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Experienced Fire-fighters Needed.

Some enterprising correspondents for out-of-town papers are agitating the proposition of consolidating the offices of fire chief and assistant fire chief, paying one salary to a man and thus removing from the department at least one of its experienced fire-fighters. Of course the very spirit and letter of the Civil Service law would be thus violated but that did not enter into the discussion.

At present, Chief Waugh, with 16 years experience in fire duty, and Assistant Chief Rude, with 20 years a real experience in fire fighting, draw combined salaries of \$30 per month. Mr. Rude is on the job every minute; maintains discipline, practices economy and looks well to it that every emergency is prepared for. Chief Waugh visits the department several times each day; inspects every section of the fire-fighting apparatus; arbitrates differences; discusses the improvement of conditions with the firemen and takes the keenest interest in all that pertains to the fire force. He at all times reaches the scene of a conflagration sooner or as soon as the teams can make the run. The men in the department all respect and like him and there is the heartiest co-operation between Chief and men.

If such a charter amendment should become a law, and one man be removed, the city would suffer for the lack of that one experienced fire fighter, who would be worth more in time of action than a score of inexperienced volunteers.

The records made by the firemen under the present regime have been too excellent for our citizens to stand meekly by and permit or to sanction change. This department should be left entirely out of politics or playing of favorites, and it can be only for one or the other of these reasons that any such change would be contemplated or permitted. The Times does not believe that either Mayor Conners or the other city officials would be a party to so unjust an arrangement. Unjust so far as the city and unjust so far as the present incumbents of the department are concerned.

The President has announced that he will not take the initiative in bringing together in holy accord the belligerent wings of the Republican party known as the stand-patters and the insurgents. He says that he will address himself to the business of the country and leave any peace-making program to the contending parties.

This is the season of war scares, promoted, it is said by some, in order to get large appropriations for the army and navy and for the contractors who furnish military supplies. There is a report that the Japanese government has successfully negotiated with President Diaz of Mexico for a port and a depot of supplies on the western coast. If there were truth in this, it would be cause for immediate interference by the United States government.

When it was announced some days ago that Senator-elect Lorimer had been given a clean bill of morals with reference to his election as Senator, there were many who said, "How will Col. Roosevelt feel now for refusing to sit at table with him and having the refusal published over the world?" but now that the Senate has refused to approve the clean bill prepared by Senator Borroughs and others and propose to take up the matter again, it is quite possible after all that history will justify Ex-President Roosevelt's action.

With the exception of the death of Senator Elkins of West Virginia, no event of very great importance has occurred in Washington since the adjournment of Congress. The death of Mr. Elkins makes it certain that there will be two Democratic Senators from his State. Senator Scott

of West Virginia will be succeeded by a Democrat, and the legislature being Democratic will elect a Senator of that party to succeed Senator Elkins. The late Senator was one of the wealthiest of what has been called the "American House of Millionaires." His death is generally explained in the press as caused by overwork at the late Congressional session, but anyone at all familiar with the facts will not be slow to attribute his illness to high living. He no doubt had a powerful constitution, but no constitution can forever withstand a perpetual banquet.

If appearances are to be trusted, something will be done at this session of Congress to prevent the influx of undesirable people from Europe. Surely if there is any choice of undesirables the Asiatics by way of the Pacific are less vicious than some who have been recently coming across the Atlantic. A deputation of American newspapers numbering thirty-two called on President Taft to protest against the hardships encountered by immigrants landing in this country. Their spokesman, Louis Hammerling, told the President that they objected to the suspicion with which immigration officers looked upon those arriving in this country. President Taft told them that he went last Fall to Ellis Island and remained there during the forenoon listening to the cases presented to the immigration commissioners and that once or twice, moved by compassion, he intervened in behalf of immigrants whom the commissioner would have turned back, and that he has since followed those cases in which he had been influenced against his better judgment, but that he had to make the humiliating confession that the outcome vindicated the commissioner and showed that his experience was better than the President's compassion.

MANY PLACES OF BUSINESS TO CHANGE

Several Merchants Seeking Other Quarters—Empty Stores at a Premium in Fulton

The coming of the Spring will see many changes made in the matter of location in the business section of this city. The First National bank will occupy the present Rosenbloom store in the Beehive block. Mr. Rosenbloom may lease the store in the Church block now occupied by W. D. MacNamara, but Mr. W. H. Patterson is seeking to purchase the block. Mr. MacNamara will remove to his own block now occupied by the American Express company, the Western Union Telegraph company and Optician W. P. Hillick; this necessitates these several tenants seeking other quarters. The shoe firm of Wells & Beckwith are closing out their business and the co-partnership will be dissolved. Mr. Wells may continue the business or the store will be leased to another shoe firm. The store occupied by I. Shay will be on the market soon, it is expected, although the firm may decide to continue the operation of the First National bank from its present quarters. It will leave that store vacant but it is rumored that the electric light company may lease the desirable location. It is also rumored that should M. Katz & Co. decide to vacate their present quarters that the Citizens bank, having outgrown their present building, might take possession and remodel same.

SUPREME COURT TRIAL TERM

A novel case, that of Uriah H. Lewis vs. the O. & W. railroad, went to trial Monday. Mr. Lewis, who lives in Fulton, asks \$10,000 for personal injuries. E. E. Hart received a shipment of a carload of baled hay over the O. & W. from Central Square. Lewis worked for Hart and was sent to unload the car. When he opened the door, it is alleged, that two bales fell out of the car and hit him, crushing him under them and severely injuring him. The contention of the plaintiff is that the car was improperly loaded in that the bales were piled on the ends and in that the reefer boards across the door to keep the bales from falling out. O. M. Reilly with Udelle Bartlett as counsel appeared for Mr. Lewis, while P. W. Cullinan represents the defendant company.

Altogether twenty cases were considered by the Grand Jury and fifteen indictments found among the number.

John Lusk, Fulton, charged with corrupting the morals of a child.

Carl Smith, John T. Otis and Frank Bennett, Fulton, charged with assault, second degree, were not indicted and were released from jail.

WANT TO STOP TRAIN

Albany, Jan. 5.—The Public Service Commission, Second District, has received a complaint, from residents of the village of Altmar, Oswego county, asking that the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company be required to stop Train No. 44 at Altmar so that passengers from that station can reach Richburg Junction in the afternoon and make connections there with the trains running to Genesee, Syracuse and Watertown and that passengers from Altmar can also make connections at Utica with the main line of the New York Central.

The company has been asked to answer the complaint within ten days.

TAX RATIO FIXED

The city tax ratio has been fixed as follows: East side, .0357143; West side, .0277333.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

DEATHS

The 4-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Woodard died on January 3. The funeral was held on January 4, and burial was made in St. Mary's.

The remains of Mrs. Samuel Abbott, who died in Albany on January 2, were taken to Syracuse for interment. The deceased was the mother of George W. Abbott, formerly of this city.

Lovelle Johnson, a son of the late Willard Johnson, and brother of Mrs. Mary Hall of Canandaigua, died in Ogdensburg on Friday. The remains were brought to Fulton on Monday for interment in the family lot in Mt. Auburn.

Miss Julia A. Eastman, aged 74, a former resident of this city, died in Wellesley, Mass., on Sunday after having been connected with the Hall school for girls at that place for eighteen years. The deceased was also the author of several excellent books for children.

Charles J. Chubb, aged 31, died at her home in First street on Saturday after an illness extending since the death of her husband, Edwin, last August. The funeral services were held from the late home on Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. F. A. Miller officiating. Burial was made in Mt. Auburn. She is survived by her city and country, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hall, and one sister, Miss Velma Hall.

Patrick O'Melia died on Sunday evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Bridget Nealis in West Broadway after a long illness. The funeral services were held from the Catholic church and burial was made in St. Mary's. The immediate survivors are two brothers, William O'Melia of Syracuse and John of this city, and five sisters, Mrs. Nealis, at whose home he died; Miss Nora O'Melia of Fulton; Miss Winifred O'Melia of South Grady and the Misses Catherine and Sara O'Melia of Lynn, Mass.

Mr. F. W. Snyder was called to Mansville on Tuesday of last week by the death of his father, the Rev. Brainard DeForest Snyder, who had passed away after an illness of two years, in his 60th year. The deceased entered the ministry in 1871, and had occupied successfully many parishes. The deceased was twice married. His first wife died about thirty years ago. His second marriage was with Mrs. Sarah McCallum of Mexico, who survives him, also two children, Fred W. Snyder of this city and Mrs. Fred Austin of Louisiana and a step-daughter, Mrs. George Radley of Alexandria Bay. The funeral was held Thursday at Mansville, interment at Mexico.

The death of Albert A. Rowlee occurred at an early hour Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George H. Wright, in Watertown. Mr. Rowlee had been a sufferer from rheumatism and heart trouble for several years. About three months ago he went to Watertown to visit his daughter, hoping that the change might be beneficial. He was, however, taken worse and failed rapidly until the end came. Mr. Rowlee was 45 years of age and had been a life long resident of this town. He was active in Grange circles and a consistent member of the First M. E. church of this city. He was a devoted husband and father and a highly respected neighbor and friend. Naturally of a genial and happy nature, he bore his suffering of many months with a fortitude which won for him the sympathy of all who knew him. He leaves to mourn his loss, a widow, one daughter, Mrs. Wright, at whose home he died; one brother, Byron E., of Wichita, Kan.; and two granddaughters, Lillian E. and Helen L. Wright, of Watertown. Brief services were held from his late home in this city on Monday at 10:30 a. m. and from the Mount Pleasant M. E. church at one p. m., the Rev. C. L. Peck officiating. Burial was made at Mount Pleasant. The Brotherhood choir of the First Methodist church accompanied the funeral party to Mt. Pleasant where they rendered appropriate and appreciated music.

BEAUTIFUL LIFE ENDED

On Thursday afternoon, at her home in Lowellville, Mrs. Charles L. King, aged 50, passed to rest after several weeks of frail health and a few weeks of severe illness. Bright's disease was the cause for death, and medical skill, loving care and tender nursing were powerless to stay the approach of the grim messenger. During Congressman Knapp's public career the deceased had been his constant companion and advisor; a more than helmsman and wife. She was a devoted and inspiring mother and together the husband and wife had planned for years of happiness and comradeship. Ambition had been gratified and public duty discharged by the husband now so sadly bereft, and with the closing of his present official term in Washington in March years of travel, sightseeing and care-free devotion to each other had been decided upon. Plans were approaching completion for a year's travel around the world.

But the ways of Providence were other, and the beautiful life has gone out, leaving the husband with only the sympathy and love of his friends throughout the district, where he is so well known, for solace.

If words might be given fervor and life to convey to Mr. Knapp the tender sympathy that is felt for him, it were well. But they are not words and expressions. Yet he must know the deep outpouring of condolence and regret felt for him in his loneliness.

The funeral services were held from the late home on Monday afternoon, many friends from Oswego and other sections of the State attending to pay a last tribute of respect to the womanliness they had all admired and respected.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

Have You Attended Our Clean-up Sale?

If you haven't, better come. We are offering our entire stock of Winter merchandise at a lower price, quality considered, than anyone can offer to you.

Men's and Young Men's Suits

The guaranteed kind—that are strictly all wool and keep their shape.

- Every \$12 Suit we sell now at **\$9.00**
- Every \$15 Suit we sell now at **11.25**
- Every \$16 Suit we sell now at **12.00**
- Every \$17 Suit we sell now at **12.75**
- Every \$18 Suit we sell now at **13.50**
- Every \$20 Suit we sell now at **15.00**
- \$22 Suits, all hand-made, pure worsted, will go at **16.50**

Men's Overcoats

Overcoats with Military Collars, Presto Collars and Regular Collars are included in the sale at these prices.

- All \$6.00 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$5.95**
 - \$10 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$7.00**
 - \$12 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$8.50**
 - \$15 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$11.00**
 - \$16 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$12.00**
 - \$18 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$13.50**
 - \$20 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$15.00**
 - \$22 Overcoats going during the Clean-up Sale at **\$16.50**
- These Are New, Up-to-Date Coats

Furnishing Goods

- At a Great Cut in Prices
- Men's 50c Knit Shirts—heavy .39c
 - Men's 50c Ribbed Underwear—all colors .38c
 - Men's 50c Heavy Fleece Shirts and Drawers .38c
 - Men's \$1.25 Double Breasted Wool Underwear .79c
 - Men's red and blue Handkerchiefs, 4c
 - Men's 1 1/2 size-half Wool Hose .11c
 - 50c Quilted Mufflers—all colors .21c
 - 50c white unlaundered Shirts—all sizes .15c
 - 25c Bowls—neat patterns .15c
 - 10c White Handkerchiefs .4c
 - \$1.00 Men's Caps—new shapes .79c
 - Boy's \$1.00 Knee Pants—Knickerbockers .79c
 - Boy's 75c Knickerbocker Pants .59c
 - Men's 50c Negligee Shirts .39c
 - Men's \$1.25 Kid Gloves, unlined .95c
 - Boy's \$1.00 grey and blue flannel blouses—all sizes for .79c
 - Men's \$1.00 colored stiff shirts—14, 15 and 16 1/2 sizes only for .25c
 - Men's 50c stiff Shirts—14 only .25c
 - Men's \$1.25 flannel night robes .89c
 - Boy's 50c Black, White and colored Blouses .39c

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FIRST STREET LEWIS BLOCK FULTON, N. Y.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. H. L. Paddock has been spending some time with relatives in Syracuse.

Mrs. William Sylvester fell on an icy pavement in Syracuse on Monday and sustained a fractured leg.

Mr. N. L. Whitaker has purchased from S. C. Griffin, 34-acres of land in Schroepel. Consideration, \$2,800.

Letters were issued Monday afternoon on the estate of W. M. Hinsdale, who left \$10,000 real and \$5,000 personal property, all to his widow Bertha.

Rural Carrier Fred Smith of Pulaski and Mr. and Mrs. Meina, Fellows of Mexico were the week-end guests of Rural Carrier W. C. Middleton of this city.

The Masonic club will give a series of "Ladies Nights" on the following dates: Friday, January 12; Friday, January 27; Friday, February 10; Friday, February 24; Friday, March 10.

Letters of administration on the estate of Peter Bissonette, Jr., who died December 28th, were applied for by his father, Peter Bissonette. He left \$1,000 personal property, all of which will go to the father.

Uriah H. Lewis was awarded \$2,000 by a jury in Supreme Court on Tuesday, against the O. & W. R. R. company for damages alleged to have been sustained when a bale of excelsior fell from a car door, striking him.

Mrs. E. C. Marsh and Miss Mary O. Marsh have sold to Mr. F. H. Halsted their house on the corner of Fourth and Utica streets. They will remove to their new home in Fourth street and Mr. Halsted will take possession on April 1.

Veteran Stephen Buck carries with great pride a unique came made from a branch which he cut at Gettysburg on July 3, 1863. Just 30 years almost to the hour from the date of the commencement of the battle, in which he participated as a member of the 50th New York Vol. The came is silver mounted and carries a shield shaped device in silver—a counterpart of the Third Brigade's official badge.

The marriage of Miss Phoebe A. Barnes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Barnes, to Mr. Frank C. Holbrook of Point Peninsula occurred on Tuesday evening at the home of the bride's parents in Onondaga street, the Rev. C. L. Peck officiating. The bride and groom were unattended and the ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the young couple. After a bridal collation Mr. and Mrs. Holbrook left for a brief bridal trip, after which they will reside at Point Peninsula.

Just as a starter for the New Year, Contractors D. E. Wadsworth and Fred E. Woodcock were on Tuesday awarded the contract for the construction of the Baldwinville Odd Fellows \$30,000 temple. The work is to be commenced in the early Spring. The architect and the building committee came to Fulton to personally inspect Mr. Wadsworth's work prior to placing the contract with him, and after looking over several buildings constructed by him, they were so pleased that they promptly gave him the contract.

Mr. Bryan is out in a disclaimer of further presidential aspiration, and he has named four candidates who in the order given are, in his opinion, eligible to the office. We have heard of them before. They are Faulk of Missouri, Harmon of Ohio, Gaynor of New York and Wilson of New Jersey.

A member of the Kansas legislature wants to abolish the office of assessor. Why not make the reform thorough, and abolish the collector, also?

Hetty Green's son says that Wall street is needed. Of course. The magazines must have something to roast.

"I believe" remarks a juvenile court judge in Washington, "that a girl who cannot cook bread has not yet attained her education." Opinion concurred in: judgement affirmed.

The Literary Man.
When I get home where I live at will remove my wife's new hat from my desk and my daughter's socks and my wee baby's building blocks, three spoons of thread, some tating framed, a box or two of cut out games, some scissors and my wife's new waders, a box of tacks and some tooth paste, cookbook and a sewing kit; some letters that my wife has writ, some apples cores the kids put there, one or two wads of handmade hair, a bottle shoe polish, too, a hairbrush and baby shoes, some stockings that are worth a darn, a skein or two of darning yarn, a picture book or two of three, a picture babe has drawn for me, a rubber ball, a piece of gum, some picture postcards and a drum. I'll do all that when I get home and then write an immortal poem that will have Swinburne double crossed—if all my pencils are not lost.—Houston Post.

Defined.
Whitie—Pa. what are "conversational powers?" Pa.—South American republic.—Puck.

Wells & Beckwith GOING OUT OF BUSINESS

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Wells & Beckwith's
The SHOE and HOSIERY Cash STORE
39 First Street Fulton, N. Y.

AUCTION BILLS

The Times job printing plant was never better equipped than now for printing auction bills. Heavy paper is used and extra pains taken on every job done at this office. The auction notice, inserted once each week for two weeks previous to the sale, also keeps the date fresh in the minds of many hundreds of people. Bring your auction printing to the Times office and secure the best results from your sales.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is a very valuable medicine for throat and lung troubles, quickly relieves and cures painful breathing and a dangerously sounding cough which indicates congested lungs. Sold by all druggists.

Perhaps when Dr. Cook needs a little more ready cash he will be able to remember for some enterprising magazine that he really did get to that Pole after all.

The Pennsylvania's order for 150,000 ton of steel rails ought to relieve somewhat the growing fears engendered by the hard luck stories of the railroad presidents.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS

IT IS THE ONLY PILL FOR THE TREATMENT OF ALL THE DISEASES OF THE BOWEL AND BLADDER. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Constipation, Indigestion, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, and all the ailments of the urinary system. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Hemorrhoids, Piles, and all the ailments of the rectum. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Catarrh of the Bladder, and all the ailments of the urinary system. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Stricture, and all the ailments of the urinary system. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Gonorrhea, and all the ailments of the urinary system. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of Syphilis, and all the ailments of the urinary system. It is the only medicine that will cure the most stubborn cases of all the ailments of the urinary system. Sold by druggists everywhere.