removed to Rochester and established the Swarts men's hotel and cafe at 13 Cortland street. Later he purchased the Harris Court apartments, where he and his son lived. He engaged in the real-estate business and not long ago obtained possession of the Fine Arts building in a transaction in which he gave up ownership of the Alexander street apartments.

SERGEANT FOLEY TAKEN BY DEATH

Times Union
 Popular Police Officer Dies
 at Hospital Following Op-
 eration for Appendicitis—
 On Force 30 Years.

July 25-1919
 Sergeant Thomas Foley of the Bron-
 son avenue police station died at St.
 Mary's Hospital early last evening af-
 ter a brief illness. He was taken to the



SERGEANT THOMAS FOLEY.

hospital a week ago for an operation
 for appendicitis and failed to rally af-
 ter it was performed.

Sergeant Foley was born in Cork,
 Ireland, 64 years ago and came with
 his parents to this country when a
 boy. His education was finished in
 the schools of this city. He went
 West and engaged in railroad con-
 struction work for a time.

When he returned to Rochester he
 was appointed a member of the police
 department on November 13, 1887,
 and in 1909 he was made a sergeant
 and assigned to duty at the Bronson
 avenue station, where he had served
 continuously since.

Sergeant Foley was not only a faith-
 ful and efficient officer, but he won
 a host of friends not only in the de-
 partment but among others with
 whom he came in contact. The de-
 ceased officer leaves his wife, a daugh-
 ter, Mary C. Foley; three sons, Dr.
 John M. Foley, T. Joseph Foley and
 Francis A. Foley; three sisters, Miss
 Kate Foley of Rochester; Mrs. Tim-
 othy Donovan and Mrs. Henry Arun-
 del of Ireland.

Sergeant Foley was a member of
 the Holy Name Society of Immacu-
 late Conception Church, the Police
 Benevolent Association and Division 1,
 A. O. H. The funeral arrangements
 for which will be made later, will take
 place on Monday morning.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post- July 25
 CHARLOTTE ADELAIDE HUGHES.
 — 1919
 Funeral Services for Mother of Rector
 of Holy Rosary Church.

Funeral services for Mrs. Charlotte
 Adelaide Hughes, wife of M. L. Hughes
 and mother of Rev. Arthur A. Hughes,
 rector of Holy Rosary church, were
 held this morning in the Church of
 the Immaculate Conception where she
 had worshipped for many years and
 where services in celebration of her
 fiftieth wedding anniversary were held
 July 14, 1918. Mrs. Hughes died at
 her home, 106 Tremont street, Wed-
 nesday.

Rev. A. A. Hughes, the son, was the
 celebrant of the mass, and there were
 many priests from all over the diocese
 in the sanctuary. The deacon was
 Rev. B. W. Gommenginger, of Penn
 Yan; sub-deacon, Rev. Thomas F.
 Connors, Church of the Blessed Sacram-
 ent; master of ceremonies, Rev.
 Stephen McPadden, of Geneva; cen-
 ser-bearer, Rev. B. L. Quirk, Church
 of the Holy Rosary; acolytes, Rev.
 E. J. Brophy and Rev. L. V. Smith,
 of Immaculate Conception church.

In the sanctuary were Monsignors
 James J. Hartley, D. D., and Andrew
 B. Meehan, of St. Bernard's seminary,
 and Dennis J. Curran, pastor of Corpus
 Christi church; Revs. Michael J. Nolan,
 D. D., J. F. O'Hern, Charles
 Riefer, Joseph Curtin, William
 J. Brien, of the Cathedral; Revs.
 Emil Geffel and William Stauder,
 of St. Peter's church; Rev. Edward
 Rawlinson, chaplain at St. Mary's Or-
 phan asylum; Rev. Lewis Edelman,
 Pittsford; Rev. Joseph Cameron, Bath;
 Rev. John J. Nelligan, Holy Apostles
 church; Rev. Martin Cluney, Honeoye
 Falls; Rev. John Boppel, St. Boniface's
 church; Rev. Michael Krische) and
 George Weinmann, St. Francis Xavier
 church; Rev. Joseph Guilfoil, St. Mary's;
 Rev. Andrew E. Breen; Rev. Patrick Ne-
 ville, East Bloomfield; Rev. John Bresh-
 nihan and James Grady, St. Bridget's;
 Rev. John O'Brien, St. Augustine's
 church; Rev. Michael Wall, Dansville;
 Revs. George V. Burns and Francis
 Luddy, Sacred Heart church; Revs. John
 Crowley; John Sellinger, Ithaca; Rev.
 Frank Mason; Rev. Adolph Edelman,
 St. Michael's; Rev. Victor Hurley, Hen-
 rietta; Revs. Michael Hynes and George
 Jones, Geneseo; Revs. William Hart and
 Harry Doerbecker, Corpus Christi
 church; Rev. John Sullivan, St. John
 the Evangelist church; Rev. John J.
 McGrath, Auburn; Rev. Edmund Lynch,
 Auburn; Rev. John Ball, Palmyra; Rev.
 Charles Burton, Immaculate Concep-
 tion church.

Sisters of St. Joseph, of which order
 Mrs. Hughes's daughter, Sister Mary
 Arthur of Nazareth Normal school is a
 member, sang the mass. Six nephews
 were bearers. They were Gustav Ja-
 cobs, William Melville, Fred Melville,
 Dr. William F. Barron, William
 Hughes and Henry Furlong. Burial
 was in Holy Sepulchre.

Funeral Services *July 22* For Miss Sontag, *1919* Former Teacher

Funeral services for Wilhelmina A.
 Sontag, former principal of School 21,
 who died Saturday, were held this
 morning at 10:30 o'clock from her late
 home, 26 Cornell street. Christian Sci-
 ence Leader William I. Coger conduct-
 ed the services and Mrs. Don Cole
 sang.

The services were attended by a
 number of prominent people, includ-
 ing Colonel Samuel P. Moulthrop and
 many school children. The bearers
 were Messrs. Denio, Mott, Gillard,
 Pearce, Peckstein and Shoecraft. In-
 terment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Miss Sontag gave more than 30
 years of service to the schools of the
 city. She had taught in several
 schools and 14 years ago she was made
 principal of School 21, where she
 served until taken suddenly ill Mem-
 orial Day.

She was born in Watertown, a
 daughter of Ferdinand and Wilhelmina
 Sontag, and came to Rochester when
 a child. She was educated in the lo-
 cal schools, graduating from the old
 Free Academy, then taking training as
 a teacher. She received her first ap-
 pointment as teacher in the public
 schools in October, 1882. She was as-
 signed to School 16, where she taught
 until she was transferred in 1887 to
 School 31. She taught there until
 1894 when she was granted leave of
 absence. She taught in Detroit from
 September, 1894, to November, 1901,
 when she returned to Rochester. She
 was a supply teacher from January,
 1902, to July of the same year. She
 was reappointed to the regular staff
 in June, 1902, and assigned to School
 23. Seven years later she was made
 principal at School 21.

SPANISH WAR *July 30* 1919 Veteran Dies

Stanley T. Sanders of 16 Stratford
 Park died Sunday afternoon at 2:30
 o'clock, aged 42 years. Comrade San-
 ders was for years a very active work-
 er in Spanish War Veteran circles and
 helped greatly in organizing L. Borden
 Smith Camp 25.

In his young manhood, he joined the
 Maryland National Guard and served
 for two years. When the Spanish War
 broke out he transferred and joined
 the 15th U. S. Infantry, with which he
 saw service in Cuba and the Philippine
 Islands. After his return to the U. S.
 on the U. S. Transport Sheridan and his
 discharge from service, he came to
 Rochester, where he had resided since.
 He leaves his wife and two daughters.

Comrade Sanders was active frat-
 ernally, holding membership in L.
 Borden Smith Camp 25, United Span-
 ish War Veterans, in which camp he
 held the office of junior vice comman-
 der, Unity Lodge of Odd Fellows, and
 Yonondio Lodge 663, F. and A. M. He
 was a member of Lalla Rookh Grotto
 3, Electrical Workers' Union 86 and a
 charter member of the Electrical
 Craftsman Council, which has just been
 organized in Rochester.

Funeral services were held on Tues-
 day at 3:30 o'clock at the house, Rev.
 E. B. McChes of Emmanuel Presby-
 terian Church officiating. Services at
 the grave were in charge of Yonondio
 Lodge 664. Comrades of L. Borden
 Smith Camp were bearers.

DEATH REMOVES HENRY A. STRONG, PRESIDENT OF EASTMAN COMPANY AND FOREMOST PHILANTHROPIST

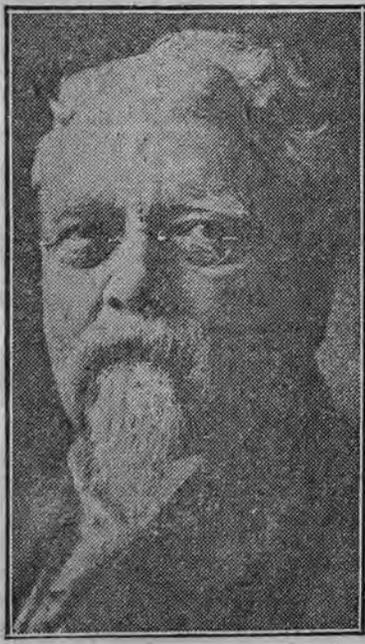
Herald July 27 - 1919

Native Son of Rochester, Who Became Associated with Camera Concern in Its Infancy, Passes Away at East Avenue Home Just Prior to His 82d Birthday.

Henry Alvah Strong, president of the Eastman Kodak Company of New York and vice president of the Eastman Kodak Company of New Jersey, a native son of Rochester who became one of her most successful business men and most generous philanthropists, died at 3.30 o'clock yesterday morning at his residence, 693 East Avenue. He was the second largest stockholder in the Kodak corporations that form the backbone of Rochester's industries.

Mr. Strong had been in poor health for a number of years, but his condition did not become serious until the last two or three days. Six years ago he successfully passed a crisis when he submitted to an operation for the removal of gall stones. At the time of his death he lacked only a few weeks of having reached his 82d birthday.

Henry A Strong was born in Rochester, August 30, 1838, and lived in this city all his life. He was the son of Alvah and Catherine (Hopkins) Strong.



HENRY A. STRONG.

He obtained his education in the public schools of Rochester and enlisted in the Civil War in 1861, being appointed assistant paymaster in the United States Navy.

At the close of the war he returned to Rochester and became identified with his uncle, Myron Strong, in the manufacture of whips. Ultimately he bought out his uncle's interest and controlled the business alone for some time. Later he became associated with E. F. Woodbury, and continued in the same business until 1889, when he disposed of his interest. Under the management of Mr. Strong, that factory was built up until it became one of the largest whip factories in the United States.

Mr. Eastman's First Backer.

But his great financial success came through his association with George Eastman. For some time Mr. Eastman, who was a young bank clerk, had been experimenting during his leisure hours with photographic films. In 1880 the first company was formed, under the firm name of Strong & Eastman, for the manufacture of dry plates and films. The business was at the outset experimental, but Mr. Strong was inspired with full confidence in the ability and inventive genius of his associate, and he backed the enterprise persistently and without reservation. In 1884, the Eastman Dry Plate and Film Company was formed, of which Mr. Strong became the president, and later, when the Eastman Kodak Company was organized, he continued as its president.

In the latter years his position as president of the Eastman Kodak Company was, in a sense, honorary; he left all the details of the management to Mr. Eastman, and gave little time and attention personally to the factory. But he always kept his headquarters at the State Street offices of the company, and when he was in the city he made it a practice to be at the office almost every day. Rochester has several millionaires who gained their wealth through their early association with and their confidence in Mr. Eastman. Naturally, Mr. Strong, who was in all the Eastman companies from their inception, and who was at the outset one of the main financial backers of these enterprises, acquired great wealth. In his later years he freed himself from the cares of business and enjoyed himself in travel and the pursuit of congenial occupations.

Interested in Large Enterprises.

Mr. Strong was interested in a number of other large business enterprises. He was president of the Rochester Button Company, and erected for the company fifteen years ago a handsome factory building in State Street, near the business offices of the Kodak Company. He was also president of the United States Voting Machine Company. He was interested in a number of other financial and commercial institutions. He was a director in the Alliance Bank, the Security Trust Company and the Monroe County Savings Bank.

Mr. Strong was a man of genial and attractive personality, quiet in his tastes and fond of travel. He was married in 1859 to Miss Helen P. Griffin and had four children, two sons and two daughters; one son died in infancy. Surviving him are a son, Henry G. Strong of this city; a daughter, Gertrude, wife of Henry L. Achilles of this city, and Helen, wife of George A. Carter, former Governor of Hawaii. On several occasions Mr. Strong visited his daughter in Hawaii and after the death of Mrs. Strong, in 1904 he spent at certain periods of his life considerable time in Europe.

In June of 1905, Mr. Strong was married to Mrs. Hattie M. Lockwood of Tacoma, a niece of Colonel Chauncey Griggs, one of the wealthiest citizens of Tacoma. Fifteen years before, at the

time of the boom, Mr. Strong had inherited \$500,000 in Tacoma real estate, and he was a visitor in the city nearly every year, to look after his holdings. He had met Mrs. Lockwood frequently while he was the guest of Colonel Griggs. Mrs. Strong survives him. Other survivors are an adopted son, Corrin Strong; a brother, Dr. Augustus Hopkins Strong, and a sister, Mrs. Henry Miller.

An Illustration of His Loyalty.

He was generous in his impulses and loyal to his friends. He had a cheery optimism that was an inspiration to his associates. An instance of this loyalty was shown in his action as director of the ill-fated United States Independent Telephone Company, which involved him in an annoying litigation that naturally was a source of worry to him in his declining years. Through this connection large claims were made on him and his associates in the board of directors by dissatisfied bondholders, who sought to make the directors personally responsible for their losses. It was shown on the trial of this case that Mr. Strong was abroad at the time the United States Independent Telephone Company was formed and that the original subscription was made in his name by one of his associates in other business enterprises.

On his return he accepted the subscription, made without his knowledge at the start, and shouldered all the responsibilities that followed that act without a word of complaint. Not one word of criticism was ever heard from him. He stood loyally by his friends in the unfortunate deal from start to finish. He smiled genially when mention was made of the incident, although the annoyance and publicity which resulted from the transaction must have been quite as serious to him as the large financial claims that were made on him in consequence. His frank good nature throughout the transaction, which could not have been otherwise than an ordeal to a man of his temperament, was an example of loyalty to friends seldom witnessed in the business world.

Naturally Mr. Strong's position in commercial life and wealth brought him in touch with the financial geniuses of the United States and other countries, and among his friends he numbered John D. Rockefeller. He was intimately acquainted with former President William H. Taft and on the occasion of Mr. Taft's last visit to Rochester entertained him at luncheon.

In 1907 Mr. Strong presented to the Rochester Theological Seminary, of which his brother, Rev. Dr. Augustus H. Strong, was the president, the magnificent building known as the Alvah Strong Memorial Hall. This gift was in honor of his father, who was one of the prominent citizens of Rochester in the pioneer days. In 1908 Mr. Strong gave \$60,000 to Brick Church for the erection of a new building for the use of Brick Church Institute. In 1911, Mr. Strong presented a new association building to the Young Women's Christian Association of Rochester, the cost of which was nearly \$75,000, and in the subsequent campaign of the Young Men's Christian Association he was one of the largest contributors, his gift being \$50,000.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock from the residence.

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LAST RITES FOR HENRY A. STRONG

Post—July 28
Dr. William R. Taylor Conducts Funeral
Services of Philanthropist Who
Died Saturday, 1919

The funeral of Henry Alvah Strong, president of the Eastman Kodak company and humanitarian of wide reputation, who died on Saturday, were held from his home, 693 East avenue, at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon. Burial will be made in the family mausoleum in Mount Hope cemetery. Dr. William R. Taylor, pastor of Erick Presbyterian church, returned to Rochester to conduct the services.

Mr. Strong was one of the most prominent philanthropists in Rochester and fully \$750,000 of his large fortune was expended in charity and the promotion and support of various movements for social welfare. In 1905 he gave \$150,000 to the Rochester Theological seminary for the erection of the Alvah Strong Memorial hall in memory of his father. His brother, Dr. Augustus H. Strong, was at that time president of the institution.

In 1908, realizing that the usefulness of Brick Church Institute would be greatly increased by its establishment in a building of adequate size, Mr. Strong and his wife gave \$100,000 for the erection of the building which the institute now occupies. His next large gift was to the Young Women's Christian association to which Mr. and Mrs. Strong gave \$100,000. This gift made possible the present building in Franklin street.

When the University of Rochester began its campaign in 1912 to raise \$1,000,000 for a women's college and endowment fund. Mr. Strong contributed \$100,000 with which a college building for women, the Catharine Strong Memorial hall, was erected in memory of his mother Catharine Hopkins Strong.

The following year Mr. and Mrs. Strong added \$50,000 to the gift of \$250,000 made by George Eastman to the Young Men's Christian association which was then carrying on a campaign for \$750,000 for a new central building, branch buildings and their equipment.

Throughout the entire progress of the war, Mr. and Mrs. Strong contributed generously to the numerous war activities and were numbered among the first of those who gave large sums to the Red Cross and to the War and Community chests. Mr. Strong's contributions to charities of lesser importance are innumerable.

FINAL TRIBUTE TO HENRY A. STRONG

Post—
Honored by Church and Business Associates—Services Simple—Burial

July 28-1919
In Mt. Hope.

Many of Rochester's most prominent citizens, both men and women, were present at the funeral of Henry Alvah Strong, president of the Eastman Kodak company and well-known philanthropist, which was held from his home at 693 East avenue, yesterday afternoon. The services, which were simple and brief, were conducted by Rev. William R. Taylor, D. D., pastor of Brick Presbyterian church, of which Mr. Strong was a lifelong member. The opening prayer was offered by the Rev. Murray Bartlett, D. D., former rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church and now president of Hobart college.

The trustees of Brick church were represented by George W. Percy and James E. McKelvey; the session by Joseph D. Haines and George H. Walden; the general service board by Lawrence Meulendyke and G. Elmer Forscher; the board of directors of the Brick Church institute by Wesley M. Angle and Winfred J. Smith.

The honorary bearers were George Eastman, Walter S. Hubbell, Edward Bausch, James G. Cutler, Joseph Farley and Frank E. Noble. The active bearers were Lawrence and Paul Achilles and Griffin Strong, grandsons of Mr. Strong, and Dr. A. J. Miller, Theodore A. Miller and Charles H. Miller, his nephews. The burial was private, and Mr. Strong was laid to rest in the family mausoleum in Mt. Hope cemetery.

The following minutes has been adopted by the official boards of the Brick church on the death of Henry A. Strong:

"It is with no common sorrow that the members of the official board of the Brick church record the death of Henry Alvah Strong, which occurred Saturday morning, July 26, 1919.

Mr. Strong was a life-long member of the congregation, a constant attendant and a sympathetic worshipper at the church services, sometime a trustee, and a munificent benefactor.

"He loved life, and joy, and laughter. He loved business. He loved music. He loved the society of congenial friends. He had a high sense of business honor. Patient and courageous in adversity, he was not elated by prosperity. When wealth flowed in upon him he recognized his stewardship and his name became a synonym for noble generosity.

"His death has brought us a personal sense of bereavement and loss, for he was a man of heart and won our hearts.

"We offer to Mrs. Strong, who was his beloved companion and the comfort and joy of his later years, and to his children and all the members of the family circle, our sincerest sympathy, and commend them to Him Whose comfort is the source of the mourner's peace and strength."

The minute is signed by Rev. Dr. W. R. Taylor, pastor; for the session, L. G. Wetmore; for the trustees, M. F. Bristol; for the board of deaconesses, Frances H. Chapin; for the general service board, R. H. Coates; for the directors of the Brick Church Institute, Joseph Farley.

HENRY ALVAH STRONG.

D. & C. — Editorial
In the death of Colonel Henry Alvah Strong, at his home on East avenue Saturday morning, at the advanced age of 81 years, Rochester loses one of its most widely known and distinguished citizens, one who was for many years prominent in the city's business affairs not only, but who kept constantly and consistently in mind the welfare of the community. Eminently successful in a material sense, he will be best remembered for his constant concern for the betterment of his fellows.

Mr. Strong came to his active life with the advantages which pertain to good heredity. He was a son of the late Alvah Strong, a prominent publicist of the first half of the nineteenth century, the proprietor and publisher of the Rochester Democrat, and a brother of Rev. Dr. Augustus Hopkins Strong, for many years the active head of the Rochester Theological Seminary and now its president emeritus.

Mr. Strong early recognized and appreciated the talent of George Eastman, and formed a business association with him which has wrought marvels in the photographic art. Up to that time the field of the photographic camera was extremely limited, and sitting for a portrait in the so-called studio was a more or less tedious process. Then George Eastman waved the magic wand of his genius and a new era in pictorial art was ushered in. Through this happy combination of business ability and resources, with rare talent and genius, the opportunity to indulge in photographic reproduction has been given to the entire civilized world. Through the marvelous development of the art its range of opportunity has neither bounds nor limits. Through this improved art the schoolboy, not yet in his teens, can catch the movements of the humming bird amid the honeysuckles; the Oriental traveler can reveal the intimate life of great Asiatic peoples after centuries of seclusion, and fierce modern battles on land and sea are reproduced by pictures taken from points of vantage in the air. The civilizing effect of this artistic development cannot now be measured in terms of precision; for it projects far into the future.

For many years Colonel Strong had, in a singularly modest and unostentatious way, contributed largely to the benevolences of his city. Besides responding liberally to all routine benevolent activities, he had added to the welfare of others to an extent which will never be known; for literally and often in this regard, he did not permit his left hand to know what his right hand had done.

Henry Alvah Strong needs no towering marble or bronze shaft to preserve his memory in the hearts and minds of his fellow citizens. He lived, mentally and physically, far beyond the average age of mortals; and his many years of probity of life, integrity of motive and purpose and kindness of heart have erected a memorial in the esteem of his fellow men and women which will endure as the solid granite of the eternal hills endures. July 28-1919

Herald, Editor
 Henry A. Strong, 1919
 Rochester has abundant reason for thankfulness and pride that the life and business career of Henry A. Strong were so long a part of its own existence. For it was by his wise foresight and unflinching courage that the beginnings of the city's greatest industry and most fertile resource of increasing prosperity were made possible.

It marks no singular sagacity in these days to be confident of the future of the photographic materials industry of Rochester, overshadowing as it does all other similar enterprises in the world. But in the day of small endeavors, unrealized hopes and uncertain prospects when Henry A. Strong put the first indispensable capital into the infant undertaking, the act required imagination, vision, confident hope, and, still more, the intuition that distinguishes the genius for practical invention and vast commercial opportunity from the purveyor of dreams and delusions.

All these essential factors Mr. Strong supplied, along with his money. In the experimental stage of what proved to be the revolution of the photographic art and trade. He did this in the belief that his confidence would be vindicated and his investment amply repaid at some remote day. That day was not so remote as **be expected**, and the rewards of his foresight were generous and rapid, as investments of the kind are measured. He became a rich man, as he deserved, far richer than he had dreamed of being when he embarked on this most fortunate venture. And, unlike many whose wealth comes easily in consequence of some shrewd or fortunate stroke, he remained, in the spirit and manner of his life, what he was before—a simple, agreeable, public spirited, useful member of the community in which he had so great a stake and which came with reason increasingly to feel that it had a like stake in his prosperity and long life.

Times Union
 Editor Henry A. Strong.
 In the death of Henry A. Strong Rochester has lost one of the men who contributed most to its upbuilding. In the day of small beginnings of the industry in which this city now leads the world Mr. Strong played an important part by embarking his capital in what was then an untried enterprise.

He was the associate of George Eastman in the photographic business which first led the way in the immense development which has followed. No one then dreamed of the great development that was to come.

Business success brought wealth, out of which Mr. Strong gave liberally to all the city's benevolent enterprises as well as to institutions of learning. His private benefactions are said by those who knew of them to have been equally ready and generous.

Prosperity did not mar the simple, agreeable disposition of the man himself. His modesty was genuine and not an affectation. Despite the large part which he played in the business affairs of the city and his gifts and work for public purposes, Henry Strong was but little in the public eye.

He lived to see the undertaking which he had shared in from the first grow until its products were used all over the world and helped to preserve a lasting record of scenes past and present. And as the city grew Henry A. Strong had the right to feel that he had done much to promote the interests and prosperity of Rochester, while his fellow citizens wished him well. *July 28 - 1919*

July 28 - 1919
In Memoriam—Henry A. Strong

At a meeting of the Trustees of Security Trust Company of Rochester, July 29, 1919, the following memorial was adopted:

"The death of Henry A. Strong on July 27 brought to a close the life of one of Rochester's most prominent, influential and respected citizens. To his activities and generousities in many directions is due in marked degree the prominent position which Rochester occupies in the nation and throughout the world, where it stands for the best in commercial life and for generous giving.

"To this institution, its officers and the members of this Board of which he was a member for fifteen years, the loss is peculiarly great and personal. To the meetings he added the judgment of a broad mind, trained to grasp questions of business and finance, and his opinions were eagerly sought. In his relations with his trustees as with all men, his manner was always most genial, courteous and kindly. Association with him was a mental and spiritual stimulus.

"To the material world he was a success, but to those who measure a man by higher and more lasting standards, his greatest success was in the gaining of the respect of intelligent men, in being the best he had in him; in helping to make the world better than he found it, and in living a life which was and will be an inspiration to others.

"To his wife and children we extend our heartfelt sympathy." *Herald*

DEATHS—FUNERALS
P.O.S. Aug. 4 1919
MORTIMER OTIS ROWE.

Funeral of Civil War Veteran—Member of Marshall Post.

From the family home, 16 Clifton street, the funeral of Mortimer Otis Rowe, Civil war veteran, took place Saturday afternoon. The bearers were Privates G. Hale, H. Elm, William Cole, Thomas Mears, R. See and John Waste. Burial was in Riverside cemetery and a firing squad fired a farewell volley over the grave. In the squad were A. Diefendorfer, O. Hicks, O. J. McKenna, G. Nunnold, F. Loveny, G. A. Van Hayden. Sergeant Hawley was in charge of the squad. Taps were blown by Bugler H. Gardiner.

Mr. Rowe was a member of E. G. Marshall post, G. A. R., and served in the Civil war with Company I, Thirtieth New York Volunteers, also Company H, Twenty-first New York Cavalry. He leaves, besides his wife, Emma E. Rowe, three sons, Charles M. and G. Arthur Rowe, of Meadville, Pa.; Frank O. Rowe, of Alliance, Neb.; two daughters, Mrs. Jessie Rudolph, of Oswego, and Mrs. Grace Clark.

Former Herald *Aug. 1*
Reporter Dies *1919*
at Saranac Lake
Herald



LESLIE EDWARD LUNT, son of Mrs. Ida M. Lunt and nephew of Fount E. Brown, died yesterday at Saranac, N. Y., where he had been ill for some months. Leslie was about 23 years of age. He was a graduate of West High School, Class of 1915, and for a time was a student at the University of Rochester. He was president of his high school class, and it is said by many of his friends that he was the most popular student that ever attended the Genesee Street institution.

Leslie was active in athletics, both while at high school and later. He was deeply interested in the Y. M. C. A. and was an officer of the Life Club of that organization. For a time he was employed as playground supervisor by the city, and for years served, first as high school and college correspondent and later as general reporter for The Herald.

Soon after the United States entered the world war, Leslie endeavored to enlist in various branches of government service. He finally succeeded in persuading the Rochester draft boards to accept him for service in the Quartermaster Corps, though he had hoped for more active service. He was sent to Jacksonville, Fla., for training last July, but was returned home soon afterwards because of physical disability. He later went to Saranac in an effort to regain his health.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post SEPHRENE SHAW. *1919*
Death of Well-Known Resident of Irondequoit. *1918*
Aug. 18
Sephrene Shaw died Saturday morning at the home, Culver road, Irondequoit, on his seventy-seventh birthday. He had lead a busy and active life and few men in Irondequoit were better or more favorably known.

He came to this country from Baden, Germany, with his father and mother when a mere boy. Soon after his arrival in Irondequoit, the father died and young Shaw was bound out to the late Judge Wright of Irondequoit with whom he lived for many years. During the Civil war he served for a brief time in the Union army and after the war started out without a dollar to make his way in the world. He had love for horses which soon brought him into prominence as an expert judge of horses and his services were soon in demand among horsemen. He had bought and sold thousands of horses, continuing to buy and ship horses from the West to the East until his physical condition no longer permitted him to travel. He had a wide acquaintanceship among horsemen in many parts of the country. He built up a large business and accumulated a comfortable competency. Without ostentation or show, he was charitable and kind. No man in need was ever turned from his door. He has helped scores of worthy young people to get a start in life, as many in his home town will testify.

Mr. Shaw was married twice. His first wife was Fanny Lathrop of Irondequoit and his surviving wife Nellie Littlejohn of Canada, to whom he was married September 15, 1892. He has one daughter, Mrs. Karl Brayer, and one surviving sister, Mrs. May Darrow of Rochester.

Post JOHN DIETRICH

Civil War Veteran Dies at His Home *Aug. 19*
at Advanced Age. *1919*

John Dietrich, aged 81 years, died yesterday in his home, 12 Manhattan street. Mr. Dietrich was born here May 12, 1838, and had always lived in Rochester. Until ten years ago, when he retired, he was a cigar manufacturer. He was a member of Peisner post, G. A. R., and had not missed a G. A. R. reunion in ten years.

In the Civil war he fought in twenty-four battles as a member of Company B, 140th New York volunteers. He was at Gettysburg and Fredericksburg and the battle of the Wilderness. At the former the veteran lost the use of one ear and in the latter he was wounded twice. He witnessed the surrender of General Lee.

Mr. Dietrich leaves his wife, Lottie; one son, John A. Dietrich; one daughter, Mrs. William Rice, and a sister, Mrs. John Zaches.

EMIL SCHMIDT *Aug. 17-19*
DIES AT HOME
Times Union

Was Superintendent of Police and Fire Alarm Telegraph—One of Most Prominent Masons in City.

Emil H. Schmidt, superintendent of police and fire alarm telegraph, died late yesterday afternoon at his home, 189 Canterbury road, following an illness of several weeks. He leaves his widow, Mrs. Sarah Schmidt; one daughter, Selma E.; one son, Frederick; a brother, Robert, of Newmarket,



EMIL H. SCHMIDT.

Only one sister, Mrs. Gustave Erbe of this city, and his mother, Mrs. Rosa Schmidt. Funeral services will be conducted at the house at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon under the direction of Yonnonadio Lodge, F. & A. M. and at the grave by Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

Emil Schmidt was a life-long resident of Rochester, born here in 1869, son of the late Leopold and Rosa Schmidt. He attended the public schools and entered the employ of Rudolph Schmidt & Company, his brother being the head of the concern. His association with that firm continued until he was made head of the fire alarm telegraph bureau, succeeding Harry G. Kennedy. Later upon consolidation of the police and fire alarm telegraph systems he was made superintendent.

Betterment of the two systems under his charge was Mr. Schmidt's constant aim, and through his efforts various improvements were installed, while shortly before his illness he was engaged with the details of a new and improved police signal system early installation of which is under consideration. And his activity in the International Association of Municipal Electricians resulted in his selection as treasurer of that organization at the convention held in Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Schmidt was one of the most active Masons in Rochester. He was a past president of the Masonic Club, past master of Yonnonadio Lodge, F. and A. M.; past illustrious master of Doric Council, York Rite; past high priest of Hamilton Chapter, R. and

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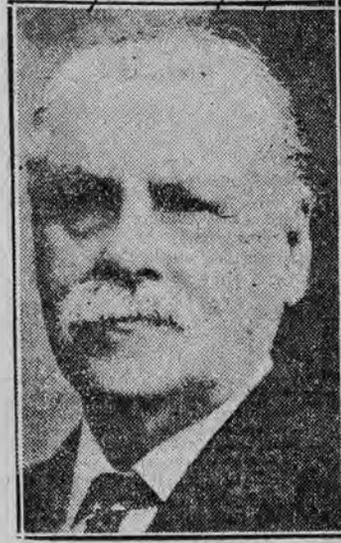
A. M.; past commander of Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, Mystical Shrine; second lieutenant-commander of Rochester Consistory, Scottish Rite; treasurer of Lalla Rookh Grotto, M. O. V. P., a and standard bearer of the Grand Council of the state of New York. Recently he was elected sword bearer of the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar of New York.

Mr. Schmidt was an active member of the Twelfth Ward Republican Committee. He was an exempt fireman and for a number of years was a member of the national guard.

Chief Little of the fire department this morning announced the following committee to record the department's action upon Mr. Schmidt's death: Battalion Chief Charles Atkinson, Captain Maurice Keating, Captain Fred Stiefel.

Louis Heindl, *Union*
Former Alderman,
Dies, Aged 74 Years

The funeral of Louis Heindl, former alderman of the Fifth Ward, will
Aug. 11-1919



LOUIS HEINDL.

be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock from the family home, 59 Lowell street, and at 10 o'clock from St. Michael's Church, Clinton avenue north and Clifford street. Mr. Heindl's death occurred on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Heindl, who was 74 years of age at the time of his death was born in Munich, Germany, and came to this country when 5 years old. He had resided in Rochester ever since arriving in America.

Mr. Heindl was at the time of his death the oldest job printer in Rochester, the firm, Louis Heindl & Son, having an office and printing plant at 107-109 North Water street. He was a number of years ago actively interested in politics as a Democrat, and represented the Fifth Ward in the Common Council in 1906-1908. He was a member of St. George's Commandery, Knights of St. John.

Mr. Heindl is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna H. Heindl; six sons, Lewis E., Frederick C., Albert J., William A., Leo J. and Charles F. Heindl; three daughters, Mrs. Josephine Leinen, Mrs. Genevieve Johnson and Miss Anna Frances Heindl and seven grandchildren.

Aug. 11
Daily Death Roll
Union
Funeral of Emil H. Schmidt.

Funeral services for Emil H. Schmidt were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home at 198 Canterbury road. The Rev. Arthur O. Sykes, pastor of St. Thomas' Church, officiated at short Episcopal service. Masonic services were led by Worshipful Master J. J. Menzies of Yonondio Lodge 163, assisted by officers of the lodge. At the burial service in Mt. Hope Cemetery Monroe Commandery 39, Knights Templars, took charge.

The bearers at the home were the following past masters of Yonondio Lodge: William C. Smith, F. R. Springstead, John R. Taylor, William J. Parker, Frederick R. Patterson and Charles L. Miller. The bearers at the grave were the following Knights Templars: George Michelson, William C. Rodenbeck, Fred J. Strohm, William P. Stein, W. Dewey Crittenden and Fred M. Allen.

Besides the Rochester masonic bodies, several state organizations sent delegates to the funeral. The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of the State of New York was represented by Ralond K. Mason of Jamestown, deputy grand master; George A. Newell of Medina, grand treasurer; Marshall F. Hemingway of Troy, grand recorder; William S. Riselay of Buffalo, grand steward; Charles M. Colton of Rochester, grand lecturer; Willard S. Bradt of Rochester, past grand master. Representing the Grand Council of Knights Templars of the state of New York were: George C. Hanford of Syracuse, grand generalissimo; W. W. Ellis of Ithaca, grand warden.

Members of Cyrene Commandery, Knights Templars, also attended the funeral in Templar regalia; Doric Council 19, Royal and Select Masters, was represented by its officers and Damascus Temple, Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, by its officers and patrol.

Among those who attended were Mayor Hiram H. Edgerton and Public Safety Commissioner R. Andrew Hamilton, Chief Charles Little, Assistant Chief Frank A. Jaynes, Battalion Chief Charles H. Atkinson, Captains Maurice Keating and Frederick Stiefel, Captain Jacob H. Stein, Sergeant John D. Trant, Superintendent William H. Craig of Monroe County Penitentiary, and former Commissioner of Public Safety and Sheriff Charles S. Owen.

PROMINENT DEALER
IN HORSES IS DEAD

ON 77TH BIRTHDAY
Herald, Aug. 17

Saphrene Shaw, prominent dealer and expert judge of horses, died yesterday morning at 8 o'clock at his home in Woodman Road, Irondequoit, on his 77th birthday. He had led an exceptionally active life and few men in Irondequoit were better or more favorably known.

Mr. Shaw came to this country from Baden, Germany, with his parents when a mere boy. Soon after his arrival in Irondequoit, the father died and young Shaw was bound out to the late Judge Wright of Irondequoit with whom he lived for many years. During the Civil War he served for a brief time in the Union Army and, after the war, started out without a dollar to make his way in the world.

Mr. Shaw's fondness for horses soon brought him into prominence as an expert equestrian judge whose services were in demand among horsemen. During his life time he had bought and sold thousands of horses, continuing to buy and ship horses from the West to the East until his physical condition no longer permitted him to travel.

In addition to dealing in horses Mr. Shaw bought one of the finest pieces of property in his home town. He had a wide acquaintanceship among horsemen in many parts of the country and was everywhere regarded by them as the soul of honor, a man who in a horse-deal could be implicitly trusted. Through this confidence in his integrity, he built up a large business and accumulated a comfortable competency. Without ostentation or show, he was charitable and kind. No man in need was ever turned from his door. He helped scores of worthy young people to get a start in life as many in his home town would testify.

Mr. Shaw was married twice. His first wife was Miss Fanny Lathrop of Irondequoit and his surviving wife, Miss Nellie Littlejohn of Canada, to whom he was married September 15, 1891. He leaves also one daughter, Mrs. Karl Brayer; one surviving sister, Mrs. May Darrow of Rochester, and one brother, Frank Shaw of Rochester. He was a kind and loving husband and father, highly respected by all his neighbors and townpeople; a man who will be greatly missed.

FORMER ROCHESTER
MANUFACTURER DIES

W. & C.
George D. Thompson Succumbs at Cincinnati.
Aug. 19-1919

Cincinnati, Aug. 18.—Announcement was made here late to-day of the death of George D. Thompson, one of the best known of American pioneer paper manufacturers, a native of Rochester, N. Y. Death came at the home of the son of the deceased at Arlington Heights, a suburb of this city, as the result of old age. Throughout life the deceased was noted as an artist and author, having made frequent tours of the mountainous sections of West Virginia and the Far West gathering material for many noteworthy writings and many paintings now in various famous art galleries of the United States.

During the civil war Thompson performed heroic service in the Union army at the Lookout Mountain battle. He discovered many improvements of great value during his engagement in paper manufacture at Middleton and Rochester. He is survived by a widow and son, Dr. Edward H. Thompson. He was 76 years old at death. A great deal of fame came to him for his Indian paintings, gained from living among far Western tribes during early life. Burial will be here after services at the crematory and incineration.

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HENRY STRONG IS DEAD AT 46

Herald
**Promising Career of Rochester
Business Man Cut Short.**

FORESAW AUTOMOBILE TRADE

Possibilities of Motor Car Led Him To
Become Leader in Vehicle

Aug. 14 Trade. 1919

Word was received here yesterday afternoon of the death in Los Angeles of Henry G. Strong president of Strong Motors, Inc. The end came at 9:30 o'clock, Pacific Coast time, corresponding to 1:30 o'clock, Rochester time. Death was due to inflammatory rheumatism and pneumonia.

Henry Griffin Strong, known to all his friends as "Harry," was born in Rochester 46 years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Strong. The death of the son follows closely on that of the father, which occurred July 26. Henry G. Strong was educated in the city schools and at Yale University. Following his return from college he was connected with the Eastman Kodak Company, but later became interested in the office supplies business and went to New York City to deal in that line of goods. He returned to Rochester, however, and seeing the great possibilities of motor vehicles, decided to center his activities in for-

Harry Strong was a man's man. To his friends as "Father," the name having started amongst his employes, he always had time for a word with all his friends and acquaintances, no matter how heavy the strain of business. He was a maker and holder of friends, and he numbered those with whom he was intimate by the hundreds.

As an automobile dealer he was looked up to and admired by his competitors. His business was extensive, but no man who ever had dealings with Strong Motors had a word of criticism as to the treatment he received. Early this year, Mr. Strong adopted the profit-sharing system for his employes, with the promise that if it worked out satisfactorily the first year it would be continued. His employes were most loyal to him and to the firm—in fact, among automobile workers and salesmen there has always been a desire to obtain a connection with Strong Motors.

Started Half Holidays.

Largely through the influence of Mr. Strong, Rochester automobile salesrooms and service stations now have a Saturday half holiday in the summer months, Strong Motors being the first to put the plan into operation.

A past president and director of the Automobile Club of Rochester, having been one of its founders, Mr. Strong has always taken an active part in its work. Whenever an automobile has been needed by the club for any purpose, Father Strong has furnished it without questioning. In the Rochester Auto Trades Association he has been a director and member of the show committee practically every year. He has been the originator of many "stunts" designed to make the show popular, one year giving away an automobile as a door prize.

Actively identified with the automobile business for the last ten years, but few have known of his other interests, which have been most extensive. The same reputation which he has enjoyed in the automobile trade has been his in other lines, and he has enjoyed the confidence, friendship and good will of his fellow men.

In 1918 he acted as deputy Monroe County Fuel Administrator, having charge of the gas and oil division of the work.

and professional men of the city were under her instruction in the grade schools or in the high schools. Few came in contact with her without becoming fond of her, and so pleasing was her personality that it has remained an inspiring memory with them.

Miss Crennell lived for many years at 37 South Washington street, now known as "The Pillars." She was a daughter of William H. and Harriet J. Crennell.

The body has been brought from Buffalo, and funeral services will be held in the chapel at Mt. Hope cemetery tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald Aug 14 1919
Mrs. Mary P. Fletcher

Mrs. Mary Price Fletcher, formerly of Rochester, widow of the late Rev. Oliver N. Fletcher and mother of A. P. Fletcher, former assistant superintendent of Rochester schools, died on Tuesday, August 5, at the home of her brother at Cassopolis, Mich., aged 79 years. She was born at Cassopolis and went there to spend the last years of her life.

Mrs. Fletcher was a descendant of distinguished New England stock, her ancestors having taken part in the Revolution and in the War of 1812. Her early training as the daughter of a Baptist clergyman fitted her for the life given in devotion to the welfare of her fellow men. She was a constant co-worker with her husband in his ministerial duties, having given freely of her time to all religious and charitable endeavor for more than fifty years of her married life. While in Rochester she was a member of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church.

Mrs. Fletcher leaves one daughter, Mrs. Mabel Payne, wife of Dr. Arthur Payne of Rochester; one son, A. P. Fletcher, assistant superintendent of public schools of Cleveland, Ohio; four grandchildren, two brothers and two sisters in Cassopolis.

Mrs. Ellen B. Yates, wife of the late Charles L. Yates, died on Wednesday at Hollywood, Cal.



HENRY G. STRONG.

warding the new industry. He started in the automobile business with Austin Crittenden, who later retired. Since that time Mr. Strong has continued in the motor vehicle business alone. At one time he was vice president of the Pritchard-Strong Company, metalware and lantern makers.

Member of Organizations.

Mr. Strong was a member of the Psi Upsilon Fraternity, of the Masonic Fraternity, the Genesee Valley Club, Rochester Club, Rochester Country Club and Automobile Club of Rochester.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Marion Gell Strong, and two sons, Griffin and Pritchard Strong.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post
MARY CRENNELL.

One of City's Oldest Teachers Dies After Long Illness

Aug. 19 - 1919
Mary Crennell, for more than thirty-three years a teacher in the public schools of this city died Sunday in Buffalo, where she had been ill for many months.

Miss Crennell was one of the oldest teachers in point of service, of the Rochester public school teachers. She had the record of thirty-three and a half years of service without intermission—a record not surpassed by any other teacher here. She began her professional career as a very young woman, and takes her place among the pioneer teachers who did a valiant work in developing the present day standards of the schools here.

She received her first appointment from the Board of Education in January, 1882, and was assigned to School 26. The following September she was transferred to School 5, but she remained there only until the November following, when she was promoted to a position on the faculty of the old Free Academy, where she taught mathematics. In 1905, when West High school was opened, she was transferred to it and taught there until she retired in June, 1914.

As a teacher Miss Crennell was among the best. Many of the business

SAMANTHA STANTON NELLIS

DIES AT AGE OF 109 YEARS

Herald Aug. 18-1919

Oldest Known Living White Woman, Real Daughter of American Revolution, and Member of Methodist Church 90 Years, Dies at Her Home in Naples, N. Y.

Naples, Aug. 17.—Mrs. Samantha Stanton Nellis, aged 109 years, died this morning at 1 o'clock at her home, two miles from this village.

She was the oldest known white woman at the time of her death. She was born January 5, 1810, a daughter of Elijah and Luck Goodell Stanton, in Fairport, N. Y., and came to this town in 1844. She was married September 28, 1839, to John Nellis, who died 35 years ago. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon.

Her Life at Age of 107 Years.

The following is from an illustrated sketch of the life of Mrs. Nellis, published two years ago in The Herald:

In spite of the weight of the hundred and seven years which rests upon her as lightly as does a generation less upon most of the few who survive to that age, Mrs. Nellis is remarkably vigorous. She rose from her seat by the window in the farmhouse kitchen and greeted The Herald reporter, and "Stoney," the photographer, when they were ushered in by the cordial Mrs. Rhoda Eaton, a daughter-in-law, who cares for the mother of her first husband with an affection and sacrifice which an own mother might envy. Mrs. Eaton explained the object of the visit, and the aged woman cordially assented to the proposal to sit for her picture. She was sitting with some sewing in her lap when she was found, but wanted to change her dress and "dell up," as the more modern woman says.

Not a whit of her scrupulous neatness and regard for appearance have the years taken away, and she was as desirous of making her best appearance as any 10-year-old schoolgirl. "Stoney" quashed that at once, however, and seated her again by one of the two stoves with which the farm kitchen is provided, as the room has to be kept warmer than it would in ordinary circumstances because of Mrs. Nellis' health and advanced age.

Can Still Swing Broom.

Everybody in the room except Mrs. Nellis, started somewhat at the flash of the light used in getting the picture, as a fine snow-storm in progress made necessary a flashlight. Her nerves are in good condition. After the flashlight photos were taken, she consented to be snapped in the act of sweeping the porch.

She doesn't do any manual labor beyond some sewing, which she refuses to give up altogether; but it isn't because she isn't able to do it. No, indeed! She can get around the house as briskly as most ordinary elderly people, and she took hold of the broom and attacked the snow as vigorously as could be wished for. And when Stone had recovered from the agitation any good photographer feels when he is confronted with such a fortunate setting for a picture he immediately "took her," and she walked back into the house with a firm tread.

Has Birth Record in Bible.

In the meantime the old family Bible, tattered and torn by constant use through a period of more than a hundred years, and still doing duty, had been brought forth and examined. Yellow with age, but distinct the entry of "Samantha—January 5, 1810" was written in a fashion of a former day on the same page with many others of the family, long since dead and forgotten, with the rest of their day and generation, leaving only this old woman.

Well could Webster have said, looking upon her, "You have come down to us from a former generation." But Webster and that great coterie of men who were the big figures of her young womanhood have passed on. The statesmen of the Civil War followed, and they, too, have passed on.

Interested in War.

"She never was a great reader," said Mrs. Eaton. "She never cared for books; but is always interested in the war news. She reads that almost entirely, and never tires of it. The curious part of it is, that she has absolutely no sympathies. She is neutral enough to satisfy even the President. I don't believe she has much conception of what the war really is. She only knows that there is a war, and that a great many men are being slaughtered, and that they have terribly powerful guns. I don't think she has much idea of the location of countries, as it has been many years since she studied geography, and the maps of Europe have been through many changes since she saw the last one. She always asks when The Herald comes: 'Are they still fighting?' And I guess that is about all she knows about the war."

Mrs. Nellis is 107 years old. In view of that fact it is wonderful that she is as vigorous and healthy as is the case. It would indeed be marvelous if her faculties were unimpaired by age. Such is not the case. Her memory fails her utterly at times, and she tells stories of events which have happened at widely different periods of her life in the same manner as though they were all simultaneous. Her age is also one of the points on which she often makes wild misstatements. Sometimes she is 16 years old. Sometimes she says she is a thousand years old.

Her Father Was a Soldier.

She loves to tell of her father and his career as a soldier of the Revolution. He was a Continental soldier—the "regular soldier" of the Revolution, as distinguished from the mass of state militia. Her stories of her father's adventures with Washington are strictly authentic, except when she suffers a lapse of memory and wanders. They have been told ever since she was old enough to tell them, and since people who had seen George Washington were scarce—much more those who had clasped hands with the Father of His Country and been wounded in battle in his campaigns.

All of this did Elijah Stanton, her father. He was one of those who stood by the cause from the time the first gun was fired at Lexington, when he was 16 years old, until the close of the war. He was at Valley Forge; he was at Trenton; he was in one of the boats that took Washington's little, tattered and ragged army across the Delaware; he was at the Brandywine, and he was one of those who took part in the plucky attack on Germantown. There he was wounded, and it is said that General Washington himself assisted in taking him from the front line.

"Real" D. A. R.

It is in the telling of those reminiscences that Mrs. Nellis takes her whole enjoyment in life. A letter, written shortly after her 106th birthday to a gentleman who had written to her for information regarding her status as a "real" D. A. R., has been printed by him, with three others from a D. A. R. and two Sons of the American Revolution, and a copy of these, neatly framed, now hangs on the kitchen wall, and is one of Mrs. Nellis' most prized possessions. It reads as follows:

In reply to your letter, I will state that my father, Elijah Stanton, was born in 1760 and enlisted in the War of the Revolution in 1776 at the age of 16 years, and served during the whole of the war as one of General Washington's bodyguards; was with him at the "Crossing of the Delaware" and the siege of Valley Forge. He was wounded once, when General Washington jumped off his horse and helped him to the rear of the battlefield. After the war a cousin of General Washington married a cousin of my father. Father died in 1854, aged 94 years.

I was born January 5, 1810, at Eaton's Bush, N. Y., and am now enjoying good health.

I have been a member of the M. E. Church close to ninety years, and I believe that I am one of the oldest, if not the oldest member now living.

I was the guest of honor at a dinner party given by a friend in our home to celebrate my 106th birthday on January 5, 1916.

I am a member of Astenrogen Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Yours truly,

MRS. SAMANTHA STANTON NELLIS.
(By Rhoda Wheeler Nellis.)

Methodist Ninety Years.

As the letter indicates, Mrs. Nellis is still able to enjoy company. She likes nothing better than to be with a gathering. Her daughter-in-law tells an amusing story of a Methodist minister who called. He was the editor of a church publication and



SAMANTHA STANTON NELLIS.

wanted an interview with the aged woman. "Are you a church member?" he asked. "I've been a Methodist for about ninety years," she replied.

"I'm a Methodist minister," he announced. "Let's have a regular old Methodist meeting," she came right back, and then they had a good laugh.

Mrs. Nellis had three sons and one daughter, all of whom she has outlived. She herself was the youngest, gave one of a family of twelve grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

It is nearly fifteen years since Mrs. Nellis was last in Rochester. She is a distant relative of James Nellis and Judge John A. Barbite of Rochester. She enjoys an automobile ride in the summer time occasionally, when some of her friends in the village chance by. When the pears are ripe she goes out in the orchard and picks them off the bending limbs. She feeds the chickens and is out of doors most of the daytime in pleasant summer weather.

Prizes Letter from President.

Another of Mrs. Nellis' most prized possessions is a personal letter from Woodrow Wilson. It reads as follows:

My dear Mrs. Nellis—It is with the greatest interest that I learn of your approaching 105th birthday. I want to send you just a line of sincere congratulation and to express the hope that for years still to come you will be vouchsafed life and the power to enjoy it.

Cordially yours,

WOODROW WILSON.

This letter was written to Mrs. Nellis early in 1914, just before her 105th birthday.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post F. A. BROCKETT.

Well-known Architect Passes Away at
Sept. 2 His Home. 1919

Frederick Andrew Brockett died Sunday morning at his home, 58 Magee avenue, following a sudden attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Brockett came to Rochester as a boy from his birthplace in New Haven, Conn. When very young he entered the architect's office of his uncle, Andrew J. Warner, after whom he was named. Years later the firm of Warner & Brockett was formed and Mr. Warner's two sons, J. Foster Warner and William A. Warner, and Mr. Brockett's brother, Willis J. Brockett were taken into the partnership.

This firm planned the Wilder building, the Powers hotel and many other buildings of this city. Later Mr. Brockett opened an office in the Granite building and a few years ago moved to offices in the Cutler building.

It was said of him that he would rather lose a client than specify any construction which he did not believe was absolutely safe. Many buildings in Rochester and other cities stand as testimony of his taste and skill.

Always fond of music, Mr. Brockett was a member of the original Rochester Opera club, and of the Rochester Choral society which was organized by Ludwig Schenck.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Nellie I. Brockett; his mother, Mrs. Cornelia Brockett; his brother, Willis J.; a daughter, Mrs. Walter G. Bent, all of Rochester; and his son, Clyde P., a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

**FORMER CITY
 ATTORNEY DIES**

Herald
 Constantine D. Kiehel Expires
 While Asleep at His Home.

SERVED TWO APPOINTMENTS

Was Educated in Philadelphia Schools
 and University of Penn-

Sept. 3 - 1919
 sylvania

Constantine D. Kiehel, twice city attorney of Rochester, died some time Monday night at his home, 43 South Washington Street. It is thought death was due to heart trouble, from which he had suffered about a month previously. According to persons in the house where he made his home, he did not seem to recover fully from the first attack and was still in a weak-



CONSTANTINE D. KIEHEL.

ened condition when stricken a second time. The body was found by the housekeeper, who entered the room at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, supposing Mr. Kiehel was absent at his office.

Following the finding of the body, efforts were made to communicate with Mr. Kiehel's brother, Attorney Chester F. Kiehel of Laburnum Crescent, but he could not be reached at the time, so a friend of the Kiehel family was called and took charge until the arrival of Coroner Thomas A. Killip.

The remains were taken to undertaking rooms to be prepared for burial. The funeral arrangements will be announced as soon as Mr. Kiehel's son, Stephen R. Kiehel, and other relatives reach the city.

Besides his brother and son, Mr. Kiehel leaves a daughter, Miss Constance Kiehel, and a sister, Miss Anora Kiehel of Arden, Del.

Constantine D. Kiehel was born 61 years ago in Philadelphia and was educated in the schools of that city and at the University of Pennsylvania. He came to Rochester about the year 1877 and after studying law in the office of the late Attorney Ritson, was admitted to the bar. In 1891 he was appointed city attorney, serving two terms. He had had offices at 803 Wilder Building virtually since the opening of that building for offices. Mr. Kiehel's wife died some years ago. He lived alone at the south Washington Street address.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post GEORGE ARNOLD.
Sept. 6 - 1919
 Death of Well-known Figure Among
 Florists and Horticulturists.

George Arnold, well known among florists and horticulturists, died at his home at Ensenore, on Owasco lake, Tuesday morning, aged 62 years, following an illness of about two weeks. He leaves his wife and one son, Schuyler, just returned from service overseas.

For four years Mr. Arnold had been in charge of the estate of Mrs. J. Letchworth at Ensenore. He was in the employ of James Vick's Sons for twelve years, putting in most of his time at the trial grounds at Orden, and several years ago he was in charge of the H. H. Westinghouse estate.

When the Spencer sweet peas were introduced several years ago, he became much interested and grew many of the best named varieties for commercial purposes and also to familiarize himself with their habits. Several years ago he introduced into the market Primula Ver Superba, which he disposed of to Henry A. Dreer, Inc., and James Vick's Sons. Since then it has become a very popular plant.

Mr. Arnold was fond of asters and had a great deal to do with introducing and improving the different strains. He made them a study for many years. It was through his efforts that the upright type of asters was introduced and each year he had his plot of about an acre on which he experimented and worked out the better sorts.

Mr. Arnold was past master of Spencerport grange and at one time president of the Rochester Florists' association. The funeral was held this afternoon at Elm Grove Methodist Church, the bearers being all past masters of the grange.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald *Sept. 3*
 William H. Johnson, 1919

William H. Johnson, a life-long resident of Rochester, died yesterday morning at his home, 304 Jay Street, aged 76 years. He enlisted in Company K, 150th New York Volunteers, in September, 1862, and was discharged with the regiment in June, 1865. He participated in all the battles which that renowned regiment fought and was present at the surrender at Appomattox.

At the time of his death Mr. Johnson was the sole surviving member of his company. He was also a member of the Ryan Zouaves, a past commander of O'Rourke Post 1 and for a number of years captain of the famous drill corps connected with that post. He was also a member of Class 42 of Central Church. At the time of his enlistment he was employed at Woodbury & Strong's whip factory and on his return he re-entered their service, where he remained until the factory was removed from the city. For the past ten years Mr. Johnson was an employe of the city.

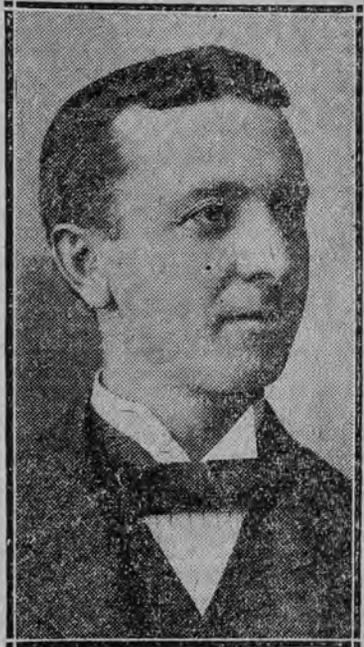
Mr. Johnson leaves his wife, Mrs. Anna F. Johnson; one daughter, Miss Helen Johnson, and one sister, Mrs. George Powell, all of Rochester. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home.

James H. Douglas died yesterday at 659 Averill avenue, aged 82 years. He was a veteran of the Civil war and a member of Sherman command, U. V. U. He leaves one brother, William B. Douglas, of Washington, D. C., and a niece, Clara C. Churchill, of New York city.

Sept. 1919
Funeral Services
For R. M. Swinburne
James Wilson
Funeral services for Robert Morris

Swinburne, one of the best known members of the printing profession in Rochester, who died at Boston, were held this afternoon from 137 Chestnut street. The Rev. Ludwell H. Denny of Unitarian Church, officiated, and bearers were James A. Biley, Clarence Fenner, Edward Walker and Taylor C. Bidwell.

Mr. Swinburne was a son of John Thackery Swinburne and Jane Emily Swinburne of Rochester, who came from Birmingham, England, many years ago and settled in the little frontier town of Rochester. They purchased land on the eastern edge of the town, so that when Summit street, as



ROBERT M. SWINBURNE

it was then known, was extended eastward as Main street east, at University avenue, it passed through their property. Robert Swinburne entered the printing business with his brother, John W. Swinburne, and later purchased the entire business, the brother removing to Minneapolis, where he still is engaged in printing. Last spring Robert Swinburne sold out his business, formerly known as the "Canalside Press," to a nephew, William Swinburne, and removed to his summer home at Nantucket. He had been ill all summer.

For many years Robert Swinburne was a member of the Rochester Typothetae. He was also a member of Genesee Falls Lodge, 507, F. and A. M.

Sept. 1919
JOHN D. HOTCHKISS
DIES AS HE LEAVES
HOME FOR OFFICE
Herald Sept. 28

As he was preparing to leave his home in Goodman Street yesterday morning for his office, John D. Hotchkiss, well known insurance man and brother of James L. Hotchkiss, county clerk, suddenly became ill, dying a short time later. Death was due to heart trouble, according to the physician who was called.

Mr. Hotchkiss apparently had been in good health until the time of his fatal illness. He was at his office on the second floor of the Chamber of Commerce Building until 6 o'clock Friday evening and seemed in excellent spirits.

John D. Hotchkiss was born in Naples, N. Y., September 9, 1864, and was brought to Rochester while still an infant by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Hotchkiss, who removed to Rochester shortly after the Civil War. He was educated in the city schools and in the Rochester Free Academy and later pursued an engineering course at a technical school. Following the completion of his education, he entered the insurance business and had been identified with that business until the time of his death.

He was a member of Christ Episcopal Church in East Avenue, having become identified with that parish many years ago.

Mr. Hotchkiss was unmarried. Besides his brother, he leaves a niece, Miss Jeannie L. Hotchkiss, who lives in the South.

Sept. 1919
FUNERAL OF JACOB GORDON
D. & C.
Honor Conferred in Taking Body from Home to Synagogue.

The funeral of Jacob Gordon, who died on Saturday morning at his home, No. 15 Hyde park, took place yesterday afternoon from the home and the synagogue of Congregation Beth Hakenes Ha Chodosh, No. 108 Chatbam street. The services in the synagogue were conducted by Rabbi Solomon Sadowsky. Taking of the body from the home to the synagogue is an unusual honor.

Mr. Gordon was secretary of the Levinson Shoe Manufacturing Company, and the Regorson Corporation, which owns the Gordon, Regent and Picadilly theaters. He was one of Rochester's leading dealers in hides, his business having been located in Front street for the last twenty years. He was treasurer of the Jewish War Relief, treasurer of Associated Hebrew Charities, first president of the Jewish Orphan Asylum, a director of the Rochester Hebrew School and a liberal contributor to charities in general.

Mr. Gordon leaves his mother, his wife, four children, Ida, Ruth, Louis and Isadore Gordon; a grandchild, four brothers, Hyman and David Gordon, of Rochester; Nathan H. Gordon, of Boston; Israel Gordon, of New Haven, Conn., and two sisters, Mrs. Anna Levy, of New Haven, and Mrs. J. Chain, of New Haven.

Burial was made in Britton road cemetery.

DEATH OF EDWARD O'GRADY

Lifelong Resident of City and Many Years in Business.

Edward O'Grady, who was in the insurance business in this city for a long time, died yesterday morning, aged 64 years. He was a brother of James M. E. O'Grady, attorney.

Mr. O'Grady lived in Rochester all his life. He was a graduate of the DeGraff Institute, and soon after his graduation entered the insurance business. He retired from business several years ago. While he had been in poor health for some time, his death came as a shock to his family and friends.

The body was taken to the home of J. M. E. O'Grady, No. 267 Westminster road, where funeral services will take place at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Services will be held at 9 o'clock in the Cathedral, of which Mr. O'Grady was a member. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Mr. O'Grady leaves, besides his brother, a sister, Mrs. Fred A. Hale, of Salt Lake City.

Sept. 1919
Miss Montgomery
Dies Of Injuries;
Was Hit By Auto
James Wilson

The funeral of Miss Mary Whitney Montgomery, daughter of the late Thomas Montgomery, will be held tomorrow afternoon from the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward B. Angell, 295 Alexander street. Miss Montgomery died at the Homeopathic Hospital at 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning, as the result of injuries received August 11, when she was struck by an automobile driven by M. L. Culver of 238 Milburn street as she was attempting to cross Main street east near the East Side Savings Bank.

Miss Montgomery was born 60 years ago in Rochester and received her education at Livingston Park Seminary. Her father was one of the prominent attorneys of the city and the family home still standing at 170 Spring street is one of the beautiful landmarks of the city. For some years past Miss Montgomery had made her home with her brother-in-law, Dr. Edward B. Angell of 295 Alexander street.

HAD LONG CAREER IN COURTHOUSE

Post
Under Sheriff Frank I. Haw-
ley Dies Suddenly.
Sept. 8-1919
HEART TROUBLE THE CAUSE

Had Served Under Ten Different
Sheriffs.

Found Dead in Ante Room by Associ-
ates—Chased One Criminal Across
the Atlantic.

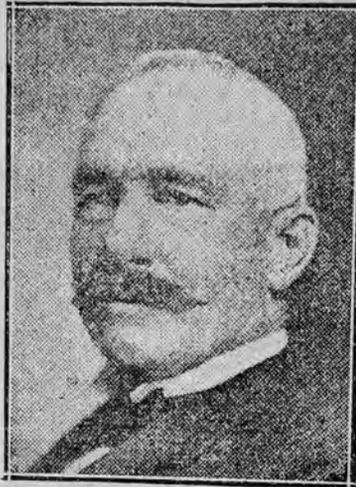
When Under-sheriff Frank I. Hawley, 67 years old, connected with the sheriff's office for thirty-five years, did not return to his desk this morning after starting out to draw a jury search was instituted for him and he was found dead by Deputies Ralph Burton and Leo Sippel on the floor of one of the ante-rooms. Coroner Killip gave the cause of death as heart failure. Mr. Hawley had complained this morning that one side was partially paralyzed so that he was unable to write. He had had an attack of heart trouble about two months ago.

Mr. Hawley was one of the best known of the county officers of the law. He served several years as a deputy in the town of Chili, where his grandfather was a pioneer settler and thirty-five years ago was made an office deputy by Sheriff John W. Hannan. He served under Sheriffs Hannan, Thomas Hodgson, Burton Davy, John Schroth, Thomas W. Ford, Charles H. Bailey, William H. Craig, Willis K. Gillette, Harley Hamil, Charles S. Owen and two years under the present sheriff, Andrew Weidenmann.

Out for Short Time.

Mr. Hawley was out of the office for a few months during the short period George R. Brown was sheriff. Brown was appointed by a democratic governor when Harley Hamil died and he appointed Matthew R. Connor to Hawley's place. This was in April, 1914, and the first of the following year Hawley was back in his old place.

Although for the last dozen years Hawley had managed the office end of the business before that period he was one of the most active of the criminal catchers. His pursuit of men wanted has carried him to such remote places as London, Eng., Pasadena, Cal., and New Orleans. His trip to London to get Charles Young, the saloon broker whose activities resulted in his indictment was his most notable arrest. Young was brought back but after conviction and sentence won a new trial and was sent back to England where he was shot by a guard trying to escape.



FRANK HAWLEY.
Under Sheriff Who Died Suddenly
To-day.

Hard Working Official.

Mr. Hawley was a hard-working official, and Sheriff Weidenmann declared that he would be greatly missed. He knew the business of the office so thoroughly that practically all matters were put up to him.

Mr. Hawley is survived by two brothers, Ward Hawley, of Chili, and Dr. L. B. Hawley, of this city. He was a member of Yonnodio lodge, F. and A. M. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later. It will probably be held from his Chili home.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald - Sept. 15
Funeral of Jacob Gordon, 1919

The funeral of Jacob Gordon was held from his late home at 15 Hyde Park yesterday afternoon. Services were also held at the synagogue of Congregation Beth Hachnesses Ha Chodosh in Chatham Street. Rabbi Solomon Sadowsky, formerly of Rochester, now of Chicago, officiated. He was assisted by Cantor Levitt. The funeral was attended by a large number and the funeral procession was unusually long.

Mr. Gordon was born in Russia 45 years ago and was well known in Rochester business circles, having been up to the time of his death a dealer in hides and leather with a store in Front Street. He was a member and former president of Congregation Beth Hachnesses Ha Chodosh; first president of the Jewish Orphan Asylum; director of the Rochester Hebrew School and treasurer of the Associated Hebrew Charities and the Jewish War Relief. He was also treasurer of the Levinson Shoe Manufacturing Company and the Regorson Corporation, which controls the Gordon—of which he was the founder—Regent and Piccadilly Theaters. His contributions to local charities were numerous and large.

He is survived by his wife, his mother, two sons, Isadore and Louis Gordon; two daughters, Ruth and Ida; five brothers and two sisters. Burial was made in the family plot in Britton Road Cemetery.

Daily Death Roll

Mrs. May B. Kenney,
Teacher In Normal
Union School, Is Dead
Union - Sept. 20, 1919

The City Normal School has lost a capable, loyal and devoted teacher in the death of Mrs. May Barrett Kenney, which occurred at the General Hospital Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Kenney, who was Miss May L. Barrett before her marriage to Thomas J. Kenney of New York City, graduated from the City Normal School in June, 1903. Upon graduation she was appointed to a position in School 4 where she remained for seven or eight years. She was then appointed a critic teacher in the Normal School. Later she was given leave of absence while she continued her pedagogical studies in Teachers College, Columbia University and from which after two years of study she graduated with the Bachelor of Science degree.

Upon returning to duties she was appointed teacher of Methods in Arithmetic and Geograpy in the theory department of the Normal School. In this capacity she proved herself a teacher of unusual ability while her sincerity of character and her sunny disposition won the high regard and the affection of her fellow teachers and the large number of students, who having been under her instruction, passed on to become teachers in the city schools.

Besides her husband Mrs. Kenney leaves an infant daughter, May, born on Thursday.

Teachers of the City Normal School will attend the funeral tomorrow in a body, going to the home at 284 Elm-dorf avenue at 9:30 o'clock and from there to St. Monica's Church at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald - Sept. 26
Funeral of Charles A. Mathews Held.

The funeral of Charles A. Mathews, who died at his home in South Union Street Sunday night, was held Wednesday afternoon in Mt. Hope Chapel. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Elijah E. Hanley of the First Baptist Church. A large number of persons prominent in educational, philanthropic and church activities were present, among those attending being Dr. Augustus H. Strong, president emeritus, and Dr. Clarence A. Barbour, president of Rochester Theological Seminary, of which Mr. Mathews was long a trustee; six trustees and the superintendent of the People's Rescue Mission, which Mr. Mathews helped to found and ever since had served as a trustee; Walter S. Hubbell, teacher of the Hubbell Class for men, in which Mr. Mathews was especially interested and an active member as long as his health permitted. The First Baptist Church, of which Mr. Mathews was a deacon for many years, was represented by a number of persons, including the deacons, who acted as bearers. These were Harvey E. Remington, William H. Dildine, John Barbour, Ryland Kendrick, John C. McCurdy and Charles F. Radcliff.

Among the floral remembrances were roses from the deacons of the church, a wreath from the Hubbell Class, another from the trustees of the Rescue Mission and roses from the trustees of the Theological Seminary.

Daily Death Roll
Times Union
**Arthur Vincent Fagan
Was Popular Teacher**

Funeral services for Arthur Vincent Fagan, a member of the faculty of Washington Junior High School
Sept. 24 - 1919



ARTHUR VINCENT FAGAN.

who died yesterday in St. Mary's Hospital, will be held from the home in West Henrietta at 9 o'clock Friday morning from the home and at 9:30 o'clock from the Church of the Good Shepherd in Henrietta.

Mr. Fagan was one of the most popular members of the city's teaching staff and stood high in the estimation of his associates. A graduate of the Brooklyn Normal School, Mr. Fagan taught at Junior High School for some time when he was drafted into army service and was sent to Camp Dix. There he started his training and later entered the officers' training camp at Camp Lee, was commissioned first lieutenant and took up instruction work at the camp.

Mr. Fagan was taken ill about a week ago, teaching at the school since his return from the army until that time.

David Thompson died yesterday at the home of his son, Arthur W. Thompson, at 51 Hazel Street, aged 84 years. He leaves his wife; his son; one daughter, Mrs. H. S. Barnum of Joplin, Mo. He was a veteran of the Civil War and a member of Powers Post, G. A. R.

Oct. 1919

**DAVID C. RUDMAN
DEAD AT HOME**

Times Union
**Was One of Best Known
Gardeners of Irondequoit
—Funeral Services To-
morrow. *Sept. 26 - 1919***

David C. Rudman died last night at the family home, Garden street, Irondequoit, aged 68 years.

Mr. Rudman was one of the best known gardeners in this part of the state, having been engaged in the business all his life. He was born in Irondequoit May 3, 1851, the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Rudman and lived there all his life.

He was an elder of Memorial Presbyterian Church and had been assistant superintendent of the Sunday-school for the last 19 years. He leaves his wife, Ida R. Rudman; one son, John D. Rudman of Clarkson; two daughters, Mrs. Chauncey West and Mrs. Charles H. Ernisse of Irondequoit and Frank E. Rudman of Brockport; two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Daggs of this city and Mrs. David Lammung of Irondequoit, and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late home. They will be conducted by the Rev. J. Canfield Van Doren, pastor of Memorial Presbyterian Church. Interment will be in the family lot in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

**Charles N. Pratt *Sept. 30 - 1919*
Helped Develop
Electric Light**

Charles N. Pratt, pioneer in the development of electric light business of Rochester died this morning at the home at 340 Garson avenue, aged 56 years.

Charles N. Pratt was born in Newark, N. Y., March 26, 1863. His early education was obtained in the schools of Newark and he later attended Lima Seminary.

Shortly after graduating from there, he settled in Rochester. In 1887 he became connected with the Edison Electric Illuminating Company which was then in its infancy, and was active in its progress until he died.

He was mainly responsible for the first placing of the electric light wires underground in Rochester and has always been in close touch with the generation, transmission and distribution of the system.

He had a lovable disposition and was liked by everyone with whom he was associated.

Mr. Pratt was a member of Damascus Temple, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine; Monroe Commandery, Hamilton Chapter, Genesee Falls Lodge; The Society of the Genesee; and one of the early members of the Rochester Engineering Society.

He leaves his wife, one daughter, Mona A., two sons, Seeley F. of Rochester, and C. Earle, of Cleveland.

**DEATH SUMMONS
F. A. BROCKETT**
Herald
**Well Known Architect Succumbs
to Brief Attack of Pneumonia.**

SUCCESSFUL CAREER ENDED
Splendid Reputation Earned in Drawing Plans for Many Rochester Buildings. *Sept. 1 - 1919*

Frederic Andrew Brockett died yesterday morning at his home, 68 Magee Avenue, after a brief illness which at first was thought to be slight but later proved to be pneumonia.

Mr. Brockett was born in New Haven, Conn., and came to Rochester when a boy. At an early age he entered the architect's office of his uncle, Andrew J. Warner, for whom he was named. This association continued for many years, Mr. Brockett rising from employe and student to member of the firm of Warner & Brockett. In the same firm were Mr. Warner's two sons, J. Foster Warner and William A. Warner and also Mr. Brockett's brother, Willis J. Brockett.

As a member of this firm, Mr. Brockett was engaged in the construction of the Wilder Building, Powers Hotel, additions to the Powers Building and many other prominent buildings of Rochester. Upon the dissolution of the firm, Mr. Brockett opened an office in the Granite Building and subsequently moved to his late location in the Cutler Building.

Through faithful efforts under a capable master, Mr. Brockett thoroughly prepared himself for his life work. Those who knew his work were warm in their praise for his unusual ability and integrity in putting forth the best at his command. Many buildings in Rochester and elsewhere bear witness to his skill and taste. It is said that he would lose a client rather than specify any construction which he believed was not absolutely safe.

Mr. Brockett was fond of music and, possessing a good voice, he found a large part of his recreation in giving expression to this talent. He was a member of the original Rochester Opera Club and of the Rochester Choral Society as organized under Ludwig Schenck. He was a most interesting conversationalist and held the highest esteem of those who really knew him. Especially fond of children, his gentle and kindly disposition won in return the love of the little folk with whom he came in contact.

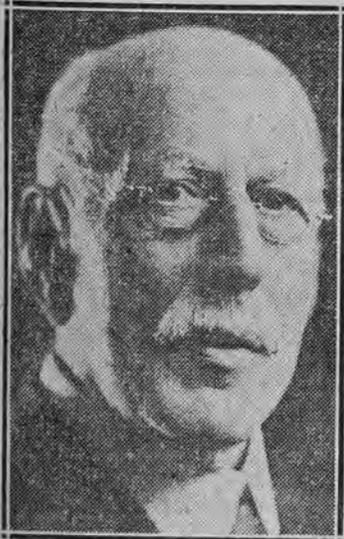
Mr. Brockett leaves his wife, Mrs. Nellie I. Brockett; his mother, Mrs. Cornelia Brockett; a brother, Willis J. Brockett; a daughter, Mrs. Walter G. Bent; all of Rochester, and a son, Clyde P. Brockett, a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

**LEWIS ADLER
HIT BY AUTO;
DIES OF SHOCK**

Times Union
Father of Assemblyman
Adler Struck by Machine
Driven by Woman—Small
Boy Crushed by Motor
Truck. *Oct. 7-1919*

Two persons were killed by automobiles yesterday. Lewis Adler, 82, of Argyle street, formerly a member of the firm of Adler, Martin & Katz, manufacturers of shoes, and father of Assemblyman Simon L. Adler, majority leader of the state Assembly, died in the Park Avenue hospital last night shortly after seven o'clock from shock resulting from injuries suffered early in the afternoon when he was struck by an automobile driven by Mrs. P. O. Viall of Webster Groves, Mo.

Mr. Adler was crossing from the north to the south side of Park avenue at Berkely street, when he was struck



LEWIS ADLER.

by the left fender of the machine. He was thrown to the pavement. Mrs. Viall stopped her car and Mr. Adler was taken in the machine to the Park Avenue hospital, where he was attended by Dr. George A. Marion of 510 North Goodman street, and Dr. Samuel H. Rosenthal of 1 Audobon street.

An examination showed that Mr. Adler suffered a fracture of the nose, severe lacerations of the scalp and bruises about the body. The automobile driven by Mrs. Viall is owned by her father, C. D. Tuke of Clover street, Brighton, whom she is visiting. Witnesses of the accident say the machine was being driven slowly. Mrs. Viall was not detained by the police.

Mr. Adler was born in Germany and came to this country at an early age. He settled in Medina, where for nearly 40 years he conducted a retail clothing business. About 20 years ago he moved to Rochester. For several years he was not actively engaged in business, but later became a member of the firm of Adler, Martin & Katz, shoe manufacturers of 15 South avenue. He retired from this business about two years ago.

Besides his wife and two sons, Simon L. Adler, and Mark L. Adler, and one brother, Abram Adler, of L. Adler Brothers & Company.

The funeral will take place from the home, 17 Argyle street, at a time to be designated later. Interment will be made in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Frank Maggio, 8, of 29 Moore street, was crushed to death when he jumped suddenly from the running board of a motor truck on which he was riding in Salem place yesterday afternoon, at 4:30 o'clock and fell under the rear wheels. The truck is owned by Schaefer Brothers, mason contractors, and was driven by Albert F. Schaefer of 663 Genesee street, a member of the firm. The Maggio boy and his cousin had been riding with Mr. Schaefer part of the afternoon. As the truck approached Lyell avenue near Salem place, the Maggio boy said he wanted to go home and the driver was slowing down for him to alight when the accident happened. Coroner Chapman has charge of the case.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Pastor — *Oct. 7-1919*
GERSHOM MOORE PETERS.

Death of Distinguished Official of the Theological Seminary.

A former president of the board of trustees of Rochester Theological seminary, Gershom Moore Peters, died in Cincinnati to-day in his seventy-sixth year. Mr. Peters was born in Circleville, O., and served in the Civil war for a year. He was graduated by Denison university in 1867 and by Rochester Theological seminary in 1871. He was ordained in Penn Yan in 1871 and served as pastor in the Penn Yan church three years and later in the Cedar Street church, Buffalo, seven years. In 1881 he left the pastorate and engaged in manufacturing in which he was unusually successful, being rated as one of the leading manufacturers of powder in the United States. In 1901 Mr. Peters was elected a member of the board of trustees of Rochester Theological seminary and in 1904 was made its president, which position he held till his death. He was an intimate friend of Rev. Dr. Augustus H. Strong, president emeritus of the seminary.

Rev. Henry F. Gilt. *1919*

Editor Post Express: *Oct. 9-1919*

It is with a deep sense of loss the presbytery of Rochester has been called upon to record the death, on Sunday, October 6th, of one of its highly esteemed members, Rev. Henry F. Gilt. He came to the presbytery on September 26, 1905, from the presbytery of Duluth, and was settled over the Church of Charlotte, now the Lake Side church, Rochester, the village of Charlotte having become a part of the city. We have appreciated his good work during the whole of those fourteen years and have rejoiced in the privilege of fellowship with him, for he had been one of the most faithful in attendance upon all the gatherings whether for business or for spiritual communion.

He was a faithful minister of Jesus Christ, loyal to his Lord, loyal to the truth, loyal to duty. The members of the presbytery esteemed him not alone as a brother beloved in the ministry, but also as a ripe scholar, an able preacher, a tireless pastor and a faithful friend.

He was born in Raguth, Germany, on May 12, 1861, graduated from Hamilton college in 1887 and from Auburn Theological seminary in 1892. He was licensed by the presbytery of Cayuga in 1889, and ordained by the congregational council of Oregon on September 22, 1892.

At a meeting of the presbytery in "Retreat" at Avon on Monday, October 7th, many expressions of esteem for Mr. Gilt were voiced, and the stated clerk was directed to send to Mrs. Gilt and the three children who survive, a daughter and two sons, assurance of deepest sympathy on behalf of the whole body.

G. B. F. Hallock,
Stated Clerk.

Rochester, October 7, 1919.

DEATHS—FUNERALS *1919*

Pastor — *Oct. 15-1919*
LOUISA A. B. ROCHESTER.

Widow of Grandson of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester.

Mrs. Louisa Agatha Bamman Rochester, widow of Roswell Hart Rochester, a grandson of the founder of the city, and himself one of the founders of the Western Union Telegraph company, died in Washington, D. C., where she had been living for some years with her daughter, Miss Anna Rochester, who is connected with one of the government departments.

Mrs. Rochester was formerly Miss Louisa Agatha Bamman, of New York city, and she was married to Roswell Hart Rochester shortly after he went to live there. Mr. Rochester died twenty years ago at the home in Englewood, N. Y., and the body of Mrs. Rochester will be taken there for burial. Besides her daughter she leaves many relatives in New York city.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Pastor — *Oct. 9-1919*
Marcus B. Sanford.

The funeral of Marcus B. Sanford, father of Nelson P. Sanford, referee in bankruptcy for the Western New York district, took place yesterday afternoon at his late home, 333 Berkeley street. Rev. Paul Moore Strayer, pastor of Third Presbyterian church, officiated. The bearers were Robert Wilcox, E. C. Redfern, Erwin S. Plumb, J. D. Haynes, Thomas Porter Ford and Edwin C. Smith. Interment was made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

PHYSICIAN DIES AFTER MONTHS OF ILL HEALTH

Dr. Porter Farley Member
of Pioneer Family.

INTERESTED IN RESEARCH

Retired from Active Work Some
Years Ago, but Kept in Touch
with Trend of Profession—Served
in Major Battles of Civil War

Dr. Porter Farley, who was born in Rochester seventy-nine years ago into one of the pioneer families of Monroe county, died yesterday at his home, No. 1 Carthage street. His death was not unexpected, as he had been in failing health for several months. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home, and burial will be made in Mount Hope cemetery.

Dr. Farley was born in Rochester on August 9, 1840, a son of Joseph and Laura Porter Farley, who came to this city from Maine several years before. His first education he received at Miss Porter's school in Canal street and at Dr. Dewey's School, both private institutions. Later he attended the University of Rochester, but was graduated from Union College, after which he attended the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University, being graduated from there as valedictorian of his class. He took post-graduate courses at Heidelberg and the University of Jena.

Served in Civil War.

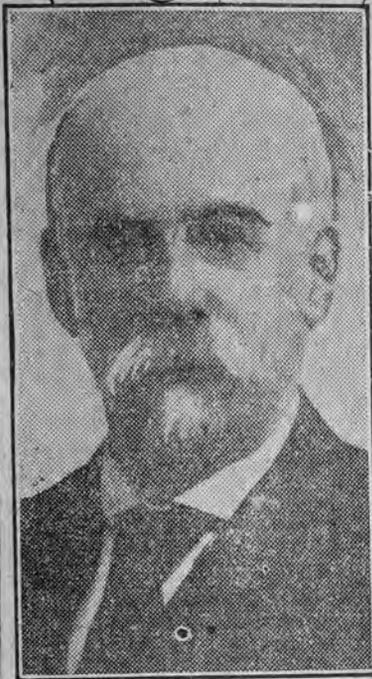
Upon his return to Rochester from abroad Dr. Farley began his practice of medicine, associating with Dr. Charles E. Rider, a specialist in diseases of the eye and ear. Although he retired from active work several years ago, he always was interested in medical research.

He went to the Civil War from Rochester as a member of the 140th Regiment and served three years, participating in nearly all the big battles, including Gettysburg, Chancellorsville, the Wilderness and Spottsylvania Court House. He was commissioned four times during the war.

Dr. Farley was a member of George H. Thomas Post, G. A. R.; Loyal Legion, Fortnightly Club, Monroe Association, an honorary member of the Rochester Pathological Society, and he twice served as president of the Rochester Historical Society. He also was a prominent member of the First Unitarian Church.

He leaves, besides his wife, Mrs. Ita P. Milder Farley, two sons, Walter L. and William Peck Farley, and two daughters, Mrs. Frederick C. Bonney, of this city, and Mrs. George H. Sickles, of Providence.

Physician of Wife
Activity Is Taken
D. + C. Oct. 19-1919



DR. PORTER FARLEY.

Daily Death Roll Times-Union Mrs. Stanley Shepard.

Angelena Hodgeman Cobb, wife of Stanley Shepard, died yesterday at her home in this city. Mrs. Shepard was born October 21, 1877, in Brooklyn, a daughter of the late Amos Hubbell Cobb. With her family she removed to Fairport in 1881, where she resided until 1902. She was a graduate of Fairport High School and of Vassar College of the class of 1901. In September, 1902, she married Stanley Shepard of this city, removing here at that time and residing here ever since.

Mrs. Shepard was a member of Third Presbyterian Church. She was also a member of the College Women's Club, of the Century Club and of the Vassar Alumnae Association.

She leaves her husband; two sons, Stanley and Whiting Shepard; a daughter, Elizabeth Angie Shepard; her mother, Mrs. A. M. H. Cobb, all of this city, and two brothers, George W. Cobb of Montclair, N. J., and Amos H. Cobb of Rochester.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the family residence, 60 Brunswick street, the Rev. Paul Moore Strayer and the Rev. Warren S. Stone officiating. Burial will be made in Mt. Hope cemetery. Oct. 16-1919

DEATH CLAIMS OLD RESIDENT OF CITY

William H. Duffett Long in
Construction Business.

Oct. 17-1919
One of this city's oldest men was claimed by death on Wednesday, in the passing of William H. Duffett at the home of his son, William H. Duffett, Jr., No. 1,134 Lake avenue, aged 91 years.

Mr. Duffett was born in Portsmouth, England. Fifty-one years ago he came with his wife, the late Mrs. Sarah Duffett, to Portland, Maine, where he engaged in building and contracting. He built some of the first waterworks systems in American cities. Among the conduits he constructed were those of Burlington, Vt.; Norwalk and New London, Conn.; Martinsburg, Va., and the West.

His knowledge and skill, when he was connected with a New York contracting firm, brought Mr. Duffett to Rochester in the early seventies. He was engaged by this city to build the first conduit bringing water from Hamlock lake. Mr. Duffett remained in Rochester for twenty-five years.

He next moved to Beatrice, Neb., where he remained for the rest of his business life.

About a quarter of a century ago he came back to Rochester, and has since made it his home. Mr. Duffett was one of the first members of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church. He served it in various offices, including those of trustee and deacon, and was deeply interested in its welfare. He was a Knight Templar.

Mr. Duffett leaves, besides his son, a daughter, Mrs. William D. Culver, of Bridgeport, Conn. Mrs. Duffett died about thirteen years ago.

The funeral will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon from the home, No. 1134 Lake avenue. The services, which will be private, will be followed by burial in Mount Hope Cemetery. Rev. Samuel W. Beaven, associate pastor of Lake Avenue Baptist Church, will officiate. The bearers will be Albert C. Colebrook, Thomas Lannin, W. B. Patterson and Roy Webster.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

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GUSTAVE A. BALTZER.
Funeral of Young War Veteran Held
This Afternoon. 1919

The funeral of Gustave A. Baltzer, son of Rev. and Mrs. Adolf C. G. Baltzer, who died suddenly Sunday following an operation at the Lee hospital, took place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Trinity Evangelical church.

Rev. Franklin Frankensfeld, pastor of Salem church, officiated. The bearers were Gould Hatch, Otto Ostendorf, Robert Reilly, Hugh Merson, Paul Hill and Potter Remington, all members of the D. K. E. fraternity, of which Mr. Baltzer was a member.

Mrs. George Hastings sang and Miss Wilbur, of First Unitarian church, was at the organ. Interment was made in the family plot in Mt. Hope cemetery and was private.

FUNERAL OF MRS. GEO. W. WILDER

Jessie Wilson

Members of Session of Westminster Church Act as Bearers—Superintendent of Kindergarten 16 Years.

Oct. 21 1919
The funeral of Mrs. George W. Wilder was held yesterday afternoon at her late residence, 9 Normandy avenue. A house full of friends paid earnest tribute to the memory of a woman whose service and character were of unusual note. Her husband, George W. Wilder, is an elder in the session of Westminster Church, in which she served for 16 years as superintendent of the Kindergarten Department. She was also actively associated with the work of the church in other capacities and was one of its most faithful and well known members.

She was a woman of rare charm of personality; with a happy humor, and a fine sympathy for young life that made her peculiarly qualified for her task with the little people. One of her co-workers in that department for many years reported that never had she seen any circumstance, or any child, however irritating, disturb Mrs. Wilder's cheerful good nature or evoke the slightest impatience. Her love for children and her service to them was the expression at once of a natural aptitude and a deeply devoted Christian consecration.

Mrs. Wilder was born at Silver Creek, Nov. 12, 1864. She united with the church at the age of 20; was married Nov. 16, 1887, and had two daughters, one of whom passed away in early life. The other, Miss Marion Wilder, is a teacher in the public schools of the city, residing with her father at the family home. The long connection of the family with Westminster Church and Mrs. Wilder's special services make her death a severe blow to the church. Mrs. Wilder for some time also served as organizer of the kindergarten work in the Italian Presbyterian Church on Magne street, where she will be greatly mourned by many friends won by her helpful efforts.

The Rev. Henry H. Barstow, the pastor of Westminster Church, conducted the services. In commenting upon her he said: "Perhaps no person could pass from the membership of Westminster Church leaving in more hearts a sense of personal loss than Mrs. Wilder. The most eloquent eulogy that could be paid to her memory would be that of reverent silence; while the imagination should picture a vast procession of thousands of children touched by her life leaving a tribute of a flower upon her bier as they pass."

Interment took place at Riverside Cemetery. The bearers were members of the Session of Westminster Church: W. B. Gates, W. B. Huther, G. C. Baker, H. B. Graves, E. H. Perry, W. G. Benedict, with W. F. Parry, senior member of the Session, as honorary bearer.

Oct. 22 1919
Rev. J. G. BATZLE,
WELL KNOWN HERE,
DIES IN OMAHA
Healed

Rev. John George Batzle died on Saturday in Omaha at the age of 37, the result of influenza and pneumonia, from which he suffered last fall. His death was a great shock to both relatives and friends, of which he had many.

Mr. Batzle was the first of several members of the John M. Carvell Bible Class of First Baptist Church of Bloomfield, N. J., to enter the ministry. Mr. Batzle completed his preparatory course at Peddie Institute, Hightstown, N. J., and came to the University of Rochester, where he was graduated in 1910. At this time he was awarded the Davis prize for senior oration and was a member of the Alling debating team. He was a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity, was interested in the Glee Club and other U. of R. activities.

Mr. Batzle was ordained in First Baptist Church of Bloomfield, N. J., and in 1917 Mr. Batzle left Fremont for a where he and his wife successfully carried on their work for four years. In 1917 Mr. Batzle left Fremont for a new field in Laramie, Wyo., where he was taken ill. While attending a convention at Denver, Mr. Batzle was obliged to return to Laramie because of poor health and was finally forced to leave Laramie, being unable to stand its climate.

While in Rochester Mr. Batzle was assistant pastor of the Second Baptist Church, under Dr. Rust. The body will be brought to Rochester for interment.

Besides his wife, formerly Miss E. Vera Booth of this city, he is survived by four children, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John George Batzle, sr., of Bloomfield; his brother, J. Harold of this city, and two brothers and five sisters of Bloomfield and vicinity.



Rev. John G. Batzle, Jr.

Posi- GUSTAVE A. BATZLER,
Death Follows Operation—In Many
Battles in France, 1919

Gustave A. Baltzer, son of Rev. and Mrs. Adolf C. G. Baltzer, pastor of Trinity Evangelical church, died yesterday in Lee hospital from shock following an operation performed Saturday night. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from Trinity church. Rev. Franklin Frankenfeld, pastor of Salem church, will officiate. Interment will be made in Mt. Hope cemetery and will be private.

Mr. Baltzer, who was 25 years old, was one of the most popular men of the class of 1919 at the University of Rochester and was one of the first of the university men to respond to the country's call at the outbreak of war with Germany. He had returned to this country only a month ago and had been in Rochester but two weeks.

In less than a month after the United States had declared war on Germany, Mr. Baltzer went to Governor's Island and applied for service in the Intelligence service of the army. He successfully passed the required examinations and was called into service in January, 1918, and assigned to duty at Camp Hancock, Georgia.

As a member of the intelligence staff of the Twenty-eighth division, composed of Pennsylvania National guards units. Mr. Baltzer sailed for France in April, 1918. From Chateau Thierry to the Argonne, he saw service in five major engagements. He was commissioned a lieutenant late in the summer, and assigned, after the signing of the armistice and the occupation of German territory had commenced, to join the staff of Major General Smith at Luxembourg.

After the American army had occupied Coblenz, Mr. Baltzer was assigned to the staff of the Inter-Allied Rhineland commission, and later acted as secretary to the American high commissioner Pierpont Noyes, in which capacity he served until he was ordered to America.

Mr. Baltzer had been offered a position with the International Harvesting company in Chicago which he had expected to assume as quickly as his physical condition permitted. The position had been tendered him by Mr. Noyes, one of the officers of the Harvester company, who had been impressed with the young man's capabilities as shown during his service with the Inter-Allied commission.

Mr. Baltzer was a member of Beta Phi chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. Before matriculating at the University of Rochester, he was a student at West High school.

He leaves, besides his parents, a sister, Wanda E. Baltzer, and a brother, Armin S. Baltzer, formerly a member of Base hospital, 19.

LIEUT. BALTZER DIES OF SHOCK FROM OPERATION

Times Union
Passes Safely Through Five
Major Engagements in
France and Dies Two
Weeks After Quitting the
Army—U. of R. '19 Class.

Oct. 20 — 1919
After passing safely through five major engagements in France, Lieutenant Gustave A. Baltzer, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Baltzer, 192 Child street, died early yesterday



LIEUT. GUSTAVE A. BALTZER,

morning at Dr. Lee's Hospital from surgical shock, following an operation.

Lieutenant Baltzer had been out of the army only two weeks, having returned to this country from the Army of Occupation last September 19. Following the signing of the armistice he was assigned to the staff of Major-General Smith at Luxumburgh as an intelligence officer and was later attached to the Inter-Allied Rhineland Commission, serving as secretary to the American high commissioner, Pierpont Noyes. He was taken to the hospital on Friday and the operation, which by his friends was not believed to be serious, was performed Saturday morning. He recovered from the anaesthetic, but died from shock early yesterday morning.

He was a graduate of West High school and a member of the class of 1919 of the University of Rochester and of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. During his three years at college he was prominent in undergraduate life and was considered one of the most popular men of his class. When the war broke out he at once applied for service in the Intelligence Department and having passed all examinations, was called in January 1918 to Camp Hancock, Georgia.

His father the Rev. A. G. Baltzer, is pastor of Trinity Evangelical Church. Lieutenant Baltzer is survived by his parents, a brother, Armin Saltzer and a sister, Miss Wanda E. Baltzer. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Trinity Evangelical Church and burial will be made at Mt. Hope Cemetery Church.

Bar Association 1919 Gathers To Honor Deceased Member

Times Union
A meeting of the Rochester Bar Association was held yesterday at the court house at which memorial tributes were adopted in appreciation of the life and professional works of William H. Sullivan, deceased.

Arthur E. Sutherland presided and Norman Rosenberg served as secretary. Tributes were made in remarks by George A. Benton and by the chairman. A committee consisting of Herbert Leary, chairman, Philetus Chamberlain, George A. Benton, Eugene Raines and Joseph Feely was appointed and a memorial prepared by them was read by Mr. Leary and adopted by the meeting.

The memorial included this interesting information:

"His brother, Henry J. Sullivan, during the latter years of his life suffered many severe financial reverses to the effect that judgments for over \$10,000 was taken against him. On his dying bed he requested his brother William to pay off his indebtedness and clear his name.

"About five years ago William H. Sullivan suffered the first of three paralytic strokes and was confined to his home, the last two years practically

bedridden. About two years ago William H. Sullivan disposed of some farm property situate on the Ridge road, in the neighborhood of the Eastmah Kodak Company and upon receiving payment for the same he called together all his brother Henry's creditors and paid them off in full, including legal interest from the date of the entry of judgment to the date of liquidation, although every judgment had been outlawed for many years, thus fulfilling the promise he gave his dying brother."

A committee consisting of James R. Creary, Hugh McGuire, John Desmond, Roy C. Webster and John Bernhard was named to attend the funeral which took place yesterday afternoon. Services were held at the chapel of Inguire & Thompson, the Rev. W. W. Rose of First Universalist Church officiating. Burial was in Mount Hope Cemetery, services being conducted by Yononnd'o Lodge, F. & A. M.

Prominent Local Attorney Is Dead

Oct. 25 - 1919



WILLIAM H. SULLIVAN.

W. H. Sullivan, who died at his home at 55 North Union Street on Thursday, has handled some of the most famous criminal cases in this locality and established many legal precedents. He was born in the town of Greece, but for many years had made his home in Rochester, where he attended the public schools and the old Free Academy before being admitted to the bar at the age of 21. Later he became associated with his brother, Henry J. Sullivan, in the practice of his profession.

Funeral Services Are Conducted For Dr. Porter Farley

Times Union
The funeral of Dr. Porter Farley, who died Saturday, was held this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from his home, 16 Carthage road. The Rev. Ludwell H. Denny, pastor of Unitarian Church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. William C. Gannett, D. D., pastor emeritus of the Unitarian Church. The bearers were J. Allen Farley, Porter Farley, George Carnahan, Smith Sheldon, Harry Johnston, Guernsey T. Curtis and George Motley. Interment was in Mount Hope Cemetery. Services at the grave were conducted by George H. Thomas Post, G. A. R.

Mrs. Henry Anstice Dies In New Jersey

Times Union
Word has been received in Rochester of the death of Mrs. Flora Fenner Anstice, wife of the Rev. Dr. Henry Anstice, who for 33 years was rector of St. Luke's Episcopal Church of Rochester. Mrs. Anstice, who died yesterday at her home in Montclair, N. J., came here as a bride from Irvington-on-the-Hudson, which was her home in her youth.

Dr. Anstice is a brother of Josiah Anstice. He was rector of St. Luke's Church from May, 1866, to May, 1897, leaving Rochester in 1897 to become rector of the St. Matthias' Episcopal Church of Philadelphia. He left the Philadelphia church in 1903 and has since been a member of the Board of Missions of the Episcopal church, secretary of the Clergymen's Retiring Fund, with offices in New York, and holds other offices connected with the Episcopal church.

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F. A. BROTSCH
31-1919
DIES AT HOME
Times Union
Widely Known Contractor
Succumbs to Long Illness
—Member of Many Fraternal Organizations.

Frederick A. Brotsch, one of the widest known contractors in this city, died yesterday at his home, 466 Mt. Hope avenue, aged 65 years and seven



FREDERICK A. BROTSCH.

months, succumbing to a long illness.

Known to thousands of Rochesterians as "Fred" Brotsch, he had a legion of friends in social, fraternal, business and political life. He was a mason, contractor, succeeding his father, Victor Brotsch, who began a career of mason contracting in this city in 1851. He was one of six children, of Swiss descent, and was born in this city on April 9, 1854.

His early education was received in the public schools of this city and he was apprenticed in his youth to the trade which his father followed. For several years he was employed at that occupation and then he entered the city employ, becoming chief inspector of the Public Works' Department. While engaged in this capacity he supervised the construction of Court and Andrew street bridges and the paving of Main street. He was 11 years as chief instructor.

Mr. Brotsch opened and improved Monroe avenue, which was at that time the largest contract let by the city. Afterward he opened up the George H. Thompson tract in the northeastern part of the city and erected 40 houses on what had been farm land. More than 200 dwellings and buildings were erected by him.

A decade ago Mr. Brotsch branched out into the state road building and his contracts carried him as far as Harrisburg, Pa. He built many miles of roads in this state.

In 1872 Mr. Brotsch married Lucy F. Randall, who survives, and they had three sons and three daughters, all of whom survive. They are Frederick A., Jr., Raymond C., Lewis H., Ada May, Martha Louise Brotsch and Mrs. Elba Pugh. He was a member of Genesee Falls Lodge, 507, F. & A. M.; Doric Council, R. & S. M.; Ham-

mond Commandery, K. T.; Rochester Consistory, S. P. R. S.; and Damascus Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.; Knights of Pythias, Court Rochester of Foresters and Wah-Hoo Tribe of I. O. E. M. He was a member of Bricklayers', Plasterers' and Stone Masons' Union.

The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family home. Interment will be at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

A. B. HENDRIX
DIES AT HOME
Times Union

Was Formerly Prominent in Politics in Twentieth Ward Engaged in Clothing Business for Many Years.

Oct. 23 1919
Albert B. Hendrix, long active in politics in the Twentieth Ward and a lifelong Republican, died last evening at his home, 178 Warwick avenue, aged 53 years. He leaves his wife, Minnie E. Hendrix, one daughter, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, and two grandchildren, Arthur H. and Dorothy M. Wilson. He had been ill about two weeks.

Mr. Hendrix was born in Chicago and came to Rochester when a boy, having lived here about 45 years. He entered the clothing business in Canadaigua, later becoming connected with the old Flower City Clothing Company, then with Strauss Brothers. When Strauss Brothers went out of business he went with the Union Clothing Company, with which he was connected at the time of his death.

Mr. Hendrix for some years was secretary of the Republican County Committee, and was a school commissioner from the Twentieth Ward when each ward had its own commissioner. He had been clerk of the Senate and some 15 years ago was a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff against Thomas Ford, later withdrawing in favor of Mr. Ford. He was collector of Monroe Lodge, 243, Royal Arcanum.

He was a member of Valley Lodge, 109, F. and A. M.; Hamilton Chapter, Monroe Commandery 12, K. T., and Damascus Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.

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EDWARD P. FOLLETT.
Death of Rochester Civil War Veteran Occurs in Duluth. 1919

Edward P. Follett, Civil war veteran and for many years a resident of this city, died October 25th in Duluth, Minn. Suitable action on his death will be taken by O'Rorke post, G. A. R., of which he was a member, at a meeting next Tuesday night.

Mr. Follett was born in Penfield February 2, 1839, and enlisted in the Eighth New York cavalry in 1861. He took part in many battles and received special recognition from the war department. For many years he was engaged in the sheet metal business in this city and the West.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
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ELLEN LARRABEE LATTIMORE.

Widow of Professor Samuel A. Lattimore Dies in New York. 1920

Ellen Larrabee Lattimore, widow of Professor Samuel Allen Lattimore, for forty years professor of chemistry at the University of Rochester, died today at the home of a daughter at 403 West 115th street, New York, aged 85 years.

Mrs. Lattimore was a daughter of a Methodist educator who at one time held the position of superintendent of public education of Indiana. In the early '60s Professor Lattimore was appointed to the chair of chemistry at Genesee college, Lima, and came to Rochester from that town. Mrs. Lattimore accompanied her husband and had been a resident of New York state since. Since the death of Dr. Lattimore she had been living with her daughters.

She leaves five daughters, Mrs. Joseph T. Alling, of this city, and Lyda, Eleanor and Florence Lattimore and Mrs. H. C. Gordon, of New York. The funeral will take place from her late home. Interment will be made in this city and will be private.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
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Nov. 3 1919
MRS. ALFRED M. STONE.

Religious and Temperance Worker Dies in Homeopathic Hospital.

Mrs. Alfred M. Stone, of Henrietta, died Saturday in Homeopathic hospital. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Congregational church, in Henrietta. Interment will be made in Maplewood cemetery.

Mrs. Stone was born in Leyden October 9, 1847. She lived there until her marriage to Alfred M. Stone in 1867, when she moved to Henrietta. Mrs. Stone was actively engaged in religious work. She taught the primary class in the Sunday school of the East Henrietta Baptist church for fifty years. During this time hundreds of people were taught by Mrs. Stone and many later became active in church work and prominent in social and business life in various places.

For the last three years Mrs. Stone was a member of the board of directors of the Baptist home, in Fairport. She was the president of the Henrietta W. C. T. U., and was deeply interested in that work.

Mrs. Stone leaves a daughter, Mrs. Merritt Clark, of Henrietta; two sons, Burton B. Stone and Howard G. Stone, of Henrietta; two grandchildren, Doris and Donald Clark, and a sister, Mrs. F. A. Barrett, of Boonville.

**WELL-KNOWN NEWSPAPER
MAN DIES SUDDENLY**
Post - Nov. 1-1919

Oliver L. Angevine, Many Years a Reporter on "Democrat and Chronicle," Passes Away.

Oliver L. Angevine, for the past sixteen years a reporter on the staff of the "Democrat and Chronicle," and for twenty-eight years a news writer, died suddenly of heart disease last night at his home, 547 Arnett boulevard, aged 59 years. The funeral will take place Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the home. Interment, which will be private, will be made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Mr. Angevine was widely known in political circles. For the past six years he had "covered" the City hall news, which includes political campaigns and the municipal and county elections. He first entered newspaper work on the old "Sunday Herald," in the advertising department. For about eight years after that he was with the "Evening Times," both as advertising man and as a member of the city news staff. He entered the employ of the "Democrat and Chronicle" as a reporter in February, 1903, and had been with that newspaper continuously ever since.

He was one of the pioneer telephone workers of the East, having, as a very young man, helped in putting through the American Telephone and Telegraph long distance line in Northern Pennsylvania. Later, Mr. Angevine took up the study of telegraphy, and became telegraph operator for the Buffalo, Rochester and Pittsburgh railroad at the Scottsville station. This position he held up to the time he decided to enter newspaper work.

Oliver L. Angevine was born in Rochester, May 30, 1860, the son of Edward and Helen Angevine. Edward Angevine, at the time of his death in 1912, was the oldest newspaper man in the country. From 1876 to 1880 he was city clerk of Rochester.

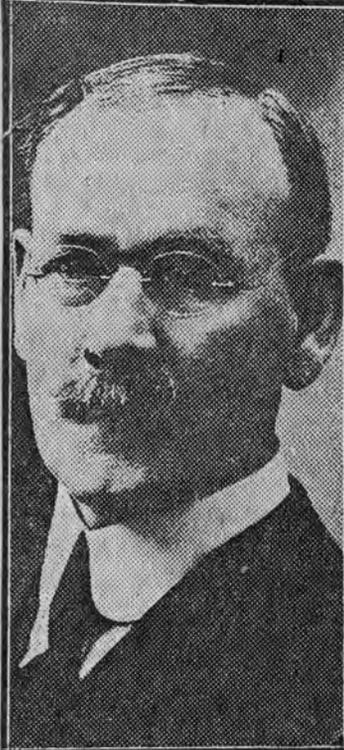
Mr. Angevine was a member of the Rochester Newswriters' Club and a charter member of the Rochester Association of Newspaper Writers, which he helped to organize.

Mr. Angevine leaves his wife, Anne F. Angevine; a daughter, Mrs. Mason D. Gray; three sons, Oliver L. Angevine, jr., Dr. Robert W. Angevine and Elbert Angevine, and two grandchildren, Oliver L. Angevine, 3d, and Richard Allen Angevine, all of Rochester; three brothers, Edward L. Angevine of Sodus, Ward K. Angevine of Palmyra and Harry H. Angevine of Rochester, and a sister, Mrs. May L. Lewis of this city.

IN MEMORIAM.
Post - Nov. 1-1919

Many Rochester homes have been saddened by the death of Mrs. Henry Anstice. For over thirty years as the wife of the rector of St. Luke's church, she was known and loved, not only by those immediately associated with her in the parish, but by a large circle of friends outside. Her winning smile and gracious manner endeared her to all, and the remembrances of her loyal devotion to her friends will be cherished by all who now so deeply mourn her loss.

**Newspaper Man's
Funeral Will Be
Held To-morrow**
Herald - Nov. 1-1919



OLIVER LAURENCE ANGEVINE, who died in Rochester on Friday, aged 59 years. The funeral will take place from the family residence at 547 Arnett Boulevard to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The burial, which will be private, will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Edward P. Follett.

Edward P. Follett, a veteran of the Civil War and for many years a resident of this city, died on October 25, in St. Luke's Hospital, Duluth, Minn. Mr. Follett was born in Penfield on February 2, 1839. His boyhood was spent in that town and from it he enlisted in the Eighth New York Cavalry in 1861.

Mr. Follett was the last of a family of seven children. His brother, William Follett, of Penfield, and his sisters, Mrs. Mary Francis, Mrs. Aurilla Edgecombe and Mrs. Anna Elliott, of Chicago, and Mrs. Jane Gilbert, of Rochester, all died before him. He leaves a daughter, Mrs. Maude Follett Jameson, of Chicago, who has for many years conducted the woman's department of the Chicago Record-Herald. He also leaves a granddaughter, the child of Mrs. Jameson, and a nephew, Charles Elliott, of Chicago.

The funeral took place in Duluth under the auspices of the Grand Army on Tuesday and suitable action will be taken by O'Rourke Post here, of which he formerly was a member.

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MORTUARY RECORD
Herald - Nov. 4-1919

The funeral of Oliver Laurence Angevine, for 28 years a newspaper man in the city of Rochester, who died on Friday, aged 59 years, was held yesterday afternoon from the family residence at 547 Arnett Boulevard at 2.30 o'clock.

Rev. Henry H. Barstow, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, officiated. The bearers were Charles Wright, J. Curtis Barker, Clark H. Quinn, Bernard J. Haggerty, Harry V. Roff and John Burns. Among those in attendance were Mayor H. H. Edgerton and a number of city officials.

The floral tributes were numerous and included those from George W. Aldridge, Mayor Edgerton, President William W. Hibbard of the Common Council, George D. E. Bonbright, John McParlin, the City Hall employees, the editorial staff of the Rochester Democrat and Chronicle, the Rochester Association of Newspaper Writers, the Department of Parks, the Nineteenth Ward Republican Club, the Kodak Park Engineering Department, the Jefferson Football Team, the Rochester Society of Technical Draftsmen and others.

**Emily P. Decker's
Death Announced**
Times Union

Word was received in this city today of the death of Emily Palmer Decker, widow of Jonah Durward Decker, well known for many years as a member of the Monroe county bar, whose residence was in Brockport.

At the time of her death Mrs. Decker was 75 years old and had lived for the past few years in Bellevue, Washington, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willis Stillman. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Decker is survived by two sons, George P. Decker, Rochester attorney, and Charles Decker, by six grandchildren.

Mrs. Decker was a daughter of Issac Palmer of Hamlin, one of the early pioneers in Monroe county. Funeral services will be held in Brockport, the date to be announced later.

Daily Death Roll
Times Union

Miss Fannie Child Dewey, a native of Rochester and for most of her life a resident of this city, died recently in her 74th year. She was the daughter of the late Delton M. Dewey, who was for many years an art and book dealer in Reynolds Arcade, and a sister of the late Delton Dewey, who was associated for many years with Tom Karl with the famous Bostonians opera company. Miss Dewey is survived by her sister, Mrs. Edwin A. Medcalf of 416 Lake avenue; a niece, Miss Jean Dewey Medcalf, and a nephew, Delton K. Medcalf.
Nov. 7-1919

Aged Artist Victim of Speeding Truck; Claimed by Police

Pass
JOHN Z. WOOD
DIES AT HOSPITAL
Nov. 6—1919
Widely Known as a Painter of Un-
usual Ability, and a Founder
of the Art Club.

TRUCK DRIVER HELD; MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

George C. Newell, 67 Fernwood Avenue,
Alleged to Have Been Driving
at Excessive Speed.

Manslaughter, second degree, in causing the death of John Z. Wood, well known artist, aged 72 years, who made his home at the hotel, 144 South avenue, was the charge against George C. Newell, 39, of 67 Fernwood avenue, driver of a truck for a carting company. Patrolman Bowman, who arrested Newell, produced a chart in court, to show that Newell's truck skidded thirty feet in Clinton avenue, near Johnson street, where the fatality happened. Another chart, the policeman said, showed that the truck could have been brought to a standstill within nine feet if the truck had been operated in compliance with the traffic law, which forbids speed in excess of ten miles an hour in the congested district. Clinton avenue and Johnson street is included in the congested section.

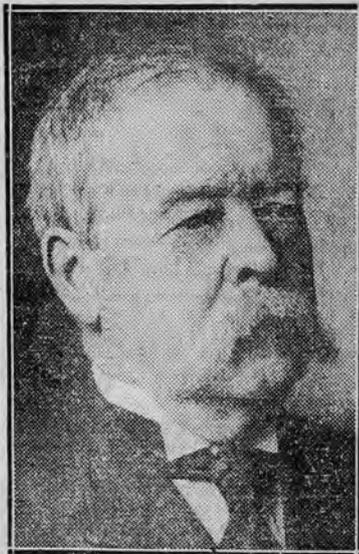
William J. Baker, attorney, requesting adjournment of the hearing, intimated the defense would prove that Newell's truck was not speeding at the time Wood was struck. Wood suffered a fractured skull, and died yesterday afternoon.

Judge Hebbard, presiding, ordered that bail of \$2,000 be deposited by Newell for his appearance in court a week from to-day. The defense tried to have the amount of bail reduced, but the magistrate refused the request.

Mr. Wood's Career.

John Z. Wood was born in England in 1846, and with his parents went to London, Ontario, when a young child. In 1857 they removed to this city, Mr. Wood spending the remainder of his life here with the exception of about ten years in Winnipeg, Manitoba, Minneapolis, Minn., and Los Angeles. He returned to this city only about a year ago.

As a young man he worked in Lang's children's carriage factory, doing the decorative painting. Then for a time he worked for the late Frank Van Doorn, a sign painter, and afterwards for several years for Mensing, Rahn & Stecher, which later became the Stecher Lithographic company.



JOHN Z. WOOD.
Founder of Art club killed by auto truck.

But art called him and sometime in the early seventies he opened a studio with William Lockhart in the old Baker building, Main street west and Fitzhugh street. Afterwards, with James Summerville, he opened a studio in the Arcade building, and it was in this studio that the Goose Grease club, which proved to be the nucleus of the present Art club, was formed. The Goose Grease club as originally formed included Mr. Wood, John Lockhart, Harvey Ellis and Seth C. Jones, and the meeting place for a long time was in the Ellis home in Main street east.

Art Club Organization.

The Goose Grease club, of which Mr. Wood was always a leading spirit, gave way to the Art club, which was organized by these charter members: Mr. Wood, Rev. James H. Dennis, James Summerville, J. Guernsey Mitchell, Horatio Walker, Harvey Ellis and William S. Kimball. Afterwards William Lockhart became a member, and in time the club gathered in most of the artists and art lovers of the city.

When the Civil war came, Mr. Wood volunteered and served in 1864-5 in a company of the 54th Regiment, doing guard duty at the Confederate prisoners' camp in Elmira. After the war he became more and more engrossed in art, and for a time bent his energies towards scenic painting, the scenic equipment in Masonic temple having been painted by him, as well as scenery for some of the theaters. He became one of the best painters in this line.

His Paintings in Homes.

His medium for many years was water colors, but in recent times he had done considerable in oils. His paintings are in many Rochester homes where they are highly prized. He was always an "outdoor painter," and almost since early manhood his

studio had been in the field. All through the years since he had been instrumental in organizing the Art club he had been active in it, and during the past year one of his chief activities had been trying to find a site near Irondequoit bay for a summer studio which he intended eventually to turn over to the club. He was about to close negotiations for a site when stricken down. Interested with him in looking for this site was his life-long friend and almost inseparable companion, Dennis H. Flood, scenic artist, who was also with him when he met his fatal accident.

For many years Mr. Wood's home was at Elm and Chestnut street, the site now occupied by the Fine Arts building. After he sold the property he went to live in the hotel at South avenue and Court street.

Mr. Wood married Nellie Rose, a daughter of Horace Rose, an old time business man here. She died about five years ago in Buffalo while on her way to join him in Winnipeg. She had left Rochester for the long journey west, but was taken sick on the train and died upon reaching Buffalo. Previous to the time he went to Winnipeg, Mr. Wood's son had died, so that he leaves no family.

Man of Wide Acquaintance.

Mr. Wood had a very wide acquaintance throughout Western New York. He was not only a splendid artist, but he was a man of many fine social qualities, not the smallest of which was his quaint humor and ability to tell a story effectively. If it was a bit of mimicry he was doing, it was inimitably done, and so it was with everything else he attempted.

The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the mortuary chapel at 285 Alexander street. The bearers will be George L. Herdle, president of the Art club; Seth C. Jones, secretary; George H. Broadhead, Frank R. Nevin, A. B. Chamberlain all members of the club and Dennis H. Flood.

Art Club Members Act As Bearers At Funeral Of John Z. Wood Today

Times-Union
Funeral services for John Z. Wood, prominent for years as an artist, were held this afternoon from 285 Alexander street, the Rev. Dr. David Lincoln Ferris of Christ Episcopal Church officiating.

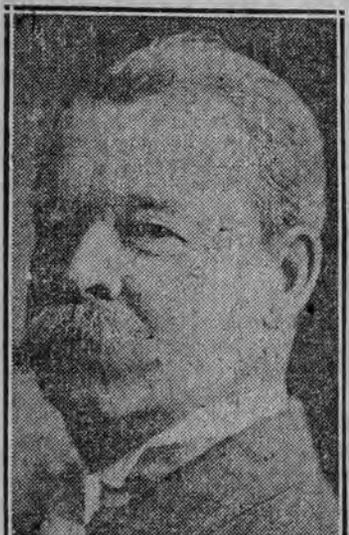
Bearers were George L. Herdle, president of the Rochester Art Club and director of Memorial Art Gallery; Seth C. Jones, secretary of the Art Club; A. B. Chamberlain, George H. Brodhead, Frank R. Niven and Charles C. Zoller, members of the Art Club, and Dennis Flood, a life-long friend of Mr. Wood. Interment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery. Nov. 7, 1919

JOHN Z. WOOD
Nov. 6 - 1919
**WAS PROMINENT
ARTIST OF CITY**
Times Union

**Man Fatally Injured by
Auto Had Done Special
Work for Government—
Was Charter Member of
Rochester Art Club.**

John Z. Wood, 70, of 144 South avenue, who died yesterday afternoon in Hahnemann Hospital from injuries received when he was struck by a motor turek in Clinton avenue south yesterday morning, was a prominent artist of Rochester, and some years ago was an instructor at Mechanics Institute.

When the United States entered the war, Mr. Wood did special work for the government, and worked on a series of paintings which were to be used



JOHN Z. WOOD.

for instruction in range finding. This work had just been completed when the armistice was signed.

Mr. Wood had painted much of the scenery used by the various bodies in Masonic Temple and had also done considerable work for the Stecher Lithograph Company.

Mr. Wood was a charter member of the Rochester Art Club and prominent in the smaller gatherings of artists held before the founding of the Art Club. In 1864 he and a few other local artists held social gatherings in William Lockhart's studio in the Palmer building, on the site now occupied by the McCurdy department store. In the early seventies, he took a studio in the old Arcade building and organized the famous old Goose Grease Club, which included in its membership James Somerville, Harvey Ellis, Will Lockhart and Seth C. Jones.

This club held meetings for several years in the old Ellis home on East Main street near Gibbs. In 1875 the club roster enlarged and the Rochester Art Club was founded, to be incorporated in 1882 with John Z. Wood, the Rev. James H. Dennis, John Somerville, John G. Mitchell, Horatio Walker Harvey Ellis and William S. Kimball.

From that time until his death Mr. Wood was an active member of the Art Club, with the exception of several years spent in Winnipeg about 10 years ago. He lived for a number of years at the corner of Elm and Chestnut street, where the Fine Arts Building now stands. During the past summer Mr. Wood spent a great amount of his time in the vicinity of Irondequoit bay, seeking a suitable site for his summer studio, which he intended to be used by the Art Club. He was often accompanied on these trips by the older artists of the city, including Dennis Flood, a retired artist, and who was with Mr. Wood yesterday at the time of the accident. Mr. Flood himself narrowly escaped injury.

Mr. Wood was a Civil War veteran and was a member of the Union Grays Company of the old 54th Regiment, which did guard duty at the Elmira prison camp. He had no immediate relatives, his wife and son having died some years ago.

REUBEN A. DAKE
DIES SUDDENLY
Times Union

**Had Been Prominent Fruit
Gardener in Irondequoit
for Many Years—Stricken
While at Dinner.**

Nov. 5 - 1919
Reuben A. Dake, member of a well known Irondequoit family and known as a fruit gardener, was stricken with a heart attack while seated at the dinner table in his home at Dake's Corners, Summerville boulevard, last evening, and died within a few moments. Dr. Alexander Walker of St. Paul Boulevard was summoned but Mr. Dake was beyond aid and Coroner Milton Chapman was notified. Death is believed to have been due to acute indigestion.

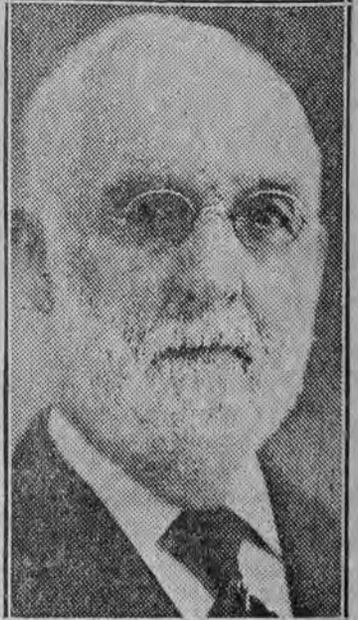
Mr. Dake was seated at the table with his mother, Mrs. Dr. Charles A. Dake, who is 89 years of age, and his son and daughter. He had just remarked that he wished he could eat like the rest of the family when he was stricken.

Mr. Dake, who was 75 years of age, retired from active gardening several years ago. He had enjoyed the best of health up to a few days ago. He was born in Saratoga Springs in 1844, the son of Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Dake. With the family he moved to Warsaw, Wyoming county, and at the age of 19 years his father came to Rochester and settled in the old stone house on St. Paul boulevard which is still standing.

He was a prominent member of Irondequoit Grange and one of the founders of the Irondequoit Congregational Church. He was superintendent of the Sunday-school at the time of his death.

Besides his mother, Mr. Dake leaves a daughter, Mrs. William Hartman of 38 Rutgers street, and a son, Frank C. Dake of Irondequoit, and three grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from the home at 10:30 o'clock Monday morning.

Son Dies at 75,
Nov. 8 - 1919
Leaving Mother
99 Years of Age
Herald



REUBEN A. DAKE.

One of the most prominent residents of Irondequoit, who died suddenly on Thursday at his home at Dake's Corners on the Summerville boulevard. Mr. Dake was born in Saratoga Springs in 1844. He lived for a short time in Warsaw before coming with his parents to reside near Rochester in 1863. He leaves his mother, who is 99 years of age; a daughter, Mrs. William Hartman of Rochester; a son, Frank Dake of Irondequoit, and three grandchildren. He was superintendent of the Sunday school and one of the founders of the Irondequoit Congregational Church, and a member of Irondequoit Grange.

JOHN W. HERTEL.



CHARLES P. BURRITT.
Veteran Mail Carrier Who Died
To-day.

**VETERAN POST-OFFICE
EMPLOYEE, CHARLES
P. BURRITT, DIES**

Post-
Announcement Causes Unusual Ex-
pressions of Grief from His Co-
Workers—All a Week.

Announcement of the death of Charles P. Burritt, made to his associates at the post-office shortly before noon to-day, caused a scene unusual in that bustling institution. Men who had grown grey in the postal service, stopped if only for an instant to pay a tribute to their companion, capable and "one of the best liked men in the place," according to his superiors, and tears were not uncommon.

Death came to the veteran postal employee from pleural pneumonia after an illness of but a week, though he had not been in the best of health since last fall, when he contracted pleurisy when on a fishing trip to Canada. He died at his home 269 Barton street, and was 53 years old. He leaves his wife and four children.

Mr. Burritt was appointed a carrier July 12, 1890. July 1, 1912, he was appointed foreman and stationed at the main office in Church street, where he continued until the illness developed which resulted in his death to-day. He gained the liking of his fellows and acquired capability in his work which soon attracted the favorable attention of his superiors. He was interested in the well-being of the men and when the national convention of letter carriers met in Rochester several years ago, he was honored by appointment as chairman of one of the important committees.

"I have lost one of my best men," said George C. Staud, postmaster. "He was one of the most capable and best liked men here, and his untimely death is a real loss to the service." All of which was amplified and corroborated by the many expressions of grief heard from those who had worked with him.

Employee of City
Department Office To-morrow.

The funeral of John W. Hertel, for 20 years employed as bookkeeper in the office of the department of public safety, who died Sunday at his home, 157 Bronson avenue, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the house. Interment will be made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

After the department of public safety was organized in 1911, during the term of Mayor James G. Cutler, Mr. Hertel was appointed to the position which he held to the time of his death. He served under Commissioners Gilman, Owen and Hamilton. The last twenty years of his life have been identified with the life of the department, as previous to 1900 the police department was under a board of three commissioners and the fire department was a branch of the board corresponding to the present department of public works.

Mr. Hertel was affiliated with several fraternal organizations, among them being the Odd Fellows and the Maccabees, and was a member of the Chamber of Commerce.

MRS. HENRY L. CHURCHILL.

Funeral of Daughter of Early Settler
in This Section.

The funeral of Mrs. Henry L. Churchill, formerly Miss Annie Bancker Cuyler, of this city, who died Saturday at her home in Schenectady, took place yesterday afternoon from 182 East avenue. Rev. Frederick Crosby Lee, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, officiated. Interment was made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Mrs. Churchill's father was Colonel William Tremper Cuyler, who was born in Albany December 22, 1802, the son of Johannes Cornelius Cuyler and Hannah Maley, of Albany. He was among the first students of the old Albany academy when that institute was organized in 1813. When he became of age he was stirred by the possibilities opening up in the western part of New York state by the construction of the Erie canal, and he embraced that means of travel to remove to Rochester, where he engaged in business. At the time the Wadsworth and other families were settling in the rich valley of the Genesee river he followed them, and purchased the large estate which Samuel Miles Hopkins had bought from the Indians in 1810, naming the place Cuylerville. He laid out this property in the manner of a gentleman farmer, erected a Colonial mansion on the brow of a wooded hill, and called his place Woodlands. He died there December 21, 1864, and was buried in Mt. Hope cemetery.

JOHN M. RIES.

Funeral of Former Patrolman and
Civil War Veteran Held To-day.

The funeral of John M. Ries, Civil war veteran and for 35 years a member of the Rochester police department, who died Saturday at his home, 379 Ames street, after a long illness, took place this morning at 9.15 o'clock from the house and at 9.30 o'clock from Holy Family church. Many former friends and associates were present at the services.

Rev. John J. Esier celebrated the solemn high mass of requiem. The bearers were Patrolmen Toomcy, Rutz, Stahlman, O'Brien, Dwyer and Evans. Interment was made in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. A committee composed of Deputy Police Chief Michael J. Zimmerman, Deputy Detective Sergeant Edward J. O'Brien, retired, and Sergeant James Collins of Lyell avenue station, represented the Policemen's Benevolent association at the funeral.

**Mrs. Rosina A. Nientimp,
Rochester Philanthropist,
Dies at Advanced Age**
Herald Nov. 24, 1919



MRS. ROSINA ALVING NIENTIMP.

Mrs. Rosina Alving Nientimp, a respected resident of Rochester, died on Friday evening at her home, 1009 Clinton Avenue North, aged 83 years. She was born in Munster, Germany, in 1836, and came to America at the age of 17 years, since which time she has made her home in this city. Her marriage to Ignatz Nientimp was celebrated at St. Joseph's Church in Rochester in 1856. Mr. Nientimp was one of Rochester's successful business men and a veteran of the Civil War. Mrs. Nientimp was known in the city as the friend of the poor. She leaves five children, Mrs. Catherine Finser, Mrs. Charles Schleyer, Mrs. Harriet Bowen and John T. Nientimp, all of this city, and George C. Nientimp of Erie, Pa.; 12 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning at 8.30 o'clock from St. Michael's Church. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919

Herald Nov. 26
Miss Alice S. Mansfield.

Miss Alice S. Mansfield, one of Rochester's best known business women, died on Monday in a New York Hospital. She went to New York a week ago to consult a specialist, but nothing could be done to save her life. She has been connected with the Sibley, Lindsay & Curr Company store in this city for the last twenty-five years and for the last fifteen years has been buyer for and manager of the muslin underwear department. She leaves a host of friends in this city in business and social circles. Miss Mansfield was born in Lyons, fifty-four years ago. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. Emily Thomas of Rochester, the Misses Helen and Mary Mansfield of Lyons and Mrs. C. C. Hayden of Holley, also one brother, Wallace Mansfield of Lyons. The funeral will take place from the family home, 6 Spencer Street, Lyons, N. Y., on Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. A special car for Lyons will be attached to the Rochester, Syracuse & Eastern trolley, leaving Rochester at 11 o'clock, and will return after the funeral.

Nov 7 - 1919
Marcus Kochenthal
Laid At Rest Today
Times Union

Funeral services for Marcus Kochenthal were held this afternoon from the home at 150 Dartmouth street, Rabbi Emeritus Dr. Max Landsberg and Rabbi Horace J. Wolff of Temple Berith Kodesh officiated. Active bearers were: Jacob G. Rosenberg, A. M. Sloman, M. Present, Frank Solomon, Charles J. Lang and Jesse Kochenthal. F orary bearers were: J. L. Rice, Simon Stein, Marcus Strauss, Mark Levy, Farry Guggenheimer, Peter Fletcher, A. Lowenburg, Meyer H. Lang, Marcus Frank and David Brickner.

Mr. Kochenthal died yesterday in Mount Sinai Hospital, New York. He was senior partner of the firm of Marcus Kochenthal & Company, St. Paul street. He had been ill for about two months. Marcus was born on September 9, 1870, at Hillsdale, Mich., a son of Jacob and Matilde Kochenthal. He came to Rochester in 1881, where he completed his early education. He was connected with the Stein Casket Company and latter was associated with his uncle, Abram J. Katz, in the trimming business.

Mr. Kochenthal was an active worker in Temple Berith Kodesh, of which he was a trustee. He also was a member of the Irondequoit Club and a former president of the Eureka Club.

At a special meeting of the automobile Club of Rochester yesterday afternoon a resolution on the death of Mr. Kochenthal was adopted.

Funeral services for Sydney Goldsmith, a brother-in-law of Mr. Kochenthal, who died yesterday at Denver, Colorado, will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday morning from the home of his parents, 304 Westminster road.

Mr. Goldsmith for several years was connected with the Rochester clothing industry. He was born in this city in 1886, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Goldsmith, and lived here until he went West, a short time ago owing to ill health. He was a mason. He was associated with Levy Brothers Clothing Company.



MARCUS KOCHENTHAL.
Rochester Man Who Died in New York.



SYDNEY M. GOLDSMITH.
Rochester Man Who Died in Denver.

TWO MEMBERS
OF FAMILY DIE
ON SAME DAY

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MARCUS KOCHENTHAL AND SYDNEY M. GOLDSMITH.
Nov. 6 - 1919
IN WIDELY SEPARATED CITIES

Homes in Rochester—Mr. Kochenthal's Funeral To-morrow, Mr. Goldsmith's Sunday Morning.

Marcus Kochenthal, prominent in the business life of this city, and his brother-in-law, Sydney M. Goldsmith, for several years connected with the Rochester clothing industry, died yesterday at about the same hour, the former in Mount Sinai hospital, New York, and the latter at Brown's Palace hotel, Denver, Col.

Marcus Kochenthal.

Mr. Kochenthal was born September 9, 1870, at Hillsdale, Mich., a son of Jacob and Matilda Kochenthal. He came to Rochester in 1881 and completed his education in the public schools of this city. On leaving school he entered business with Stein Casket company and later became associated with his uncle, Abram J. Katz, in the trimming business. At the time of his death he was senior partner of Marcus Kochenthal & Co., 84 St. Paul street. He had been ill about 10 months.

Mr. Kochenthal was a trustee of Temple Berith Kodesh and was actively interested in its work. He was a member of the Irondequoit club and a former president of the Eureka club. He leaves his wife, Etta Goldsmith Kochenthal; three sons, Richard, Edward and Robert; his mother, Mrs. J. Kochenthal; two sisters, Mrs. Morris Present and Mrs. Frank Solomon, all of this city. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 150 Dartmouth street.

The directors of the Automobile club, of which Mr. Kochenthal was a member, met at noon to-day and adopted a resolution on the death of Mr. Kochenthal.

Sydney M. Goldsmith.

Mr. Goldsmith was born in Rochester thirty-three years ago, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Goldsmith, and resided here until compelled to go West a while ago because of failing health. He was educated in the public schools and was active in local affairs. He was a Mason and a member of the Idler's club. For several years he had been associated with Levy Brothers Clothing company.

He leaves his wife, Gladys Bloch Goldsmith, and daughter, Ann, aged 3 years; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Goldsmith, of this city; two brothers, Sol Goldsmith, of Akron, Ohio, and William Goldsmith, of Winona, Minn.; three sisters, Mrs. Charles Lang of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. Marcus Kochenthal and Mrs. Arthur M. Sloman, of this city. The body will be brought to Rochester and the funeral will take place at 10 o'clock Sunday morning from the home of his parents, 304 Westminster road.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
Nov 5 - 1919
THEODORE D. SPERRY.

Civil War Veteran and Early Settler Dies at Home of His Son.

Theodore D. Sperry, Civil war veteran and son of pioneer Rochesterians, died yesterday at the home of a son, Theodore H. Sperry, 1001 Dewey avenue, aged 83 years. Besides his son, he leaves three daughters, Mrs. John J. Farmer of Madison, Fla., Mrs. Hiram J. Avery of Canandaigua, and Julia E. Sperry of Rochester.

Mr. Sperry's parents came to Rochester before it was a village and settled on the Lyell road. Mr. Sperry enlisted August 21, 1862, in Company D, 104th Infantry, and took part in many important battles of the Civil war. He was taken prisoner and spent six months in Andersonville prison.

After the war he engaged in farming and later worked for the New York Central railroad. He then was employed for six years in the mail service and in 1884 went to Florida where he engaged in the orange industry. He returned to Rochester in 1895 and after ten years as rural mail carrier in Gates retired to live with his son.

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**SCHOOL TEACHER
FOR MORE THAN
40 YEARS DIES**
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Anna Simpson, of Lincoln School 22,
at Work Yesterday, Succumbs
Dec. 8 Suddenl. 1919
News of the sudden death of Anna
J. Simpson, for more than forty years
a teacher in the Rochester public
schools, was received to-day with sor-
row by her many associates, former
pupils and scholars.
Miss Simpson, who lived at 1849 St.
Paul street, was at her work yester-
day as usual, but about midnight be-
came suddenly ill and died before
medical aid could be obtained. She
had appeared in good health on retir-
ing and it is believed that heart dis-
ease was the cause of death.
She was born in Rochester in St.
Paul street, a daughter of Thomas and
Elizabeth Simpson, and received her
education at School 8 and the old Free
academy. She taught in various schools
of the city and at the time of her
death was teaching at Lincoln school,
22, Joseph avenue and Avenue D.
She leaves two sisters, Nellie E.
Simpson and Mrs. George Nier, and
two brothers, Thomas and James
Simpson.

MARY HURLEY.

**Funeral of Early Rochesterian to Be
Held To-morrow Morning.**

The funeral of Mary Hurley, who
died Saturday at her home, 41 Aiber-
marle street, in her 94th year, will
take place to-morrow morning at 10
o'clock from St. Patrick's cathedral.
Mrs. Hurley was born in Peterbor-
ough, Canada, in 1826, a cousin of the
late Lord Russell, chief justice of Eng-
land. She married at the age of 16
and came at once to Rochester, cross-
ing from Port Hope on the Maple Leaf
to the Port of Genesee, which at that
early period was at the lower falls,
then called Hanford's Landing. She
settled in the region called McCracken-
park, at that time a pasture.
Thirteen children were born to these
new citizens, the first, Thomas Jeffer-
son, being the youngest boy in New
York state to enlist in the War of
the Rebellion. The others to reach
maturity were George L., now in Los
Angeles; Walter Scott, of the Yale
Publishing company; Mary C. Tracy
(deceased), and Franklin Hurley, on
the New York stage.
Mrs. Hurley helped and saw built
the Cathedral fifty years ago. For
twenty-five years she was president of
the Charitable Aid society. There are
six granddaughters, Adelo Tracy and
Mrs. Dunn, of Los Angeles; Lois and
Evelyn Tracy, of this city, and Mrs.
Frederick and Mrs. Joseph Tilney, of
New York, and two great-grandchild-
ren, Frederick and Joseph Tilney,
2d.
Mrs. Hurley saw the first horse car,
the first gas light and the first cobble
stone pavement. She witnessed the
passing of Abraham Lincoln through
Rochester, and she recalled when ice
cream was a new and unknown thing
that set agog Dolly Madison's Wash-
ington and caused anxiety on the part
of every Rochester woman to try.
She was interested in women's fash-
ions up to the day of her death,
though not in women's rights, being
of the old-fashioned type. She
would gossip with the girls about
their clothes and beaus, thus keeping
in touch with the young which kept
her own spirit young. Her interest in
life was in inverse ratio to her years,
and her sympathy was also flexible.

**DR. W. W. BELCHER,
NOTED DENTIST,
DIES AT HOME**
Times Union

Became Internationally
Known as Editor—Was
Founder of First Free
Dental Dispensary Here—
Stricken Ill Last Saturday.

400.4 - 1919
Stricken suddenly ill last Saturday
night, Dr. William Wellington Belcher
a dentist of international repute, died
at 10 o'clock this morning at the fam-
ily home, 186 Alexander street.

For nearly a year Dr. Belcher had
been in uncertain health, but his re-
covery was ultimately expected.
While seated at dinner Saturday, he
suffered a stroke of paralysis. Dr.
John Aikman, next door neighbor,
was summoned, and with Dr. John
Williams they gave prompt treatment.
Dr. Belcher lapsed into a comatose
condition from which he failed to
rally.

Dr. Belcher was born in New Mil-
ford, Pa., on August 27, 1866, the son
of John W. and Lois Belcher, an old
Pennsylvania family. After his acade-
mic studies he entered Philadelphia
Dental College and Garretson Hospi-
tal of Oral Surgery at Philadelphia,
graduating in 1889.

He began his dental practise at Sen-
eca Falls, where he was for six years,
and then practised a year at Auburn.
In 1896 he came to this city, associat-
ing himself with Dr. E. J. Line, and
afterward with Dr. Albert Miller.
Their offices were in the Ellwanger &
Barry building and Granite building.
Dr. Belcher opened an office for him-
self in the Ellwanger & Barry build-
ing, and later had offices on Clinton
avenue south.

More as an editorial writer than as
a practitioner, Dr. Belcher became
internationally known. He was editor
of "Oral Hygiene," the "International
Dental Journal," which is published
in many languages and circulated in
many countries, and the "Dental Dis-
pensary Record" of this city. He was
recognized as a leader in his profes-
sion, and was the founder of the first
free dental dispensary in this city
when he was chairman of the board
of directors of the Rochester Dental
Society. It was located on South
Washington street.

He was an ex-president of the Sey-
enth District Dental Society of New
York State and of the Rochester Den-
tal Society. He was a member of the
National Dental Association and of the
New York State Dental Society.

It is well within the bounds to state
that Dr. Belcher was a pioneer in the
work of free dental dispensaries,
founding the first one in this city and
carrying on a national campaign
through the three journals which he
edited to establish such institutions in
every city in the country. It was
largely through his efforts that indus-
trial dental dispensaries were installed
in many of the great manufacturing
plants of the country. Not only with
the pen did Dr. Belcher carry on his
propaganda but as lecturer, speaking
in many places as representative of
the N. Y. State Dental Society on oral
hygiene.

Because of his many activities and
his unflinching devotion to the work,
Dr. Belcher undermined his health, for
he was a robust man several years ago.
During the last year he steadily de-
clined.

Surviving him are his widow, Alice
E. Crossman Belcher; a son, Harold
W. Belcher of Detroit; a daughter-in-
law, Jane Wright Belcher; his father,
John W. Belcher of Bath; a brother,
Harry L. Belcher of Seneca Falls; two
sisters, Mrs. Grace W. Scott and Mrs.
Fred B. Hulbner, both of Toledo.

The funeral will take place Saturday
afternoon from the home and inter-
ment will be at Auburn.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

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ROSALIA MANDEL
707.28 - 1919
Death of Woman Resident of Roches-
ter for More Than Sixty Years.

Rosalia Israel, widow of Gustavus
Mandel, died at the family home,
235 Alexander street, on Wednesday
evening, aged 91 years.

Mrs. Mandel came to Rochester
with her husband in 1855. Mr. Man-
del, who was of the eighth genera-
tion of a line of physicians and drug-
gists, opened a pharmacy and built
the home in Alexander street soon
after his arrival. Mr. Mandel's first
place of business was in Front street,
but he soon moved to Clinton avenue
north, where he conducted a phar-
macy for more than forty years. He
died in 1908.

Mrs. Mandel was of a quiet, home-
loving disposition, but had a circle of
friends to whom there remains the
memory of a gentle, kindly character,
always lovable. She leaves surviv-
ing two sons, Henry C. Mandel of
Buffalo, and Dr. Gustavus C. Mandel,
of Rochester. The funeral will be held
from the home to-morrow afternoon
at 2.30 o'clock. Burial will be made
in the family lot at Mt. Hope.

**Prominent Dentists
To Act As Bearers
For Dr. W. W. Belcher**
Times Union



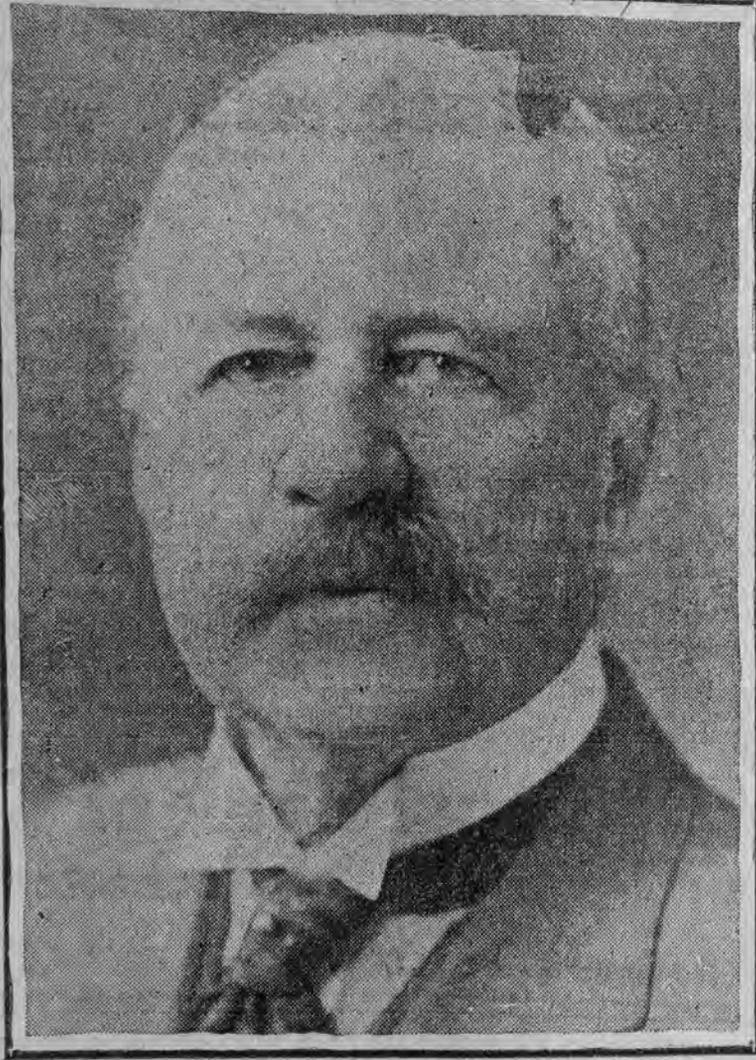
DR. WILLIAM W. BELCHER.

The funeral of Dr. William W.
Belcher, prominent dentist, who died
at his home, 186 Alexander street,
yesterday morning, will be held to-
morrow morning at the home and will
be private. The following men, all
dentists, will act as bearers at the fu-
neral: Active bearers, Dr. Byron W.
Palmer, Dr. Frederick W. Proseus,
Dr. B. S. Hert, Dr. Morgan L. Hulme,
Dr. C. L. Brininstool, Dr. Oakley W.
Norton; honorary bearers, Dr Edward
J. Line, Dr. E. G. Link, Dr. W. W.
Smith, Dr. Harvey J. Burkhart, Dr.
LeRoy Requa, Dr. William A. Win-
dell.

The Rev. Frank M. Weston, minis-
ter of Brighton Presbyterian Church,
who was a friend of Dr. Belcher's will
officiate. The body, which will be tak-
en to Auburn for burial, will be met
at the station by the Auburn Dental
Society. *Dec 5 - 1919*

JOHN H. HOPKINS, DEMOCRATIC MAYORLY CANDIDATE IN LATE CAMPAIGN, DIES OF HEART FAILURE

Herald Dec. 3, 1919



JOHN H. HOPKINS

John H. Hopkins, prominent in various charitable and other branches of the city's life for many years and Democratic candidate for Mayor at the election last autumn, died of heart failure at his home at 316 Oxford Street at 10.30 o'clock last night.

Mr. Hopkins left his law offices in the Powers Building at 5 o'clock, and was apparently in good health at the time. Later in the evening he was taken suddenly ill, and died soon after. His wife and only daughter, Miss Hester Hopkins, were at his bedside.

During the recent political campaign, Mr. Hopkins made three and four speeches nightly in various parts of the city, and his exertions during the inclement weather of late October may have contributed to his death. At the time of his death, he was president of the Children's Aid Society, and has given much of his time and talents to building up that organization to the position it now occupies.

Leaves Few Relatives.

Besides his wife and daughter, Mr. Hopkins is survived by a brother, Stephen Hopkins, an educator at Auburn Theological Seminary. Miss Hopkins was in France during the war as a Red Cross nurse, while Mr. Hopkins labored in various patriotic circles in Rochester, and gained a name as a fearless and patriotic American. His campaign for the Mayoralty was marked by a clean-cut regard to issues concerned, and was singularly free, at Mr. Hopkins' request, from personalities and vicious attack.

Besides his work with the Children's Aid Society, Mr. Hopkins is known to have done much charitable work in a quiet way and to have labored at all times for the good of his fellow Rochesterians. He was known as an able and conscientious lawyer, and his popularity with his fellow members of the Monroe County Bar Association was shown two years ago when he was elected president of that organization.

Mr. Hopkins was a member of the

University Club and attended Third Presbyterian Church.

John Hampden Hopkins was born at Auburn on June 20, 1852, a son of Rev. Dr. Samuel H. and Mary J. Hopkins. His father was for more than fifty years professor of church history in Auburn Theological Seminary, and his grandfather, Samuel M. Hopkins, was a distinguished lawyer in Albany and edited a volume of reports of the Court of Chancery of New York State that still bears his name.

Came Here in 1877.

Mr. Hopkins passed his boyhood in Auburn, attending the common schools there and fitting himself for Hamilton College, from which he was graduated in 1872. He then entered the Albany Law School, graduating in 1875. The same year he was admitted to the bar. After practicing his profession in Albany until 1877, he came to Rochester, where he had lived since.

A lifelong Democrat and earnestly interested in clean politics, Mr. Hopkins yet never sought office, and it was always under the urgent pressure of associates, who recognized his fitness for public position that he ever entered a political contest. In 1855 he was selected by the Democratic County Committee as the candidate for Surrogate, and in 1899 was the choice of his party as the candidate for president of the Common Council.

Early in his career Mr. Hopkins acquired considerable holdings of real estate in Rochester and was known to be well-to-do, outside of his law practice, which was extensive and which he conducted for years at 342 Powers Building, later removing it to 714 Powers Building, where he maintained it at the time of his death.

Prominent in Philanthropies.

On November 10, 1887, Mr. Hopkins married Martha P. Porter, daughter of Samuel D. Porter of Rochester, one of the leaders of the anti-slavery movement in this section. Mr. Hopkins was a member of the New York and Rochester Bar Associations and was at one time president of the Genesee Whist Club and the Children's Aid Society. He attended Third Presbyterian Church and was prominent in philanthropic and charitable work.

Herald, Editorial
Dec. 2, John H. Hopkins, 1910

At this crisis in the affairs of our country and the world, the city of Rochester can ill spare so useful a citizen as John H. Hopkins. The sudden death of Mr. Hopkins on Tuesday evening was a shock to his acquaintances, and will be not less so to those who knew him merely by reputation, admiring him for his sound principles.

During the World War Mr. Hopkins was aligned with the patriotic influence which had for its object the creation and the maintenance of a sound Americanism. How objectionable his course was to the class that puts allegiance to a foreign power above obligations to the government under which it lives and thrives was made plain by the insolent use to which one of his patriotic appeals was put during the recent Mayoralty campaign. The vote of trust which Mr. Hopkins received on that occasion was a rebuke to the seditious influence that propagated it, and to those who profited by it through inaction that brought upon them the contempt of all simple pure Americans.

George Long of Rochester, Famed as Inasmuch Mission Founder, Died on Sunday in Philadelphia

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George Long, a native of Rochester, superintendent and founder of the Inasmuch Mission at 1011 Locust Street, Philadelphia, and known from coast to coast as an evangelist and mission worker, died on Sunday evening at the Philadelphia mission. Death was due to heart failure, brought on by an attack of acute indigestion. His wife, Mrs. Edna Long, and his brother, William A. Long, were with him when he died. His death came as a great shock to his many friends.

Following a service at James Evans Memorial Presbyterian Church in Philadelphia, Broad Street and Moyamensing Avenue, he preached two sermons at the mission after his campaign in Evans Church. He was then ordered to his bed by his physician. On Saturday Mr. Long's condition was pronounced much improved. Saturday night he suffered a relapse and death came Sunday evening.

For his work in behalf of those temporarily "down and out," George Long was known from coast to coast. In the eight years during which he labored for the welfare of the unfortunate at the Inasmuch Mission thousands have been fed and sheltered under its roof. None had fallen so low down in the scale of respectability that they were not received by Mr. Long at the mission.

Born in Rochester.

George Long was born in Rochester in 1877. He left here early in life to

see the world but after years of discouragement and hard knocks he found himself eventually in the Jerry McAuley Mission in New York where he became interested in the work and was soon a recognized leader in the mission field.

In speaking of Mr. Long's work in the mission field the Philadelphia Record of Monday says:

If for no other reason than the regeneration George Long brought about in his own life he would have been a notable character. Coming here in the spring of 1908, after having spent fifteen years of life in idle, dissolute living. Mr. Long was converted at the Gallie Mission, Darien and Vine Streets, at a service conducted there by Rev. J. J. D. Hall, superintendent.

After remaining at the Gallie Mission for a few weeks, Mr. Long went to the Jerry McAuley Mission in New York City and began his missionary work.

In 1911 he came to this city and interested several influential and wealthy citizens in his efforts to open a place where the men who had drunk deeply of the dregs of dissipation might be made over into useful citizens.

An old house at No. 1011 Locust Street was turned over for this purpose. In the next three years Mr. Long had met with such success in his undertaking that the activities of the mission called for a much larger place.

In 1914 Mrs. George Woodward, wife of Senator George Woodward, built the present modern structure at No. 1011 Locust Street, at the cost of \$250,000. This immediately placed the Inasmuch Mission in the front rank of institutions of its kind in the country.

In the last few years Mr. Long had developed into an evangelist of no mean ability. During the summer months he conducted tent services in Kensington and West Philadelphia. During the winter months he had conducted numerous revival services at churches throughout the city.

Mr. Long is survived by his widow, Mrs. Edna Long, who was a New York City mission worker when he married her in 1909; his brother, William A. Long, and three sisters, two of whom live in Rochester and one in Milwaukee. He was 42 years old. No funeral arrangements have been made as yet.

W. N. CLARK BURIED TODAY

Times Union
Was Well-Known Business
Man in This City—Died
Saturday in Stamford,
Conn. *Dec. 16-1919*

Funeral services for William Nye Clark, 85, who died Saturday in Stamford, Conn., were held this afternoon from his late home, 125 Strong street. The Rev. L. H. Denny, pastor of Unitarian Church, officiated. Interment was in Mt. Hope Cemetery. The bearers were Lawrence Meulendyke, August Helmbold, John Hanselman, George Whitmarsh, Leo Bourcy and Arthur Metzger.

Mr. Clark was for many years identified with the business interests of this city. He founded the W. N. Clark Canning Company and was at the head of this concern until he retired a few years ago.

Mr. Clark had been blind and was incapacitated by an injury to his hip which he suffered in a fall about a year ago. Death was due to acute pneumonia. Mr. Clark was under treatment in a sanitarium at Stamford at the time of his death. He was born in Sandwich, Mass., January 1, 1834. He began his business career with the Southworth Company, a large grocery concern in Cleveland. About 1876 he came to Rochester and for some time after that conducted a grocery business in Main street west. Later, in co-operation with his wife, he established a small canning factory in Hollenbeck street, near the site of the present Clark factory. This venture developed into a business of considerable importance.

Until his infirmities forced him to retire he spent a great deal of time traveling in the interests of his concern. Since his retirement the business has been conducted under the direction of his daughter, Mabel A. Clark and Lawrence Meulendyke.

Mr. Clark leaves a son, Frank E. Clark, of Gowanda, and two daughters, Mrs. Nelson E. Spencer and Mabel A. Clark of this city.

Daily Death Roll *Times Union* E. Darwin Smith, Stenographer For Grand Jury, Dead *Dec. 16-1919*

E. Darwin Smith, for 30 years Monroe County Grand Jury stenographer, died at his home, 2 Amherst street, last night. Mr. Smith, who was well known in political and legal circles in Rochester, was born in this city 67 years ago, and was the son of D. Darwin Smith, a justice of the United States Circuit Court. For the past few years his health had been poor and he had been unable to attend the Grand Jury sessions since last June. He was active in many civic matters and a member of several social betterment movements.

Mr. Smith leaves his wife, two sons and two daughters: E. Darwin Smith, Jr., Howard Ogden Smith, Winifred Smith and Mrs. Carlton F. Bown. He was a lifelong member of St. Luke's Episcopal Church; also a thirty-second degree, Scottish Rite Mason.

Cyrus R. Bennett.

Cyrus R. Bennett died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. H. R. Day, Sunnyside farm, Conesus lake, aged 89 years. He leaves his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Day. Mr. Bennett was for more than fifty years an engineer on the Erie railroad and was the last living charter member of the Railroad branch of the Y. M. C. A. He was for many years a trustee of Cornhill Methodist church. He was a veteran of the Civil war, a member of Powers post, G. A. R., and a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. The body will be brought to this city and the funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from 182 East avenue. Interment will be in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Post, Dec. 8-1919

Post FLORENCE A. HEAL Graduate from Homeopathic Hospital Dies After Brief Illness. *Dec. 19*

Florence A. Heal, a graduate nurse from Homeopathic hospital and sister of Jessica S. Heal, superintendent of nurses at that institution, died this morning at her home, 507 Plymouth avenue south, after an illness of only a week. She was prominently known in the nursing fraternity and her death comes as a shock to her many friends in this city and the vicinity.

She leaves three brothers, M. Joshua, Thomas G. and Frederic C. Heal, and four sisters, Jessica S., Emily J. and Mima A. Heal and Mrs. James J. Withall.

The funeral will be held from St. Andrew's Episcopal church, Averill avenue and Asiland street, Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock.

AUGUST KIMMEL TAKEN BY DEATH

D. & C.
Well Known in Business
and Fraternal Circles.

Dec. 7 — 1919
WAS SCHOOL COMMISSIONER

Represented Fourteenth Ward on
Old Board Eight Years—Coal
Dealer and Contractor; Prominent
in Masonic Order and Odd Fellows

In the death of August Kimmel last evening Rochester lost one of its oldest coal dealers, Masons and Odd Fellows. He died at 6 o'clock last evening at his home, No. 155 Portland avenue, after an illness of three months, at the age of 75 years. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Kimmel was born in Darmstadt, Germany, on November 2, 1844, and came to America with his parents when he was 6 years old. About the time of the Civil war, Mr. Kimmel moved to Rochester from Buffalo and entered the employ of the Beobachter, a German printing office, which later was absorbed by the Abendpost. He remained with that concern only a short time and received an appointment in the custom house at Charlotte. He remained there twelve years. He lived in the old Fourteenth ward at that time and the voters appreciative of the interest that he took in educational projects, put him up for school commissioner. To this position he was elected and he held it for eight years.

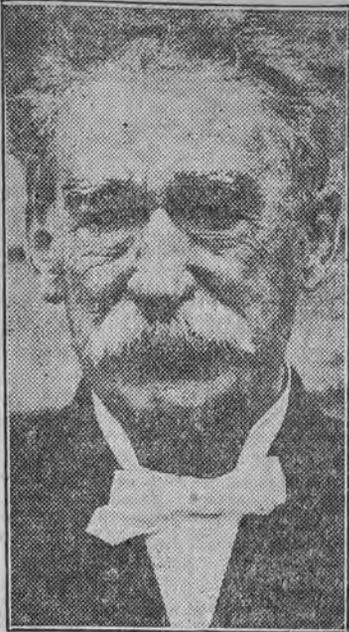
Long Fraternal Man.

In 1871 Mr. Kimmel entered the grocery and coal business with his father, John Kimmel. A number of the leading citizens of Rochester were his customers. Mr. Kimmel later also became a general contractor. He continued in the coal and contracting business up to the time of his death.

Mr. Kimmel had been an Odd Fellow for more than fifty years. He was a charter member of Koerner Lodge, and held membership in the Rochester Rebecca Lodge. He was one of the oldest members of Germania Lodge, F. and A. M. Other fraternal ties with which he was affiliated are Saxonia Lodge, Ancient Order of the Harugari and the Uniformed Patriarchs. He was a member of Salem Evangelical Church.

Four years ago Mr. and Mrs. Kimmel celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. On November 2d last Mr. Kimmel was tendered a party in honor of his seventy-fifth birthday.

Mr. Kimmel leaves, besides his wife, Mrs. Eliza Metzger Kimmel; a daughter, Mrs. George Spindler, of this city; seven sons, Joseph Kimmel, of Warsaw; Henry, August, Frank, William, Arthur and Edward Kimmel, of Rochester, and fourteen grandchildren.



AUGUST KIMMEL.

Sudden Death Of Maurice J. Murphy Was Great Shock

Dec. 17
Times Union
It was a distinct shock to many Rochesterians yesterday afternoon to read of the sudden death of Maurice J. Murphy of 404 Parsells avenue, who was assistant yard superintendent at the New York Central Railroad yards. He was the son of Daniel B. and Mary Murphy of 541 University avenue.

Mr. Murphy was well known among the younger social set of Rochester and had been in student life active in athletics. He was quarterback on the old East High football eleven and played on the baseball team. He was graduated from Corpus Christi parochial school in 1897 and from Bradstreet's Preparatory School in 1901. Afterward he was at East High School.

Completing his school life, he went into the Burke, FitzSimons, Hone & Company drygoods corporation of which his father was first vice-president, and became a director and advertising writer. He remained with the company for nine years and then went to Cleveland. About five years ago he returned to this city and took up railroad work as his field of activity.

In 1914, Mr. Murphy was married to Mary Slattery, who survives him, together with an infant daughter, Mary C. He was a lifelong member of Corpus Christi Church. His love of outdoor sports and athletics and his genial nature made him a host of friends.

Besides his widow and child and his parents, he is survived by one brother, Vincent Murphy, and four sisters, Mrs. John Finucane, Mrs. James Atkinson and the Misses Grace and Margaret Murphy. Arrangements have not been made for the funeral.

1919 Daily Death Roll *Times Union* Helen Margaret Conway.

Helen Margaret, youngest daughter of Margaret and the late Edward J. Conway, died Monday evening at her home, 371 Augustine street. She leaves her mother, one brother, John E. Conway, and three sisters, Martha J., Sadie D. and Mrs. Michael Heberger.

Miss Conway was well known and highly esteemed among the younger teachers of the public schools of this city. She received her early education in the Cathedral School from which she graduated in June, 1902, receiving the W. B. Duffy gold medal for excellency. Having decided on a teaching career, she entered Nazareth Academy, from which she graduated in June, 1906, valedictorian of her class.

She then entered Rochester Training School and graduated with high honors. She was appointed to a position in School 36, which she held until forced to apply for leave of absence two years ago, owing to ill health.

She was a member of Rochester Teachers' Association, the Friday Night Club, Nazareth Alumni Association, and Branch 1182, L. C. B. A., of the Church of the Sacred Heart.

The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home and at 9 o'clock from the Church of the Sacred Heart.

HENRY H. DUTCHER Funeral to Take Place To-morrow Afternoon from Home.

The funeral of Henry H. Dutcher, Civil war veteran, who died suddenly Wednesday at his home, 144 Birr street, will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and will be private. Interment will be made in Riverside cemetery.

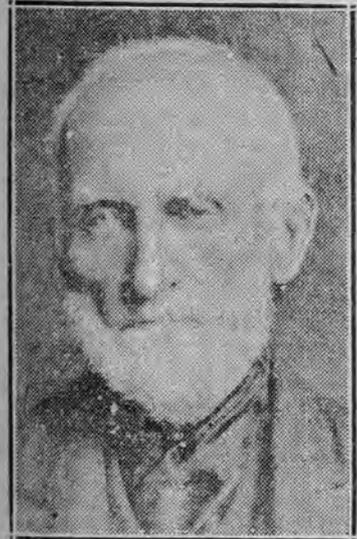
Mr. Dutcher was born in Avon April 23, 1838. He married Mary A. Darrow, of Rochester, July 4, 1860. For the past twenty-five years he had lived in Rochester and until ten years ago, when he retired, was a stationary engineer. He was a veteran of the Civil war, having been a private in the 104th Regiment of Infantry. He participated in all the battles of that regiment until he was wounded in the battle of Bristle Station in Virginia. He was a member of Myron Adams post, G. A. R.

Mr. Dutcher leaves, besides his wife, four sons, Fred L. Dutcher, president of the Humane society; Charles A. and Arthur G. Dutcher, attorneys of this city, and William H. Dutcher of Auburn; also one sister, Mrs. Emily Decker, of Alexandria, Neb.; four daughters, Mary A. Dutcher, Mrs. John M. Colson, of Geneseo, Mrs. William J. Boylark and Mrs. M. Lawrence Welsh, of Rochester.

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**Capt. Wm. H. Newcomb,
Long Resident Of 1919
Times Charlotte, Is Dead
Union**

Captain William H. Newcomb died Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hattie E. Kintz, Denise road. On the first day of this month Captain Newcomb celebrated his 84th birthday. He had the use of all his faculties and was a keen reader of the news of the day. He was an authority on local events of the past. He was in his usual health until Sunday night, when he complained of not feeling well.

Captain Newcomb was born on what is known as the Greenleaf farm, the



CAPT. WM. H. NEWCOMB.

son of Henry and Philocha Newcomb. His entire life was spent in Charlotte. It did not take him long to count the houses that composed the hamlet "at the mouth of the river" when he was a boy. All of the railroads, the blast furnace, the churches, the school buildings, the light houses on the piers, the piers themselves, the stores and the Stutson street bridge have been built during his lifetime. As Charlotte was not incorporated until 1869, the roads furnished the best paths for the pedestrians during the first 35 years of his life. No steam-heated school house awaited him in his boyhood, no fountain of water from which to quench his thirst, but the box stove which made the room fairly comfortable about the middle of the day and the tin cup which was passed from pupil to pupil were provided for the children of his day.

At the age of 10 he commenced to sail and he followed this occupation until he was 50 years old. Among the schooners he commanded were the Petrel, Gray Eagle, Otonaoc, Duncan City and the E. K. Hart. Captain Newcomb was an able seaman. During those years the ports on Lake Ontario were busy places and thousands of feet of lumber, bushels of grain, railroad ties, hop poles and other freight were the imports at the Port of Genesee every week.

In his early manhood he was married to Miss Nancy Olmsted of Greece, who died a few years afterwards. In 1861 he married Mrs. Lizzie Short of Charlotte. She died in 1916. Since

then he has made his home with his daughter. For more than 40 years he lived at 4125 Lake avenue.

Captain Newcomb held several public offices. He served on the Charlott board of trustees in 1881 and 8 and continuously from 1895 to 1901.

Besides his daughter he leaves four grandchildren, William Newcomb, S. Ivan, M. Ph. J. cha and Mahlon Kintz, one great-grandchild, a sister, Mrs. M. J. Norton, all of this city, and a brother, George Newcomb of Greece.

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**DEATH OF SISTER M. AUSTIN; OVER
THIRTY YEARS DIRECTOR OF VOCAL
MUSIC IN THE PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS**
Herald

Sister M. Austin Glynn of the Sisters of St. Joseph, died at St. Mary's Asylum in Main Street West on Sunday morning at 3.30 o'clock, surrounded by the Sisters of the institution and fortified by the rites of the church.

With the passing of Sister Austin there closes a life which more than that of any other member of her Order had to do with the shaping of the musical education of the children of the city parochial schools in charge of the Sisters of St. Joseph. For more than thirty years the deceased held the position of supervisor of vocal music in these schools, and under her direction they attained a standard they have not since surpassed. For the last ten years she has been in charge of the boys' sanctuary choir of the Immaculate Conception School, while her spare time was devoted to the training of the orphan boys' choir and orchestra.

Army Sergeant's Daughter.

Sister Austin was born in Brooklyn. She was the daughter of Sergeant Michael Glynn, U. S. A., for many

years stationed at Bayside, L. I. She received the habit of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Nazareth on May 17, 1879, at the early age of 18 years. Notwithstanding her youth she had already won distinction as a student in St. Joseph's Academy, Flushing, L. I., particularly excelling in musical expression.

After her entrance into religion, Sister Austin profited so well by the instruction of able professors that as a teacher of vocal and instrumental music she had few equals. A woman of remarkable force of character and attractive personality, she dedicated her fine musical talent to the service of God for more than forty years, using her splendid gifts to draw the souls of the young to a love of higher things.

The deceased Sister is survived by her mother, Mrs. Cecelia Glynn; one sister, Miss Sabina Glynn, and four brothers, John, Edward, Hugh and Alphonsus Glynn, all of New York City. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's Boys' Asylum on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Burial will be made in Holy Sepulcher Cemetery.

**E. DARWIN SMITH, 1919
30 YEARS GRAND JURY
STENOGRAPHER, DIES
Post—Dec. 16
Passes Away at His Home in Amherst
Street—Had Been in Failing
Health Several Months.**

E. Darwin Smith, for more than thirty years grand jury stenographer, attached to the office of the district attorney, died at his home, 2 Amherst street, last night. He had been in failing health for some months. Besides his wife, Harriet A. Blewfield, whom he married in 1877, he leaves two sons, E. Darwin Smith, jr., Howard Ogden Smith, and two daughters, Winifred Smith and Mrs. Carlton F. Bown, and one grandson, Carlton F. Bown, jr.

Mr. Smith was born in Rochester, April 30, 1852, a son of E. Darwin Smith, many years a Supreme court judge, and had always lived in this city. He was at one time stenographer in the city attorney's office, but about thirty years ago became grand jury stenographer and had served as such in the old Court house, in the Powers building and in the present Court house. He was ranked as particularly competent.

Mr. Smith was a 32d degree Scottish Rite Mason, and was a member of St. Luke's Episcopal church.



**E. DARWIN SMITH.
Grand Jury Stenographer, Who Died
at His Home Last Night.**

Frederick Odenbach Dies At His Hotel

At Manitou Beach

James Wilson
Frederick Odenbach, sr., 40 Gorsline street, died suddenly yesterday afternoon in the Manitou Beach Hotel. In company with his son, Mathew P. Odenbach, he was at work near

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FREDERICK ODENBACH, SR.

The hotel when stricken with a heart seizure, dying before medical aid could reach him. He leaves his widow, Stella J.; four sons, Frederick J., Mathew P., Charles P. and John P. Odenbach; one sister, Mrs. John Shay, all of Rochester, and five grandchildren. The funeral will be held at 7:30 o'clock Friday morning from the late home and at 10 o'clock from the Church of the Sacred Heart of which parish he was a member.

Frederick Odenbach was born in the town of Gates on August 14, 1852. He first worked as a molder at the Co-operative Foundry and 38 years ago opened a restaurant at Jay and Childs streets, the commencement of a period of almost two score years devoted to the restaurant business.

In 1889 he erected the Elmheart Hotel at Manitou Beach, and when that property became involved in litigation resulting in its loss by Mr. Odenbach he opened a restaurant on State street. In 1901 he took over the management of the Manitou Hotel which he purchased, and also purchased a steamer to carry passengers between Charlotte and Manitou Beach.

In 1909 Mr. Odenbach and his oldest son, Frederick J. Odenbach, jr., organized the Odenbach Company and established the Odenbach restaurant on South avenue. In 1913 the Hayward Hotel was opened on Clinton avenue south and about a year ago the Coffee Shoppe was opened by the company.

Mr. Odenbach was one of the organizers of the Moerbach Brewing Company and succeeded Henry Kondolf as its president. In his early life

Mr. Odenbach was active in Democratic politics, and ran for sheriff and member of Assembly. He had taken no active part in politics in later years, however.

Mr. Odenbach's big event each year was the pioneers' picnic that has been held at Manitou Beach for the last score years. He always worked untiringly to make this event a success.

Death of Mrs. Mary Hurley, One of Rochester's Oldest Residents, *Herald* Recalls City's Early History

Dec. 9-1919

In the death of Mrs. Mary Hurley, on Saturday, December 6, 1919, Rochester loses one of its oldest residents. Born in Peterborough, Canada, in 1826, she was married at the age of 16 and crossed Lake Ontario in the steamer Mapleleaf, which in those days came up the Genesee to Hanford's Landing, now forgotten, at a point directly opposite the present Kodak Works. One of her wedding presents, a Durham cow, came along too, and was grazed on land now known as "Maplewood" Park. It is of interest at this day to relate that the milk from this cow, over and above that not used by the family, was sold to neighbors for 4 cents a quart.

Mrs. Hurley remembered the building of the "suspension bridge" and its subsequent fall during an April snow storm, the structure being about 1,000 feet north of the present Driving Park Avenue bridge. All that part of Rochester was then known as MacCrackensville, and its chief industry was the paper mills, at Lower Falls. Mrs. Hurley saw the erection of the present Cathedral and was a worshipper there for half a century. She organized the

Air Society of that parish and was its president for 25 years.

Mrs. Hurley was widely known for her charitable nature, and her charity not only began at home but extended as far as she could reach. It was one of her chief concerns to minister to the unfortunate at the holiday season. She frequently remarked that she could not enjoy her own bountifully supplied plate unless she had done something to give the needy ones equal cause or thankfulness. This work was always performed in an unobtrusive way that left even her intimate friends ignorant of the true extent of her ministrations. She remembered when Abraham Lincoln came to Rochester and saw him at the old railroad station near State Street. She was a very industrious woman and realized Roosevelt's ideal inasmuch as she came of a family of twelve and had thirteen children of her own. Of these only five, however, reached maturity, the eldest being the late Thomas Jefferson Hurley. George L., Walter Scott, Mary G. Tracy and Franklyn Hurley were the others. There were six granddaughters, Mary Adele, Evelyn, Lois Tracy, Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Frederick and Mrs. Joseph Tilney of New York, and two great-grandsons, Joseph and Frederick Tilney, 2d. Mrs. Hurley was a cousin of late Lord Russell, Chief Justice of England. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from Cathedral.

HENRY H. DUTCHER, *Dec 20* CIVIL WAR VETERAN *1919* IS MUSTERED OUT

Herald

Henry H. Dutcher, a well known resident of Rochester and a veteran of the Civil War, died suddenly at his home at 144 Birr Street, yesterday afternoon, aged 81 years. He was born in Avon, N. Y., April 23, 1838, and has lived most of his life in this vicinity. For the past 25 years he has been a resident of Rochester, being engaged at his trade as a stationary engineer until his retirement from active life at the age of 70, in 1908. He served during the Civil War as a member of the 140th Infantry and was wounded at Bristol Station, Vt. He was in his usual good health yesterday morning and after luncheon retired to his room for a nap. Two hours later his family found him lifeless. Death was due to a sudden attack of heart disease.

On July 4, 1860, Mr. Dutcher married Miss Mary A. Darrow of Rochester, who survives him. Besides his wife he leaves three daughters, Mrs. A. M. Colson of Genesee and Mrs. W. J. Boylark and Mrs. M. Lawrence Welsh of Rochester, also four sons, Charles A., Fred L. and Arthur G. Dutcher of the law firm of Dutcher Brothers, Powers Block, Rochester, and William H. Dutcher of Auburn, N. Y., and one sister, Mrs. Emily Decker of Alexandria, Neb. Mr. Dutcher was a member of Myron Adams Post, G. A. R. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Post PHILIP RILEY, *Feb. 5-1919*
Father and Business Associate of Park
Commissioner Dies.

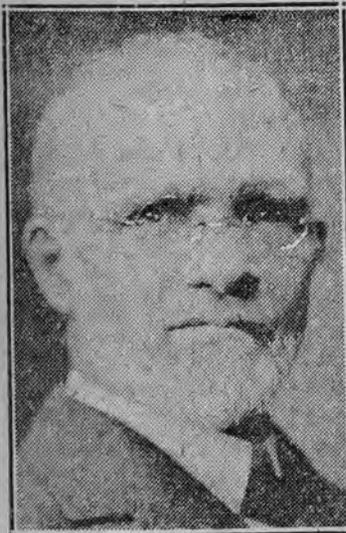
Philip Riley, father of William S. Riley, commissioner of parks, died suddenly yesterday in General hospital, aged 83 years. He was born in Spring street, New York city, June 13, 1835, and at the early age came to Rochester making the trip by the Erie canal, which took two weeks. He worked for the New York Central railroad for thirty-eight years and for the last twenty-seven years had been associated in business with his son, William S. Riley.

Mr. Riley was a member of the Rochester Fire department from 1853 to 1874 and had since belonged to the Exempt association. He was a member of Central church and of Class 42. The second of last October he and his wife, Abigail A. Riley, who has just passed her eighty-third birthday, celebrated their sixty-second wedding anniversary. Besides his wife and son, Mr. Riley leaves four grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren. The funeral will be held from the home of his son, 900 Culver road, to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

DEAN OF COAL DEALERS DIES FROM INJURIES

Time Union
John A. Van Ingen Succumbs at Homeopathic Hospital—Was Prominent for Years in Local Business and Church Circles.

John A. Van Ingen, known to Rochester business men as the "Dean of Coal Merchants," died last night at the Homeopathic Hospital in his 68th year. Mr. Van Ingen was injured in



JOHN A. VAN INGEN.

a motor accident on November 15th last and in spite of a gallant fight to regain his health the injuries he received brought about his death.

Few Rochester men had been so closely associated with the business growth and the commercial life of this city during the past 40 years, and few men have been as widely respected by business associates as Mr. Van Ingen. He was born in Rochester in a house that stood near the site of old St. Paul's Episcopal Church on St. Paul street. His father, the Rev. J. V. Van Ingen, was rector of St. Paul's and at the outbreak of the Civil War offered his services to the government as an army chaplain. His offer was accepted and for nearly three years he accompanied the federal troops on their campaigns, taking his 10-year-old son John with him. Few military observers or soldiers had a better opportunity to see the War of the Rebellion than John A. Van Ingen and the experience colored his entire life.

Returned to Rochester he attended the schools of this city and when he reached maturity he engaged in the coal business at the old Field and Benjamin trestles on the west side of town. As he grew older he entered business for himself and was for a time a partner of C. A. Phillips, building the foundations of the business that now bears the Van Ingen name. He was active in civic and commercial betterment work and was an ardent worker in the Chamber of Commerce.

He was a faithful churchman and was a vestryman in two Episcopal parishes before he joined Christ Church during his middle life. Shortly after 1880 Mr. Van Ingen was married to Mary C. Walker of Rochester, whose death took place in 1918.

Mr. Van Ingen was of the more active type of man; he was devoted to out-of-door exercise and was a horse lover. Many Rochesterians remember his fur-clad figure in a cutter driving a spanking team through the city streets in the coldest winter weather, and he was reputed to be an excellent judge of horses. With the advent of automobiles he became a motorist and in spite of his advancing years would not surrender his place at the wheel to a more youthful driver.

Surviving the deceased is a brother, James W. Van Ingen of Rahway, N. J., and a sister, Mrs. Albert Wood of this city.

The funeral services will be held at Christ Episcopal Church at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon and interment will be made at Mt. Hope Cemetery.

His professional work was confined to the counseling of his clients and office service in the conduct of their affairs. He did not engage in court contests. He was of the quiet order. He loved books, and not law books alone, and became a scholar of attainment and an authority on the history of events. His life and mind were enriched by extensive travels during which, in companionship with Mrs. Holmes, he visited all quarters of the earth. His wife was Mary Jane Hawes. At home his days were religiously devoted to his office, where his neighbors found him. From his early days to the end he was the devoted promoter of good education. For sixty-four years he served actively but modestly in the labor of building up and maintaining in turn the Brockport Collegiate Institute, and its successor, the Normal School at that village.

Mr. Holmes was not attracted to service in public office, but did not refuse to serve as justice of the peace and village clerk to which years ago he was called.

By the loss of his wife eleven years since he was left to end his days alone, for he leaves no descendants. But he does leave us the record of an unblemished career in a long life of loyal service and devotion to his fellows in good works. And all this, he did with unfeeling sympathy and good cheer. In his practice he brought honor to his profession. He was delighted to aid in solving the law students' problems. His juniors in his town for three generations became indebted to him on that score. His ample library was always free to all his townsmen. If he himself enjoyed the best the world could offer him, he gave back the best a man could give.

Personally, he must have been unknown to many of the younger men of this body, but in his death our county bar acknowledges its debt to this faithful member. Those who were privileged to know the man will cherish the memory of Daniel Holmes.

Former Supreme Court Justice George A. Benton, who acted as chairman of the meeting, was formerly associated with Mr. Dickinson in the practice of law and paid a tribute to his former partner. He said he wished to bear witness to the truth and aptness of the written expression of the Memorial Committee.

The Dickinson memorial was prepared by a committee consisting of Richard E. White, George E. Warner, James M. E. O'Grady, Philetus Chamberlain and William T. Plumb, and the Holmes memorial by a committee consisting of George P. Decker, Fletcher C. Peck, George B. Thomas, Willis A. Matson and George D. Burns.

BAR ASSOCIATION ACTS ON DEATHS

D. & C.
Tribute to Daniel Holmes and P. P. Dickinson.

OLDEST PRACTITIONER GOES

Feb. 25 - 1919
Mr. Holmes Admitted to Bar in 1853 and Had Passed Ninetieth Birthday When He Died — Professional Work Confined to Office Service

At a special meeting of the Rochester Bar Association held yesterday noon in the Court House memorials to Daniel T. Holmes and Pomeroy P. Dickinson were read and accepted. The memorial to Mr. Holmes follows:

Daniel Holmes died at Brockport on the 11th day of February, 1919. Mr. Holmes was admitted to the bar in this district in the year 1853. At the time of his death he was, in length of service, the oldest practitioner of our county. In age he was the junior only of our brother Quincey Van Voorhis. His life spanned the greatest changes the world has known.

He was born on September 11th, 1828, in the town of West Bloomfield. His boyhood was spent in the little colony of New Englanders formed at Allen's Hill, an Ontario county community famous for its culture from early days. At his death he had reached the unusual age of 90 years and 5 months. His father was a pioneer of the Genesee country, his mother a descendant of Massachusetts pioneers. Few young men of his day had the educational advantages which came to him. He was graduated from Yale in 1848, and then fitted himself for the bar. After a short term devoted to teaching at Canandaigua and elsewhere he chose Brockport for his home, where he opened his law office in 1854, and ever since resided. He continued his practice until failing health interfered but a few years ago.

Daily Death Roll.
D. & C. - Jan. 13 '19
T. T. Davis, Civil War Veteran, Dies At Daughter's Home

T. T. Davis died yesterday at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Willis K. Gillette, 84 Adams street, aged 93 years.

He was a veteran of the Civil War. He enlisted in a Michigan regiment and served throughout the war. He was a prisoner for 18 months in Andersonville and Libby prisons and when released was terribly emaciated. He was born in Elba, Genesee County, and lived most of his life in LeRoy. His father was a pioneer of that country in the first decade of the last century. Mr. Davis was born on the farm February 25, 1826. He was in possession of his faculties until his death.

Surviving are his widow, Lydia Davis; two daughters, Mrs. W. K. Gillette and Mrs. Elmer Van Gelder, of this city, and one son, Clarence S. Davis of LeRoy.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
Post
MRS. GEORGE E. M. WAREHEIM.
Jan. 6 — 1919
Mother of Business Secretary Y. M.
C. A., Dies in Baltimore.

Mrs. George E. M. Wareheim, 60 years old, mother of Harry P. Wareheim, business secretary of the Rochester Young Men's Christian association, died in Baltimore Saturday. Besides the Rochester man her nearest relatives are her husband and two daughters. The burial took place in Woodlawn cemetery, Baltimore, today.

Mrs. Wareheim was stricken last November when her son was managing Baltimore's campaign for the United War Work fund. Secretary Wareheim was enabled to be at his mother's bedside during a part of her illness.

HERBERT TWIST.

Spanish War Veteran's Funeral Will Be Held from Sister's Home.

Herbert Twist, Spanish war veteran, expert indoor baseball and pool and billiard player, died Friday at his home in Akron, O. The body has been brought here and taken to the home of his sister, 828 South Goodman street, where the funeral will be held.

After service in the Spanish war, Twist returned to Rochester. He was a member of the Old Guard and at one time belonged to the Naval division. He moved to Akron about two years ago.

FUNERAL OF MRS. COLEMAN
D. & C., Jan. 29-1919
Daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. McGhee, Will Be Buried To-day.

A brief funeral service was held yesterday afternoon at the home, No. 87 South Pine avenue, Albany, where Mrs. Sidney H. Coleman died on Monday. Mrs. Coleman formerly was Miss Marion L. McGhee and was the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. B. McGhee, of Rochester. Her death resulted from pneumonia following influenza. Rev. Leigh Diefendorf, of Calvary Methodist Church, officiated at the service.

Mrs. Coleman was a graduate of Syracuse University College of Fine Arts, in the class of 1909, and of the Boston Conservatory of Music. She taught music in Tilton Seminary, N. H., and in Chelsea, Mass. She was a leader in musical circles and active in the social life of Albany. She was an active member of Calvary Methodist Church, that city? She was a member of the Pine Hills Fornoightly Club and of the Monday Musical Club.

Mrs. Coleman leaves her husband; two children, Ruth, aged 4 years, and James Robert Coleman, about 1 year old; her parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. B. McGhee, of Rochester; three brothers, Lieutenant James E. McGhee, who is in France; Private Donald S. McGhee, of Fort Sheridan, Ill.; and Paul A. McGhee, recently discharged from the Student Army Training Corps at the University of Rochester; two sisters, Miss A. Straith McGhee, of Rochester, and Mrs. Floyd E. Allen, of Buffalo.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at Memorial Presbyterian Church, in Bellona, where the burial will take place. Mr. McGhee formerly was minister of that church.

Death Removes Two Members of Old Rochester Family within One Week;
Bits of City's History Recalled

Times-Union Jan. 15-1919

For the second time within one week the hand of death has been laid on the Rochester family, descendants of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester. Announcement was made yesterday that Mrs. Louisa Agatha Bamman Rochester, widow of Roswell Hart Rochester, had died yesterday in Washington, D. C., where she had been living for some years with her daughter, Miss Anna Rochester, who is connected with one of the United States Government departments.

Mrs. Rochester formerly was Miss Louisa Agatha Bamman of New York City, where she was married to Roswell Hart Rochester soon after he went to live in the metropolis. Mr. Rochester was one of the founders of the Western Union Telegraph Company, when that concern was started in the old Reynolds Arcade. At that time he was assistant treasurer of the company. He removed to New York City when the headquarters were taken there, and at the time of his death was treasurer of the company. He

died twenty years ago at his home in Englewood, N. J. Some time after his death, Mrs. Rochester went to live with her daughter in Washington. Besides her daughter, she leaves a number of relatives in New York. The funeral and burial will take place at Englewood, N. J.

Son of Henry E. Rochester.

Mr. Rochester was a son of the late Henry E. Rochester and a grandson of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, founder of the city. He was a brother of Mrs. Clinton Rogers of 127 Spring Street.

Thomas Barnes Cuming, who met death in the South Byron wreck on the New York Central Railroad early Sunday morning, was a great-grandson of Colonel Rochester and a nephew of Roswell Hart Rochester.

Another member of the Rochester family who was taken by death recently was Nathaniel N. Rochester, killed in the Argonne Forest, France, while serving with the American

Charles P. Burritt, Head of Delivery Department, Dies After Long Service at Local Office. Jan. 10

Times-Union 1919
Charles P. Burritt at 269 Barton street, foreman of the delivery department of the Rochester postoffice, died this morning at 10 o'clock. He was



CHARLES P. BURRITT

appointed a carrier at the postoffice in 1896 and has a remarkable record for efficiency in the postal service. He was 53 years old and was a brother of S. D. Burritt, the jeweler.

Daily Death Roll.
Times-Union
Miss Rose Larwood Was

Teacher At School 29
Jan. 20-1919

Miss Rose Larwood, aged 46 years, daughter of the late Joseph Larwood of Albion, died of lobar pneumonia Saturday at the Hahnemann Hospital. For 10 years past she has been a member of the faculty of the Rochester public schools and for several years was an instructor in School 29.

She became ill with the influenza one week ago. The body was taken to Albion Saturday to the farm home of her brother, John J. Larwood, where the funeral service was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. Godfrey Chobot pastor of the Presbyterian church officiating. Interment was in Mt. Albion Cemetery. Besides her mother, Mrs. Emma Larwood, she leaves two sisters, Mrs. Arthur D. West of Mulberry, Florida and Miss Ida J. Larwood of Albion; also five brothers, John J., T. Edwin, and Andrew Larwood of Albion; Bert Larwood of Cleveland, Ohio, and Alfred Larwood of Buffalo.

Miss Larwood was a graduate of Rochester high school, Rochester Teachers' Training Class and took up special work as an instructor in a Chicago, Ill., training school. For several years she was secretary of a teachers association in Rochester and took an active part in organization work.

**PRESIDENT OF
 FEDERATION OF
 WOMEN'S CLUBS**

Times-Union

Sudden Death of Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen, Active in Civic and Suffrage Affairs—Home on Oxford Street. *Jan. 20-1914*

Mrs. Adeline Miller Van Hoesen, active in women's organizations in Rochester, especially active in civic and suffrage work, died suddenly yesterday morning at the home at 340 Oxford street.

She leaves her husband, Frank P. Van Hoesen; two sons, Miller P. and Frank C. now with the A. E. F. in



MRS. FRANK P. VAN HOESEN.

France; five sisters, Mrs. Wesley Wheeler, Mrs. L. K. Miller, Mrs. D. P. Moore and Mrs. Amelia Acker of this city, and Mrs. W. L. Curtin of Brooklyn; one brother, Francis C. Miller of San Francisco, Cal., and two grandchildren. The funeral will be held at 3 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Van Hoesen was born at Phoenix, N. Y., and was the daughter of James and Mary Miller. She was married to Mr. Van Hoesen in 1887.

She was president of the Rochester Federation of Women's Clubs for the past year and had held offices in that organization for about 10 years. She was a member of the Public Health Association, and a member of the public health committees of the State Federation of Women's Clubs.

As chairman for Monroe County of the women's committee for the Third and Fourth Liberty Loan campaigns, Mrs. Van Hoesen worked untiringly. She was a member of the first committee in Rochester on selecting pictures to be placed in public schools.

Mrs. Van Hoesen was a member of Central Presbyterian Church, where she was president of the Mothers of the Temple for several years. She was also president of Class 24 and superintendent of the primary department. She was also a member of Kinnard Chapter of the Y. W. C. A., and of the Board of Managers of the Convalescent Home at Churchville, and was treasurer of Pershing War Relief Circle.

MORTUARY RECORD *1919*

Health *Jan. 21*
 Funeral of Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen.

The funeral of Mrs. Frank P. Van Hoesen, who died suddenly Sunday, will be from the home at 304 Oxford Street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. Van Hoesen's death came as a great surprise to her many friends and acquaintances as she apparently was in excellent health almost up to the last moment. Only last Friday she presided over a meeting of the City Federation of Women's Clubs, of which she was president, in Powers Hotel, displaying vigor and enthusiasm that was unusual even for her. She had been a member of the Woman's Educational and Industrial Union since its organization and was for years a member of its Educational Committee. She was active in nearly all the organizations of the city in which women are interested and during the last two Liberty Loan drives she was chairman of the Woman's Division and was chairman of the Woman's Division of the War Savings Stamps campaign. She worked hard in connection with the old Public Health Association, of which she was a member, and was instrumental in establishing the new Girls' Home of Rochester recently opened in Driving Park Avenue. Since young womanhood she had been a member of Central Presbyterian Church, was superintendent of its Sunday School and was president of its largest woman's Bible class. She was born in Phoenix, N. Y., but came to Rochester as a girl and had lived here since.

Funeral of Jacob Gloor.

The funeral of Jacob Gloor, a Civil War veteran, held Friday afternoon from the home of his son, William Gloor, at 25 Chamberlain Street, was attended by many old residents. A large number of them accompanied the body to Webster, where burial was in the Rural Cemetery.

Mr. Gloor was born in Berne, Switzerland, and spent the greater part of his early life with relatives in different parts of France. His parents, who died when he was an infant, were of French-Swiss descent. When 21 years old he came to America, and when the Civil War broke out he enlisted for three years in Company I, 6th U. S. Cavalry. September 18, 1862, he was wounded and after being in the hos-

pital for several months he was appointed body guard to General Charles M. Profort, in which capacity he served the rest of his three years. October 25, 1864, he again enlisted, this time in Company A, 33d New Jersey Guard. After being in several battles he was wounded again and taken to the General Pavilion Hospital. As he recovered he was made wardmaster of the hospital and served as such until the end of the war.

September 12, 1865, Mr. Gloor married Miss Anna Hilbold of New York City, who died in 1875. April 4, 1877, he married Miss Barbara Stjelen of Rochester, who died in 1892.

Daily Death Roll. *Jan. 1919*

Jacob Schmitt, Civil War Veteran, Dies At Kondolf Street Home

Times-Union

Funeral services for Jacob Schmitt, Civil War veteran who died Monday morning at his home at 24 Kondolf street, aged 81 years, will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow morning from the home and at 8:30 o'clock from Holy



JACOB SCHMITT.

Family Church. He leaves his wife, Caroline Schmitt; five sons, George, Frank, Jacob and Fred of Rochester, and William of Buffalo; one daughter, Mrs. John Bauerschmidt, 16 grandchildren and five great grandchildren, two sisters and one brother.

Mr. Schmitt came to this country from Alsace-Lorraine in early childhood, and settled in Rochester. He enlisted on April 18, 1861, as a private in Company F, 14th New York Infantry, and was discharged on June 6, 1864. He joined F. E. Pierce Post, G. A. R., in March, 1897. He was a member of St. Francis Society.

The following members of Pierce Post will act as bearers tomorrow: Comrades Voght, Young, Klem, Hensler, Hill and Kellhammer.

DEATHS—FUNERALS *Feb. 6*

Post **ORA M. O'CONNOR.** *1919*

Nurse in Charge of Nurses' Directory, General Hospital, 20 Years, Dies.

Oral M. O'Connor, who for upwards of twenty years had been in charge of the Nurses' directory at General hospital, died yesterday at her home, 1,107 St. Paul street.

A glowing tribute was paid her at the hospital, where it was stated she was a favorite with the doctors and nurses for her painstaking and efficient business methods, and as an example of her self-sacrificing nature they relate how, during the recent influenza epidemic, although she was a semi-invalid, she stayed at the phone all day and during part of the night, calling nurses and assigning them to the cases where they were most urgently needed.

Miss O'Connor had no near relatives in this country. The body was taken to 73 Scio street and the funeral will be held from St. Bridget's

Jan. 10 1919
**Jacob Gloor Buried
From Home Of Son;
Civil War Veteran**

Times-Union
Jacob Gloor, Civil War veteran, died Wednesday at the home of his son, William Gloor, 35 Chamberlain street, aged 85 years. Funeral services were held this afternoon from the home of



JACOB GLOOR.

the son, and burial was at Webster Cemetery.

Mr. Gloor was born at Berno, Switzerland. During the Civil War he was a despatcher. For several years of late he has lived at the Soldiers' Home, Va. He leaves two sons, William and Charles Gloor, and one daughter, Minnie Gloor of Amsterdam, N. Y.

Feb. 9 1919
**Daily Death Roll.
Times-Union
Death Of David Martin,
Former Rush Supervisor**

David Martin, life long resident of the town of Rush, died yesterday at his home at West Rush, aged 75 years. Mr. Martin was active in political affairs of his town, where he was 10 times elected supervisor on the Democratic ticket. He was for a time chairman of the Democratic town committee of Rush, and frequently attended county conventions as a delegate. In 1895 he was a delegate to the state convention of his party.

He leaves two sons, John D. and Clinton D. Martin; one daughter, Grace M. Martin, who was last year Democratic nominee for Assembly in her district; one sister, Emma O. Martin, and one brother, Frank E. Martin. The late John W. Martin, for many years a well-known merchant of Rochester, was a brother.

The funeral will take place from the home Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Pine Hill Cemetery.

DEATH COMES TO

MRS. KATHERINE

Jan. 21 - 1919
R. CONGDON

Times-Union

**Follows Nervous Breakdown
Due to Months of Red
Cross Work Among Sick
Soldiers—Two Sons in U.
S. Military Service.**

Katherine Robinson Congdon died at the family home, 44 Faraday street, last evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Following months of personal work among the sick soldiers and sailors, she was appointed military field aide for the Local Chapter of the American Red Cross and was also made chairman of the hospital committee of Irondequoit Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. In those capacities she had charge of the work of both organizations among the service men in the city hospitals as well as in the Military Base Hospital at Charlotte. Until she suffered a nervous breakdown in November last, every service man who at any time had been a patient in any of these institutions had been personally visited by her, and, under her direction, had been provided with such fruits, jellies, ice cream and other delicacies as they were allowed to have.

Separated from her own boys, who were away in the service, she gave her mother's love to the suffering ones here, cheering them in their illness and giving them what possible comfort she could as they were passing on into the greater life. She will be gratefully remembered by those who recovered and the relatives and friends of those who died can but feel that their burden was in some degree lightened by her care and thoughtfulness.

Her illness and subsequent death is directly attributable to the work that she has so well done and she can and will be remembered as one of those who have made the great sacrifice.

She leaves her husband, George E. Congdon; two sons, Lyman A. Congdon, a sergeant with the U. S. Army Ambulance Service now with the American Army of Occupation in Germany, and George E. Congdon, Jr., a gunner's mate in the U. S. Navy; also two daughters, Mrs. George B. Thummel of Omaha, Neb., whose husband is a lieutenant in the Flying Division of the Military Aeronautical Service, and Mrs. Henry D. Denison of Syracuse.

Private prayers will be said at the home, 44 Faraday street, at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon and burial will be from the Church of the Epiphany at Trumansburg on Sunday morning.

WELL KNOWN IN BUSINESS

William J Ward Also Was Active
in Church and Men's Societies.

D. & C. Jan. 19-1919



WILLIAM J. WARD.

William J. Ward, of No. 84 Monroe avenue, a well known lumberman of this city, died on Thursday evening, January 9th, in the General Hospital. Mr. Ward came to Rochester from North Tonawanda a few years ago, and from that time had been actively associated with all civic, patriotic and philanthropic movements in the city.

Mr. Ward conducted offices in the Powers building and was well known in business circles. He was a liberal contributor to the various drives that were launched in the city, besides giving his time in assisting the work. He was a member of the Catholic Church of the Blessed Sacrament, and was connected with all the church activities and the various men's societies. He was a member of the North Tonawanda Branch of the C. M. B. A.

He leaves his mother, Mrs. Alice Ward; two sisters, Mrs. Charles Hall and Mrs. George Vella, of North Tonawanda, and a brother, James Ward, of Buffalo. The body was removed to the home of his sister, Mrs. George Vella, in North Tonawanda, and the funeral services were held on Monday, January 13th, from the Church of the Ascension, in North Tonawanda.

DEATH OF MICHAEL KIRBY

**Served in Navy in Civil War, Ran
Elevator at Police Headquarters.**

Michael Kirby, who was a member of the navy in the Civil war, died in the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in Bath on January 14th, and was buried on Friday with military honors. Mr. Kirby for a long time had been a resident of Rochester up to six years ago, when he was stricken with paralysis, taken to the St. Mary's Hospital and then to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home. Some years ago Mr. Kirby ran the elevator at the police station. He was a member of the E. G. Marshall Post, G. A. R. He leaves two daughters, one in California, and another in Buffalo.

POMEROY P. DICKINSON CLAIMED BY DEATH

One of City's Most Widely
Known Lawyers.

P.P.C. Jan. 25 - 1919



POMEROY P. DICKINSON.

Pomeroy P. Dickinson, a well-known lawyer of this city, died early yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carroll Taylor, No. 130 Trafalgar street, aged 67 years.

Mr. Dickinson was born September 2, 1852, in the old Dickinson homestead in Irondequoit, which had been in the family for more than 100 years. He was the son of Alfred L. Dickinson and Martha Anderson Dickinson.

After attending the district schools, Mr. Dickinson attended De Graff's Military School in Rochester, where he prepared for Yale. Later he went to live with his uncle, Pomeroy P. Dickinson, the builder of the bridge across the Hudson river at Poughkeepsie. While with his uncle he decided to enter Columbia College, from whose law school he was graduated in 1875.

Returning to Rochester he entered the law office of John Van Vooris, where he remained for a year. He formed a partnership with George A. Benton, who recently retired from the Supreme Court bench. The office of the partnership was at No. 67 Reynolds Arcade, and after the withdrawal of Mr. Benton, Mr. Dickinson occupied the office for thirty-six years. He was a lifelong Republican and was the organizer of the Lincoln Club, the first large Republican organization in Rochester. In 1885 he was appointed excise commissioner by Mayor Cornelius R. Parsons. He held this position until 1891, and again from 1895 until 1897, when the excise commission was legislated out of existence by the state Raines law. He served on the Board of Education in 1889.

Mr. Dickinson figured prominently in public life and was well known as a humorist and entertainer. He was an extensive traveler and a great lover of nature. He was a member of Genesee Falls Lodge and of Damascus Temple. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Emma Marsh Dickinson; one daughter, Mrs. Carroll Taylor, and a brother, Charles Dickinson.

MEMBER OF OLD FAMILY IS DEAD

Post
Pomeroy P. Dickinson Passed Away

This Morning at Home of

His Daughter.

Jan. 24 - 1919

Pomeroy P. Dickinson, lawyer, traveler and humorist, died to-day at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carroll H. Taylor, 130 Trafalgar street, aged 67 years. He leaves his wife, Emma Marsh Dickinson, his daughter, Mrs. Taylor and one brother Charles A. Dickinson.

Mr. Dickinson came of a family prominent in Rochester and Monroe county for more than a century. His grandfather, Pomeroy R. Dickinson, came to Monroe county in 1805, driving a horse and wagon from Amherst, Mass., and took up lands in the town of Irondequoit, now in the Twenty-second ward, Rochester, which have since been in the possession of the family.

Mr. Dickinson was born September 23, 1852, in the old homestead in the northeastern section of the city, in Dickinson street, so named after the family, near Portland avenue and Norton street and known as the "Dickinson Tract." His father was Alfred L. Dickinson and his mother, Martha Anderson Dickinson, daughter of Hixson Anderson, also a pioneer in Western New York and a soldier in the Revolutionary war.

After attending the district schools, Mr. Dickinson attended the celebrated DeGraff Military school where he prepared for Yale, but, going to live with his uncle, Pomeroy P. Dickinson, in New York city who built the great bridge across the Hudson at Poughkeepsie, he decided to attend Columbia University instead and was graduated from its law school in 1875.

Returning to Rochester he took up the practice of law with George A. Benton, who recently retired from the Supreme court bench. He proved to be an able lawyer and won much success in his chosen calling. He figured prominently in public life in other ways also, and was in his younger days a platform humorist and entertainer of ability. He was the organizer of the old-time famous Lincoln club and was a member of the various Masonic bodies and the Mystic Shrine.

Mr. Dickinson was a lifelong and consistent republican, whose services some years ago were much in demand as a campaign orator. He was rewarded in 1885 by Mayor Cornelius R. Parsons with an appointment as one of the three commissioners who had jurisdiction over local liquor license matters until the state took over control. He held the place of excise commissioner until 1891, when William Carroll, an amiable democrat, as much to his own surprise any anybody's, defeated Mayor Parsons after the latter had held the office fourteen years, and Carroll named other commissioners. In 1895, the city government having been redeemed by the republicans, Mr. Dickinson was reappointed to the excise commission by Acting Mayor Merton E. Lewis and he held the office until the commission was legislated out of existence by the state Raines law in 1897. During the most of the years of his incumbency he

was the chairman of the board of excise commissioners. He traveled widely and visited nearly all the European countries and had done newspaper work in many different parts of the world. He was a lover of nature and of the great outdoors, a great pedestrian, and a wholesome, lovable companion.

While Mr. Dickinson has been in ill health for some years, it was not until last week that he took to his bed and the announcement of his death to-day came as a shock to his many old friends and associates. The funeral will be private.

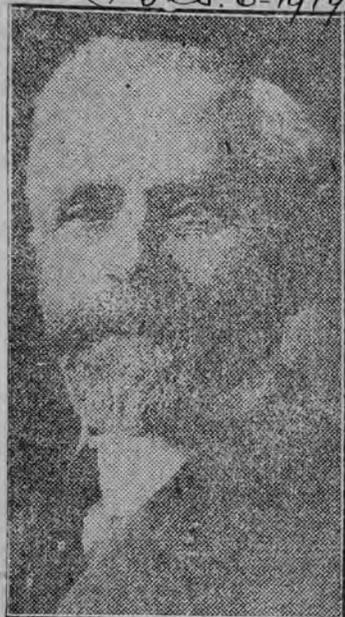
Feb. 5 - 1919
Sales Manager Was
Well Known to Trade



JOHN B. GUTHRIE, sales manager of the Defender Photo Supply Company, who died suddenly at his home, 236 Bryan Street, Tuesday, was well known in the photographic and allied trades. The funeral will be this afternoon at 5 o'clock from the home.

INJURED JUST BEFORE CIVIL WAR CLOSED

Oscar B. Palmer Dies at
Home in Webster.
D. & C. Feb. 6-1919



OSCAR C. PALMER.

Oscar C. Palmer, a former president of the Eighth New York Cavalry, (volunteers) Association, died last Saturday at his home, Lake road, near Union Hill. Mr. Palmer had lived in Wayne county nearly all his life. He was born at Lake Side on March 5, 1844. He received his education in Macedon and at Genesee Wesleyan Seminary. He was a student at the seminary when he enlisted on September 10, 1864, in Company B, Eighth New York Cavalry. This unit was in General Sheridan's division, and was under the command of Custer. Mr. Palmer served in many important engagements and was severely wounded in the battle of the Five Forks on April 3, 1865, a few days before the war ended. When he was convalescing he witnessed from the rear of the house, in which he was being cared for, the surrender of Fitzhugh Lee and Commodore Semms, of the Alabama. Later he was transferred to the Rochester General Hospital, and received his honorable discharge from the service on June 26, 1865. At that time he was 20 years old.

On October 14, 1868, Mr. Palmer married Amelia A. Botsford. He held a number of positions of trust in his home community. He was a Republican, a member of Wayne Lodge of Masons and the G. A. R.

Mr. Palmer leaves his wife, and two sons, Myron B. Palmer, a captain in the Medical Corps, stationed in the Surgeon-General's office, Washington, and Howard R. Palmer, of the advertising staff of the Eastman Kodak Company.

PROF. JACOB S. GUBELMANN IS TAKEN BY DEATH

End Comes to Aged Leader
after Brief Illness.

LONG A SEMINARY TEACHER

Held Chair in German Department
for Thirty-two Years—Graduate
of University of Rochester in
1858 and Seminary in 1860

John Samuel Gubelmann, D. D., died at his home, No. 39 Brighton street, last night after a short illness. He was born in the city of Berno, Switzerland, on November 26, 1836. He came to the United States with his parents in 1848 and lived for a short time in New York city. He removed to Ohio, where his grandfather was minister of a German Reformed Church. Returning to New York in 1851, he became affiliated with a German Baptist church there which sent him to Rochester in the year following to prepare for the ministry. He was graduated from the University of Rochester in 1858 and from the Rochester Theological Seminary in 1860.

After his ordination to the ministry, Dr. Gubelmann held successful pastorates in Louisville, Ky., and St. Louis, Mo. In 1868 he became minister of the First German Baptist Church in Philadelphia, where he remained until 1884, when he was called to the chair of Christian theology, ethics, and homiletics in the German Department of Rochester Theological Seminary. This position he held for thirty-two years, when he felt that the strain of his professional duties was growing too severe for a man who had already rounded out eighty years, fifty-six of which had meant almost continuous service of the most exacting kind.

Preacher of Rare Power.

For the last two and one-half years Doctor Gubelmann kept up his interest in the institution to which he had become so much attached by giving a short address each week at the chapel service.

A member of the seminary faculty said of him last night:

"Doctor Gubelmann was a theologian of the old school, a man whose theology centered in the Bible, and this Book he was said to know better than any of his colleagues. His reverence for the Word made its very language authoritative for him, and settled once and for all his theological problems. He was a man of deep mystical piety, and that was embodied in a personality of singular amiability of disposition.

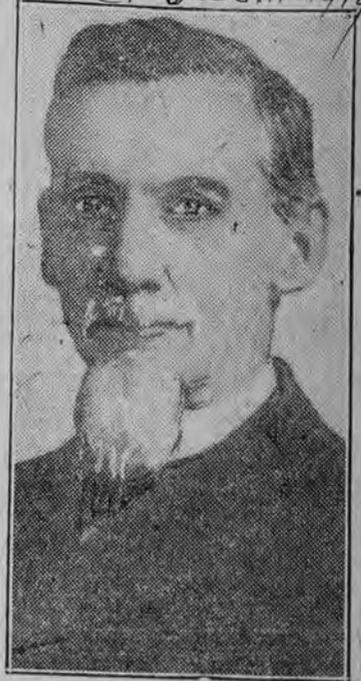
"In the days of his prime, he was a preacher of rare power, by reason of his eloquent persuasiveness. The sermons always bore the stamp of thorough preparation, and were characterized by evangelical simplicity."

Leaves Four Children.

Plans for the funeral have not as yet been formulated. They may be in keeping with his very simple life; at least that was his wish. He will be mourned by a great host of friends all over the country, where he has become known.

Doctor Gubelmann married twice. His second wife, who was Miss Sophie Hesté, he married in 1862. She survives him, as do also two sons, and two daughters, Professor Albert Gubelmann, of Yale; W. S. Gubelmann, of Buffalo; Mrs. Otto Koenig, of New Haven, and Miss Ella C. Gubelmann, of this city.

Seminary Teacher Thirty-two Years D. & C. Feb. 11-1919



JACOB S. GUBELMANN.

FREEMAN H. BETTYS, BUSINESS MAN, DIES

1919
For Many Years Active in
Life of Rochester.

D. & C. Feb. 11
Freeman Hopkins Bettys, a well-known citizen and former prominent business man of this city, died yesterday afternoon after an illness of several weeks.

Mr. Bettys was born in Wayne county on June 15, 1830. His grandfather was the first white settler in the town of Ontario. During his long business career Mr. Bettys was actively identified with various enterprises. He will be remembered by many as the senior member of the firm of Bettys & Mahomet, manufacturers of the Humming Bird bicycle, which firm later turned its attention to the sale of automobiles. Until recently, Mr. Bettys was associated with A. P. Little in the extensive manufacture of typewriter supplies. He was a prominent member of the West Avenue Methodist Church, president of its Board of Trustees for many years, and closely affiliated with all its activities. During its early days he took an important part in the prohibition movement.

Mr. Bettys was a member of the Society of the Mayflower and of Rochester Lodge, F. and A. M., and Cyrene Commandery, Knights Templar. He leaves a host of friends who deeply mourn his loss.

JAMES E. BOOTH, PRESIDENT OF MONROE COUNTY SAVINGS BANK, DIES FOLLOWING THREE-DAY ILLNESS, AT AGE OF 92 YEARS

Herald

Feb. 8-1919

James E. Booth, president of Monroe County Savings Bank, died yesterday at his home at 195 Lake Avenue, following a brief illness of three days. Although he entered upon his 93d year December 28, Mr. Booth gave active attention to his bank duties up to Tuesday. Men familiar with financial affairs of the nation are of the opinion that he was the oldest bank president in the United States. In recent years on his birthday Mr. Booth always found large bouquets of flowers on his desk when he arrived at the bank, which represented the congratulations of friends and during the day the visitors who called to offer felicitations in person included many of Rochester's most prominent bankers and business men. Other than greeting his many well wishers, Mr. Booth's custom was to pass his steadily mounting anniversaries by performing a full day's work at the bank.

The funeral will be held Monday from the home. Mr. Booth leaves two sons, Quentin W. and Irving E. Booth, and one daughter, Miss Estelle A. Booth.

Sketch of His Early Life.

Mr. Booth was a native of New York City, where he was born in 1826, and where his early education was acquired at private schools. Although he removed to Troy at an early age, he always retained memories of New York as it was in his boyhood. At that time, he would relate, Fifth Avenue was farm country, as was, in fact, the whole of the present city above 14th Street. Apart from a small residential district called Brooklyn Heights, that part of the greater city was a barren tract and Hoboken a pleasure park. Rapid transit consisted of horse-drawn coaches. Those and other retrospective visions Mr. Booth could conjure up and recount faithfully even in his advanced years.

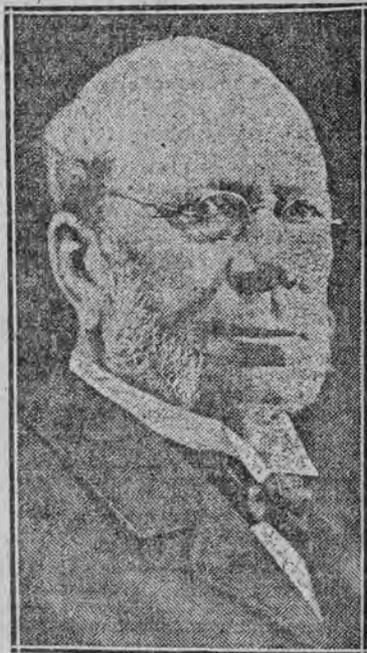
In 1835 Mr. Booth sailed up the Hudson River to make his home in Troy, where he engaged with his father in the manufacture of cotton goods until 1852 and then removed to Rochester. Since coming to this city he has always lived here.

His Activities in Rochester.

His first business venture in Rochester was a partnership with Wood-

bury & Company, manufacturers of steam engines, afterward known under the firm name of Woodbury, Booth and Prior. In this business pursuit Mr. Booth became one of the best known mechanical and steam engineers in the state. He continued in the industry until 1884, when the concern was sold to a syndicate.

He became affiliated with Monroe County Savings Bank in 1875 by his



JAMES E. BOOTH.

election as a trustee, and in 1891 he became its president. His other activities in civil and business circles included a membership in Chamber of Commerce, Alderman, member of committee appointed by Common Council to conduct a water suit on behalf of the city, and a commissioner on construction of elevated tracks by New York Central and Hudson River Railroad. He also had served as trustee of Mechanics' Institute and of the Deaf Mute Institute.

When Mr. Booth came to Rochester he settled in Second Ward, where he lived until he built, in 1875, the present home in Lake Avenue.

D. & C. MEMORIAL *Feb. 11 1919*
Of the Monroe County Savings Bank on the Death of James E. Booth.

We mourn to-day the loss of our president, James E. Booth. His death on the morning of February 7, 1919, marked the close of a life continued far beyond the Scriptural limit, but which to the very end was an active force and influence.

He was elected a trustee March 2, 1875, and it is our great satisfaction and pride that the last twenty-eight years of his life were given to the service of this bank as its president, to which office he was chosen January 6, 1891.

How admirably he filled the duties of the position is well known to us and to the extended circle which is reached by the activities of the bank. His was no nominal but was a real leadership in all matters of essential importance.

It was his peculiar distinction to keep a personal human interest in men and events to the last. He possessed a calm, judicial temper, combined with strong common sense, great integrity and a serene consciousness of duty well performed. He had a contempt for any professions or conduct which were not real and genuine. We all know that he had a sound mind in a sound body; that a clear mind was accompanied by physical powers of remarkable strength, so that to the end of a very long life, his mental power and vigor were undiminished.

His old age was the ideal old age, work to the last, with mind unimpaired, with no gloom of approaching death affecting his cheerfulness or happiness, spending his days in the declining years of his life in the city which he loved, and the growth of which he had watched since early manhood, and with the respect and affection of his fellow-men.

We have been honored by our association with him; the record of his distinguished services will be an inspiration to us and our successors in the years to come. Such a life does not end with death but survives in its influence for good on those who follow.

To the surviving members of his family, his daughter and two sons, we extend our sincere sympathy.

FUNERAL OF JAMES E. BOOTH

Feb. 12
Banker Is Laid to Rest in Mount Hope Cemetery. *1919*

Many persons attended the funeral of James E. Booth, late president of the Monroe County Savings Bank, held yesterday afternoon, at his home, No. 105 Lake Avenue. The services were conducted by Rev. J. W. A. Stewart, D. D., dean of the Rochester Theological Seminary, who also officiated at the grave. Mr. Booth died on Friday morning at the age of 92 years. He was believed to be the oldest living bank executive in this country.

Mr. Booth was buried in Mount Hope. The active bearers were Charles P. Kingston, William R. Barnum, J. Wesley Kingston, Charles F. Crandall, Spencer W. Greene and James Johnston. The honorary bearers were Cyrus F. Paine, Rufus K. Dryer, William B. Lee, Martin Bristol, P. V. Crittenden and William Carson, all trustees of the Monroe County Savings Bank.

EXCEPTIONAL TRIBUTE PAID DEAD PRIEST

Post - Feb. 8

MANY CLERGYMEN AT FUNERAL
OF REV. W. E. ETZEL.

1919

FINAL ABSOLUTION BY BISHOP

Obsequies of Noted Catholic Educator
Held To-day in Church of the
Sacred Heart.

An unusual personal tribute was paid by bishop and priests of the Roman Catholic diocese of Rochester when they assembled in the Church of the Sacred Heart in Flower City park to-day for the funeral services of Rev. William Etzel, educator with an international reputation, who had devoted forty years to the instruction of young men and about thirty years of his life to service as a priest.

Formal funeral services for him had been held at St. Thomas College in St. Paul, where he had been one of the professors and the priests of that diocese had paid him the customary official tribute. His body had been brought to Rochester and here the priests who had known him and appreciated his true worth of their own initiative assembled to pay their personal tribute.

From Home of Sisters.

The funeral was held from the home of his sisters, 455 Flower City park, at 9.45 o'clock and at 10 o'clock from the church. Rev. George V. Burns, the rector, officiated at solemn requiem mass, assisted by Rev. M. J. Hargather, rector of St. Michael's church, as deacon, and Rev. J. P. Schellhorn, rector of the Church of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, as sub-deacon. Rev. Francis Luddy was master of ceremonies. The music was by the student choir from St. Bernard's seminary under the direction of Rev. John M. Petter, head of the music department.

Included among the priests present at the services were Mgr. J. J. Hartley, rector of St. Bernard's, where Father Etzel had taught for many years; Rev. A. E. Notebaert, rector of the Church of Our Lady of Victory; Rev. J. F. O'Hern, rector of the Cathedral; Rev. A. M. O'Neill, rector of Immaculate Conception church; Rev. Thomas Connors, rector of Blessed Sacrament church; Rev. Francis G. Kunz, assistant rector of Holy Redeemer church; Rev. Adolph Ederlman, assistant rector of St. Michael's church, and Rev. Dr. Edmund J. Wirth, and other members of the faculty from St. Bernard's.

Many Delegations Present.

Present at the services besides many Rochester friends of Father Etzel were delegations from the Sisters of St. Joseph's and from the children of Sacred Heart school. Following the requiem mass, Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Hickey, D. D., bishop of the diocese of Rochester, pronounced the final absolution.

Burial was in the family lot at Holy Sepulchre. Rev. George V. Burns officiated at the committal service. Chanting of the final prayers for the dead priest was by the priests led by Father Petter. The bearers were these priests of the Rochester diocese: Rev. Edward Bayer, Rev. William Brien, Rev. Edward Meagher, Rev. Joseph Esser, Rev. Joseph Guilfoill and Rev. Andrew V. Byrne.



REV. WILLIAM E. ETZEL,
Priest and educator dead in the West.

REV. WILLIAM E. ETZEL DIES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

Post - Feb. 3

Instructor of King of Spain and Marshal Petain Claimed Rochester His Home.

Rev. William Earnshaw Etzel, internationally known as an educator, died last night at a hospital in St. Paul, Minn., after a short illness. Arrangements are being made to bring the body to the home of his relatives at 455 Flower City park for burial in Holy Sepulchre.

Brought to Rochester from his birthplace at Scuylerville, when but a boy, Father Etzel regarded Rochester as his home and returned here frequently for visits. He was a member of the faculty of St. Thomas college in St. Paul.

Receiving his early education in St. Joseph's school, Franklin street, at an early age he decided to follow in the steps of the teachers in the school at that time and applied and was accepted at the Marian Brothers college at Dayton, O. His scholarly ability commended itself to his superiors and he was sent to France for further study. There he completed his education together with theological studies and was one of the few men of this order to be ordained to the priesthood. He was numbered a member of the faculty of several colleges there, and had many noted men among his pupils, including the present King of Spain and Marshal Petain. He remained overseas twenty years and in all that time it was the proud boast that he retained his American citizenship and slept every night under the Stars and Stripes, insisting always on having the national colors draped over his bed.

With the separation of church and state in France, he resolved to return to the land of his birth. For a time he was a member of the faculty at the Franciscan college at Trenton, N. J., and then of St. Bernard's seminary here. He was called to a post at St. Thomas college and accepted in view of the opportunity for work with which he was familiar and liked. In the European college he had done much to prepare young men for national service as military or naval officers and at St. Paul he was to be given similar opportunity. He was in charge of the army class and prepared many young men for commissions even in time of peace without their passing through West Point.

Father Etzel leaves five sisters, Mary, Louise, Anna, Stella and Mrs. George Pearson, all of Rochester, and two brothers, Peter, of Syracuse, and James, of Kentucky.

WAS LONG ACTIVE IN DRY GOODS BUSINESS

D. & C. - Feb. 13

George B. Bush Had Stores in Several Cities. 1919

George Billings Bush died on Monday at the family home, No. 722 Dewey avenue, where he had lived for thirty years. He had a large circle of friends, not only in Rochester, but in many cities in which he had had business interests.

Mr. Bush was born at Thompson, Sullivan county, New York, on December 16, 1841. He was graduated from the Eastman Business College and in his earlier years was connected with the Erie Railroad Company, leaving the employ of that company to engage in the dry-goods business with his brother, S. R. Bush, and James V. Bull, of Easton, Pa. This firm conducted department stores in Port Jervis, Watertown, Rochester, Easton, Pa., Bethlehem, Pa., and Bridgeport, Conn.

The Rochester store was first in part of the building now occupied by E. W. Edwards & Son, and later in the building now occupied by the Woolworth store. It was the opening of this store that brought Mr. Bush to Rochester in 1884, and when the store was sold to Beadle, Sherburne & Company, which later became the Rochester Dry Goods Company, Mr. Bush retired from the firm and retained his residence in this city.

Mr. Bush early became a member of St. Tammany Lodge, F. and A. M., of Port Jervis, and always retained his membership in that lodge. He leaves his wife, Abbie Heustis; three sons, Joseph H., of Rochester, in Y. M. C. A. work in Virginia; Martin R., of Mount Vernon, N. Y., in Y. M. C. A. work in France and Arthur S., of Rochester; two grandchildren, Marion H. and J. Abnerworth, and one brother, S. R. Bush, of Easton, Pa.

The funeral will be held from the home this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Burial will be made at Hinsdale, Mass.

MORTUARY RECORD

Herald - Feb. 14
Joseph Hull Smith, 1919

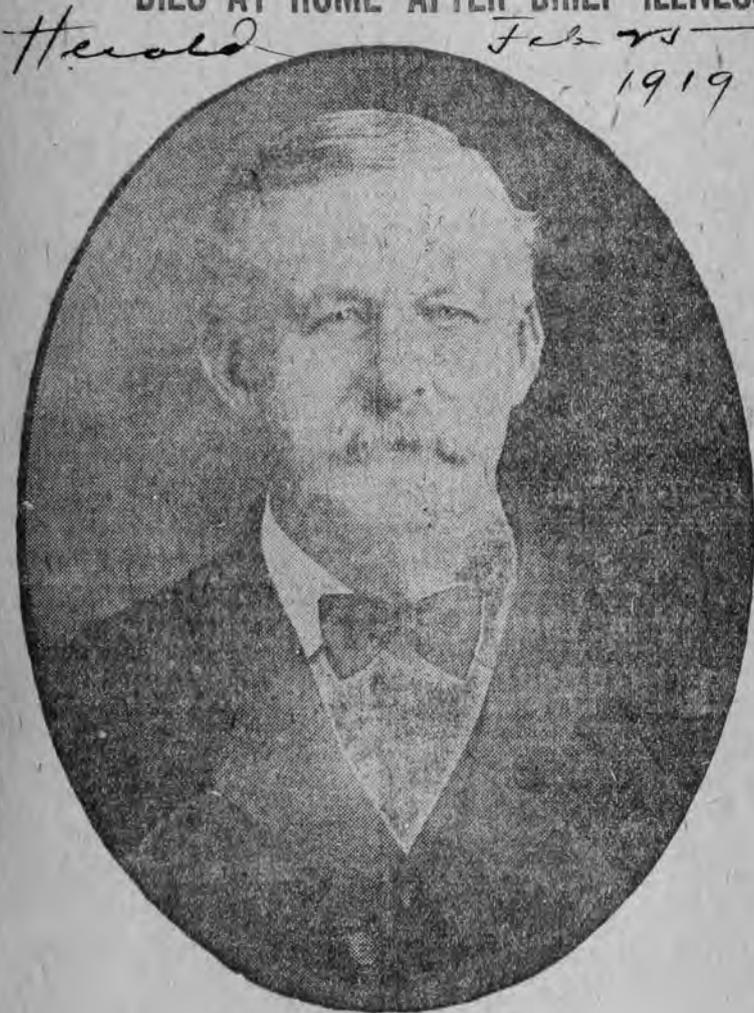
The funeral of Joseph Hull Smith, who died in Watertown Wednesday, will be held at 2.30 o'clock this afternoon from the Rochester home at 135 Barrington Street. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Further information concerning the death of Mr. Smith discloses that he met with an accident while testing shells in the plant of the New York Air Brake Company. He accidentally fell into a pit and suffered a compound fracture of his left leg. Owing to Mr. Smith's advanced age, he was in his 68th year, and his somewhat feeble recuperative powers, the injury proved to be fatal.

Mr. Smith became a resident of Rochester in 1897, at which time he came here as superintendent of Bradstreet's local office. He continued in this position for nine years and then entered the steel business as a salesman for Youngstown (Ohio) Iron and Steel Company. When the war broke out he took a special course in metallurgy at Carnegie Institute in Pittsburgh, and later was assigned by the government to the Symington plant in Rochester. Afterward he was transferred to Watertown.

Mr. Smith was born in Seymour, Conn., November 24, 1852.

**CHARLES A. WEBSTER, FOR 21 YEARS
MONROE COUNTY PENITENTIARY HEAD,
DIES AT HOME AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS**



CHARLES A. WEBSTER.

Charles Alvin Webster, who had been for 21 years superintendent of the Monroe County Penitentiary, and for about 45 years in public office, died yesterday morning at the home at 221 Alexander Street. He recently returned from California. He had been in excellent health until about three weeks ago, when he contracted a cold that developed into influenza.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. C. Waldo Cherry, pastor of Central Presbyterian Church, at the home at 2 o'clock to-morrow afternoon and burial will be in Spencerport. Masons will have charge of the services at the grave.

Mr. Webster was born August 19, 1844, in the town of Ogden, and was the son of Alvin Webster and Cornelia Webster. He came to Rochester to live about forty years ago. He

was married in May, 1866, to Harriet Doty of Adams Basin, who died. In August, 1913, he was married to Kate Cecal Johnson of Los Angeles, Cal.

He was graduated from Genesee Wesleyan Seminary in Lima. When a young man he took an active interest in Republican politics. He was for three years a customs inspector at Charlotte, in 1868 he was appointed a deputy sheriff by Sheriff Campbell, and he served in that office until he was appointed head of the penitentiary by the Board of Supervisors January 1, 1888. He retired from that office January 1, 1909.

Besides his wife, Mr. Webster leaves a brother, Judson H. Webster of 107 Adams Street. He was a member of the Whist Club and was a 32d degree Mason, a member of Rochester Consistory, A. A. Scottish Rite, and one of the oldest members of Etolian Lodge 479, F. and A. M., of Spencerport, which he joined when he was 21 years old.

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HENRY H. RICH.
Man Prominent in Business and Literary Work, Dies After Short Illness.

Henry H. Rich, of 1011 Monroe avenue, died Saturday in the Clifton Springs sanatorium where he had been ill but two weeks. The body was brought to Rochester yesterday.

Mr. Rich, who was known throughout Western New York literary circles, came to Rochester twenty-five years ago and established the Lyceum Lecture bureau with offices in the Chamber of Commerce building. While in this work he brought here many notable people, including T. DeWitt Talmage, Booker T. Washington, Bill Nye, James Whitcomb Riley, Mrs. Frank Leslie and Thomas Dixon.

He was the active head of the Pinnacle Community Men's club, a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Whist club and a charter member of the Ad club. He also belonged to the Real Estate Dealers' association and was a member of Genesee Falls lodge, F. and A. M. He leaves his wife and a daughter, Doris Rich.

Mrs. Eliza J. N. Hinds.

Mrs. Eliza Jane Norton Hinds, widow of James A. Hinds, died last evening at her residence, 388 Lake avenue, in her 87th year. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. William C. Walker of this city and Mrs. Francis H. Schoeffel of Scranton, Pa.; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Hinds was born in Bridgewater, Mich., March 27, 1832. She married James A. Hinds of Aurora, Ill., in 1853 and moved to Rochester in 1868 where Mr. Hinds became identified with the milling industry.

Until her late illness Mrs. Hinds was an active member of First Unitarian Church and was one of the supporters of the Boys Evening Home. She was for many years president of the Browning Club and was always interested in literary affairs.

Mrs. Catherine A. Begy Caffery.

Mrs. Catherine Adelaide Begy Caffery died suddenly yesterday afternoon at the family home, 58 Rugby avenue. She leaves her husband, George H. Caffery of Caffery & Evans, plumbers at 365 Main street west; two sons, G. Walter and Thomas R. Caffery; two daughters, Della A. and Marlon E. Caffery; her mother, Mrs. Catharine Begy, and one sister, Miss Lillian M. Begy.

Mrs. Begy was a daughter of Colonel George A. Begy, an officer in the Civil War. Her father was born in Rochester and was the first superintendent of letter carriers of the city. Mrs. Caffery was a member of

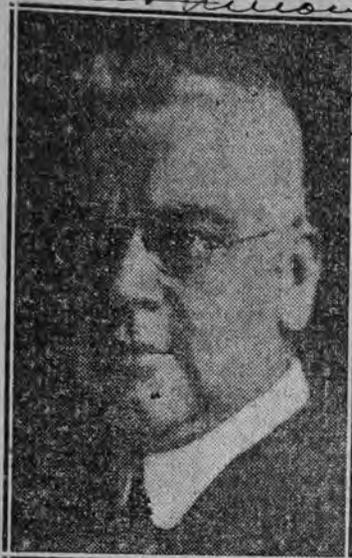
Mch. 1919
MORTUARY RECORD

William H. Sanger.

William H. Sanger, one of the first proprietors of the Powers Hotel, died Monday at his home at 28 Gorsline Street. Mr. Sanger was a partner of George A. Buck in the ownership of the hotel many years ago. He will be remembered especially by the older citizens as one of Rochester's leading hotel men of several decades ago. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Helen Sanger.

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Helped Develop
 Pinnacle Section
Tues. Union



HENRY H. RICH.

Henry H. Rich of 1011 Monroe avenue, who died Saturday night at Clifton Springs Sanitarium after an illness of two weeks, was well known in commercial and literary circles in Rochester and Western New York. He was particularly active in the Pinnacle section, a large part of which he developed.

and the Pinnacle section, which he developed, building over two hundred houses in twenty years. For the past ten years he had been associated with his sons in the insurance business. He was a life member of Yonondio Lodge, F. and A. M., of Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M. and Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. S. Frances Clark Dana; three sons, Howard C., Raymond H., and Frank S. Dana, all of Rochester; two brothers, J. Monroe Dana, of Rochester and W. H. Dana, of Dallas, Texas; and a sister, Mrs. F. H. Coman, of Buffalo.

The funeral will be held from the home to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Burial will be in Mount Hope cemetery.

MORTUARY RECORD Feb
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 Mrs. Louise Kudoba. 1919
 Four generations were left by Mrs. Louise Kudoba, who died yesterday morning on her 96th birthday at her home, 453 Driving Park Avenue. Those in this line are her son, Chris Kudoba, who is 76 years old; her granddaughter, Mrs. Theresa Sperry, 45; her great-granddaughter, Mrs. Hilda Mick, 19, and her great-great-grandson, Gregory Mick. Among the others whom she leaves are thirty grandchildren and twenty-eight great-grandchildren. Mrs. Kudoba was born February 25, 1823, in Reasonwald, Germany. She married Jacob Kudoba, who died in Germany. She came to the United States thirty-two years ago and was for twenty years a resident of Rochester.

DEATHS—FUNERALS
Post
 MARY PETTIS MOORE.
 Daughter of the Late Dr. Edward Mott Moore Dies. 1919
Mch. 13
 Mary Pettis Moore, daughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Edward Mott Moore, died yesterday at her home, 86 Beverly street. Although she has been an invalid for a number of years, the attack of heart trouble and asthma that resulted in her death, came only a few days ago.
 She was one of eight children of the late surgeon whose fame had spread far beyond the field of his actual endeavor and notwithstanding the malady with which she has been afflicted, her sunny disposition and warm human sympathy has won her a host of admirers and friends.
 She was a member of St. Luke's church and was one of the staunchest supporters of all of its many benevolent enterprises. She was devoted to her family life to a degree that makes her loss seem irreparable. The funeral and burial will be private.

Passing of Old Restaurant Man
 Recalls Days When Night Life of
 City Revolved about the Oyster
Herald Mch. 18-1919

In the death last week of Jacob Vanderslice, Rochester lost one of its pioneer business men, and one whose career comes close to being unique in its own particular field. For more than 31 years Mr. Vanderslice had been identified with the restaurant business of the city, and the history of his business dates back to a period that will be remembered with genuine enjoyment by many of the older men and women of Rochester.

Do you remember Buckley's Oyster House? Those were the days of real sport! Ask dad, he knows!

In a little store in South Avenue, adjoining what was then the Grand Opera House, later Cook's, and now the Family Theater was one of the most famous eating places of its kind between New York and Chicago. At least, that is what old-timers say.

It was known as "Buckley's place," or to use its more dignified and proper title, Buckley's Oyster House. People came from far and near to eat Mrs. Buckley's fried oysters, for Mrs. Buckley continued to conduct the place for many years after the death of her husband, John Buckley, who came to this city from Elmira in 1874.

Oysters Still a Novelty.

Those were the days when oysters were still somewhat of a novelty, and oyster houses were considered quite elite. No theater party was complete without an oyster supper afterward, and one didn't think of having company come to town without taking them out to dine at Buckley's. At noontime Buckley's was the popular gathering place for business men, and the man-about-town didn't consider his day well spent unless a visit to Buckley's figured conspicuously in its round of pleasure.

William Boston, to whose culinary art belonged much of the success of the Buckley establishment, married Mrs. Buckley some time after her husband's death, and together they conducted the oyster house for a number of years. Later Mr. Boston was associated with Mr. Vanderslice for a time in the operation of another oyster house in Main Street East, where the Sibley store is now located. That was after "Buckley's" had passed out of existence.

In 1887 Mr. Vanderslice and his son, John S. Vanderslice, opened their first oyster house in Cortland Street, and later they conducted similar places in three different locations on the north side of Main Street East between Clinton Avenue North and North Street. There were no all-night restaurants of any kind in those days, and the Vanderslice establishments came the nearer to representing the so-called "night life" of the city than anything else.

Everything "Wound Up" with Oysters.

Parties, an evening at the play, buggy rides, ball games—everything through which people sought to amuse or entertain themselves always "wound up" at the oyster house. What Buckley's had been to one generation, the Vanderslice places were to another.

Jacob Vanderslice's success continued through no less than seven different oyster house ventures, including his restaurant in Franklin Street, which will be best remembered by most people of to-day, and continuing until his death while still actively engaged in the business as proprietor of the present oyster house in Main Street west, which has now passed over into the hands of his son.

Mrs. Mary Oliver Tait of 374 Andrews Street, widow of Thomas Tait, died yesterday, aged 77 years. She leaves four sons, Dr. T. Oliver, Robert, Joseph A. and Samuel Tait, and three daughters, Mrs. Isabel Cooper, Mrs. L. Fred Myers and Miss Martha M. Tait. The funeral will take place from the home to-morrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

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Dr. Frederick R. Smith

Succumbs To Pneumonia

Times-Union *Mon., 25-1919*

End Comes Peacefully at 9:10 O'Clock This Morning at His Home—Had Won Marked Success as Physician, in Politics, and Was One of the Most Prominent Figures in Masonic Circles in the Country.

Dr. Frederick R. Smith, one of the most prominent figures in masonic circles in the United States, and one of the most widely known citizens of Rochester, died at 9:10 o'clock this morning at his home at 89 Plymouth avenue, after an illness of a week with pneumonia. He was taken ill a



DR. FREDERICK R. SMITH.

week ago yesterday and his condition has been serious since.

Although yesterday his physicians, Dr. Charles R. Sumner and Dr. Shirley R. Snow, believed he had a bare fighting chance, his heart, upon which his recovery depended, failed, and the end came peacefully this morning.

Dr. Smith's activities were varied, and his ability, coupled with his abounding good-cheer and personality brought him marked success in his profession as a physician, in politics and in Masonry. He was affiliated with every local branch of Masonry, and his rapid rise brought him the distinction of being the only Rochester man ever elevated to be imperial potentate of the Shrine. As a matter of fact, now no other Rochester Mason is in line in the Imperial Divan.

Dr. Smith leaves his wife, Mrs. Charissa Smith; two daughters, Frances and Dorothy Smith; four brothers, Charles M. and Jasper O. Smith of Penn Yan, William C. Smith of Rochester and Lewis P. Smith of Syracuse; and one sister, Ella J. Smith of Penn Yan.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon, the time having not yet been decided. Dr. Smith was a member of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Dr. Frederick Robinson Smith was born in Penn Yan on August 31, 1870. He received his early education at the Penn Yan Academy and the preparatory school at Dundee. He graduated from the Hahnemann Medical College at Philadelphia in 1893, after which he became resident physician of the Homeopathic Hospital in this city when that institution was located on Monroe avenue.

When the discovery of gold in Alaska started the rush of 1889 he was given charge of the organization, outfitting and directing of a mining expedition into that country. While the expedition did not uncover millions in gold, Dr. Smith had many interesting and exciting experiences.

Dr. Smith returned to resume his practise of medicine in Rochester, and his success, due to his careful application, won him a wide reputation throughout New York State. He was a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy, the New York State Homeopathic Medical Society, and the Western New York Medical Society, and since its organization he served as a field investigator for the War Risk Insurance Department of the government.

His extensive practise and his various interests did not keep him from fulfilling his duties as a citizen. When Charles S. Owen resigned as supervisor of the Third Ward to become a commissioner of public safety in December, 1907, Dr. Smith was chosen to serve the remainder of the term. He served in the board about a month when the Democrats replaced him with P. E. Connaughton.

Chairman of Supervisors.

In the Fall of 1908, at a special election, Dr. Smith was elected to the supervisorship by the Republicans, and was a member of seven years, serving until December 31, 1915. He was chairman of the board in 1911, 1912 and 1913, being the second man to hold that office for three consecutive years, the other man being Harley E. Hamil, his immediate predecessor.

In 1915 Dr. Smith was elected alderman from the Third Ward, holding this post until December 27, 1916, when he retired to take up his duties as coroner on the West Side, to which he was elected that fall. Dr. Smith proved to be one of the most efficient coroners Rochester has ever had.

Dr. Smith was one of the most prominent Masons in the country. His masonic affiliations began when he was made a Master Mason by Yonondio Lodge on December 11, 1894. His popularity was growing and he went through the various chairs of the lodge, then located in the Smith-Perkins building on Exchange street, being chosen master in 1898. He became a member of Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, in 1896, and of Dovic Council, Royal and Select Masters, in 1898.

Masonic Connections.

He was knighted by Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar, on May 14, 1897, rising in course of time to be its commander. He served as district deputy grand master for the 33rd Masonic District in 1900.

Following his joining Damascus Temple on May 12, 1897, Dr. Smith's rise in the Shrine was nothing less than remarkable. He became potentate, and then entered the Imperial Divan of the Ancient Arabic Order of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine of North America as an outside guard.

As a reward for his assiduous attention to masonic affairs, and his great personal following, he was made imperial potentate by the Shriners at their convention at Atlanta on May 13, 1914. A special train of Rochester Shriners escorted him to Atlanta. He served in that office until the Imperial Council at Seattle in July, 1915. No past imperial potentate has ever been as popular or wielded such an influence as has Dr. Smith.

Shrine Imperial Potentate.

While he was imperial potentate a country-wide trip to the various temples was made, and this merely served to increase his popularity. He was easily the most beloved Shriner in America.

While on this trip Dr. Smith participated in some of the most unique Shrine affairs in the history of the body. He was one of a body of Shriners who went to Honolulu, Hawaii, in 1915, to install Aloha Temple. A spectacular feature of this ceremony was the conferring of a degree in the crater of Kilauea, the world's greatest volcano.

Before this, Dr. Smith accompanied a Minneapolis body of Shriners to Panama, where a temple was dedicated. There a feature was the conferring of a degree in one of the big locks of the Gatun Dam. Another unusual ceremony was one performed in the Grand Canyon of Colorado.

During his year as imperial potentate, Dr. Smith traveled 52,600 miles, or more than 1,000 miles a week. Gifts were heaped upon him everywhere. San Francisco Shriners presented him with a solid gold key as indication that the city was his.

When he returned to Rochester Dr. Smith brought with him gifts from 95 out of the 105 Shrines he visited. Many of these gifts were costly and rare, and their value ran well up into the thousands. He was presented with gold and silver plate, and among the gifts were a silver dinner service of 347 pieces, a genuine totem pole, rugs, cut glass, statuary, loving cups, clocks, tables, punch bowls, etc.

Dr. Smith was given his Scottish Rite degree by the local consistory in 1902. He was made a 33d degree Mason, a much coveted honor, at Saratoga on September 19, 1911. He was commander-in-chief of Rochester Consistory from May, 1911, to May, 1913. He was elected high priest of Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, in 1901. He was a member and former president of the Masonic Club and a director of the masonic board. For a time he was a member of the state committee on foreign correspondence of the Grand Commandery of the State of New York.

Dr. Smith was also a member of the Odd Fellows and the Knights of Pythias.

One of the things Dr. Smith had been most interested in during the past few years was the Automobile Club of Rochester, of which he became president on March 29, 1915, serving as president since. Due greatly to his efforts the membership of the club has increased from about 1,200 to about 4,000.

Working especially for good roads and the general advancement of motoring, Dr. Smith's acquaintance, both among dealers and association and club officials, grew greatly, and at the meeting of the New York State Motor Federation held here last December, he was elected president of the federation.

The following resolution was passed by the Board of Directors of Automobile Club of Rochester at noon today:

God, in His infinite wisdom, has taken to His throne our beloved president, Dr. Frederick R. Smith. But a few brief days ago he was living his life among us, a force for great good in the community. It is difficult to realize that his kindly presence will be with us no more. His death brings not only grief and a sense of great loss, but an acute appreciation of his value to our city and his constant and friendly service to his neighbors.

We are met here to record our love and respect for the man, and to extend to his family and others who are near and dear to him, a sympathy that is quickened by our profound sorrow. By his death the Automobile Club of Rochester loses its most valued officer and the City of Rochester one of its best citizens.

With the realization that the automobilists of Rochester will sorely miss his faithful and intelligent efforts for the betterment of automobilizing conditions in the city and the state, it is

Resolved, That the Automobile Club of Rochester spread this record upon its minutes and that a copy thereof be sent to the family of Dr. Smith as a token of sympathy and respect.

HUNDREDS PAY LAST HONOR TO DR. F. R. SMITH

Success Union
Men Prominent in Masonic,
Political and Business Life
Attend Funeral Services
This Afternoon — Motor
Federation Represented.

March 27 1919
Funeral services for Dr. Frederick R. Smith were conducted at his home this afternoon, the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, officiating, assisted by the officers of Yonondio Lodge, F. and A. M. The services at the grave in Mt. Hope Cemetery were in charge of the officers of Monroe Commandery 12, K. T.

All through the forenoon there was an endless stream of visitors to the home at 89 Plymouth avenue south, the hundreds that had known Dr. Smith in public, social and fraternal life calling at the house to obtain a final look at the well known features of a man whose popularity among men was not confined to his native town. In that vast number of people were scores of men identified with the masonic fraternity and the automobile interests of the city, state and country, not a few of those who honored Dr. Smith by their attendance at his funeral and burial being men who had attained prominence in the ranks of Freemasonry, with the progress of which he had been so vitally concerned during the greater part of the last quarter of a century. Some of them came from miles to honor their friend and associate and the wealth of beautiful floral offerings, which banked the casket on three sides and covered the four walls of the room in which the remains lay in state prior to the funeral services gave mute testimony of the great love, esteem and friendship in which this well-known and beloved Rochesterian was held by all who knew him.

Prominent Masons Present.

While there were many distinguished officials of the masonic fraternity in attendance at the services, it was impossible at noon to obtain a complete list of those who came from out of the city. Notable among them, however, were officers of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, or watch Dr. Smith was a past imperial potentate. They included Imperial Potentate Elias J. Jacoby of Indianapolis, Imperial Treasurer William C. Brown of Pittsburgh and others, and there was a delegation present to represent the New York State Motor Federation, of which Dr. Smith was president. These included practically all the officers and members of the board of directors.

During the hours the body lay in state, from 11 o'clock until 1, a guard of honor stood beside the casket. It was composed of George J. Michaelson, W. C. Rodenbeck, F. M. Allen and Fred Turner, representing Monroe Commandery, and the members of the drill team of Damascus Temple. The officers and directors of the New York State Motor Federation and a large delegation representing the Automobile Club of Rochester, of which Dr. Smith was president, met at Powers Hotel at noon and marched in a body to the home on Plymouth avenue to pay their respects to their dead leader.

At the same time there were present those who were prominent in the business, political, social and fraternal life of the city, at the home to add their tribute to those who came to express their feelings of regret and grief in the death of this well known citizen. And during the time the funeral services were being held the house was too small to accommodate all who came to honor and revere his memory, the number of mourners being far in excess of any at any funeral to be held in Rochester in many years.

Among those who mourned the loss of this beloved citizen in a humble yet none the less sincere way was a young colored man, Fitzpatrick Stewart by name, whom Dr. Smith had been helping through a course in the University of Pittsburgh and Western Theological Seminary. Upon the occasion of his last visit to the home of Dr. Smith he confessed that he would be unable to return to college, owing to lack of funds, whereupon Dr. Smith told him to go back to the institution and he would see him through.

Even up to the day he was taken down with pneumonia Dr. Smith remembered his young colored charge and wrote him, requesting Stewart to acquaint him with his needs. And when death cast a shadow across his educational aspirations, this young colored youth, with a heart crying out with sadness, left his college studies to hurry on to Rochester and, beside the casket which contained the cold form of his benefactor in life, this young man of negro blood shed tears which caused a deeper stain on his dark features as he looked down upon the pale, yet peaceful features of the man he knew so well and loved so dearly as he brokenly said: "He know no color line; he was too big a man for that."

Extended Helping Hand.

And if the casual observer wondered at the presence of this young colored man among the mourners today they can now appreciate that he represented, at least, the genuine sorrow that is felt by one who has lost the friend that extended to him a helping hand to him through life.

Members of the traffic squad of the police department rode to the house in a body and there were other delegations that came to honor the dead. And the scores that could not come voiced their sorrow and regret in Dr. Smith's untimely death in telegrams which have been pouring into the Plymouth avenue house from the hour his demise was first announced. These came from men of prominence in various parts of the country, all of whom had a personal acquaintance with the doctor which they will cherish all the more now that he is dead.

Additional messages of condolence were received from Secretary of State Francis Hugo, Attorney General Chas. D. Newton, Frank B. Silverwood, prominent Los Angeles Shriner and a close personal friend of Dr. Smith, and others.

The honorary bearers were: William Bausch, Dr. Charles R. Sumner, County Clerk James L. Hotchkiss, George W. Aldridge, C. C. Beahan, W. W. Hibbard, Judge Willis K. Gillette, Coroner Thomas A. Killip, Herbert W. Pierce, Justice John B. M. Stephens, Fred H. Rapp, Charles D. Van Zandt, R. Andrew Hamilton and Jacob Messner.

The active bearers at the house were W. J. Parker, J. Stewart Burns, M. J. Kellar, Charles S. Owen, Earl J. Neville, F. K. Hill, Emil H. Schmidt and Alex P. Thompson. The active bearers at Mount Hope Cemetery were the following members of Monroe Commandery: George J. Michaelson, W. C. Rodenbeck, Edward Gosnell, Fred M. Strohm, William F. Stein, J.

NOTABLE HONORS PAID MEMORY OF DR. F. R. SMITH

High Masons and Political
Leaders at His Funeral.

SOME TRIBUTES COME FAR

D. & C.
Wreath Representing Hawaiian, One for California Newsboy Benefactor; Others from Maine, California and Other States.

March 28 1919
Hundreds of Rochester's most representative citizens sat with bowed heads, many with tear-filled eyes, and other hundreds stood out in the soggy, stormy street while the funeral ritual was said for Dr. Frederick R. Smith, most popular Shriner in North America and man of legions of friends, from his home at No. 89 Plymouth avenue.

From 11 o'clock in the morning to 1 o'clock in the afternoon, the body lay in state with George J. Michaelson, W. C. Rodenbeck, F. M. Allen and Fred Turner, of Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar and Damascus Temple Patrol, as a guard of honor. Several thousands of sorrowing friends passed through for the last look at the man of ever cheerful camaraderie. It was as great a tribute as ever was paid the memory of a Rochesterian; the most impressive funeral ever held in this city for other than a church dignitary.

Attending were leading Masons from various parts of the country, foremost figures of the city's political life, both Republican and Democrat; physicians, big business men, the rich and the poor. Rochester was represented in all its cosmopolitan parts. All had known and loved the big-hearted physician, civic worker and comrade.

Flowers to Hospitals.

The service was conducted by Yonondio Lodge, F. and A. M., the Rev. W. A. R. Goodwin, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, preaching the funeral oration at 4 o'clock. After the services Yonondio Lodge formed a lane from the house for the hundreds to pass out. Fifteen minutes passed while the deeply-moved friends of Dr. Smith left the home and the two hundred or more wreaths and other pieces of flowers were carried out to the waiting trucks. Four large florist's trucks were used to carry the flowers in the funeral cortege.

Knowing that it would be Dr. Smith's wish, the family had all the plants, loose flowers and floral tributes not made up delivered to the various hospitals of the city and to the Dorsey Home for Dependent Colored Children. There was enough of these flowers to supply nearly every invalid in the city hospitals with bouquets.

No Rochester funeral ever had so many flowers. The wreaths, symbolic pieces and loose flowers packed the four sides of the room in which the casket rested in great banks several feet deep. Each piece carried a distinction and deep significance to the family of Dr. Smith.

Dorsey Home Sends Piece.

Perhaps the floral tribute which would have meant most to Dr. Smith was that from the colored children of Dorsey Home. Throughout the influenza epidemic and whenever his services were needed, Dr. Smith ministered to the little tots of that home without charge. Day or night, he was always cheerfully available. He loved them and they idolized him. He was a ray of sunshine to their existence.

A large automobile wheel of pink and white roses and carnations and purple sweet peas stood on a standard. A part of its rim was gone. The token represented the thought of the New York State Motor Federation to which Dr. Smith, as president, meant success in its hopes. The Automobile Club of Rochester sent a solid wheel of pink carnations with red carnation spokes, and its officers and directors were represented with a great bouquet of American beauty roses. Another large vase of these roses placed back of the casket came from Imperial Treasurer William S. Brown and other friends of Pittsburgh.

Across the casket lay a beautiful cross of massed white carnations and greenery, the token of Dr. Smith's wife and daughters.

Tributes from Masons.

Dr. Smith entered the Rochester Consistory in 1902 in the last class of the old temple. The class has always maintained an organization. It placed a great wreath of violets and gold of Ophir roses before the casket of its leading comrade yesterday.

Rochester Thirty-third Degree Masons contributed a large double eagle of white carnations with purple crown with the red figure of "33" on its breast. A bowling pin in white carnations set in a frame of roses, carnations and sweet peas expressed the condolence of the Friday Night Bowling Club of the Rochester Club. Two Maitese crosses or roses and carnations bespoke of the thought of Monroe and Cyrene Commanderies, Knights Templar.

A gigantic wreath of beautiful roses came from the Imperial Divan of the Mystic Shrine of North America. Frank B. (Daddy) Silverwood, father of the Los Angeles Shrine, the man who starts bank accounts for newsboys, and who is declared to be the best loved man on the Pacific Coast, had a wondrous wreath of yellow and white daffodils, hyacinths, gold of Ophir roses and other flowers there as a tribute to his friend.

Wreath from Hawaiian.

The Third Ward Republican Committee sent a third great vase of American Beauty roses. There were four of these vases of that national flower. Central Consistory, Syracuse, presented a large wreath of sweet peas and roses. Another beautiful floral tribute was there from James McCandless, the Hawaiian sugar king, who is known as "Sunny Jim of Honolulu." He was one of Dr. Smith's closest friends, as was Will O. Washburn, the St. Paul Shriner, who also sent flowers.

So one might enumerate the fine floral tributes. There were more than two hundred of them from leading Masons, politicians, business men, clubs, people to whom Dr. Smith was a brother and benefactor. Among others might be named the following: Lalla Rookh Grotto, Monroe County Board of Supervisors, the Common Council and City Clerk's office, Grand Chapter of New York Order of Royal Arch Masons, Lulu Temple, Philadelphia; Past

Imperial Potentate George E. Brown, of Buffalo; Asa Temple, Springfield, Ill.; Hamilton Chapter, R. A. M.; Masonic Club, Pastmasters' Association of Yonkondio Lodge, Rochester Consistory, Damascus Temple, Doric Council; Nobles Fred Haven and William J. Ranton, of Chicago; Medinah Temple, Chicago; Past Imperial Potentate C. E. Owenshire, of Minneapolis; Masonic Governing Board, Past Imperial Potentate J. Putnam Stevens, of Portland, Me.; Buffalo Automobile Club, Rome Automobile Club, Jamestown Automobile Club; Monroe County Pioneers' Association, Supervisors' and Ex-Supervisors' Association, Rochester Protectors, Rochester Council, Knights of Columbus and scores of other prominent organizations and men.

Shriners' Potentate Attends.

Telegrams continued to pour in yesterday, expressing condolence to the family. Among these late ones were those from Senator John B. Mullan, Lieutenant-Governor Harry C. Walker and "Sunny Jim" McCandless, of Honolulu.

Among the out-of-town Shriners and Thirty-third Degree Masons noted at the services were Imperial Potentate Elias J. Jacob and Colonel E. J. Shand, of Moolah Temple, Indianapolis; Past Imperial Potentate William C. Irwin, of Wheeling, West Va.; Imperial Treasurer William C. Brown, of Pittsburgh; Walter Sugden and Dr. O. J. Burdette, of Osiris Temple, Wheeling; Alex Gilliland, of Syria Temple, Pittsburgh; Past Potentate George K. T. Staples, of Ismailla Temple, Buffalo and George McCandless, one of Pittsburgh's Thirty-third degree Masons.

The mourning for Dr. Smith knew no racial, social, political or religious lines. Catholics were there in common sorrow with Shriners. John Pallace, Democratic leader of this county, County Chairman Harlan W. Rippey and many leading Democrats were at the funeral of the strong Republican leader. Monroe County Republican Leader George W. Aldridge was an honorary bearer. Fitzpatrick Stewart, the youth Dr. Smith was putting through the University of Pittsburgh, attended.

Cortege Is Impressive.

The formation of the cortege took nearly half a hour. Traffic had been blocked off between Spring and Troup streets by Police Sergeant Mulcahy. Captain James McD. Ellis, of the Traffic Squad, had personal charge of the great throng of vehicles.

The great cortege with its hundreds of uniformed lodge men and mourners moved slowly to Mount Hope cemetery where the body was interred after the impressive committal service of Monroe Commandery, Knights Templar.

The active bearers at the house were W. J. Parker, J. Stewart Burns, M. J. Keller, Charles S. Owen, Earl J. Neville, P. K. Hill, Emil H. Schmidt and Alex P. Thompson. The active bearers at Mount Hope cemetery were the following members of Monroe Commandery: George J. Michaelson, W. C. Rodenbeck, Edward Gosnell, Fred M. Strohm, William P. Stefa, J. W. McWilliams, Dewey Crittenden and F. M. Allen.

The honorary bearers were William Bausch, Dr. Charles R. Sumner, County Clerk James L. Hotchkiss, George W. Aldridge, C. C. Beahan, W. W. Hibbard, Judge Willis K. Gillette, Coroner Thomas A. Killip, Herbert W. Pierce, Justice John B. M. Stephens, Fred H. Rapp, Charles D. Van Zandt, R. Andrew Hamilton and Jacob Messner.

Wears Potentate Badge.

Dr. Smith went to his eternal rest wearing on his breast his imperial potentate badge and on his finger was his Thirty-third degree Masonic ring. It was a fitting farewell which Rochester and North American Masonry gave yesterday to its beloved leader and friend.

**OLDEST NATIVE
OF ROCHESTER IS
DEAD IN GENESEO**

Times Union
**George S. Riley, Born on Site
of Present Whitcomb
House and Once Promi-
nent in Local Business and
Social Circles, Dies.**

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George S. Riley, who died yesterday in Geneseo at the age of 96 years, was one of Rochester's oldest citizens, having been born in 1822 in the home of his parents, then located on what is now the site of the Whitcomb House. His father, Ashbel W. Riley, came by mule team across country and purchased land in Rochester in 1816, the year of the village's incorporation. On this land he built the house in which George S. Riley was born. Without doubt the latter was the oldest native inhabitant of the city. About 20 years ago Mr. Riley, on account of failing health, removed to Avon, where he continued to live until a short time ago, when he was taken to Geneseo.

His was a familiar figure in business and social circles during his long life in this city. In his younger days he was known as the Beau Brummel of Rochester, dressing in the latest modes and recognized prominently in the best social elements of the old days. Mr. Riley never married. At one time he was the largest single owner of real estate in the city.

Riley Triangle, now known as Anderson Park, at the corner of University avenue and Main street east, was in the center of a large tract of vacant property extending east to the New York Central Railroad. For several years the taxes assessed by the city on hundreds of "parcels" of land owned by Mr. Riley covered over a newspaper page in the annual list of advertised city tax sales. As a result of refusing to sell any part of his land holdings the property was lost to him and he became almost a recluse.

Cyrus D. Bentley, a nephew, of Chicago, is Mr. Riley's only relative and through his benefactions he was enabled to live in comparative comfort.

Funeral services will be held at Mt. Hope Chapel tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, the Rev. W. S. Stone of First Presbyterian Church officiating.

sent abroad to make treaties with Japan and other nations.
Mrs. Balestier, who died Saturday night at Brattleboro, was well remembered by several old friends in this city to-day when they were informed of her death. Her daughter, Carolyn, wife of Mr. Kipling, was recalled as a vivacious, slender girl, of medium height, dark blue eyes and brown hair. She was very fond of society. It was said her marriage to the English writer was the expressed wish of her brother, Wolcott.

Mrs. Kipling's Grandfather.

The Balestiers were descended from Joseph Nerec Balestier, father of Henry Wolcott Balestier and grandfather of Mrs. Kipling. He died in September, 1838. He was born, according to an old clipping in the files of The Post Express, in Martinique, West Indies, on April 1, 1814. He was brought to this country when an infant, and his boyhood was passed in New York in the family of an elder brother, whose wife was a daughter of Paul Revere. He was graduated from the Columbia Law school and went to Chicago in 1835, where he remained until 1841, practising law and writing for the Chicago "American," which was the daily whig paper of that time. In 1841 he returned to New York, where he practiced law until 1868, when he retired from active work in his profession. He spent a year and a half in European travel, and then bought the valuable property three miles north of here, where he spent the rest of his life. Mr. Balestier had a passion for art, in which he cultivated a discriminating taste. He collected many paintings which adorn the walls of Beechwood.

Other Members of the Family.

The choicest of all is a genuine Murillo, discovered by him in an old European shop, which had been painted over by another artist after Murillo. Mr. Balestier discovered its real worth and had it restored. It is kept in a glass case and guarded carefully. Mr. Balestier attended All Souls' church when in New York city, and he was a close friend of the Rev. Dr. Henry W. Bellows. He had an extensive acquaintance among the prominent intellectual men of his day, and the extensive and never-varying hospitality of Beechwood made them his guests frequently.

He married in 1837 Carolyn Starr Wolcott, of the Connecticut family of Wolcotts, who met her future husband while visiting relatives in Chicago. Mrs. Balestier was a very noble woman, well known in New York in former days. During the war she left her elegant home and high social position in New York and joined the Sanitary commission as a regular nurse. Becoming exhausted, she returned North to recover. She had heard of the beauties of Brattleboro and went there for rest and strength. She formed so great an attachment for the place that the family located there. Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Balestier had four sons—John, a lawyer in New York; Wolcott, Robert and Joseph, who married Miss Ireland, of the Springfield family of Irelands, and lived in New York. Wolcott, the second son, lived and brought up his family in Boston. He died when the children were quite young, and the children with their mother lived with the maternal grandparents in this city or at the family home in Brattleboro, Vt.

**FUNERAL OF KIPLING'S
MOTHER-IN-LAW; WAS
ROCHESTER WOMAN**

Post-Mech. 25
**Death of Mrs. Anna Smith Balestier
in Brattleboro, Vermont, Due
to Apoplexy. 1919**

The funeral of Mrs. Anna Smith Balestier, formerly of this city, widow of Henry Wolcott Balestier, mother-in-law of Rudyard Kipling, and daughter of the late Erasmus Peshine Smith and Anna Beatty Smith, is taking place to-day at Brattleboro, Vt. She was about 80 years of age and had, according to information received by Dr. Charles A. Dewey, friend and neighbor of the family when they lived in Rochester, been ill a considerable length of time. Death, due to apoplexy, however, came suddenly. She was born in this city.

It is not believed that any near relatives live here now. Colonel Clinton Rogers married a Beatty and in that way was related. The Balestiers moved from Rochester between thirty and forty years ago. Wolcott Balestier's sister, Carolyn, is the wife of Rudyard Kipling. The Balestier home was at Lexington avenue and Thorn street.

Rudyard Kipling and Miss Carolyn Balestier were married in London, January 18, 1892. Wolcott Balestier, her brother, and Mr. Kipling were close friends. They collaborated on the novel "Naulahka," Wolcott Balestier had won considerable renown as an American author when he died about twenty-seven years ago. He was one of four children of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolcott Balestier. The other three were Mrs. Kipling, Josephine, a younger sister, and Beatty, a younger brother. Mrs. Henry Wolcott Balestier, their mother, whose funeral is taking place to-day, was the daughter of Judge Erasmus Peshine Smith, of Rochester.

Lived in Livingston Park.

The Peshine Smiths lived in Livingston park for a while. Later they moved to the northern part of the city. Judge Smith was a United States consul in Japan many years. He was considered one of the greatest authorities on international law, a subject which now is perplexing the world in its efforts to bring about a lasting peace. In the early sixties he was

**FRED A. REYNOLDS,
NOTED MUSICIAN,
DIES AT HIS HOME**

Heard
Professor Fred Albert Reynolds, son of the late Dr. John Andrus Reynolds, died at 4 o' clock yesterday afternoon at his

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PROF. FRED ALBERT REYNOLDS.

home, 1281 St. Paul Street, after a short illness.

Professor Reynolds was one of the best known musicians in this section of the country. He was for years professor of music at Allegheny College at Meadville, Pa., and also at Lima Seminary. He was widely known as a teacher, organist and pianist.

Professor Reynolds was a member of Yonondio Lodge 163, F. and A. M.; Monroe Commandery 12, K. T.; Rochester Consistory, A. A. S. R.; Hamilton Chapter 62, R. A. M.; Doric Council 19, R. and S. M.; Lalla Rookh Grotto 3, Damascus Temple, A. A. O. N. S.; Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and the R. M. P. A. Local 68, A. F. of M.

Professor Reynolds was organist and choirmaster for seventeen years at Second Baptist Church. He also served as organist at the Jewish Synagogue and Trinity Episcopal Church. At the time of his death he was organist at Church of the Ascension.

Professor Reynolds is survived by his wife, Mrs. Nellie Higgins Reynolds; three sons, Fred M., Harold A. and Howard E. Reynolds; one daughter, Mrs. Herbert W. Brigham and one granddaughter, Pauline Ellenore Brigham. The funeral will take place from Church of the Ascension Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Masonic fraternity will be in charge.

Two Organizations Pay Tributes
of Respect to Memory of Woman
Who Gave Her Life to Good Work

Mch. 25 - 1919

At a special meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Managers of the Industrial School, Exchange Street, the following tribute to Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins was adopted:

It is with profound sorrow that the executive committee of the Board of Managers of the Industrial School of Rochester records the death of Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, recording secretary of the board. As one of the founders of the institution, her connection with the board began in 1856, the annual meeting of January 4, 1919, closing her sixty-second year of continuous service.

Though a very young woman at the inception of the work, Mrs. Perkins entered upon the task of ministering to the destitute children of Rochester with a deep sense of responsibility, spending much time and thought upon them and repeatedly caring for their personal needs with her own hands.

As time brought the burdens of advancing years, the clerical duties of her office were performed by an assistant, but her sympathetic concern for the success of the work never abated. She continued to be present at all meetings of the board, and in recent years has been actively interested in the food of the children, spending morning after morning at the school to plan a daily diet which would be sufficiently varied and nourishing.

In times of perplexity her advice, based upon the experience of years, was always to be relied upon, and together with her time and interest were ever at the service of this institution.

We desire to record our appreciation of the clear judgment, the keen discernment and the untiring zeal which have distinguished the service she has rendered. Her presence will be greatly missed at

our monthly meetings and we feel a deep sense of loss as we say farewell to this beloved and revered officer of our board.

The fruitage of her years is garnered and with ripened sheaves she has entered into the presence of her Master. "Silence here—but far beyond us, many voices crying, 'Hail!'"

The members of the board of directors of the Western New York Institute for Deaf Mutes, meeting yesterday, made this record in their minutes concerning Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins, second vice president:

It is with profoundest sorrow that we, the members of the board of directors of the Rochester School for the Deaf, record the death of our long-time associate and dear friend, Mrs. Caroline Erickson Perkins. Mrs. Perkins and her revered husband, the late Gilman H. Perkins, were the inspiration which in 1876 took form in the establishment of the Rochester School for the Deaf, and their loyalty and devotion to it remained strong and virile to the very end.

We shall sadly miss Mrs. Perkins in our board's deliberations in which she participated with a zest and directness in keeping with her pronounced and outspoken convictions.

Though her generous interest was extended to numerous worthy objects, we believe that none was more tenderly cherished by her than the School for the Deaf. Many and charming have been the ways in which she has shown her love for the school and for those under its care. As patron saint and almoner, here as elsewhere, her going will leave a large place unfilled, and numberless deaf children will long hold her name and memory sacred.

With the closing of a life long in time and rich in service, her unclouded soul has undertaken other and higher tasks beyond our ken.

Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins.

Oftentimes women do much for the public in which their lives are lived without publicity; the results of their works are known far more widely than the personality by which the work is done. Mrs. Gilman H. Perkins was through long years an influence for the good of and in Rochester. Her family was of the early days of upbuilding and progress here and the interest which was of her traditions, she made constantly a part of her active life. The work for deaf mutes culminating in Rochester's fine institution, our Industrial school, the Rochester Historical society and many another civic and state enterprise knew Mrs. Perkins as a moving influence; she helped to start good works and was ever ready to aid in their progress. The more intimate influences she exerted are treasured memories of those who enjoyed her friendship and acquaintance. There is at hand a time when women will more publicly than before gain and exert influence for public good; when their efforts will be more in the domain of public affairs. If there comes of this the same gracious and beneficent influence that was exerted by the gentlewomen of the older day, we shall be fortune-favored, for we need the dignity of morals and kindness toward public obligation that Mrs. Perkins so exemplified, as a stable bulwark against the flux of the time.

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DEATHS—FUNERALS

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CHARLES A. DICKINSON.

Son of Pioneer Settler and Brother of Late Pomeroy P. Dickinson Dies.

Charles A. Dickinson died yesterday in General hospital aged 63 years. He leaves his wife, Phoebe Barth Dickinson. He was a son of one of the pioneer settlers of Rochester and a brother of Pomeroy P. Dickinson, lawyer, student and traveler, whose death occurred a few months ago. Mr. Dickinson's father settled on a farm in what is known as the north-eastern section, near Portland avenue and Norton street and Mr. Dickinson was born there and had lived there all his life for when the farm was subdivided and sold he moved into a house at 29 Dickinson street, directly across the street from the old homestead.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919

Herald May 11 - Ralph Pendlebury.

Ralph Pendlebury, a Civil War veteran, who for twenty years had been a member of the Rochester Fire Department, died Friday at his home, 654 Seward Street, aged 83 years. He was born in England and came to America and settled in Rochester at the age of 16 years. He served in the 13th Infantry and later in the 21st Cavalry.

Mr. Pendlebury later became a member of the Fire Department and was for some time connected with the Extinguisher Company in Front Street. He was promoted to the rank of captain and assigned to Engine Company 7 in Plymouth Avenue South. After twenty years service he retired. He leaves his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Salo Friedenwald of Scranton, Pa. Funeral will be private.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919

Herald April 22 - Funeral of John Sylvester Wilson.

The funeral of John Sylvester Wilson, Rochester's oldest citizen, who died Saturday at the age of 104 years, took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the home at 241 Ridgeway Avenue. Professor Ernest W. Parsons of the Theological Seminary and acting pastor of the East Avenue Church, of which Mr. Wilson had been a member for 63 years, officiated, assisted by Rev. A. Gaylord Slocum. The services were private, but members of various organizations attended as delegates, including Harvey F. Remington of the Historical Society. Burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

The funeral of Franklin B. Hutchinson, well known lawyer and veteran of the Civil War, who died last Friday, took place yesterday morning at 11 o'clock from his late home at 83 Warwick Avenue. Burial was made in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Herald, June 10, 1919

Angelina S. Mumford.

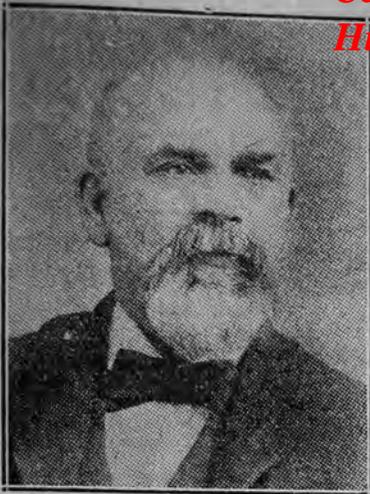
Angelina S. Mumford, 86 years, died yesterday at her home, the Pillars, 37 South Washington street.

Miss Mumford had been in poor health for some time. She was for many years a leading figure in religious and charitable work. She was a descendant of one of the oldest and best known families of Rochester. She was born on August 30, 1833, the daughter of William Mumford, George Mumford, her brother, a prominent lawyer and business man, was for many years president of the Merchants Bank. She was a member of the Board of Managers of the General

Hospital from 1876 to 1914 and since then an honorary member. She was president of the board from 1891 to 1898, and the extension and success of its activities was said to be due in a large measure to her efforts. Miss Mumford was the oldest member of the First Presbyterian Church. She formerly attended the Episcopal Church of the Epiphany.

She leaves four nephews, William, George, Norman and Phillip Mumford.

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William H. Marson.

Episcopal church and was a member of the building committee for the present of the present edifice. As a prominent and technically expert mason he was also a member of the building committee of the present Masonic temple and one of the delegation of governors of the Masonic society that turned the first spadeful of earth for the structure. He retired from business some ten years ago. During the war he was a hard worker in the Home Service Corps and other patriotic movements.

He was a life member of Yonnonadio Lodge 163, F. and A. M.; Hamilton Chapter, 62, R. A. M.; Monroe Commandery 12, K. T.; Rochester Consistory, and Damascus Temple, N. of M. S.

Mr. Marson was twice married, in 1858 to Charlotte E. Stuchfield, deceased, and July 2, 1917, to Sarah A. Oliver. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the house and at 2.30 o'clock from Cornhill Methodist church. Services will be conducted by Monroe commandery, 12, Knights Templar. Burial will be in the family lot in Mt. Hope.

DEATH TAKES *Post*
FORMER ALDERMAN
Apr. 21 - 1919
William H. Marson, Well-known Retired Building Contractor and Member of Masonic Fraternity.

William M. Marson died yesterday at his home, 463 Exchange street, aged 83 years. He leaves his wife, Sarah Oliver Marson; one son, Walter G. Marson, of Minneapolis; three granddaughters; one brother, Thomas of Sloux Falls, S. D., and one sister, Mrs. Charlotte Thompson, of Brodhead, Wis.

Mr. Marson was born in Nottingham, England, March 13, 1836, and came to this country when a boy 10 years of age and the family settled in Rochester, where he has since lived and for the last 63 years, or since 1850, in Exchange street in the Third ward. He was early in life apprenticed to the carpenter's trade. Later he often recalled with pleasure the fact that as a journeyman he worked on the construction of the Driving Park avenue bridge which preceded the present structure, and many other of the now older buildings of the city. He soon became a building contractor and gained an enviable reputation for the honesty of his construction and fair-dealing with all with whom he was brought in contact. He was of kindly and charitable nature, an enthusiastic American and had watched with pride the development of the home city of his choice. He remarked but a short time ago that the only two buildings of importance now remaining in the business part of Main street which were standing when he came to the city were Reynolds arcade and the old University of Rochester building near the canal bridge.

Mr. Marson took a deep interest in politics and while reluctant to press his own claims, was several times induced by his neighbors to represent them in the Common council. He was the republican representative of the Third ward in the council of 1886 and 1887 and on his voluntary retirement was presented an engrossed testimonial by citizens of the ward in evidence of their appreciation of his honest and untiring efforts to promote the welfare of those he represented. Again in 1900 and 1901 he was the aldermanic representative of the ward. He was for more than 50 years a sustaining member of Cornhill Methodist

MONROE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL DIES OF PNEUMONIA

Times Union
Alice Perry Held Enviably Record of Long Service With Schools of Rochester — Was First Appointed in 1877. *Apr. 29 - 1919*

Superintendent of Schools Herbert S. Weet was notified this morning of the death of Miss Alice Perry, principal of No. 15 School, at her home, 7 Boardman street. Miss Perry was ill but a short time, her death resulting from pneumonia contracted a few days after the schools closed for the Easter recess.

In Miss Perry's death, a close was brought to a career that has accomplished perhaps more work in the Rochester schools than any member now connected with them. For 42 years Miss Perry was identified with the city school, the majority of the time being spent at No. 15 School, where she was for a number of years teacher of the eighth grade. In June 1915, she was appointed principal of the school, following the resignation of Principal A. C. Clark, and she held that position up until the time of her death. For several years prior to her appointment to the principalship, Miss Perry was assistant principal at the school.

Miss Perry was always known as a very efficient teacher, in the schools, and in speaking of her death this morning, Superintendent Weet characterized her as "a very unusual and capable woman."

GEORGE EBERWEIN, *May 28* PIONEER NURSERY *1919* PRINTER, IS DEAD
Herald

George J. Eberwein, one of the best known job printers and bookbinders of Rochester and pioneer in the printing of nursery catalogues for the trade here, died yesterday at his home, 265 Chili Avenue, aged 57 years. He had not been ill long, and death was unexpected and a great blow to his wide circle of acquaintances.

Mr. Eberwein was born in Rochester and received his education in the city schools. He entered the bindery of Creed & Wilson when 13 years old and after that firm was burned out a number of years later and the business taken over by The Herald, Mr. Eberwein became superintendent of The Herald bindery. In 1909 he went into partnership with William F. Zahradt, under the name of Eberwein & Zahradt, job printers and bookbinders, and was connected with that establishment at the time of his death.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Annie Brasser Eberwein, a daughter, Miss Elsie C. Eberwein, kindergarten directress at No. 17 School; two brothers and a sister.

He was a member of Yonnonadio Lodge 163, F. and A. M.; Lalla Rookh Grotto 3, M. O. V. P. E. R.; Optimist Club, Chamber of Commerce and the Rochester Typothetae.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon from the home, 265 Chili Street. Burial will be made in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

Frank G. Coltman, Musical Critic Of Democrat, Dies
Times Union

Frank G. Coltman, musical critic and assistant dramatic critic of the Democrat and Chronicle, died yesterday after a brief illness at the age of 48. He had been connected with Rochester newspapers for eight years and was widely known in the city. Resolutions upon his death was adopted by the Rochester Newswriters' Club, of which he was one of the most prominent members, at a special meeting held this afternoon.

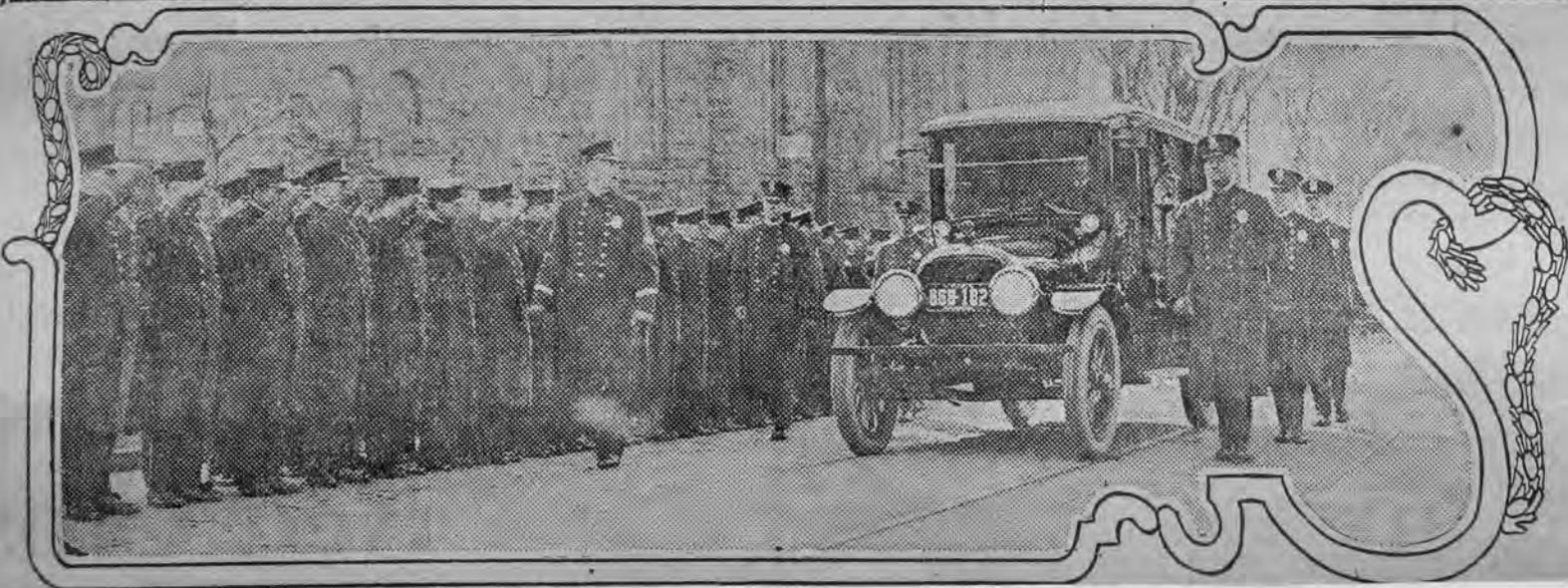
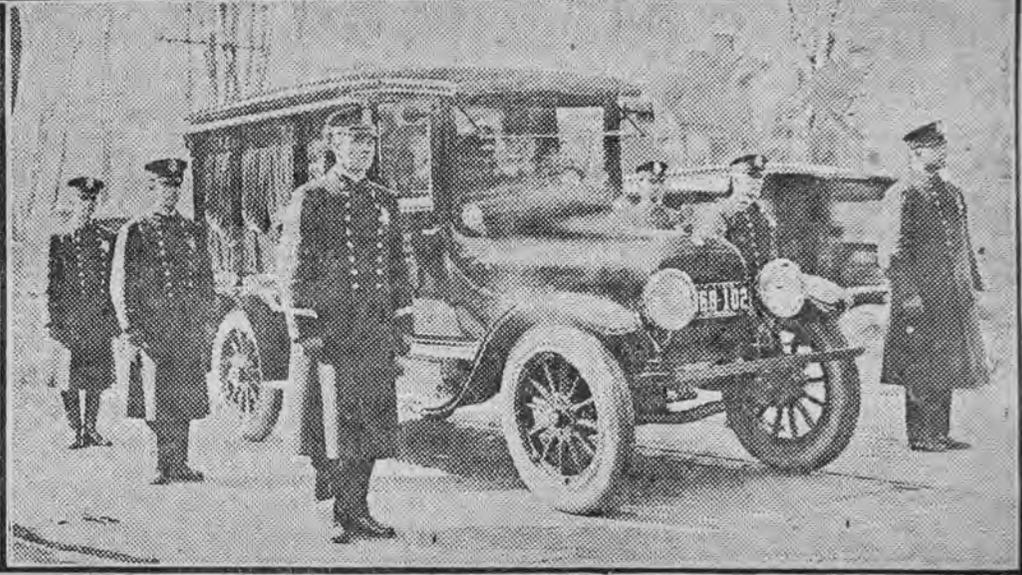
Before entering the newspaper field, Mr. Coltman was well known as an actor, being closely associated with Tim Murphy and other well known actors. Failing health caused him to leave the stage and he returned to Rochester, where he had lived many years of his earlier life, in 1911, becoming a member of the reportorial staff of the Rochester Herald.

In 1915 he became a member of the staff of the Post Express but remained with that paper only a few months before becoming musical critic and assistant dramatic critic of the Democrat and Chronicle. Mr. Coltman had been a student of music and painting since his early youth and his long dramatic experience made him a man of unusual fitness for the position he held. In addition he was the master of an easy and charming literary style and his contributions to the columns of the Democrat and Chronicle were a pleasing feature of that newspaper.

Mr. Coltman's early home was at Tidouste, Pa., and he was a member of the masonic lodge of that place. His nearest living relative is a niece, Miss Marion Shay of Mannington, W. Va. He was a cousin of the late Mrs. Charles Rodenbeck of Rochester. *June 21 - 1919*

FELLOW PATROLMEN AND OFFICERS OF POLICE DEPARTMENT PAY FINAL TRIBUTE TO JAMES H. UPTON, MURDERED LAST WEDNESDAY

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—Photos by Stone, Herald Photographer.
Upper left—Bearing the casket from the house to the hearse.
Upper right—Guard of honor, which accompanied body to cemetery.
Lower—Policemen saluting funeral cortege as it passes through their lines on its way to the cemetery.

IT WAS a sad group of comrades of Policeman James H. Upton that, under the command of Captain Henry F. McAllester, acted as escort yesterday afternoon to the simple funeral procession of the dead patrolman, who was shot Wednesday by Luigi Guadagnino, for whom the police have since kept up a tireless search without result. The funeral took place from the home at 447 West Avenue and burial was in Mt. Hope Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Sergeant Henry T. Copenhagen and Patrolmen Edward J. Connelly, George Claesgens, Cleon Wilkins, Edward F. Burke and William Sponenburgh, the last named being with Policeman Upton at the time of the shooting.

Rev. James M. Hutchinson, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, who conducted the service, paid a high tribute to the man who gave up his life in an attempt to prevent the breaking of the law by the possible destruction of life and property.

The funeral was attended by a number of police officials, including Police Chief Joseph M. Quigley, Deputy Chief Michael J. Zimmerman and Inspectors Alfred Killip and William A. Stein, as well as a number of captains and lieutenants, all in the uniform of their rank.

DEATHS—FUNERALS

Times-Union
CLARENCE J. BROWNING.
July 7 - 1919
Well-known Attorney Practiced Here
for Forty Years.

Clarence J. Browning, well-known lawyer and counsellor, died Friday in his home, 18 George street. Mr. Browning was born March 27, 1856, in Mendon on the homestead located in 1816 by his grandfather, Dr. John Browning, a typical practitioner of the old school, who came to this section from Massachusetts.

After completing public school courses and graduating from Genesee Wesleyan seminary in Lima Mr. Browning commenced to study law in this city in the office of John Van Voorhis. He passed his bar examinations in 1882 and until six years later was associated with the Van Voorhis firm. Then with Ednor A. Marsh he opened law offices in the Wilder building. Mr. Browning occupied these offices for nearly thirty years.

A few years later Mr. Browning formed a new partnership with Derrick W. Ross, which continued several years. Later he was associated with George K. Hixson and Edward I. Cleary.

In March, 1883, Mr. Browning married Harriet S. Hastings of Lima. She died in February, 1917. He leaves one nephew, Clarence Browning Woolston of New York, and one niece, Mrs. Roy W. Battams of Fishers.

The Bar association to-day adopted resolutions on the death of Mr. Browning. Supreme Court Justice J. B. M. Stephens presided. The following committee presented the resolutions: Eugene M. Van Voorhis, John D. Lynn, Richard E. White, Horace G. Pierce and Roy C. Webster.

The committee named to attend the funeral consists of Philetus Chamberlain, Ednor A. Marsh, Edward L. Cleary, Nicholas J. Weldgen and Francis M. Skivington.

DEATH OF CHARLES E. VAN LAER, PROMINENT ROCHESTER MUSICIAN, FOLLOWS ILLNESS OF MANY MONTHS

Herald May 5 - 1919

Charles E. van Laer, one of Rochester's most highly cultured musicians, died at his home at 1058 South Avenue early yesterday morning, following an illness of several months. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Florence M. van Laer; one son, George Edgar van Laer, president of the Rochester Brass and Wire Works Company; two grandchildren, the Misses Anne and Elizabeth van Laer; a sister, Mrs. James MacDougall of Newton Center, Mass., and a brother, Alexander T. van Laer of Litchfield, Conn.

Mr. van Laer was a son of Peter Cornelius and Minna Verbeck van Laer and was born at Auburn, September 7, 1854. During his boyhood and early youth he was associated with his father, who carried on a music and piano business in Auburn. Having early proved himself possessed of marked musical ability, Charles, in 1873, went to Germany to study at the famous conservatory of Leipsig. There his teachers were Reinecke, Jadassohn and Paul.

At Canandaigua School.

After his graduation from the conservatory in 1876, he returned to America and soon became connected with the well known Granger Place School for young women at Canandaigua. While holding this position he was married to Clara Poggenbeek of Amsterdam, Holland. By this mar-

riage there were three sons: Adolph C., George Edgar and Richard A. The youngest died in infancy; the oldest recently passed away, widely known as a piano and organ tuner.

Mr. van Laer's second wife was Mrs. Katherine Peck, widow of George W. Peck. She died in November, 1914.

In 1882 Mr. van Laer came to Rochester to reside, opened a studio and soon became one of the prominent music teachers of the city. Being an organist of marked ability, he occupied positions as such in Unitarian, St. John's, First Methodist and Salem churches. He also organized and directed choral societies here and in Canandaigua and was widely known as a composer of sacred as well as secular music, his compositions being published by Schirmer and also Schubert, the New York publishers.

Ranked High as Teacher.

He ranked high as a teacher, not only of piano and organ, but of the broader subjects, harmony and compositions. He was also ready to aid other composers who appealed to his superior knowledge and judgment for assistance and to many a composition he gave the finishing touches. His old friends and those who loved him honored him for the outstanding characteristics of his nature, geniality, unselfishness and loyalty.

In October, 1915, Mr. van Laer was married to Mrs. Florence M. Smith of Glenside, Pennsylvania.

The funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at his late residence.

Editorial Anna Howard Shaw.

To Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, as to few others, was it given to see the triumph of the cause to which she had devoted her whole energy.

Rochester may claim to have played a conspicuous part in the suffrage movement, since it was the home of that pioneer, Susan B. Anthony. Miss Anthony died while yet it required great faith to believe that equal voting rights for women would be established in this and other countries. Dr. Shaw, a leader in carrying on that work, has closed her career at a time when complete victory seems close at hand.

Anna Howard Shaw was a fighter with few equals in resolute attack upon those barriers of prejudice which so long restricted woman's sphere. Yet she always displayed a certain kindly common sense which added wonderfully to her effectiveness as a speaker and executive.

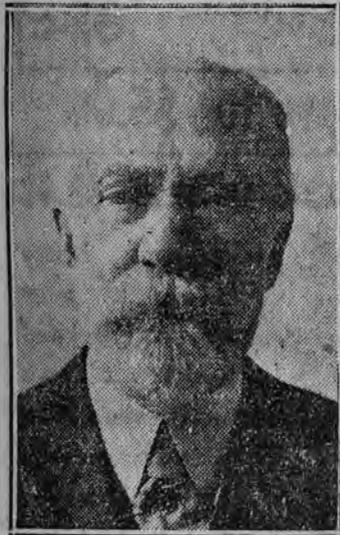
The death of anyone who has been known to so many, who has worked with such energy and zeal, always brings a keen sense of loss. Yet it would seem that Dr. Shaw should have died happy, since her life work was well nigh accomplished and equal suffrage was becoming the rule not only in the United States, where women have always occupied an especially high position, but even in lands where social as well as political custom had long condemned them to an inferior status. *July 3 - 1919*

E. H. SHERWOOD DIES AT HOME IN THIS CITY

Times Union
Musician and Composer of
More Than Local Fame
Succumbs After Illness of
Six Weeks—Was Civil
War Veteran. *June 3 1919*

Edgar H. Sherwood, widely known as a musician and composer, died at his home, 366 Gregory street, last evening. While Mr. Sherwood had not been in good health for the past five years his last illness was only of six weeks duration.

Mr. Sherwood was born in Lyons, N. Y., on January 29, 1845, and was a descendant of the Earl of Hunting-



EDGAR H. SHERWOOD.

ton of Nottinghamshire, England. His musical ability displayed itself as an early age and it is said that when four years of age he accompanied his brother at musicales given at the homes of friends. The boy's father, however, was unwilling that he should choose music as a profession and persuaded him to study medicine. In 1861 Mr. Sherwood was a student in the office of a Lyons physician and in the following year he enlisted in an infantry unit and served until the close of the Civil War. On his return to Lyons he definitely decided upon music as a career and began a thorough course of study.

Mr. Sherwood was unusually successful as a teacher. Among his pupils were Mrs. Braton S. Chase of Chicago, George E. Fisher of this city, Mrs. William Bartholomay, Mrs. William J. Critchley, Miss Jennie L. Dumond, Miss May J. Rogers and Allen H. Spencer, late director of the Toledo Conservatory.

Mr. Sherwood was also the composer of a number of songs and piano pieces of much merit and in 1912 wrote the "Rochester Centennial and Exposition March," which was played at the Industrial Exposition at the

centennial celebration. He was also the author and composer of a number of patriotic songs and in 1897 was appointed national musical director of the Union Veterans' Union with the rank of colonel.

While Mr. Sherwood spent a number of years in Chicago and in New York City in successful work as a teacher and as editor of a musical journal, Rochester was chosen by him as his home city and he was for many years active in the musical life of the city. His nephew, William H. Sherwood, who became one of the most famous of American pianists, was often a guest at his home and Mr. Sherwood was also instrumental in bringing many other well-known musicians to Rochester for recitals and concerts at a time when the city was largely dependent on independent effort for opportunity to hear these artists.

Among the better known of Mr. Sherwood's compositions are "The Dreamer," an elegy on Gottschalk, "The Nun and the Fountain," two polonaises in B flat and A minor, "Grand Minuet in A flat," "Souvenir de Montmorenci," "Anemone," "War Veterans' March," "We Loved That Dear Old Flag" and "Footsteps in the Snow".

Mr. Sherwood received many letters of congratulation on his musical ability as shown in his compositions from such men as Clarence Eddy, William Mason, E. M. Bowman, F. Liegfeld, president and director of the Chicago Musical College, George W. Morgan and Carlyle Petersilea.

Mr. Sherwood leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Sherwood, and three nieces of Lyons. He was a member of Powers Post, G. A. R.

ROCHESTER MUSICIAN, WHO HAD WON *June 31-* WORLD FAME AS COMPOSER, DIES AT AGE OF 74 AFTER LINGERING ILLNESS

Times Union, June 3 1919

Edgar H. Sherwood, composer of the "Rochester Centennial and Exposition March," played at the Industrial Exposition in 1912, and a Rochester musician who had gained world fame in a career that dated from the days of the Civil War, died last evening at the age of 74 years, at his home, 366 Gregory Street. Mr. Sherwood was as well a veteran of the Civil War and had taken a prominent part in the activities of veterans, especially in the field of his profession, having been appointed national musical director of the Union Veterans' Union, with the rank of colonel, in 1897.

Five years ago sickness called Mr. Sherwood from the eminent place he had recently occupied as a composer of world-wide fame and as an educator recognized as one of the most successful in the United States. He had been a sufferer through recent years from the illness that last night caused his death. Although out of the public eye for that length of time, he will be recalled readily by reason of the prominence that he had given to Rochester through his exceptional ability.

Descendant of Royalty.

Mr. Sherwood was a descendant of the Earl of Huntington, Nottinghamshire, England. He was a native, however, of America. He was born on January 29, 1845, in Lyons, N. Y. His musical talent manifested itself in his boyhood, when he displayed marked proficiency as a performer on the piano and violin. It was while pursuing his musical studies that he was called to take part in the War of the Rebellion. After serving four years at the front with the Union Army in some of the hardest engagements, he was honorably discharged, his health having been impaired seriously by the vicissitudes of war.

Later resuming his musical studies with renewed vigor, Mr. Sherwood rose to the foremost rank of his chosen profession. He soon made a reputation as a composer, his earlier works having met popular approval, and each successive production increased his fame throughout the country. His works for the piano were known and admired by teachers everywhere as embracing many styles of beauty and grades of difficulty.

Compositions Become Famous.

Mr. Sherwood had the power of expressing with unique treatment and charming grace the many original musical thoughts with which his works abound. Thoroughly conversant with the piano and its capabilities, and well equipped in the resources of harmony, Mr. Sherwood had produced a

number of compositions that possess characteristics of their own and that have a recognized position with students, teachers and pianists.

Among his more popular works may be mentioned: "The Dreamer," a march composed as an elegy on Gottschalk; "The Nun and the Fountain"; two polonaises in B flat and A minor; Grand Menuet in A flat; "Souvenir de Montmorenci," "Anemone"; "L'Heroux Retour," a grand concert duet; "Footsteps in the Snow," "No Black for Me"; "War Veterans' March," a composition of splendid force and spirit, and many other instrumental and vocal works, nearly all of which were established favorites on concert programmes.

Pupils Also Attain Fame.

Mr. Sherwood had had as pupils many musicians who attained national fame in the pursuance of their profession. Among these may be mentioned Mrs. Braton S. Chase of Chicago and Muskegon, Mich., whose musical abilities, both as a pianist and vocalist, had won for her the sobriquet of "The American Madame Semplich." Another pupil of Mr. Sherwood's who has risen to fame is Professor George E. Fisher of this city, organist of the Lake Avenue Baptist Church. Others who became well known as accomplished musicians were Mrs. William Bartholomay, Mrs. William J. Critchley, later of New York; Miss Jennie L. Dumond, Miss Minnie Maud Murdock, Miss H. Marie Chapman, Mrs. Dr. Page, Miss May J. Rogers, Miss Ella C. King, Allen H. Spencer, later director of piano at Toledo Conservatory, and many others.

Given Awards of Genius.

Mr. Sherwood's rank among the foremost American composers had been attested by letters of congratulation that he had received from the most distinguished living musicians of his day, among whom may be mentioned George W. Morgan, the great organist of New York, M. Calixa Lavallée, the distinguished concert pianist and composer of Boston, solo pianist of the Gerster Concert Company, season of 1897, St. Clarence Eddy, eminent organist of Chicago, and director of Hershey School of Musical Art; William Mason, piano virtuoso and American composer; Carlyle Petersilea, eminent Boston pianist and composer; E. M. Bowman, president American College of Musicians; Emil Liebling, eminent concert pianist and composer of Chicago; F. Liegfeld, president and director of Chicago Musical College.

Rochester Favorite Home.

Mr. Sherwood resided in Chicago for a time, where he edited a musical and social journal, and also conducted musical classes with marked success. Subsequently he resided in New York, where success followed him. His favorite abiding place, however, was Rochester.

Mr. Sherwood leaves his wife, Mrs. Mary Sherwood, and three nieces of Lyons, N. Y. He was a member of Charles J. Powers Post 391, G. A. R.

SERVICES FOR C. J. BROWNING

Times Union
Funeral of Prominent Attorney Held This Afternoon—Dr. W. R. Taylor Officiates—Bar Ass'n Acts.

July 7-1919
Funeral services for Clarence J. Browning, prominent attorney and counselor of this city, who died Friday at his home at 18 George street, were held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the home.

The Rev. William R. Taylor, D. D., pastor of Brick Presbyterian Church, conducted the services. Bearers were United States Marshal John D. Lynn, former Mayor George E. Warner, Dr. Frank B. Maynard, Ednor A. Marsh, William A. Petas and George Coulson.

At a meeting of the Rochester Bar Association, held this noon in the Supreme Court Chambers, at which Justice J. B. M. Stephens presided a memorial was adopted, in which a warm tribute to Mr. Browning's character and ability was adopted. It read, in part, as follows:

"Mr. Browning was a thorough student of the law, and was recognized by all his associates as a man of great legal ability, having an acute legal mind, and, therefore, became a wise and safe counselor.

"The ever passing years brought to him their reward, many important cases having been entrusted to his care and brought by him to a successful issue, he having lived to see his early hopes when a young lawyer brought to fruition. He was a marvel for detail, having ever present before him the most minute points in every case or controversy in which he was engaged; he was a master of the art of presentation, and his briefs were marvels of clearness and diction; his knowledge of the law was deep and pleasing, his power of analysis supreme and his judgment upon any case was such that fortunate indeed was he who had sought the aid of his advice and counsel. In the practise

of his profession he always worked faithfully for the interests of his clients, and his highest aim was to bring about substantial justice for them. In political faith he was a Republican but the law was to him a jealous mistress and he owed allegiance to no other.

"In the death of Mr. Browning the bar of Monroe County has lost an able and respected associate, and we extend to his relatives and friends our profound sympathy."

The bar association announced the following committee to formally represent it at the funeral services this afternoon: Philetus Chamberlain, Ednor A. Marsh, Edward L. Cleary, Nicholas J. Weldgen and Francis M. Skivington. The memorial committee is as follows: Eugene M. VanVoorhis, John D. Lynn, Richard E. White, Horace G. Pierce and Roy C. Webster.

Mr. Browning was the son of Alfred P. Browning and Delia Stearns, who had been residents of Monroe county all their lives. The mother died in 1891 and the father died in 1906, leaving, besides Clarence J. Browning, a daughter, Clara M. Woolston, wife of William J. Woolston of Fairport, who died in January 1919.

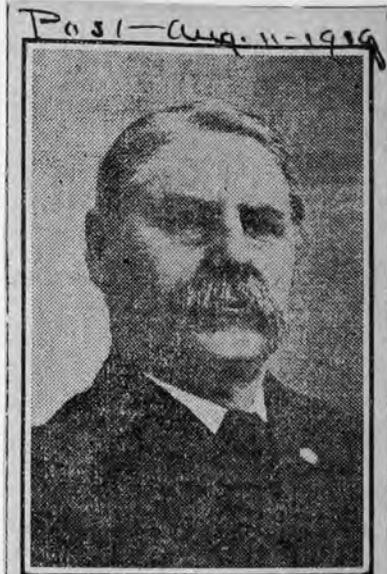
The first of the Browning family to live in Monroe county was Dr. John Browning, father of Alfred P. Browning, who located in the town of Mendon in 1816, coming there from Massachusetts, where he practised medicine until 1866, dying at the age of 82 years.

Clarence J. Browning was born at the homestead in the town of Mendon on March 27, 1856, and after attending the public schools of his district, entered Genesee Wesleyan Seminary at Lima, graduating in 1877. Soon afterwards he began the study of law in this city under the preceptorship of John Van Voorhis.

Mr. Browning continued his studies in the Van Voorhis office until he passed his state bar examinations in 1882. He was associated with that firm until 1888, when he began the private practise of his profession. Shortly thereafter, Ednor A. Marsh entered into partnership with him and they opened law offices in the Wilder building, which were the same offices occupied by Mr. Browning at the time of his death and, where he had been for nearly 30 years.

A few years later, Mr. Marsh having been appointed clerk of Surrogate's Court, Derrick W. Ross succeeded him as a partner of Mr. Browning, which firm continued for several years until Mr. Ross went to Colorado. From 1908 until 1910 George F. Hixson occupied offices with him and on November 1, 1910, Edward L. Cleary opened his first office for the practise of law by becoming associated with him in his office in the Wilder building, which association had since continued. Mr. Browning was a Republican.

Mr. Browning married on March 6, 1883, Harriet S. Hastings, of Lima, who died in February, 1917. He leaves a nephew, Clarence Browning Woolston, of New York, and a niece, Mrs. Roy W. Battams, of Fishers.



LOUIS HEINDL.
Former Alderman of Fifth Ward Who Died After Long Illness.

LOUIS HEINDL DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Post - Aug 11 -
In Printing Business Many Years—

Represented Fifth Ward in Common Council in 1907-1909, 1919

After an illness of several years Louis Heindl, aged 74 years, died Saturday afternoon in his home, 59 Lowell street. Mr. Heindl was alderman of the Fifth ward from 1907 to 1909, and for years was prominent in democratic politics in this city.

Born in Munich, Germany, October 2, 1844, he came to America when he was five years of age, coming directly to Rochester with his family. After his education in St. Joseph's parochial school and School 14, he learned the printing trade in the office of the Evening Express, now The Post Express. In 1876 he started in business as a printer with the firm of Bostwick & Heindl, in the old Main street Occumpaugh building, opposite Front street. Twenty years ago he moved his printing business then conducted under his own name to 107-109 North Water street where it is still located as the oldest job printing concern in Rochester.

Mr. Heindl had been a member of St. George commandery, 43, Knights of St. John, more than thirty years, and was at one time treasurer of the organization. For twenty-two years he was also a member of Branch 34, C. M. B. A., and most of that time served as its recorder.

The funeral services will be held in the home at 9.30 to-morrow morning and in St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. The pallbearers will be his six sons, Louis E., Frederick C., Albert J., William A., Leo J. and Charles F. Burial will be in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

Besides his sons, Mr. Heindl leaves his wife, Anna M. Heindl; three daughters, Anna Frances Heindl, Mrs. A. P. Leinnen, Mrs. Leslie Johnson; one sister, Mrs. William Smith, and seven grandchildren.

Daily Death Roll

Aug. 15
Times Union 1919
Mrs. Cecelia Barnard Booth.

Mrs. Cecelia Barnard Booth, widow on Ansel L. Booth and a lifelong resident of Rochester, died yesterday at her home at 35 Darwin street. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Rachel Booth Powers, well known Rochester actress, whose husband, James T. Powers, is also on the stage, and Mrs. Jessie Booth Church, also of Rochester. Her husband, Ansel L. Booth, was a former theatrical manager, being at one time in charge of the old Grand Opera House of Rochester. Funeral and burial will be private. Mrs. Church is principal of the Darwin street school. Alice Booth, another daughter who died in early womanhood, was known as the wonderful child actress and was the original "Eva" in "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in Rochester.

HENRY G. STRONG DIED YESTERDAY IN LOS ANGELES

Times Union
Son of Late Henry A. Strong
Succumbs to Nephritis and
Pneumonia—Well Known
as Automobile Dealer and
in Local Organizations.

Aug. 14 1919
Henry G. Strong, prominent automobile dealer and son of the late Henry A. Strong, died shortly after noon yesterday in his 46th year, at St. Vincent's Hospital in Los Angeles, California, a victim of acute nephritis and pneumonia, his last illness being an aftermath of influenza from which he suffered last May. News of Mr Strong's illness was received here on August 7, but the seriousness of his condition was not suspected until he caused a telegram to be sent to his cousin, Dr. Alvah S. Miller, Rochester physician, asking that Dr. Miller come to the coast immediately and attend him on his return to Rochester. At the bedside when Mr. Strong died were his wife, Marion Geil Strong, his brother-in-law, Arthur M. Geil and Dr. Miller. They start eastward today with the body, and funeral arrangements will be made immediately upon their arrival in Rochester.

Mr. Strong was a native of Rochester, born here in July, 1876. He spent two years at the University of Rochester, completing his education at Yale University where he graduated with the degree of bachelor of science. Twenty-four years ago he married Miss Millie Hoeffler, daughter of Mrs. Barbara Hoeffler of Rochester, two sons being born to the marriage, Griffin and Pritchard Strong. Mrs. Strong died a number of years ago, and on May 31 of this year Mr. Strong married Miss Marion R. Geil, daughter of the Rev. Henry W. Geil of this city.

To his business life Mr. Strong brought much of the acumen and breadth of vision which characterized his distinguished father. He was the first automobile dealer in Rochester to establish a Saturday half-holiday for his men, and his name was held in the greatest esteem by his employes as well as among business men of Rochester. He conducted his business on a profit sharing basis and was highly successful in his field.

Mr. Strong's first business experience was with the Eastman Kodak Company, but in 1909 he turned his attention to the growing automobile industry and helped to form the Strong-Crittenden Company on Clinton avenue south. Mr. Crittenden left the business shortly after its beginning, and Mr. Strong conducted it himself until four years ago when he became president of Strong Motors, Inc., headquarters of which firm is now at 8 South Union street.

For 10 years Mr. Strong had taken part in automobile activities. At one time he was president of the Automobile Club of Rochester, which he helped to form. At the time of his death he was a director. He was director of the show committee of the Auto Trades Association. He was a member of Brick Presbyterian Church and gave liberally to various philanthropic objects.



HENRY G. STRONG.
Well-known Rochesterian Who Died
in Los Angeles Yesterday.

Mr. Strong was fond of golf as a recreation. He was a member of the Country Club of Rochester, Oak Hill Country Club, Genesee Valley Club, Rochester Club and the Psi Upsilon Fraternity, as well as many organizations in other cities. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Marion Geil Strong, and two sons, Griffin Pritchard Strong of 505 University avenue. He was a grandson of the late Alvah Strong, for whom Alvah Strong Hall at the Theological Seminary is named, and who was many years publisher of the Democrat and Chronicle. Mr. Strong also was a nephew of Dr. Augustus Hopkins Strong, president emeritus of the Rochester Theological Seminary.

John D. Hotchkiss, *Sept. 29 1919* Long Insurance Man Is Claimed By Death

Times Union
John D. Hotchkiss, the well-known insurance man and brother of County Clerk James L. Hotchkiss died suddenly at his residence on North Goodman street last Saturday morning.

John D. Hotchkiss was born in Naples, Ontario county, September 9, 1864, the son of Levi and Anna N. Hotchkiss. The family removed to Rochester in 1867. John D. attended the public and high schools and later a special course of engineering. He entered the employ of the New York Central Railway Company under Chief Engineer Van Hoesen, and continued with that company for a number of years. He then entered the insurance business and was identified with that business until his death.

He was a member of Christ Episcopal Church. Mr. Hotchkiss was unmarried. He leaves one brother, James L. Hotchkiss, and one niece, Jeannie L. Hotchkiss, daughter of James L. Hotchkiss.

The funeral will be held from the residence of his brother, 750 East avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Correspondence *Aug. 28 1919* *Post* "Miss Crennell."

Editor Post Express:
To those fortunate enough to have touched the life of Mary Crennell the passing of that life, in a sense so commonplace and yet so remarkable, comes as a fact almost impossible to accept. She was so vital, so beautiful to look at, such a tower of strength to all who came her way, it does not seem as if she could be gone from us.

It was her lot in the course of her thirty-three years of teaching in the Rochester schools to influence more deeply than the average teacher, many young lives. Her "boys" and "girls" fill the business life of the city to-day and their children now have come forth from the high school into it. More than a score of the boys she loved and influenced have like herself gone quietly beyond, leaving their record on the high school service flag. As an old Rochesterian she knew intimately many of the city's older residents, as well as the younger generations. She could not walk a block on Main street or enter a store without meeting a friend. Often the friend was behind the counter. Many that she met she knew intimately, while in the course of countless pupils she might have forgotten the names of others, though never the individuality, and all were eager to greet her. For to all she met she gave something in passing, a quickness of sympathy, her special personal characteristic, and heritage of the Welsh ancestry in which she took pride. To those whose good fortune it was to stop longer with her in friendship her ready wit, her perfect understanding were always a delight as she herself was a delight.

Although she devoted her professional life to the teaching of mathematics her subject was never dry, for no class room held a keener interest or gave a broader view of life than hers. Teaching never made her less of a woman. Many who read these words though they have long since forgotten their geometry will still treasure some of the truths she gave them.

Surely the civic life of Rochester is richer for having had in it such a friend and teacher as "Miss Crennell."
R. C.

Rochester, August 22, 1919.

MORTUARY RECORD *1919* *Herald July 24* Funeral of T. H. Cazeau.

Delegations from city departments and from veteran and fraternal organizations together with other friends attended the funeral yesterday morning of Theodore H. Cazeau, veteran of the Civil War and member of the police department for 25 years, who died suddenly Sunday. The services were conducted at his late home, 161 Reynolds Street, by Rev. Frederick Crosby Lee, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. Mrs. Loula Gates Bootes sang "Abide With Me" and "God Be With You," two favorite hymns of the deceased.

The bearers were Judge Raymond E. Westbury, Linden Steelsmith, Henry S. Smith, Milton E. Gibbs, Clinton R. Lydden and Charles P. Smith. Interment was in the family lot at Mt. Hope Cemetery. The services at the grave were in charge of E. G. Marshall Post 397, of which Mr. Cazeau was a member. A firing squad composed of eighteen men from F. E. Pierce Camp 15, Sons of Veterans' Reserve, in charge of Major Zoa A. Williams, fired a volley over the grave, after which taps was sounded.

DEATH SUMMONS

F. A. BROCKETT

D.H.C.

Well Known Architect Dies
at His Home in City.
Sept. 1 - 1919
DREW MANY PLANS HERE

Work Included Prominent Business Buildings and Homes in Rochester and Elsewhere—Member of Singing Societies—Funeral To-morrow

Frederick Andrew Brockett died yesterday morning at his home, No. 58 Magee avenue, after a brief illness, which at first was not regarded as serious, but proved to be pneumonia.

Mr. Brockett was born in New Haven, Conn., and came to Rochester when a boy. He entered the office of his uncle, Andrew J. Warner, an architect, for whom he was named. Their association continued for many years, Mr. Brockett being first employe and student and then a member of the firm of Warner & Brockett. With him in the office were A. J. Warner's two sons, J. Foster Warner and William R. Warner, and Mr. Brockett's brother, Willis J. Brockett.

Planned Many Buildings.

When in this firm Mr. Brockett worked on plans for the Wilder building, the Powers Hotel, the Dansville sanitarium, additions to the Powers building and many other prominent buildings of Rochester. On the dissolution of the firm Mr. Brockett opened an office in the Granite building. Later he removed to the Cutler building, where he was located at the time of his death.

Mr. Brockett by hard work thoroughly prepared himself for his life endeavor. Many buildings and many homes in Rochester and elsewhere bear witness to his skill and taste. It was said that he would lose a client rather than specify any construction he felt was not absolutely safe.

Fond of Music.

Being fond of music and endowed with a good voice, Mr. Brockett made music a part of his recreation. He was a member of the original Rochester Opera Club and of the Rochester Choral Society as organized under Ludwig Schenck. He attended the Unitarian Church.

Mr. Brockett leaves his wife, Nellie I. Brockett; his mother, Mrs. Cornelia Brockett; a brother, Willis J. Brockett; a daughter, Mrs. Walter I. Bent, all of this city, and a son, Clyde P. Brockett, a student at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

The funeral will take place from the home at 10:30 o'clock to-morrow morning.

SERVED LONG AS CHURCH OFFICER

Herald
Charles A. Mathews Identified
with Many Institutions.

WAS LONG IN ILL HEALTH

One of Founders of Rescue Mission and Trustee of Theological

Sept. 23 - 1919
Seminary.
Charles A. Mathews, formerly

cashier of the Traders National Bank and a well known Rochester business man, died yesterday at his home, 49 South Union Street, aged 69 years. He had been in ill health for years and for some time past had been losing strength rapidly.

Mr. Mathews was born in Rochester, a son of the late William Mathews, and was educated in the city schools. He entered the Traders National Bank and was promoted through the various grades until, at the time of his retirement from business some years ago, he was cashier. He was one of the founders of the People's Rescue Mission and a member of the board of trustees of that institution at the time of his death. He was also a trustee of the Rochester Baptist Theological Seminary. For many years he served as deacon of First Baptist Church and treasurer of the church endowment fund. He also took an active part in the work of the Sunday school.

He leaves his wife, formerly Miss Marietta T. Lane of Rochester, and a brother, W. Henry Mathews, president of the Rochester Printing Company and of the East Side Savings Bank.

Funeral services will be conducted tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in Mt. Hope Chapel. Rev. Dr. Elijah A. Hanley, pastor of First Baptist Church, will officiate. The bearers will be deacons of the church.



ELLA DALTON.

Nurse Killed in Auto Accident in France.

UNHURT IN BATTLE, ELLA DALTON DIES IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Post
Nurse Known to Many Here Loses

Life on Sightseeing Tour of

June 7 - 1919
Battlefields.

In action many times, once for 56 continuous hours, having many months of efficient service to her credit as surgical nurse with American Camp hospital, 4, Ella Dalton, sister of Joseph Dalton, 168 Alameda street, was killed in an automobile accident May 25th, when the automobile in which she and two other nurses were riding, was overturned. Hoping that there might have been some mistake, Mr. Dalton enlisted government co-operation and has received confirmation of the reported fate of his sister.

Miss Dalton came from England when a child and received her preliminary education in the Toronto schools. Her brother removed to Rochester and she frequently came to visit him here. Later she entered the Roosevelt hospital, New York, and was graduated with honors. In recent years she had passed much of her spare time with her brother in Rochester, the last time about a year ago, just before her departure overseas. At the outbreak of the European war she was in France in attendance on the family of Clarence Mackay, head of the Commercial Cable company. She returned to the United States. She had cared also for Madeline Force Aster, after her husband had lost his life when the Titanic was sunk.

Anxious for active service she enlisted more than a year ago in Mobile Operating Unit 1 and was sent overseas last July 4th. Any weeks of active service followed with much hazard and danger, but she escaped unharmed only to have death come to her when on a sightseeing trip on the battlefield of Chateau Thierry.

Trying to avoid hitting a boy on a bicycle, the automobile in which she was riding, overturned down a steep embankment.

MORTUARY RECORD 1919

Herald Sept. 11
Funeral of Frank L. Hawley.

The funeral of Frank L. Hawley, under sheriff of Monroe County for nearly 25 years, took place privately yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of a brother, Ward Hawley, at Chili Station. Masonic services were conducted by Yonondio Lodge, F. and A. M., of Rochester in the North Chili Methodist Cemetery at 3:15 o'clock and were attended by a large number of friends and neighbors, as well as county and city officials. The services at both the house and the grave were conducted by Rev. F. H. Dickerson, pastor of the North Chili Methodist Church.

Mr. Hawley, who died suddenly in the Court House on Monday morning, was 67 years old and was born and brought up in Chili, where he was joint owner with his brother of a large farm.

JANE A. DELANO, WIDELY KNOWN DIRECTOR OF RED CROSS, DIES IN FRANCE

D. + C.
Taken Ill on Her Arrival
Overseas—Was Head of
Nurses' Association.

Apr. 19 - 1919
Miss Jane A. Delano, R. N., director of the department of nursing of the American Red Cross since its foundation, died at Savenay, France, last Tuesday.

Immediately upon the signing of the armistice, Miss Delano made plans for going overseas, to try to remove some of the difficulties under which she knew the nurses were working. She had not left her post at Red Cross Headquarters since England and Germany had declared war, and although she had been strongly urged to go to France she refused to do so until she knew that the need of keeping up the enrollment of nurses for military service had passed.

She had to wait a fortnight in New York for transportation, and she was taken ill almost immediately upon her arrival in Paris, where she was obliged to enter a Red Cross hospital there and undergo a mastoid operation. She made an encouraging recovery, and was able to go to Savenay. There she had a return of the trouble. The announcement of her death will be a shock to thousands of enrolled Red Cross nurses throughout the country.

Miss Delano, in her position as chief of the nursing department of the Red Cross, has rendered the greatest war service of any woman in this country. Her department was the only branch of government service which was fully ready when war was declared. For nearly ten years Miss Delano had given gratuitous service to the Red Cross as the representative of the American Nurses' Association. Her hours were long and her responsibilities great. She literally wore herself out.

Miss Delano was a graduate of Bellevue Hospital, and for several years was assistant superintendent of nurses at the University of Pennsylvania. Later, after having held several minor positions, she was



Photo by Harris & Ewing.
MISS JANE A. DELANO.

superintendent of nurses at Bellevue Hospital for ten years.

As a young woman she was a successful private duty nurse. Her interest in the Red Cross came from her experiences in the yellow fever epidemic in Florida, where she served as a volunteer under Clara Barton, then head of the Red Cross. She was at the head of the Army Nurse Corps at the time of her appointment as chief of the Red Cross Nursing Service, and held both positions for a period of three years. She also was president of the American Nurses' Association from 1909 to 1911.

Miss Delano was, without doubt, the most widely known, personally, of any of the leading nurses of the country.

DESCENDANT OF FOUNDER OF THE CITY

Post
Killed in Railroad Wreck at
South Byron.

Jan. 12 - 1919
HE LIVED HERE AS A BOY

Grandson of First Rector of St.
Luke's Church.

Second Great-grandson of Colonel
Rochester to Die Unexpectedly
Within a Few Weeks.

Twice within a few weeks a great-grandson of Colonel Nathaniel Rochester, founder of this city, has met with death violently. Nathaniel N. Rochester was killed in action October 8th fighting in the Argonne with Colonel Whittlesey's famed "Lost Battalion." Death came to the other, Thomas Barnes Cuming, in the early hours of yesterday morning when the Southwestern Limited crashed into the rear of the Wolverine, on the New York Central lines a short distance from South Byron station. His body was taken to Batavia and will be taken to New York for burial. The body of the other rests in a crude grave somewhere near where the heroic Americans staved off the German attack for four days, without food and water, but with plenty of pluck and determination.

Thomas Barnes Cuming is known to many Rochesterians. For several years after the death of his father his mother lived in Meigs street and he received his early education in the public schools and in high school. Later he returned to New York, entered business and at the time of his death was a member of the firm of Meyer, Sniffin & company, and his home was in Englewood, N. J.

He was the son of Allen Jackson and Anna M. Rochester Cuming and a grandson of Henry E. Rochester. His paternal grandfather was Rev. Dr. Francis Cuming, the first rector of St. Luke's church. He leaves a sister, Mrs. Anna VanVoorhis, of New York, and an aunt, Mrs. Clinton Rogers, 127 Spring street, and three cousins, Mrs. Sidney S. B. Roby, Helen Rogers and Lieutenant Rochester Rogers. He was married to Miss Laura Bliss, who died some years ago. Rochester relatives have gone to Batavia to claim the body and make arrangements with one of his business partners for the funeral.

Among the others who suffered in the wreck were Mrs. Carl B. Antisdale, 862 Harvard street and her two daughters, Virginia Frances, 8 years old and Matilde, 5 years old. They were on their way to visit Mrs. Antisdale's mother in St. Louis. Mrs. Antisdale suffered from shock and the older girl had one foot sprained. They were taken to Buffalo and placed in a hotel, under the care of a physician

MEXICAN WAR VETERAN DIES AT AGE OF 102

Jerome B. Fletcher
Jerome B. Fletcher Passes
Away at Home of Son
Near West Bloomfield—
Born at Geneseo in No-
vember, 1817. *Aug. 15 1919*

Honeoye Falls, Aug. 15.—Jerome B. Fletcher, the oldest person in this vicinity died Tuesday morning at the home of his son, Everett Fletcher, one mile north of west Bloomfield. Mr. Fletcher would have been 102 years old had he lived until the 17th of November. He was a son of William



JEROME B. FLETCHER.

and Betsy Fletcher, and was born in Geneseo, November 17, 1817. His father lived to be 103 years of age.

Mr. Fletcher served as a soldier during the Mexican War. He was twice married, his second wife to whom he was united in 1855, died about 12 years ago. During the early sixties he lived near Decatur, Mich., where he was in the employ of the government. About 1865 he came to Bristol to live where he continued to work at his trade as carpenter and wheelwright until more than 90 years of age. About eight years ago he came to West Bloomfield to reside with his son.

His health has always been good and in his later years he was able to read coarse print without glasses. He is survived by four sons, Orastes Fletcher of Canandaigua, Oscar and J. Cooley Fletcher of Holcomb, and Everett Fletcher of West Bloomfield, also one brother, Melancton Fletcher, a 90-year-old resident of Benton Harbor, Mich.

The funeral will be held from his late home on Friday at 2 o'clock with interment in the Coddling Cemetery at Bristol, N. Y.

WM. H. SULLIVAN, OF HIGH RANK AS ATTORNEY, DEAD

D. J. C.
Ill Three Years, and End
Not Unexpected.

O. J. M. 1919
SUCCESSFUL IN PRACTICE

Cases of Unusual Importance Among
Those He Handled and His Repu-
tation Spread Far Beyond Roch-
ester—Associated with Brother.

William H. Sullivan, one of the prominent figures in the history of the Rochester bar, died last evening at No. 55 South Union street, aged 57 years. The end was not unexpected as he had been ill for about three years. He retired from active participation in the practice of law about five years ago.

Mr. Sullivan was born in Greece, but he came to Rochester when a child and received his education in public schools and the old Free Academy. He was admitted to the bar when 21 years old and for years was associated with his brother, the late Henry J. Sullivan, in a notably successful law practice. The firm took part in suits over a period of some twenty-five years which gained for it a reputation that spread far beyond Rochester.

A case handled by Mr. Sullivan which attracted considerable notice was the Youngs case which was before the public eye about 1892. In this case Mr. Sullivan helped to establish the legal principle that a person who has been extradited from a foreign country must be returned if he is convicted of a crime of a lower degree than that for which he has been indicted. Youngs, the man who gave a name to the precedent, was brought to this country from England, but was returned when he was convicted of a lesser degree of felony than that on which his extradition had been based.

William and Henry Sullivan are credited in legal annals with the establishment of a number of precedents.

Those who knew Mr. Sullivan speak of him as a sterling lawyer and an admirable man. He had a personality that even in his retirement has its influence on the Rochester bar. His friends say of him that he was generous to a fault and honest in the highest degree, ever willing to help those in need, but unremittently antagonistic to the unscrupulous. It is said of him that he never abandoned the defense of a case that he believed to be right.

Young lawyers, or those who were young in Mr. Sullivan's prime, look back upon him as a friend ever ready to give them counsel. It is said that he delighted in giving assistance to the younger men in his profession and that he never was too busy to offer a word of help or commendation. Mr. Sullivan was well known in the whole surrounding community.

He never sought political honors, with the exception of a single instance a number of years ago when he was a candidate for the office of district-attorney.

Mr. Sullivan leaves no near relatives. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

MISS RHODA PALMER, ACTIVE SUFFRAGIST, DIES AT AGE OF 103

Post - Aug. 11, 1919
Geneva, Aug. 11.—Miss Rhoda Palmer, long an active leader in woman suffrage circles, died Saturday night at the home of her nephew, Edward Palmer, in the Lyons road, two miles north of Geneva, aged 103 years.

Miss Palmer was born June 15, 1816, just two doors from where she died. Her father, Asa Palmer, built the house where she was born in 1808, which still stands and where she lived up to the time she reached the age of 94 years. She was the only surviving member of a family of ten children.

Miss Palmer was a member of the first suffrage convention, in Seneca Falls in 1848. At the last election Miss Palmer was driven to the polls and cast her first vote. She leaves grandnephews and great-grandnephews and nieces.

On the occasion of the celebration of her recent birthdays it was the custom of the members of the Geneva Political Equality club to visit Miss Palmer, who was the oldest suffragist in this part of the country.

SPENCERPORT *Herald Aug. 15* Mrs. Margaret Wilmot Dies at Advanced Age of 92 Years. *1919*

Spencerport, Aug. 14.—The death of Mrs. Margaret Wilmot, the oldest resident of this village, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Nettie M. Hiscock, of Amity Street, Tuesday. Mrs. Wilmot was born July 31, 1827, in a log cabin in Ogden, the second daughter of H. D. and Maria Beekman Vroom, who were among the pioneers of the town. They came from Somerset, N. J., and settled on the farm now occupied by their grandson, Clifford G. Vroom, which at that time was an unbroken forest, except for a small clearing around their cabin.

In 1840 she was married to Servetus Wilmot, who died in 1910. He was the oldest son of A. C. Wilmot, who was a pensioner of the war of 1812. Her grandfather, Hendrick D. Vroom, served through the war of the Revolution. For seventy years Mrs. Wilmot was a member of the Ogden Center Presbyterian Church. In spite of her advanced years, she was in possession of all her faculties up to the time of her death.

She is survived by two children, Dr. Henry D. Wilmot, of Middleport, and Mrs. Nettie M. Hiscock, of Spencerport; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren, and one sister, Mrs. Julia Colby, of Waterloo, Iowa. Private funeral services will be held at the home of her daughter, Friday afternoon. Interment will be made in the family lot in Fairfield Cemetery.

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A. B. HENDRIX IS TAKEN BY DEATH

D. H. E.
Prominent in Business,
Politics and Masonry.

SERVED STATE LEGISLATURE

Oct. 25 - 1919
Was Clerk of Senate Committee for
Several Terms and at That Time
Gained Acquaintance of Roosevelt.
In Many Masonic Organizations

Albert B. Hendrix, a former secretary of the Republican County Committee, school commissioner and one-time clerk of a committee of the State Senate, passed away on Thursday at his home, No. 178 Warwick avenue. Mr. Hendrix had been ailing for some time but was thought to be gaining strength when the end came.

In Clothing Business.

Albert B. Hendrix was born in Chicago, but came to this city when very young, attended the public schools, the Rochester Free Academy and business college and then entered the employ of the Garson Clothing Company. Later he was connected with the Flour City Clothing Company, Allen & Strauss Company, and for about eight years had been with the Union Clothing Company.

For several years Mr. Hendrix was collector for Monroe Council, No. 243, Royal Arcanum. He was a member of Valley Lodge, No. 109, F. and A. M., of Hamilton Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, of Monroe Commandery, No. 12, Knights Templar, and of Damascus Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S.

While never an office-seeker, Mr. Hendrix played a prominent part in politics here, always working for the betterment of conditions, particularly in matters pertaining to the children, of whom he was very fond. He was at one time a member of the school board, and was much interested in playground movements and the enlarging of the public parks. He was a member of the Brick Presbyterian Church.

Friend of Roosevelt.

During his terms as clerk of the Senate Committee in Albany Mr. Hendrix became acquainted with Theodore Roosevelt, and when Mr. Roosevelt visited Rochester, later, he sought out his friend each time. Mr. Hendrix visited Mr. Roosevelt at his home on several occasions.

Besides his wife, Maudie E. Hendrix, he leaves his daughter, Mabel Hendrix Wilson, wife of Lieutenant Arthur Wilson, of the Air Service, who recently returned from more than two years' service, and two grandchildren, Arthur Hendrix Wilson and little Dorothy M. Wilson, all of whom lived with him.

The funeral service will be held on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home.

Well-Known Mason and Business Man



ALBERT B. HENDRIX.

Frederick Gessert ^{Nov 26} Dies At 92 Years; Came Here In 1853

James Union
Frederick Gessert died this morning, aged 92 years. He was born in Saxony, Gota, Germany, August 1, 1827, and came to this country in 1853, moving directly to Rochester. A short time later he moved to Hamil-



FREDERICK GESSERT.

ton, Ontario, where he married Mary Ann Reecher. She died in 1855 and Mr. Gessert returned to Rochester in 1857 and made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Stevens, 322 Flower City park.

Mr. Gessert was engaged in the wholesale butcher business in Canada at one time. Later he was in charge of the Henry Moore property on East avenue, but resigned about 10 years ago.

When Mr. Gessert first came to this city Rochester was a wilderness. Mr. and Mrs. Gessert had a family of 11 children, nine of whom are living. He leaves five sons, William, Charles, Frederick, James and George Gessert, and four daughters, Mrs. M. A. Stevens, Mrs. C. A. Gardner, Mrs. M. Beadham of Charlotte and Mrs. C. McLaughlin of Oil City, Pa.

The funeral will be held from the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. A. Stevens, 322 Flower City park, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment will be in Riverside Cemetery.

Post CHARLES A. MATHEWS. Death of Former Cashier of Traders Sept. 23 National Bank. 1919

Charles A. Mathews, of 49 South Union street, died Sunday night, aged 69 years. He was formerly cashier of the Traders National bank. Mr. Mathews, who was born in Rochester and lived here all his life, had been in poor health for years. For the past two years he had been confined to his bed.

For many years he had served as deacon of First Baptist church and formerly he was treasurer of the Sunday school. Later he became interested in the Hubbell class, attending when his health permitted.

Mr. Mathews was one of the founders of the People's Rescue Mission and was on the board of trustees continuously from its organization. He was also a trustee of the Rochester Theological seminary.

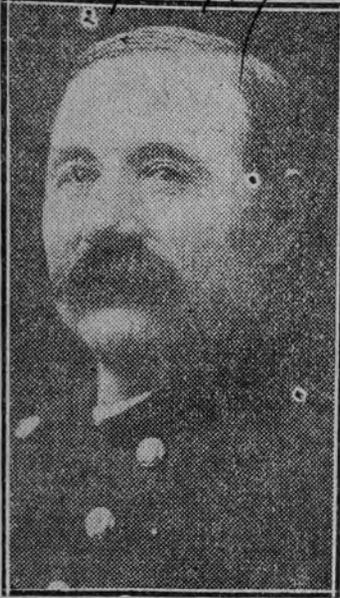
He leaves his wife, formerly Marietta T. Lane of Rochester, and a brother, W. Henry Mathews, president of the East Side Savings bank.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in Mt. Hope chapel. Rev. Dr. Elijah A. Hanley, pastor of First Baptist church, will officiate. Deacons of the church will be the bearers.

**RETIRED POLICEMAN
DEAD AT AGE OF 76**

D. & C.
Was Born in Rochester and
Served in Civil War.

Nov. 9 - 1919



JOHN M. RIES.

John M. Ries, veteran of the Civil War and for more than thirty years a member of the Police Department, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 379 Ames street, aged 76 years. He had been ill a long time and his death was not unexpected. He leaves his wife, Elizabeth Kondolf Ries; two sons, Henry J. and John F. Ries; three daughters, Mrs. John B. Zimmerman, Mrs. F. H. Maxwell and Miss Marie Ries; four grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. John Spitz and Mrs. Joseph Reger.

Mr. Ries was born in Rochester. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ries, came to Rochester in 1836 from Alsace, then a part of France, and made their home at Jay and Child streets. That part of Rochester was known then as "Strassbourg" because of the Alsatian element living there.

It was there that John M. Ries was born, in the Civil War he went to the front with the Fifty-fourth Regiment and saw active service for some time. After his discharge from the army Mr. Ries returned to Rochester. He was a member of the famous Rochester Rod and Gun Club and was noted for his skill as a marksman.

On February 17, 1875, Mr. Ries was appointed to the Rochester Police Department. He was to patrol the Exchange street beat, which included the then notorious Murderers' row. He was able to cope with the uncertain elements that frequented his beat, and when he retired in 1905 his record was a most enviable one.

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