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Hochstadter Bequest Found.

The bequest of $1000 left by Elias Hochstadter to purchase medals for deserving colored children of the public schools was yesterday located by the city treasury officials. The bank book containing the deposit was found beneath a bundle of papers, where it had lain since the investigation into the Widber defalcation. The money will now be turned over to the Board of Education and on the suggestion of Superintendent Webster it will be used to buy medals for white as well as colored children under an understanding with the executors of the Hochstadter estate.

Doubt About Vacation Pay.

The opinion of City Attorney Lane that city officials are entitled to pay during vacations has been submitted by Auditor Wells to his attorneys. If the latter express the slightest doubt about it Wells will refuse to audit the warrants. The charter provides that the Auditor may demand a legal excuse for any city employe absenting himself from duty.

Health
is essential
to happiness.

If you are troubled with distressing symptoms, such as HEADACHE, DIZZINESS, STOMACH DERANGEMENT, TIRED FEELING, you are unfit for the duties of an active and happy life. In fact, you are in a dangerous condition—sooner or later to be controlled by disease. These symptoms lead to such diseases as RHEUMATISM, KIDNEY and BLADDER AILMENTS, STOMACH TROUBLES, FEMALE COMPLAINTS, CATARRH and NERVOUS PROSTRATION, which mean much suffering in after years—if not death. The principal cause is impure blood. If your blood is in a perfect condition you are a well being. When the blood becomes impure you are subject to more or less disease. Purify your blood and prevent disease. There is no remedy that equals ELECTROZONE for the removal of impurities from the blood. It has proven a wonderful remedy. ELECTROZONE enriches the corpuscles of the blood, removes all impurities, destroys disease germs, tones the system, wards off lassitude and fatigue incident to change of seasons.

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LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 1, 1899.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day of May, 1899.

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Notary Public for Los Angeles County, California.

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REBEKAHS TO HOLD ANNUAL SESSION HERE

The California Assembly to Meet in Odd Fellows' Hall Tuesday.

Names of Delegates Chosen by Lodges to Legislate for the Order—Mrs. C. A. Hoxett the Next President.

The California Assembly of Rebekahs, I. O. O. F., will hold its annual session in the Memorial Hall of Odd Fellows' building beginning Tuesday. There will be in that body, which is to legislate for the order for the coming year, exclusive of officers, about 250 delegates, representing an excess of 17,000 members. During the year the order has had remarkable success, there being an increase of fourteen lodges and a net gain of about 700 members. Mrs. Caroline A. Hoxett of Gilroy, now the vice president, will, in accordance with the custom, be advanced to the position of president. Mrs. Nellie Mitchell of Grass Valley, the warden, will be advanced to the vice presidency. These are the only certainties as to officers. For the office of warden, which is the stepping stone to the presidency, there will be half a dozen candidates. As this is one of the few orders in which there are no fraternal politics, no slate for officers has been prepared.

Following is a list of the officers and the delegates received up to noon yesterday:

Helen M. Carpenter, president; Caroline A. Hoxett, vice president; Nellie Michell, warden; Mary E. Donoho, secretary; Anna M. Liese, treasurer; Ada Madison, marshal; Sarah M. Wolf, conductor; Elizabeth Harvey, chaplain; Reetta Hadden, inside guardian; Gussie Hooper, outside guardian.

Delegates: California Rebekah Lodge No. 1—Sarah Harris. Naomi, 2—Lottie Gale. Fair Oaks, 4—Sarah J. Levy. Alder Glen, 5—Mary Meacham. Castle Lake, 6—Bertha Knight. Deborah, 7—Mae Meacham. Rising Star, 8—Lulu Bock. Elvira, 9—Susie Straub. Esther, 9—Emily Trathen, Luella Whiting. White Rose, 10—Louise Breslaus. Absit Invidia, 11—Ella E. Van Court. Brooklyn, 12—Mabel Lyon. Elmwood, 13—Annie McLean. Josephine, 14—Helen G. Adams, Sina Stout. Myrtle, 15—Marie Buss. Oakland, 16—Kittie Bullock. Isabella, 17—Alice Crowe, Susie J. Harris, Cornelia J. Reid. Cherokee, 18—Alice Phares. Templar, 19—Alma I. Jensen, Mary E. McLane. Florin, 20—Laura Jackson. Evergreen, 21—Nellie C. Berry. Stella, 22—Lillian Fisher, Alice Fuller. Ivy, 23—Minnie E. Newman. Unity, 24—Elosia Nelson. Juliet, 25—Lurina Norwood. Hayward, 26—Alice Minnger. Fidelity, 29—Rebekah Johnson, Agnes Roberts. Leona, 30—Sylva Tobey. Germania, 31—Mollie Neidhart. Golden West, 32—Lillian Surrhyne, Hope, 33—Zula Herzog. Clara, 34—Emma Oberdeener. Evening Star, 35—Detlef Hansen. Oleta, 36—Emma Robinson. Helena, 37—Adah J. Anderson, Carrie A. Kingsley. Triple Link, 38—Emily Minstrell. Western Star, 39—Eva English. Ora, 40—Lizzie C. Carlock. Lebanon, 41—Tenia Breuck, Nellie Chase, Mary F. Thorndike. Violet, 42—Ella Sterling. Clear Lake, 43—Laura Miles. Sebastopol, 44—Adele H. Graff. Crystal, 46—Helen Butterfield. Kern, 47—Flora Peters. Olive Branch, 48—Fannie M. Lovie. Hermenia, 49—Margaret Jacobs. Jackson, 50—Lydia A. Pense. Kings River, 51—Wayne Allison. Ruby, 52—Daniel F. Royer. Fowler, 54—Mattie Nelson. Petrolia, 59—Anna Parker. Beulah, 60 — Elizabeth Harvey. Paradise, 62—Libbie Clow, Annie Sanborn. Excelsior, 63—Sarah J. Pendry. Georgetown, 64—Emily Smeder. Plymouth, 65—Annie Doman, James L. Ridgely, 66—Marie Jenkins. Edelweiss, 67—Meta Gehrkens. Golden Rule, 68—Millie E. Simmons. Alpha, 69—Vashti Timmons. Hesperian, 70—Elizabeth C. Cutter. Mountain Rose, 71—Nettie Grant. Oak Leaf, 74—Ella Rogers, Mary Stump. Cypress, 75—Harina Varien. Colfax, 77—Elizabeth Wright. Liberty, 78—Myrtle Rosenberg. Morning Star, 79—Lizzie Wyrick. Vacaville, 80—Mamie L. McCrory. Mystic Jewel, 82—Amelia A. Wayman. Arbor Vitae, 83—Lizzie Baker, Josie Bonner. Orange Grove, 84—Hattie B. Onyett. Relta, 85—Bertha R. Trantz. Silver Spray, 86—Mabel Meyers. Golden Sierra, 87—Augusta Fischer. Calaveras, 88—May Curnow. Live Oak, 89—Ora Allen. Oriental, 90—Abbie A. Ewing, Sophia H. Forbes. Bloomfield, 91—Martha Davison. Madrona, 92—Carrie F. Beck. Magnolia, 94—Millie Tittle. Gem of the Valley, 95—Fidelia Furber. Rainbow, 97—Celia Campbell, Evelyn Crawford. Centennial, 100—Metta C. Hansen. Social, 101—Fannie Asher. Mizpah, 102—Alice Wall. Winters, 104—Gertrude Wurth. Golden Link, 105—Bessie J. Wood. Alameda, 107—Sarah Tebu. Sylvan, 108—Belle Martin. Sunset, 109—Marie Cassovia. Golden State, 110—Anna Sorenson. Lady of the Lake, 111—Rose Burgess. Golden Star, 112—Amelia Petersen. Silver Star, 114—Ada Bottomley. Ferndale, 115—Harriet Gill. Enterprise. 118—Olive N. Ray. Neva, 119—Lizzie Hocking, Adalaide Hothersall. Esther Tremain. Empress, 122—Ellen Nellirt. Danville, 123—Myra More. Sequoia, 124—Delia Smith. Queen of the Lake, 125—Louise Barnert. Elwood, 127—Lou Frazer. Eureka. 128—Sylvia Smith. Citrus, 129—Nannie Kennedy. Walhalla, 130—Minnie Becker. Martha Washington, 131—Daisy Mason. Rel, 132—Lida Phelps. Minnehaha, 133—Marian Parmalee. Oro Finon, 134—Luemma Kemp. Elk Grove, 136—Suzetta S. Waldon. Anna, 137—Ada Madison. Mount Shasta, 138—Elizabeth L. Etter. Lompoc, 139—Annie Schuyler. Sycamore, 140—Belle Rogers. Silver Gate 141—Jennie C. Beers, Amelia Wolfsheimer. Alvarado, 142—Mae H. Hawley. Emery, 143—Laura Pennebaker. Arroyo Grande, 144—Annie L. Cook. Philotesian, 145—Ella Glendenning. Forest, 147—Abbie Stewart. Juanita, 149—Deborah A. Elmore. Carmel, 150—Mary E. Dolphus. Monrovia, 151—Lydia Spence. Concordia, 152—Barbara Wemmer. Konocki, 153—Grace E. Keithly. Livermore, 154—Daisy Rigbter. Sunshine, 155—Louise G. Smith. Ramona, 156—Jessie Reed. Diamond, 157—Annie E. Myers. Fresno, 158—Annie Brown. Capital City, 160—Belle Johnson, Jennie Washburn. Amity, 161—Annie Farnham, Laura Lowry. Flora, 162—Batha Ashley. Willows, 163—Josephine Stocchine. Fedora, 166—Lucy Taylor. Russian River, 167—Frank Wilson. Woodbine, 168—Clara Wheeler. Una, 172—Martha V. Crandall. Samaria, 173—Emma Trerichs. Volcano, 174—H. Hake. Far West, 176—Mary S. Bever. May Queen, 177—Ollie E. Fuller. Chrysanthemum, 178—Anna Snyder. Alma, 180—Frances Hogan. Pearl, 181—Sarah Kimball. Manzanita, 182—Sarah Kilgo. Heliotrope, 183—Jessie Stout. Flower City, 184—Emma Washburn. Laurel, 186—Orelle Burt. Blue Mountain, 187—Nellie Burt. Florence, 188—Rose Lane. Acme, 189—Mamie Sedgwick. Orland, 191—Metta Steuben. Aqua Pura, 193—Helen Robertson. Columbia, 194—Pearl Vennum, Jessie Wilcut. Cayucos, 196—Annie E. Sanders. Independence, 197—Carrie Johnston. Pleasanton, 198—Fredrisha Madsen. Silver Wave, 199—Lena Wilson. Sanger, 201—Mary Rodgers. Cornelia, 205—Mary Orr. Clover Leaf, 207—Minnie Jones. Fall River, 209—Lorena Reynolds. Friendship, 211—Tillie Doyle. Woodwardia, 212—Antolinette M. Cobb. Ysabel, 213—Maggie M. Lewis. Los Olivos, 214—Nannie Celthart. Loyal, 215—Tillie M. Towle. Natalia, 216—Hattie L. Cooper. Oriole, 217—Mina J. Bissell. Mistletoe, 218—Emiline E. Fuller. Olive, 222—Maud M. Cook. Ada, 223—Lottie L. Mirache. Rose, 224—Carrie Knaugh. Mission, 225—Rena Crawford. Petaluma, 226—Sarah J. Ennis. Fern, 227—Mattie E. Good. Mount Diablo, 228—Jennie Loucks. Corona, 229—Edith B. Bradley. Starlight, 231—Lizzie W. Schonemann. Sacramento, 232—Carrie Gruhler. Orinda, 233—Delia Phillips. Crescent, 234—Alma Bainbridge Covina, 235—Carrie Elliott. Paloma, 237—Clara M. Parker. Aloha, 238—H. S. Gordon. Jubilee, 239—Helena G. Peterson. Mila, 240—N. W. Boyd. Aurelia, 241—Charles M. Stewart. Phebe, 243—Clara Johnson. Keystone, 244—Maria Neely. Torosa, 247—Fannie Lacey.

CITY OFFERED ANOTHER WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM

A Plan for Electric Power and Light to Be Developed From American River.

A plan was yesterday submitted to the Board of Supervisors by J. E. Russell for supplying this city with water, electric power and light from the junction of the north and middle forks of the American River, one mile from Auburn. Russell says he owns 820 acres of land in Placer and El Dorado counties on both sides of the river. He estimates the cost of the water system at $4,104,579, of an electric power system at $584,184 and of an electric railway 118 miles long, from Auburn to San Francisco, at $754,669, or $5,443,432 for the three systems. In the dryest weather the American River at the point mentioned carries never less than 10,000 miner's inches. Lake Tahoe being but three miles away, the supply of water could be increased by running a tunnel five miles long under the lake.

Russell proposes that two steel water pipes, each forty-eight inches in diameter, be laid along the Central Pacific Railroad. From a dam 1050 feet above the sea a flow of 60,000,000 gallons could be delivered daily to this city. It is intended to develop 5000 horsepower in the lighting and power system.

$3 ladies' French kid shoes for $2 at the Bee Hive Shoe Co., 717 Market street. •

SILVER RING FOR SERVICE IN THE LATE WAR

Military Bodies May Place Records on Their Standards.

Elections Ordered in Two Companies of the First Regiment Infantry. Store House for Laveaga Heights.

The several organizations of the National Guard which took part in the Spanish-American war will now have an opportunity to have a silver record of the same in view of the following order which has been issued from superior headquarters in Sacramento:

Service in which organizations of the National Guard have borne a meritorious part may be engraved upon silver rings, fastened on the pikes or lances of the colors, standards or guidons, the rings to be one inch wide and placed one inch apart, commencing one inch from the spear head. On the pikes or lances of the national colors will be placed rings for United States service and on the pikes or lances of the State colors will be placed rings for State service. Troops of cavalry or Signal Corps may carry similar rings on the lances of their guidons for service as detached organizations. The service for which rings will be allowed and names and dates to be engraved on same will be announced from the adjutant general's office. In accordance with the foregoing the following organizations of the National Guard are hereby authorized to carry one or more rings on the pike of their national colors, inscribed as designated:

First Regiment of Infantry, five rings inscribed as follows: "Spanish-American War, 1898; Malate Trenches, July 31 and August 1, 1898;" Manila, August 13, 1898;" "Filipino Insurrection, February 5 to March 21, 1899;" "Island of Negros, March 23 to July 4, 1899."

Second Regiment of Infantry, one ring inscribed: "Spanish-American War, 1898, as a part of the Eighth California United States Volunteer Infantry."

Fifth Regiment of Infantry, one ring inscribed: "Spanish-American War, 1898, as a part of the Eighth California United States Volunteer Infantry."

Sixth Regiment of Infantry, one ring inscribed: "Spanish-American War, 1898."

Seventh Regiment of Infantry, one ring inscribed: "Spanish-American War, 1898."

Troop B, Cavalry, is authorized to carry one ring on the lance of their guidon inscribed: "Spanish-American War, 1898, as Battery C, First Battalion, California U. S. V. H. A."

The following, who were officers of the First California Volunteers, but did not report for duty in the guard within the time for such return, have been honorably discharged in orders: James F. Smith, colonel First Infantry; Hugh T. Sime, major First Infantry; Theodore C. Reth-ers, captain and assistant surgeon Sanitary Corps, assigned to staff First Infantry; A. P. O'Brien, captain and assistant surgeon Sanitary Corps, assigned to staff First Infantry; Edwin F. Davis, first lieutenant Company H, First Infantry, and Charles J. Hogan, second lieutenant Company M, First Infantry.

If there is to be a division encampment this year it will be held at Santa Cruz during the week commencing August 4. The men will be required to be in camp for eight days. Those who are arranging for the proposed camp declare that it will not be a picnic camp; that during their stay on Laveaga Heights at Santa Cruz there will not be any of the work that can be performed in the armories or on the public streets; that there will be but little of four rights and four lefts except in marching; that there will not be any reviews or dress parade, but that the work will be in the line of extended orders, reconnoitering, field exercise, scout duty, defense and attack, hasty intrenchment, reports on the condition of the country to be invaded, roads, map making and all that will tend to make the men understand the art of war. The several organizations will be supplied with ranges and rations will be dealt out to each as is done in the regular army. No one will be permitted, as at former camps, to act as caterer to any organization. The several bodies will, however, have to furnish their own mess kits. As yet no provision has been made for tentage or blankets. Prior to the Spanish-American war the National Guard of this State had but very little in the blanket line.

Orders are out for the election of a captain, first and second lieutenant for Company K of the First Regiment of Infantry and for a second lieutenant for Company H of the same regiment. The elections are to be held on the same night that the election for field officers of the First has been called for. Lieutenant Colonel Duboce, commanding the First, has announced that on account of continued illness he will not be a candidate for the position of colonel, so that leaves the field at this time to Thomas F. O'Neil, the senior captain.

An election for captain of Troop E, cavalry, vice Stewart, time expired, has been called for.

H. T. Bennett, who was second lieutenant of Company F, Fifth Infantry, has been elected captain of the company and Private G. W. Nickerson has been elected second lieutenant, vice Bennett, promoted.

An election will be held in the Santa Rosa company on the 21st, vice the three officers whose terms have expired.

The new Company I at Livermore is still full of military ambition. Every night during the past two weeks, except Sundays, there has been squad drill.

The citizens of Santa Cruz will build a storehouse on Laveaga Heights for the use of the National Guard. It will be of frame with a corrugated iron roof.

Did Not Get His Money Back.

Justice of the Peace Kerrigan yesterday gave judgment against John Forman, who sued Emma J. Lowell for the return of $100 which he claimed to have loaned her. Forman, who is a farmer of Healdsburg, met Mrs. Powell through the medium of the Wedding Bell, a marrage bureau paper, published in this city. They agreed to get married and Forman gave the prospective bride $100 to buy a trousseau, but in the meantime his children succeeded in breaking off the match.

You obtain unquestionably the best value for the money by buying Alexander Humboldt clear Havana cigars. Each genuine Humboldt is banded. Don't take any others. •

Sprinkling of the Streets.

The City Attorney informed the Board of Park Commissioners yesterday that the sprinkling and cleaning of parks and squares is under their jurisdiction and that the lighting of parks and squares must be done by the Board of Public Works.

SAN FRANCISCO RIVALS THE EAST

Beautiful and Artistic Workmanship of an Old-Established Firm.

It has developed that persons with esthetic tastes to satisfy do not need to go beyond the Rockies in order to gratify their most acute desires. Chas. M. Plum & Co. have turned out a piano that should and will attract the attention of any person interested in such work.

It was builded to order and for the purpose of fitting a room furnished by the firm after the fashion of Louis XV. So artistic and delicate is this piece of work that at first observation it appears frail, but close examination shows that the carving is all handwork upon solid wood, all of it having been done in their own factory in San Francisco. The body of the case is in a special shade of olive green, while the carving is overlaid with pure gold leaf. The case was decorated by one of our best artists, who worked at the task for months. The design of this painting, which was successfully accomplished in oil upon a smooth surface, is especially soft and artistic and is followed in the construction of the music cabinet and bench.

The writer, during years of travel in Eastern and foreign countries, has never seen a more beautiful piano case and San Francisco can congratulate herself that it was manufactured here.

QUARTERMASTERS THE BOSSES ON TRANSPORTS

Captain Pierce Turned Down for Disobeying Orders Given at Sea by Captain Coulling.

The transfer of Captain Pierce from the transport Sheridan to the Warren is taken by the officers of the service to mean another victory for the military authority aboard transports over the masters of the vessels in the service.

The row between Captain Pierce, master of the Sheridan, and Captain Coulling, army quartermaster in charge of the transport, occurred at sea only a few days before the vessel reached port on her last trip from Manila. The story goes that Captain Coulling sent orders to Captain Pierce to open certain hatches and take out the trunks of some of the officers who were passengers. Captain Pierce refused to comply. Captain Coulling retaliated by placing the little skipper under arrest, but only for a few hours, as he was subsequently induced by others on the ship to pursue a milder policy.

When the Sheridan reached port there were charges and counter charges preferred, and Colonel Long held an investigation. Nothing was made public concerning the result, but the fact that Captain Pierce was transferred to another ship instead of the quartermaster is accepted by transport officers as evidence that the army got the better of the controversy.

ST. MARY'S PARK FUND WILL PAY OFF DEFICIT

Tacit Understanding Between Auditor and Supervisors That Money Will Be So Utilized.

As outlined in these columns three months ago it is now stated that the Supervisors' Finance Committee and the Auditor have come to a tacit agreement that the St. Mary's Park fund of $125,000 will be used to pay off the deficit with which the city will be confronted at the end of the fiscal year.

The fund will not be used until after June 30, when it will be applied to paying off claims of creditors. Notwithstanding the efforts of the officials to make up the deficiency of $211,000 by shutting off lights and by other means, it is believed that there will remain bills amounting to at least $100,000, for which there will not be a cent of money in the treasury unless the St. Mary's Park fund is utilized.

Andrew S. Hallidie's Will.

The will of the late Andrew S. Hallidie, inventor of the cable railway, was filed for probate yesterday. In the will, which bears date of April 2, 1878, and is witnessed by G. H. Wallis and E. S. Howard, decedent bequeaths his entire estate to his widow, Martha Elizabeth Hallidie. In the document decedent says: "I commit to the care of my wife, as far as she may be able to provide, those now depending on me. I hereby appoint my wife sole executrix of my will, relying upon her good judgment to justly administer my affairs and wind them up in such manner as may seem best fitting to her, and being in the full enjoyment of my senses I acknowledge the great powers of God in extending his considerate protection to me during my life, and when the messenger of death calls I hope and believe I may be prepared for him."

Policemen's Qualifications.

The applications under the charter for positions on the police force were handed to the clerk to the Chief yesterday. In some respects they are different from those used in the past. The applicant has to state how long he has lived continuously in the city, that he is an American citizen, his occupation for the past five years and his special training and experience to fit him for the position. Three citizens have to sign the application, testifying to the applicant's good moral character, temperate and industrious habits and that in all respects he is fit for the position.

Do Not Read This

And miss the opportunity to buy boys' calf and russet shoes worth $2 50 for $1 a pair. 1000 pairs will be on sale to-morrow at the Boston Shoe Co.'s shoe sale, 775 Market street, near Fourth. •

Arrested for Embezzlement.

C. F. Wilson, vice president and general manager of the California Power Company, was arrested at the Occidental Hotel last evening by Detectives Ryan and O'Dea. The charge on which he was taken into custody is one of embezzlement preferred by Mrs. Buchanan of Antioch, Contra Costa County. The woman says she intrusted $100 to the care of Wilson, to be delivered to her brother in this city. She claims he violated his trust.

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Outing Skirts, well made, box pleated back and hang properly, of covert cloth, pique and linen crash, at

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A CRASH in Baskets.....

In the face of advances in willow and rattan we offer this week special prices on Baskets:

Fancy Colored Bamboo Waste Baskets, worth regular 50c, 75c and $1; special, 25c, 35c and 50c.

Fancy Rattan Open-work Waste Baskets, neat and strong, worth regular 50c, 85c and $1.50; special at 25c, 50c and 75c.

Fancy Rattan Open-work Office or Waste Baskets, a real good thing, of 6 sizes, at the special prices of 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c; worth more than double.

Rattan Satchel Baskets, 12 in., 17c; 14 in., 29c; 16 in., 39c; 18 in., 52c; 20 in., 60c; almost half the regular prices.

Telescope Baskets, with strap; 14 in., 25c; 15 in., 30c.; 16 in., 35c.

Telescope Baskets, with strap (fancy nickel handle), 22 in., 87c; 28 in., $1.15.

Splint Picnic Baskets, 17 in., regular 10c; special, 6c.

Splint Picnic Baskets, with covers, special, 14 in., 12c; 19 in., 19c.

Universal Folding Lunch Boxes, special 9c.

Finely Finished Telescope Lunch Baskets, 5c each.

Infant Baskets, slightly damaged during transportation, regular price 75c; to close out at from 10c to 25c each.

A complete assortment of Clothes Baskets, Hampers, Candy Baskets, Satchels, Telescopes, Office or Waste Paper, Overland Lunch, Picnic, Knife, Market, Grocery, Butcher, Laundry, Baby and Work Baskets; Splint, Wood, Willow and Rattan.

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AUDITOR WILL NOT SUBMIT TO CIVIL SERVICE

Says He Means to Oppose Any High-Handed Act of Commission.

Will Select His Own Extra Clerks, and if the Board's Approval Is Refused He Will Test the Matter.

The Board of Municipal Civil Service Commissioners is destined to have at least one more fight on its hands should it attempt to interfere with the temporary appointments in the Auditor's office. Auditor Wells said yesterday that he will refuse to submit to any arbitrary action on the part of the commission.

With the assistance of Mayor Phelan the commission recently succeeded in whipping Recorder Godchaux into line when that official rebelled against throwing out his copyists, whom he had temporarily appointed for a period of sixty days, to make room for others who had been fortunate enough to pass the examination. Though Godchaux submitted to the dictates of the Mayor and commission he has always felt that their action was rather high-handed and that he was unjustly treated. The fact therefore that one city official at least intends to test the right of the Civil Service Board to dictate his appointments will no doubt be cheering news to the Recorder.

Auditor Wells outlined his position in the matter yesterday by first saying that he had no desire to enter into any conflict with the commission, but that if it forced the issue he would take the case to the courts. In a few weeks the Auditor will have the appointment of some fifty extra clerks, whose duty it will be to calculate the taxes on the assessment roll as returned by the Assessor.

"When the time comes," said Mr. Wells, "I shall send my list of appointees to the Civil Service Commission, with a notification that I have appointed them for a period of sixty days. The charter gives me this power, but the appointments must receive the approval of the Civil Service Commissioners. Should they return their approval, all well and good. But they are likely to withhold their sanction and insist that I select the names from a list of eligibles furnished by them. In that event I will immediately bring suit to enjoin them from interfering in any way with the administration of my office and thus determine whether I have any rights in the matter.

"I contend that I alone should have the selection of my own clerks. I am under heavy bonds, and I think I should know the character and qualifications of my subordinates. They had a weakling to deal with when they forced Godchaux to stand and deliver, but I shall refuse to be intimidated or browbeaten without a struggle. The necessity for such action on my part may not arise, but I assure you I am fully prepared to defend my rights."

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