

FIREMEN WILL MEET IN MINETTO

Oswego County Convention to Be Held on Thursday and Friday.

BIG CROWD EXPECTED

People of Minetto Will Give Visitors a Royal Time—Banquet Thursday Evening and Parade on Friday—List of Field Sports and Other Events.

Great preparations are being made by the people of Minetto for the entertainment of the visitors who will come there on Thursday and Friday of this week to attend the Oswego County Firemen's Convention. The Page Hose Company never does anything by halves and although Minetto is not the largest place in the world all visitors are sure to have the time of their lives.

Business Sessions. The opening day Thursday will be devoted to business sessions. The day will be held in the forenoon at seven o'clock and it is expected that fifty delegates will be present. In the evening an elaborate banquet will be held. A program of toasts has been prepared and the affair promises to be most enjoyable.

Friday will be the gala day. Fire companies will be present from nearly every town in the county and a parade will be held. Field sports will follow and prizes will be offered for the best drilled organizations, etc.

John Riley Cut. John Riley cut a severe gash in his left hand while cutting meat at Morris' market Saturday night. He severed an artery and lost considerable blood. Dr. Dwyer attended.

Here for the Summer. Frank Loucks who has closed his season as Assistant Treasurer of the Garrick Theater is at the Garrick villa on a month's vacation. He will take the trusteeship of the Garrick Theater this season. Miss May Phelan of the Metropolis is also guest at the villa.

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OBITUARY.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Morley.

Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Morley passed away at her home in Sodus Center, Wayne County, early this morning after being ill about three months. Mrs. Morley enjoyed excellent health up to three months ago when she was stricken with a complication of diseases. She spent some time at the Clifton Springs sanitarium but she continued to sink until death came.

Mrs. Morley was the widow of the late William B. Morley and was in her seventy-sixth year. She lived at Sodus Center nearly all her life and many friends will regret to learn of her death. She is survived by one daughter Mrs. Norman L. Bates of this city and three sons Dr. William Morley who is now on his way to this country from Munich, Lawrence M. of Rochester and T. C. Morley of Detroit.

MARK OF RESPECT.

Movement to Close All Places of Business During Mr. Sloan's Funeral.

A movement is on foot among the business people of the city to close up all places of business during the funeral of the Hon. George B. Sloan Wednesday afternoon as a mark of respect. It is proposed to close all stores from four until six o'clock. The movement is meeting with the approval of every business man approached.

Notice.

The East Side Sportsmen's Gun Club will hold its regular shoot at the club grounds on Hill farm Tuesday afternoon.

Golf Game Postponed.

The golf game to have been played Wednesday between Oswego and Kenwood has been postponed until Friday.

Merchants to Meet.

A meeting of the Oswego Merchants' Association will be held tomorrow morning at ten o'clock to take action in the death of the Hon. George B. Sloan.

Real Estate Sales.

John O. and Sophia Garrett have sold to Carrie E. Lumpman their farm in Granby, consideration, \$1,000. W. G. Hellden has sold to Muzzie Constantino property in the Second Ward East 10th Street consideration \$240. Ailsa and Lawrence Stevens have sold to A. S. Page property in Oswego town near the Minetto Shade Cloth Factory, consideration \$450.

Suicide is Suspected.

PULASKI, July 11.—Elihu J. Button who since March last has conducted the Hiram J. Herrick farm located on the Mexico road and about two and a half miles southwest of this village, has not been seen since about 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, when he was noticed walking in the direction of the local R. F. & O. station. He had but a short time previous cashed a check at the Salmon River House, and was afterwards seen sitting near the dam in the Salmon River in the rear of the Table Corners plant. Earlier in the afternoon he had taken his horse to John Ball's blacksmith shop to be shod, but he did not afterwards call for his horse. Search is being made for the missing man. It is feared that he may have committed suicide.

Annual Summer Work via New York Central.

On Thursday, July 14th, the New York Central will run its annual summer excursion to New York City and Washington, D. C. Tickets will be on sale at all "stop" stations at the extremely low rate of 75c for the round trip, good for going on regular trains including July 28th, thus giving excursionists fifteen days to visit New York and the seaside resorts. Why not postpone this excursion? For the sake of trains, rates and full particulars, apply to New York Central Ticket Agents.

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WILL RATIFY THE NOMINATIONS

Grand Republican Demonstration at Pulaski on July 19.

A big Republican mass meeting will be held at Pulaski on July 19 to ratify the nomination of Roosevelt and Fairbanks, the Republican standard bearers. The meeting will be held in South Park at the conclusion of the County and District Conventions which will probably be about two o'clock.

Stirring addresses will be delivered by the Hon. Sereno E. Payne, Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means of the House of Representatives and the Hon. Charles L. Knapp, our representative in Congress. Both are eloquent speakers and the meeting promises to be one of the greatest ever held in Pulaski.

The Richland band will play. If the weather is inclement the rally will be held in the Belts Opera House.

Rev. Mr. Kessler's German Summer School.

Opened to-day and registered one hundred and twenty pupils. All who wish to take instruction please notify the pastor during this week. The school will continue during vacation of the public schools. School is held in the basement of the German Lutheran Church.

TWO SOCIAL AFFAIRS.

Miss Ruth Norton Entertains Party of Friends—Kitchen Shower for Miss Hooper, a Prospective Bride.

MEXICO, July 11.—Last Saturday at the home of Prof. A. H. Norton occurred a very novel social affair when his daughter Miss Ruth Norton, aged six months entertained twenty-one of her friends, whose ages ranged from five weeks to two years.

The rooms were prettily decorated with roses and nasturtiums. The refreshments consisted of a Jack Horner pie from which each guest drew a certain amount of money, the amount being indicated in the program.

Last Friday afternoon, the Trumble Club observed the custom of shoe writing its prospective brides, when twelve of its members met at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Palester on So. Jefferson Street where Mrs. Palester and Mrs. Kellogg gave a kitchen shower to Miss L. M. Hooper who is to be married July 30 to Mr. Pearl H. Markham.

A pleasant afternoon was spent and at five o'clock delicious refreshments were served. The decorous and elegant scheme being carried out, the color there were green and pink.

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The Resolved Reservation

lands are open in July. Full particulars as to date of registration, drawings and final entry, and as to character of soil and climate, requirements of the U. S. homestead laws, maps, etc. are contained in a pamphlet "New Homes in the West" issued by the Passenger Department, Chicago & North Western Ry. Send 2c stamp for copy or call on any ticket agent The Northwestern Line. H. B. Loucks, Jr., 301 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y. m28dijy8

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IN SURROGATE'S COURT

Barbara Fitzpatrick Leaves Daughters Property Valued at \$1,600.

Letters of administration were issued to-day to J. Henry Mace and Daniel M. Druse on the estate of George Mace who died at Palermo on June 24. Mr. Mace left a personal estate of \$10,000 and \$1,000 real estate. He left two daughters, Erymia M. Sackett of Fulton and Ellen L. Druse of New Haven, and one son, Olymer Palliser of Palermo.

Letters were issued to Marcelia and Leonora Fitzpatrick on the estate of their mother, Barbara Fitzpatrick, who died on July 13th last. Mrs. Fitzpatrick bequeathed her estate of \$1,600 to her two daughters.

Estate of William H. Watson, letters issued to Boardman Watson. The former died May 19, 1904, leaving an estate of \$700. He left two sons and two daughters who will share it.

Estate of Mary A. Shields partition of John H. Donalds for letters filed. Mrs. Shields died in St. Lawrence County, June 11, leaving \$1,500 real and \$500 personal. Several step children and nephews will share the estate.

Flags Are at Half Mast.

The flags on the City Hall, Court House, engine houses, banks and several other buildings are flying at half staff to-day out of respect to the memory of Mr. Sloan.

General Bulger Home.

General Bulger returned home from St. Louis yesterday noon where he spent the week forcing Judge Parker on the Democratic convention. He says he is too busy to attend the exposition.

Dr. Sarah W. Lyon Will speak. Dr. Sarah Walrath Lyon of New York will address a meeting of the Political Equality Club to be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Taylor, No. 30 East Oneida Street. Members of the W. C. T. U. and Mothers' Club are cordially invited to be present.

PROF. HUNT REMEMBERED.

Former Oswegonian Given Handsome Presents by the People of Ielp.

An interesting exchange says: On Monday evening the graduating exercises of the Ielp High School were held in the Presbyterian Church. The program was quite a lengthy and very pleasing one. After the diplomas had been presented Miss Ida McCroskey, on behalf of the students of the school, arose and presented Principal Hunt with a handsome bound set of the works of George Eliot. As soon as she was seated Miss Ella Patten, who for nine years has held the preceptress chair and who also retires this year, came forward with a few words of regard presented the retiring principal with a very handsome diamond watch chain. Principal Hunt was about to express a gratitude when Rev. Ralph L. Brydges claimed the attention of the audience for a "women's" and in the course of a brief address referred to Principal Hunt's usefulness as a citizen and the splendid work he had accomplished while principal, and incidentally gave the Board a reminder of their action in forcing them to retire, at the time presented Mr. Hunt with a gold watch suitably inscribed. The watch's Tiffany make rested in a handsome leather case. On the back of the principal's initials and in the inner case the following inscription: "1894-1904, presented to M. H. Hunt, on the termination of his ten years' principalship of the Ielp High School in token of esteem by the citizens of Ielp, June 20, 1904." Principal Hunt gratefully responded, thanking the donors for their generosity and good feeling that went with the gifts.

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Coach Excursions to the World's Fair

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