

JUDSON C. CLEMENTS DEAD.

Member of the Interstate Commerce Commission for 25 Years.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 18.—Judson C. Clements, Interstate Commerce Commissioner for twenty-five years, died here today in his seventy-second year. Mr. Clements was born in Georgia. He enlisted in the Confederate Army in 1864 and was a First Lieutenant at the end of the war. He was admitted to the bar in 1869, and practiced law in Lafayette, Ga., from 1869 until 1892, when he was appointed to the Interstate Commerce Commission. He had been a member of the Georgia House of Representatives and also of the Georgia State Senate. From 1881 to 1891 he was a member of the House of Representatives at Washington.

He was defeated for re-election in 1890, but was appointed Special United States Attorney to acquire titles for the Government land now occupied by Chickamauga Park and Chattanooga Military Park. In 1892 he was appointed to the Interstate Commerce Commission to fill out the unexpired term of Commissioner Bragg. He was reappointed by Presidents Cleveland, McKinley, Roosevelt, Taft, and Wilson, and when Martin A. Knapp was promoted to be Justice of the Commerce Court he was elected Chairman of the Commission, Jan. 13, 1911.

Dr. Charles E. Gilbert.

Dr. Charles E. Gilbert, formerly chief surgeon of the Atlantic Yacht Club, died yesterday at his home, 35 West Ninety-sixth Street, in his sixty-ninth year. He was graduated from the New York Homeopathic College in 1870, and was a member of the Manhattan Club and the American Institute of Homeopathy. He was a Mason. Dr. Gilbert is survived by his wife.

Obituary Notes.

D. E. ALDRICH, a chemist with offices at 2 Broadway, died suddenly yesterday while being removed from his office to the Volunteer Hospital after he had suddenly been taken ill. His wife and two sons, who were said to be in the West, were notified. Mr. Aldrich made his home in the Hotel Marcellles.

JOSEPH PRICE, formerly a detective on the old Brooklyn city police force, died on Sunday at his home, 94 Clinton Avenue, Brooklyn, in his seventy-third year. Mr. Price served in the Union Navy during the civil war.

SAMUEL C. RANSOM, since 1900 Clerk of the Court at Mineola, and widely known in Republican circles in Nassau County, died on Sunday at his home in Sea Cliff. Mr. Ransom was born in Brooklyn sixty-four years ago, and removed to Sea Cliff thirty-eight years ago. He had been Postmaster and Chief of the Fire Department. Mr. Ransom was a member of the Board of Education, Secretary of the Sea Cliff Club, and Trustee of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

CHARLES WELCHER, 55 years old, a builder in the Eastern District of Brooklyn, died from heart disease on Sunday at his home, 60 Patchen Avenue, Brooklyn. He was a native of Copenhagen, Denmark, and a member of Clinton Lodge, F. and A. M.

JOSEPH STEWART, a real estate and insurance broker, died at his home, 47 Strong Place, Brooklyn, on Sunday. Mr. Stewart was a Deacon and Trustee of the Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. SARAH H. RIDGWAY, widow of Charles H. Ridgway, who was a mantel and tile manufacturer, died from heart disease on Sunday at her home, 5 Fairview Place, Flatbush, aged 59 years.

MORRIS BLOCH, 49 years old, a retired butcher, died on Sunday at his home, 512 Fifth Street, Brooklyn.

E. STANLEY WILLS, formerly a well-known member of the New Bedford Yacht Club, died in the Brooklyn Hospital on Saturday. He lived at 570 Jefferson Avenue, Brooklyn, and left a widow.

Mrs. LETITIA KNORPP, wife of Arthur Knorpp, a manufacturer of novelties, died at her home, Mill Street and Sherman Avenue, Richmond Hill, on Saturday. She was born in London, England.

EDWARD H. REEVE, formerly in the hardware business in Manhattan and a member of De Witt Clinton Council, R. A., and of De Witt Clinton Conclave, I. O. H., is dead at his home, 1,710 Avenue N., Brooklyn.

Mrs. MARY P. SEYMOUR, 92 years old, the oldest resident of Rockaway, N. J., died there yesterday. She was a native of Greenbottom, England.

Mrs. MARGARET A. WELLER, mother by a former marriage of William B. Wyckoff, Collector of Washington Township, N. J., and former Councilman E. Wyckoff of Washington, is dead at her home there, in her seventy-third year.

Mrs. EMILY H. PRATT, wife of William Alden Pratt, who is a member of the banking firm of E. B. Smith & Co. of 30 Pine Street, died on Saturday at her home, 165 West Fifty-eighth Street, in her forty-sixth year. She was a member of many charitable organizations.

MATTHIAS F. GOODERSON, insurance broker, and one of the Secretaries of the Monongahela Democratic Club of Harlem, is dead at the sanitarium at 1 St. Nicholas Place, following an operation for blood poisoning. He was in his forty-first year.

JOHN G. HAWREY, who served throughout the civil war with the Thirty-ninth New Jersey Infantry, died yesterday at the Home for Disabled Soldiers, Kearny, N. J., in his seventy-second year.

THOMAS H. C. REED, for several years manager of the reinsurance department of the Fidelity and Casualty Company, died on Saturday at his home, 125 West Fifty-seventh Street, in his fifty-first year.