



**WILLIAM BAUSCH**  
CANDIDATE FOR SCHOOL COMMISSIONER.

**William Bausch.**

William Bausch, of the Seventeenth Ward, who was nominated for School Commissioner is an ideal man for that position. Mr. Bausch did not seek the office and only consented to accept the nomination only after he had been waited upon by a committee of men who, like Mr. Bausch, have the interests of the public schools of Rochester at heart.

Mr. Bausch was born in Rochester in 1861 and was educated in the public schools. Early in life he began work in the factory of Bausch & Lomb and is now a member of that firm. He is widely and favorably known throughout the northeastern section of the city and will add strength to the entire ticket. Mr. Bausch has never before been identified with political movements, although his time and money have at all times been used in the interests of public good

As a member of the Park Board Mr. Bausch has done considerable to provide healthful recreation for the people of this city. He has given liberally both of time and money to improving Seneca Park and the Zoo, which has proven so popular with all citizens, particularly the little folk, stands as a monument to his untiring efforts in behalf of the city parks. Mr. Bausch is a director of the Rochester Athletic club, a member of the Board of Managers of the State Industrial School, Trustee of the Chamber of Commerce and a member of the German-American Society and several other organizations.

Mr. Bausch is held in high esteem by the army of men employed in the immense optical plant of which he is one of the owners and he will find no more ardent supporters at the polls than these same men, who know his worth by close association



**Clarence V. Lodge.**

It will be gratifying news to the people of Monroe county to know that the popular superintendent of the poor will continue to administer the affairs of that office,

which is one demanding peculiar qualifications, among which is that experience in determining the justice and wisdom of granting relief in certain cases. A novice in such an office would be liable to make many mistakes. Mr. Lodge has had so many years' experience as county poor superintendent that it would be very unwise to lose the opportunity of securing his services for another term, and indeed, for as many terms as his health and circumstances will permit. Among Mr. Lodge's qualifications for the office is that of patience to investigate thoroughly the justice of claimants for assistance. He also possesses a kind and sympathetic heart which, tempered with caution and firmness of character, enables him to exercise the duties of his office wisely, in the interest not only of the poor but of the taxpayers. There are thousands of Mr. Lodge's friends who will be glad to see his portrait in this issue of the Journal.

**William Cox, Sr.**

In nominating William Cox, Sr. of the Nineteenth ward for county superintendent of the poor, the Democratic convention named a man who is one of the oldest and most deserving citizens of this city. For many years he was engaged in the tailoring business on Front street, and was known as a business man of great ability, unassailable integrity and unassuming worth. He is not only a worker in manufactures, but a scholar in studies, and a man of affairs who has superior qualifications for an honest, intelligent and humane administration of the department of this county having to do with the poor.



**George M. Forbes.**

Mr. Forbes is associated with William Bausch as Republican candidate for school commissioner. He is recognized as one of the foremost educators in the state, having spent his life in teaching and having had years of experience in the common schools both as teacher and principal. He is now a professor in the University of Rochester where he graduated in 1878. A large part of his work in the University is the preparation of teachers for their work, and before he became commissioner of schools, he gave extensive courses of lectures on education to the teachers of this city. He has spent some time in Europe studying the school system and there is not a man in Rochester who more thoroughly understands the educational systems of this country and Europe. Mr. Forbes has labored earnestly to give to the children of Rochester as good an education as the richest can get in private schools. He favors giving our children the same advantages in studies and methods that children have in other cities. The children are now being taught reading and arithmetic quicker and better than ever before. By the new methods they are trained beside in using their senses, their hands, and in speaking and writing their thoughts. This is thoroughly practical education. The evening schools have been made practical under the present administration. The students have increased from two or three hundred to thousands. Mr. Forbes emphatically represents practical education and progress in education. Vote to save the schools from being dragged back into politics. Vote for schools that interest the children. Vote against men who introduce political methods into the administration of the schools and form a "ring" to obstruct improvement.

**Hiram H. Edgerton.**

The nominee of the Republican party for the important office of President of the Common Council is Hiram H. Edgerton, the present incumbent. Mr. Edgerton has held the office for the past four years and by his affable manner and sound business judgment has clearly demonstrated his fitness for the office.

Mr. Edgerton is a well-known contractor and builder and in this capacity has done much to promote the commercial activity, advance the general welfare and secure the material development of Rochester. As a business man he has always been energetic, enterprising and always abreast of the times.

Mr. Edgerton has served as a member of the old school board, and six years ago was the choice of his party for mayor, failing of election by only a few votes. He was a member and president of the East Side Sewer Commission during the construction of that work and assisted in carrying it to a successful completion. He is a prominent member of the Builders' Exchange and has served as president of that organization for a number of years.

**MACEDON.**

Miss Anna Maxwell is home from Clifton Springs.

Mr. Frank Coniff is spending a few weeks in New York.

Miss Helen O'Beirne, who has been spending some time with her mother, returned to Rochester Sunday, where she will leave this week for Baltimore, Md., and later enter the order of Sisters of Charity. Ever many relatives and friends of this place wish her many blessings and success.

Mr. John Tice of this place, died Saturday Oct. 17. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, her mother, Mrs. Sarah Reives, and two brothers. Her funeral was held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Patrick's church, Rev. M. A. Holmes officiating.

**Vote for Philetus Chamberlain For School Commissioner.**

The Democratic party made no mistake in nominating Philetus Chamberlain for School Commissioner. His work in the Board of Education has demonstrated that he is a true friend of the public school. He has placed himself on record emphatically as being opposed to the fads which prevail in the schools and is decidedly in favor of a practical course of study. He believes that the grade schools are for the education of the masses and in as much as only about six per cent. of the school children go beyond the grammar school, that thorough education in the fundamental branches should be accorded them and less time spent in sewing, painting, cutting out pictures, drawing and playing in the sand tables. He also believes in employing a superintendent of schools and teachers from our own city instead of from out of town and has always so voted. Mr. Chamberlain should be elected by a large majority.

**Hon. Thomas E. White.**

Judge Thomas E. White who is a candidate for reelection as judge of the Municipal Court, is one of the best known lawyers of the city and needs no introduction to the attorneys who have practiced in the Municipal Court during the past generation. By his thorough knowledge of the law and by his uniform courtesy he has won a host of friends, irrespective of party, who are desirous of seeing him retained in the position he has so long adorned.

Judge White was always actively interested in public affairs and in 1882 he was elected on the Democratic ticket by a good majority. In 1888 he was elected by the large majority of 4,193. In 1894 he was defeated by a very small majority and in 1897 he was again triumphantly elected.

Judge White's election for the fourth time looks very promising and there is no reason why his majority should not be made a large one. His admirable record in the judiciary office is sure to bring many his support.

**Vote For Leo A. Schlitzer, Democratic Candidate For Assessor.**

Leo A. Schlitzer has been a life-long resident of this city affiliating himself with the public interests and making a wide circle of friends and acquaintances.

Mr. Schlitzer has had special training for the position of Assessor. He has been treasurer of Loan associations for over thirty years, and has been a member of other local associations, thus gaining a special opportunity to familiarize himself with real estate values. He is himself a heavy taxpayer. For thirty-five years he was in the fire insurance business.

He is a member of the Knights of St. John, St. Mauritius Commandery and a charter member of Branch 81, C. M. B. A. For fourteen years he has been secretary of St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum and has handled the financial affairs of the society. Personally he is popular, genial in manner, courteous in treatment of people and in every way well qualified for the position he seeks.

**For Alderman of the 7th Dr. M. Rosenberg.**

The Republicans of the Seventh Ward have an ideal candidate for alderman in Dr. M. Rosenberg. The doctor is one of the best known citizens of the Seventh and will receive a large plurality next Tuesday. His record while a member of the Common Council was such as to commend him to the good will and support of his constituents irrespective of party affiliations.

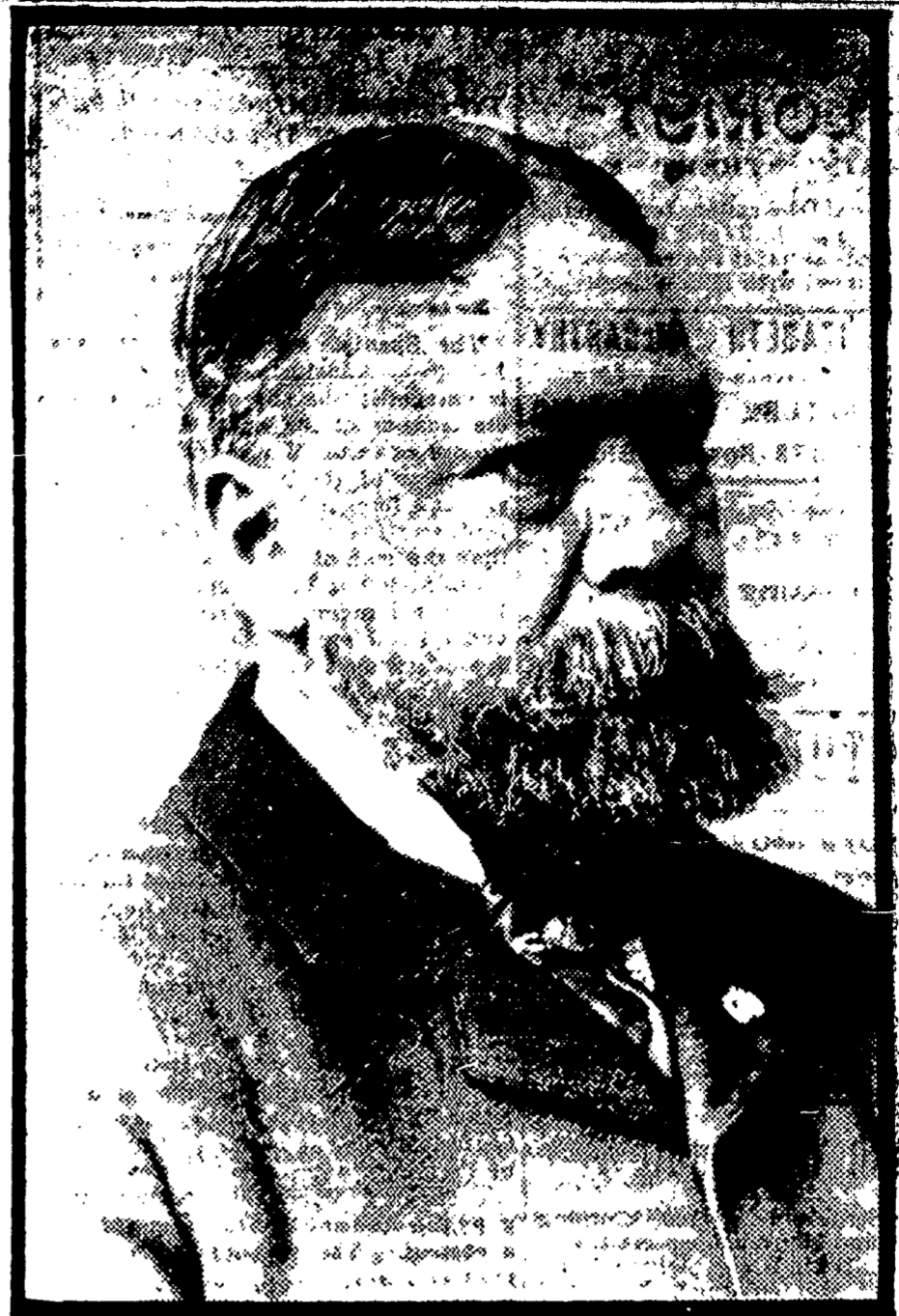
While in the Council Dr. Rosenberg at all times looked out for the interests of the people of the Seventh, and they will not forget his persistent efforts in their behalf at the polls next election day. He has been an active Republican in the Seventh for many years and served two terms as a member of the Board of Education.

He is a practicing physician and was graduated from Cornell University and the Detroit Medical College. He has shown himself at all times broad-minded and without prejudice and worthy of your support.

**CALEDONIA**

Mrs. James McGovern died Tuesday evening, Oct. 30th, at the State Hospital in Rochester. Mr. McGovern is survived by his wife, two sons and a little daughter. The funeral was held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Columba church.

A large class of children are preparing to receive their first holy communion on Sunday Nov. 1st, the feast of All Saints. Mr. and Mrs. George Wood of Buffalo are spending the week with friends here.



**JAMES G. CUTLER**  
Republican Candidate for Mayor.

James G. Cutler, the Republican candidate for Mayor, was born in Albany in 1848. On leaving school he entered the carriage factory of his grandfather, James Gould, where he served an apprenticeship in the paint shop, Mr. Gould being one of the old-fashioned kind who believed that every one who entered his business should start at the bottom.

In 1869 Mr. Cutler was given an opportunity of entering the firm but preferred to take up the work of an architect. In 1872 he came to this city and for many years practiced architecture here. And among the familiar buildings erected from his plans are the Elwood building, Kimball factory, etc.

He is a self-made man, having risen from small beginnings to become one of the most prominent and respected of our citizens.

In 1895 Mr. Cutler was a member of the commission named to prepare charters for the second class cities of New York State. He was appointed by Governor Levi P. Morton, and participated in the deliberations out of which were evolved the White Charter, under which the City of Rochester is governed. In 1897 he was appointed consulting architect for the State capitol buildings.

In politics, Mr. Cutler has always been a Republican. He was presidential elector from this district in 1896 and was the official messenger who carried the vote of the New York Electoral College to Washington in that year. The vote of the college was deposited for William McKinley.

As Commissioner of Public Safety in 1900 Mr. Cutler made a fine record, organizing what was then a new department under the new Charter, and introducing many valuable improvements in the different branches of service

under him, as, for example, the introduction of precinct station houses enabling the Police department to cover the city much more thoroughly and efficiently without having to travel constantly from the outskirts to central headquarters.

Mr. Cutler arrived from Europe Wednesday morning and on being interviewed at the dock by a reporter said:

"Of course I take great pride in being the candidate of my party for the office of Mayor of the city of Rochester and if elected I shall know that I have been chosen by the voters of a municipality not surpassed anywhere for their thoughtful interest in the selection of their employees. My satisfaction is greater because my nomination was, as I understand, acceptable both to the party and to those who regard city affairs as outside the domain of party politics. And I may say right here that my acceptance of this nomination was with the distinct understanding that if elected I should be free to administer the office solely with reference to the best interests of the entire citizenship of Rochester."

"My information of events in Rochester has necessarily been somewhat fragmentary. I regret exceedingly that I was not able to return home long before this, but I was forced to begin the journey at so late a date that it has been impossible for me to return earlier. I cannot fully express my appreciation of the honor of being associated on a city ticket with men of such eminent fitness. Whatever may be the result of the election with regard to myself, I have too much faith in the intelligence and good judgment of the people of Rochester to doubt for an instant the election of each and all my associates."

**Frank J. Ritz.**

Frank J. Ritz who has been placed in nomination by the Democrats of the 13th ward is not an untried man for the position of alderman as he is now serving his second term in that office. He is one of the heaviest taxpayers of the ward and has lived in that section of the city for 30 years. He is a prominent member of St. Boniface parish and is identified with the C. M. B. A., C. R. B. A., St. Herman's society also Foresters and Redmen. He will undoubtedly be elected by a good majority.



**WILLARD.**

On his return from Rome, Mgr. Hendrick presented each Catholic employee of the hospital with a rosary blessed by his holiness, the pope.

The school children of Willard entertained the patrons of the fair on Friday evening last.

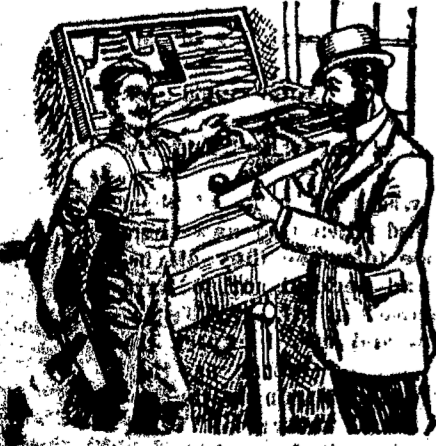
Miss Libbie Lyman of Seneca Falls is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. Martin.

The L. C. B. A. held their regular meeting at their rooms at Johnson's hall on Tuesday evening last.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watts, died of cholera infantum on the 18th inst.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lockren, died of cholera infantum on the 18th inst.

Miss Ella Sullivan who was employed at the hospital for many years, was married on Thursday, 29 inst., to Mr. John Hogan of New York city. Mr. Hendrick performed the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hogan will live in New York.



**IS IT ALL RIGHT ?**

Is the steel well tempered, the wood-work (handles and the like) perfect—in brief, is it a good tool? is a question every wide-awake mechanic has a perfect right to ask as to any tool he contemplates purchasing. All we have to say in this connection is that we will stand by any goods we recommend. If they don't prove satisfactory, back they go to the manufacturer.

**Louis Ernst & Sons,**  
129 and 131 Main St. East.