AN ANTI-PLATT LEADER IS DEAD.

William Brookfield Died at His Home To-Day, Surrounded by the Members of His Family.

LONG ACTIVE IN POLITICS.

Had Been Chairman of Republican State and Republican County Committees and a Member of Many Clubs.

William Brookfield, Republican politician and leader, died to-day after a short illness at his home, No. 516 Madison avenue. His family and his physician, Dr. S. K. Bremner, were at his bedside when the end came.

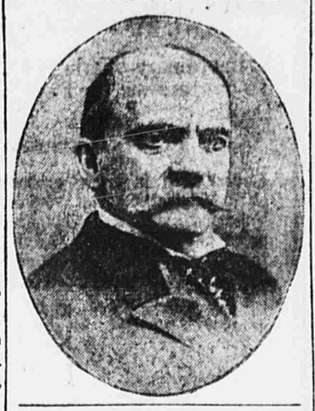
Mr. Brookfield was brought home from Florida five weeks ago. He was suffering from heart disease and that caused his death.

Mr. Brookfield held public office less than a year during his life. He was made Commissioner of Public Works by Mayor Strong in 1895, but the duties interfered with his private business, and he resigned.

He was, however, always active in city and State politics.

For four terms he was chairman of the Republican State Committee and three times president of the Republican County Committee. When the Republican County Committee was reorganized under the Committee of Thirty's plan a few years ago, Mr. Brookfield took a prominent part in the committee's work. He was a candidate of the anti-Platt Republicans for the presidency of the committee, but was defeated by Edward Lauterbach.

WILLIAM BROOKFIELD, WHO DIED TO-DAY.



Held Aloof for Awhile.

For some years thereafter Mr. Brookfield held himself aloof from the regular machine dominated by Senator Platt, but during the last reform campaign was for Mayor Low and the Reform ticket, and again allied himself with the Republican party.

Early in life he started in the glassware business and later became connected with some large corporations. He was President of the Brookfield Glass Company, the Bushwick Glass Company, the Sheldon Axle Company and the Franklin Loan and Improvement Company of New Jersey.

He held membership in the Produce and Mining exchanges and several clubs and societies, and was at one time President of the Republican Club.

Mr. Brookfield was educated at Cayuga Lake Academy, Aurora, N. Y., and shortly after graduation married Kate, the daughter of Henry Morgan, of Aurora.

He leaves a widow and four sons. One son is a graduate of Yale, and another of Princeton. One of his sons was killed in an accident several years ago. He was fifty-nine years of age.

SUICIDE A NEW YORKER?

Unidentified Man Kills Himself in Maryland—May Have Lived Here.

James J. Sullivan, postmaster of Frederick, Maryland, notified Police Headquarters here to-day that on Tuesday last an unidentified white man had committed suicide at Monrovia, Maryland, which is near Frederick, and that his body had been buried in the latter place. Twenty dollars in money was found in the man's pockets, and there was also a card bearing this address:

"Mrs. Pluster, No. 186 First avenue, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets, top floor, New York City."

FOUND DEAD AT CONEY.

Tugboat Captain Killed by Gas in Hotel There.

Frank Russell, thirty-two years old, a tug-boat captain employed by the city, was found dead in bed to-day in Patterson's Hotel, Henderson's Walk, Coney Island. A gas jet with a stove attachment was turned on full. The jet was so loose, however, that it might have been turned on accidentally.

Russell went to Coney Island early last evening and visited all the resorts. He went to bed about 2 o'clock this morning in a small room on the second floor of the hotel. When his body was discovered to-day the police were notified, and Drs. Pierce and Schold, of the Kings County Hospital, were called. They worked on the man an hour, but could not save him.

$5 New York Painless DENTAL CO INC $3

TEETH EXTRACTED WITHOUT PAIN, ALSO ONE FILLING FREE. TO DEMONSTRATE OUR PAINLESS METHODS and introduce our Thurio Plate, lightest and most durable plate made. Our work is done painlessly by a simple application to the gums. We are the originators of painless dentistry. Our processes are patented. Our prices are within the reach of all. Gold fillings from $1.00; Amalgam fillings, 50c.; Cleaning, 50c.; Gold Crowns, $3.00. All operators are skilled graduates, their diplomas being displayed at each chair.

We give a written contract to do your work satisfactorily and keep it in repair, free of charge, for ten years. Being incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, this is of indisputable value.

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HARLEM, 130 West 125th St.
BROOKLYN, 499 Fulton, cor. Edge. St.
BOSTON, 724 Washington St.
PHILADELPHIA, 63 North 8th st.
Lady attendants. Telephone Connections.

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Adams Dry Goods Co.

SIXTH AVENUE 21ST AND 22D STREETS. N. Y.

Women's Fine Neckwear At Tremendous Reductions from Real Value!

POINT DE VENISE LACE STOCKS, with bishop tabs, beautifully made, all white and white with color combination, value 50c. each; take any stock in this lot for..... 39c

EMBROIDERED TURN-OVER TAFFETA COLLARS in assorted point and floral designs, value 39c., our price..... 25c

REAL ARABE LACE ETON JACKETS—in Arabe color only—values range from $6.00 to $10.00 — take any jacket in the lot for..... $2.98

REAL LACE COLLARS—Embracing Antique, Point Arabe and Point Arabe and Silk—in round, square, Vandyke and many other desirable shapes—the colors are black, ecru and real—the values range from $4.00 to $6.00—this is a most extraordinary bargain, as we offer a choice of any collar in the lot for..... $1.50

SEVERAL HUNDRED SAMPLE COLLARS—in black white and ecru—comprising real Arabe, Antique, Renaissance, Point de Venise, Escurial and Net Lace — the shapes are all new—many of the shapes are in stole cape, round and other fashionable styles—the values range from $6.98 to $15.00—any collar in the lot for..... $2.98

Prices Down in Beds and Bedding.

Brass Beds!

AT 17.00—Regularly $28.00 BRASS BED, bow foot; 1½ post with husk; bow foot, ⅝ filler; ⅝ rod ⅝ inch.

AT 32.00—Regularly $48.00 BRASS BED, with 2 inch continuous post, ⅝ top rod, with ⅝ inch filler, T ball mounts throughout.

AT 1.95—Regular $2.50 IRON BEDS with brass vases, all sizes.

AT 4.50—Regular $6.50; with brass top RAIL SPINDLE and FULL MOUNTS. All sizes.

AT 7.00—Regular $10, continuous bent post with fancy scroll design, only 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. sizes.

Mattresses!

AT 3.85—Regularly $5.50, FIBRE MATTRESS, WITH COTTON TOP, made up in good quality of ticking; full size.

AT 5.95—Regularly $10.00—45 LB. SOFT HAIR MATTRESS, MADE UP IN A. C. A. TICKING; FULL SIZE.

AT 14.50—Regularly $22.00, pure South American Black Horse Hair MATTRESSES, 40 lbs., made up in fancy stripe ticking.

Feather Pillows!

AT 45c—Regularly 75c.—ALL FEATHER PILLOWS, made up in good quality ticking.

AT 1.35—Regularly $2.00 — Geese FEATHER PILLOWS, made up in Gold Medal ticking, 22x28.

One Hundred Mattresses!

MADE FROM PURE WHITE HORSE HAIR IN ONE OR TWO PARTS, REGULARLY $18.00 to $30.00, will be placed on sale to-morrow at these extraordinary prices:

3-foot size.	3½-foot size.
12.75	15.50
4-foot size.	4½-foot size.
18.50	21.00

Straw Mattings at Low Prices!

CHINA MATTINGS, narrow warp, regular value 15c. per yard, mark-down price..... 10c

JAPANESE MATTINGS, fine linen warp, very artistic carpet designs, in red, blue, green and drab, regular prices 25c. and 30c. per yard, mark-down price..... 18c

JAPANESE MATTINGS, extra quality, linen warp, regular prices 35c. and 45c. per yard, mark-down price..... 25c

SEAMLESS CHINA MATTINGS, heaviest quality, all white and choice all-over effects, regular prices 35c. and 45c. per yard, mark-down price 25c

AN OILCLOTH BARGAIN! Alden Sampson & Sons' OILCLOTH—thoroughly seasoned—1½ and 2 yards wide—a large selection best patterns—marked down for quick selling from 30c. per square yard to 19c

THOROUGHLY SEASONED LINOLEUMS, full rolls, choicest patterns, regular prices 60c. and 70c. per square yard, marked-down price..... 39c

CORK INLAID LINOLEUMS, heaviest quality, handsome patterns, regular price $1.50 per square yard, marked-down price..... 98c

Rugs Remarkably Cheap!

Best Quality Royal Wilton Rugs!

Size 27 x 54, value $3.50	2.65
Size 6.0x9.0, value $20.50	17.50
Size 8.3 x 10.6, value $31.50	23.50
Size 9.0 x 12.0, value $35	26.50

The above Rug bargains are exceptional and every home furnisher should take advantage of such opportunities.

All Wool Reversible Smyrna Rugs!

Size 18x36, value $1.15, at	85c
Size 26x54, value $1.85, at	1.55
Size 30x60, value $2.25, at	1.85
Size 36x72, value $3.50, at	2.95
Size 6.0x9.0, value $10.50, at	8.50
Size 7.6x10.6, value $15.75, at	12.25
Size 9.0x12.0, value $24.00, at	16.50

Axminster Rugs!

Size 18x36, value $1.25, at	85c
Size 27x60, value $2.35, at	1.75
Size 36x72, value $3.95, at	3.25
Size 6.9x9.0, value $16.75, at	13.25
Size 8.3x10.6, value $21.00, at	17.25
Size 9.0x12.0, value $25.00, at	20.75

Excellent for Summer Cottages!

Men's and Boys' Clothing Dept., take Elevators 22d Street Side.

Men's Genuine "Cravenette" Rain Coats

9.50

REGD TRADE MARK Cravenette PROOFED BY CRAVENETTE Co Ltd

Spring Weights Just Received!

The Cravenette is a long, loose, swagger garment, combination Rain Coat and Spring Overcoat. Suitable for day or evening and any sort of overcoat weather, rain or shine. Sizes, regulars and stouts, 34 to 46.

Boys' $5 Norfolk and Double-Breasted Two-Piece Suits for $3.25 Per Suit!

These Suits are excellently made of absolutely pure worsted serge—indigo dye. In 7 to 16 year sizes. Each suit is nicely trimmed and all seams are sewn with silk. Each suit will prove a perfect fit.

BOYS' 85c. STRAW SAILOR HATS Mackinaw braid—with wide 4-inch brims—trimmed with blue, red or white silk—for children from 3 to 8 years of age, 59c

A Bargain Sale of Nickel Plated Ware!

NICKEL PLATED PUDDING DISH, with blue and white enamel lining, special at..... 39c

NICKEL PLATED CRUMB TRAY AND SCRAPER; special, set.. 19c

NICKEL PLATED CRUMB TRAY AND BRUSH; special, set..... 45c

NICKEL PLATED HANGING TOOTH BRUSH HOLDER, special at 75c

SAFETY MATCH HOLDERS, brass, special, 10c

SAFETY MATCH HOLDER, nickel plated, to hang up, special, 10c

NICKEL PLATED BREAD TRAY, beaded edge, special, each..... 25c

NICKEL PLATED TOWEL BARS, 18 inches long, special..... 25c

NICKEL PLATED CUSPADORES, special at..... 19c

BRASS NICKEL PLATED CUSPADORES, extra heavy.. 45c

NICKEL PLATED HANGING TUMBLER HOLDER, special, 50c

NICKEL PLATED TOOTH BRUSH STAND, special at 69c

NICKEL PLATED SERVING TRAYS—12-inch, special..... 15c 14-inch, special..... 19c

NICKEL PLATED HANGING SOAP DISH, special at 50c

NICKEL PLATED CHILD'S TABLE TRAY, with wire spring for attaching to table, 25c

NICKEL PLATED OVAL SOAP DISH, with drainer, special, 25c

The Most Convenient Shopping Place in all New York—as well as the Lowest Priced.

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6TH AVE., 22d TO 23d ST., NEW YORK.

The Most Convenient Shopping Place in all New York—as well as the Lowest Priced.

A Continuous Ovation—A Mighty Triumph—Our

CHALLENGE SALE

To-morrow, the fourth day of this great sale, will witness more triumphs here. Already the city rings with the greatness of our Challenge Sale Bargains. Women come again and again to participate in these matchless opportunities, and return home only to further spread the glorious news.

And we are making it a progressive event. Every day, every hour sees new and fresh offerings brought forward to feed the never-ending appetite for high-class merchandise under price. Here are examples for to-morrow, and very likely some of our own prices may be cut lower than advertised on the day of sale, FOR WE ARE DETERMINED TO UNDERSELL THE TOWN.

Challenge Bargains in

Trunks and Suit Cases.

The exhibit and sale of the 20th Century Wardrobe Trunks continue. Come and see this splendid new invention, which combines the conveniences of a wardrobe with the safety of a perfectly-made smash-proof trunk. Prices range from $22.50 to $52.50.

Famous Trunks.

$5.00 FOR OUR "FAMOUS" TRUNK—One of the greatest values ever offered, being especially constructed to our order—basswood box, covered with heavy canvas, protected by hardwood slats, brassed trimmings, sole leather handles and two body straps, strong strap hinges, Excelsior lock and bound with strong fibre material; have deep trays with hat box and packing compartments, and are in every particular the best Trunks ever offered for the price anywhere; sizes 28, 30 and 32 inches; choice at..... 5.00

No Traveling Outfit Complete Without a Hat Trunk.

6.98 FOR FRENCH HAT TRUNK, canvas cover, hardwood slats, cloth lined, brass lock and trimmed, leather bound; size for six hats, with tray in cover for laces, veils and gloves, at..... 6.98

3.75 FOR $5.00 SOLE LEATHER SUIT CASES—Guaranteed to be made of strictly first-class sole leather, hand-sewed throughout and linen lined; some with shirt flap; solid brass locks, stout straps, reinforced corners; extra deep; 24 inches long.

3.95 FOR $6.00 STRONGLY MADE TRUNKS—Canvas covered, full, brass trimming, fibre bound, iron bottom, deep tray, with cover; sizes 30, 32, 34; a great $6.00 Trunk.

Steamer Trunks.

Our Celtic STEAMER TRUNKS are of basswood, heavy canvas covered, hardwood slats, full linen lined, brass trimmed, fibre bound, with two sole leather body straps, Excelsior lock; a very special value, for sizes

32 in.	34 in.	36 in.
5.98	C.50	6.98

39c. for 75c. Wrist Bags.

5 and 6 inch frames, some with inside compartment frame, some with extra change purse; nickel and gilt frames, in black, tan and gray; all made of seal and walrus grain leather, and never sold for less than 75c.; Challenge price..... 39c

21c for 5 inch 48c. Ribbon

A limited quantity of the highest grade of Satin Liberty Ribbon, 5 inches wide, in all shades, including black and white; regular price, 48c. a yard; Challenge Price..... 21c

(No Mail Orders).

39c for Women's $1.25 Neckwear.

HAND-MADE RUSSIAN COLLARS, some on batiste, some on silk, in white, cream or Arabian shades; suitable for waist or coat trimming; worth 98c. to $1.25 each; Challenge Price..... 39c

Silk Challenge.

15 pcs. PRINTED TAFFETA SILK—a pretty summer silk—graduated black dots on white ground; value 50c. yd. Challenge Price for Thursday 23½c

5 New style black and white BOUCLE CHECKED SILK, for stylish waists or shirt waist suits; worth 75c. yd. Challenge Price for Thursday 47½c

10 pcs. of 27-inch black TAFFETA SILK—bright and strong—a little more than 600 yds altogether, and not over 15 yds. to a customer; while the little lot lasts, only..... 41½c

Our great Challenge Sale of White Silks at the lowest prices ever known is now in full swing.

Challenge Sale of

Upholstery Remnants

Including Fabrics and Drapery Fringes.

2c. a yard for 10c. Edgings.
3c. a yard for 15c. Edgings.
5c. a yard for 25c. Fringes.
10c. a yard for 50c. Fringes.
15c. a yard for 75c. and $1.00 Fringes.

Remnants of Burlaps, Cretonne, Denim, Silkoline, &c., At 5c a yard. Worth from 10c. to 25c. a yard.

Odd Lace Curtains. 15c

Nottinghams, worth from 50c. to $1.00 a pair, at, each..... (Quantity Limited. No Mail Orders.)

Awning Remnants, 7c. yd.

This is your chance to re-cover old awning frames; Awning Goods worth 20c. a yard (remnant lengths) at 7c. a yard.

Challenge Sale of

Cotton Dress Goods.

Special for Thursday only, as quantities are limited.

DRESS GINGHAMS AND SEERSUCKERS—The usual qualities sold at 12½c. A wide assortment to choose from; every conceivable check, plaid and stripe effect, in a full range of colorings. Challenge Price 5¾c

(None sent C. O. D. No mail orders filled.)

12½c for 35c. Lace Striped Batistes.

A poem of beauty, white and colored grounds with a highly mercerized lace stripe running through it. A fortunate trade purchase enables us to offer our patrons this marvellous bargain. Don't fail to embrace this opportunity to supply your present and future wants—choice of all, yard 12½c

59c for $1.50 Untrimmed Hats.

FANCY BRAID TUSCAN and HAIR BRAID HATS, best shapes only; value $1.50; Challenge Price..... 59c

(No mail orders.)

Challenge Sale of

Reclining Go-Carts.

RECLINING GO-CARTS, solid reed sides, handsomely finished, with reclining back and adjustable foot, with green enamelled English running gear, fitted with rubber tire wheels, patent foot brake and parasol clamp; special prices,

$5.98, $6.75, $8.98

5c yd. for 20c. Laces.

VAL. LACES, TORCHON LACES, POINT DE PARIS LACES (Edgings and Insertings), including medallion effects; value 20c. yd.; Challenge Price, yd.. 5c

(No Mail Orders.)

Corset Challenge.

TAPE GIRDLES, in batiste, boned with covered wire, in blue and white; sizes 18 to 23; Challenge Price..... 50c

Challenge Sale of

White Enamel Beds.

Another lot of those White Enamelled Beds—from a great purchase at very advantageous concessions—go on sale to-morrow to accentuate the challenge offerings.

Full-size BEDS, value $3.50; Challenge Price..... 1.75

BEDS with continuous post, brass rail on foot and head piece, 3.6 and 4.6 only; value $4.50; Challenge Price 2.25

BEDS with heavy posts, fancy scroll patterns, 4.0 and 4.6 only; value $5.50; Challenge Price..... 2.75

BEDS with heavy continuous posts, 4.0 and 4.6 only; value $6.50; Challenge Price 3.25

A lot of sample IRON BEDS, in patterns discontinued by manufacturer; value $10.00 and $12.00; Challenge Price 5.00

Springs, Mattresses and Pillows at Challenge Prices.

39c for 60c. Bars Castile Soap.

An importer's stock of over 1,500 cases pure Castile Soap, made from pure olive oil on the Isle of Crete, goes on sale to-morrow at little above half price.

(A sample of this soap was examined by the United Laboratories Co., of this city, and pronounced the product of pure olive oil.)

At the price—39c. for a large bar—you get the imported CASTILE SOAP below the usual price of the domestic article—a large 60c. bar for..... 39c

Other Toilet Articles.

Imported FRENCH TRIPLICATE MIRRORS, nickel frames and chain; artistic decorations; regular price 25c 12½c

Imported English BATH AND TOILET GLOVES; special for this sale, pair 10c

CITRATE OF MAGNESIA (granular effervescent); 4 oz. bottle, special.. 18c

Imported TOOTH BRUSHES, 5 rows selected bristles; value 25c., special 10c

CLOTH, HAT AND MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES; burnt wood; special, each 12½c

China & House Furnishings in Endless Variety at Challenge Prices

Refrigerators and Gas Stoves.

Summer comfort so largely depends upon the Refrigerator and the handy Gas Stove that we have stocked both lines more fully this season than ever before. Hints of our low prices:

Refrigerators.

Hardwood Refrigerators, finished in golden oak, lined with galvanized steel, galvanized steel shelves, inside lining best charcoal sheeting, bronze hinges, airtight locks.

Capacity 40 lbs. of ice; special..... 4.98
Capacity 60 lbs. of ice; special..... 7.25
Capacity 75 lbs. of ice; special..... 8.98

Gas Stoves.

94c —For 2-Burner Gas Stove, burners strongly made, heavy castings.

3-Burner Gas Stove, double removable burners, strongly made, heavy castings; special... 1.79

1-Burner Gas Stove, cleanable; special..... 9c

Brooklyn Oil Cook Stove, blue flame, wickless..... 4.98

8c. For handsomely decorated Terra Cotta Cuspidors — assorted colors.

12c. For 9-inch Meat Platters, handsomely decorated and gold stippled.

The 12-inch size at..... 15c

Mrs. Potts Sad Irons, set of 3, with stand and holder complete..... 69c

Christy Carving Knives with enamelled handles.... 7c

Dripless Tapers, box..... 3c

Silexo Scourine Soap, cake..... 2c

14c. For 7-inch Jardinieres—assorted tints. The 8-inch size at 24c.

79c. For SLOP JARS with cover—large size—white porcelain—fancy shapes.

79c. For large Porcelain Covered Soup Tureens, handsomely decorated.

22c for large Porcelain Covered Dishes, fancy shapes.

AUSTRIAN CHINA TEA SETS, 56 pieces, handsomely decorated and tinted, 4.98

Nickel-plated Gas Lighters with hardwood handles, special..... 7c

For 5-inch White Porcelain Bread and Butter Plates (extra thin). 2½c

6-inch Tea Plates at, each..... 3c

Dinner Plates at, each 4c

(Both extra thin porcelain.)

5c. each for Porcelain Tea Plates, handsomely decorated. Dinner Plates, at..... 6c

Porcelain Fruit Saucers, handsomely decorated, at..... 3c

Large size Household Sponge— 5c