

1898

Department Officers.

Chief Engineer.	Frank W. Holt.
1st " Asst. " " .	Chas. S. Stuart.
2nd " " " " .	Darwin W. Marsh.

Company Officers.

Foreman	Frank A. Brown.
Asst. " "	Chas. L. Pitcher.
Secretary	Chas. S. Stuart.
Treasurer	Wm Glen.
Pipeman	Clinton F. Bennett.

Members of the Invincible Fire Co.

F. A. Brown.
C. L. Pitcher.
C. S. Stuart.
C. F. Bennett.
Wm Glen.
T. M. Grundy
Emmet Brink.
C. E. Sorter.
Geo. Pitcher.
D. W. Marsh.
J. B. Smullen.
F. R. Elston.

Annual Meeting Dec. 6, 1897.

Chief Holt presiding. A. W. Marsh appointed clerk. The polls opened at (7) seven and closed at (9) nine o'clock P. M. The election of officers resulted as follows:

For Chief	F. W. Holt.
" 1st asst "	C. S. Stuart, Sr.
" 2nd " "	W. W. Marsh.
Foreman	F. A. Brown
asst. "	C. L. Pitcher
Sec'y.	C. S. Stuart, Sr.
Treas.	Wm. Glen
Pipeman	C. F. Bennett

Fire Wardens	1st Ward	Emmet Brink.
	2d "	Geo. Pitcher.
	3rd "	Fred R. Elston.
	4th "	Chas. E. Sorter.

Meeting Adjourned

C. S. Stuart Sr. Secy.

E. H. Fish

Regular Meeting Jan. 5, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the company proceed to the election of five (5) substitutes. Motion carried. Moved by C. F. Bennett that the chair appoint two (2) tellers. Motion carried. Chair appointed C. E. Sorter and Emmet Brink. The election resulted in the selection of the following substitutes:

Frank Graham, Sam Murray, Walter Crippen, Bernie Bevier, John Laurie.

The following members paid dues for the first six (6) months of 1898 Brink, Elston, Geo. Pitcher, Sorter, C. L. Pitcher, Brown, and, Bennett.

Total receipts $1.75.

The treasurer read his annual report showing a balance of $5.85 in the treasury. On motion of C. L. Pitcher the report was accepted and placed on file.

Moved by Wm. Glenn that an order for $5.00 be drawn on the treasury in favor of the Sec., for services during the year 1897. Motion carried. The Sec. read his annual report which on motion of H. W. Marsh was accepted and placed on file. The bill of the Coldwater Sun for $.50 for printing resolution on the death of W. H. Partner was allowed and an order drawn for the same.

The chair appointed the following committees

Finance- C. L. Pitcher, C. F. Bennett, J. B. Smullen.
Reference- Emmet Brink, T. M. Grundy, Fred R. Elston.

Fireman Bennett appointed the following assistants:

Eleton, Smullen and Brindle.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the pay of substitutes be fixed at $.50 per fire or alarm. Motion carried.

Roll called.

Meeting adjd.

C. L. Stuart.

Sec.

Regular Meeting Feb. 2, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Wm Glen paid dues for the first (1st.) six (6) months, 1898.

Roll called

Meeting adjd.

C. S. Stuart.

Secy.

Feb. 20, 1898.

The alarm at 9:40 this P. M. was caused by a small blaze in the basement of Myer's Bakery. Cause unknown. No damage.

C. S. Stuart

Sec.

Feb. 22, 1898.

A chimney burning out on Bidelman's livery barn caused an alarm at 11:30 this P. M. No damage.

C. S. Stuart

Sec.

Regular Meeting Mar. 2, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
On motion of Stuart the fines of Marsh, Smullen, and Geo. Pitcher for absence from Myers fire Feb. 26th. were excused.
On motion of Glen, the fines of Brown, C. Pitcher and Grundy for absence from alarm Feb. 22 were excused.
On motion of C. Pitcher the fines of Smullen, Sorter and Elston for absence from Reg. meeting Feb. 2 - 98 were excused.
The following members paid fines and dues - Grundy - dues 25¢; Smullen - fine and dues - 55¢; Marsh - fine - 30¢. Total $1.10

Roll called
Meeting Adjd.
C. S. Stuart
Sec.,

Mar. 7, 1898.

The alarm at 3:10 this P. M. was caused by a small blaze in barn on East Perkins St., owned by Mrs. Geo. Conger. Cause unknown.
No damage

C. S. Stuart
Sec.,

Regular Meeting Apr. 6, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved. On motion of C. Pitcher all fines were excused to date.
Moved by C. Pitcher that a committee of three be appointed to ascertain if any business men wished to join the company as honorary members. Motion carried. Chair appointed as such committee C. Pitcher, Brink and Glen. Moved by C. Pitcher that the Treasurer procure a book of blank receipts Motion carried. Received of Frank Caton 50¢.
Roll called
Meeting Adjd.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.,

Regular Meeting May 4th 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of last meeting read & approved.
Committee to ascertain if any business men wish to join the company as honorary members ask for further time.

Moved by C. Pitcher that an order be drawn for the first six months pay of Sec. Stuart and presented to his wife.
Motion carried.
Received from C. Stuart 25 cents for first six months dues.

Communications received by Foreman Brown from C. Stuart, J. Smullen, C. F. Bennett, read and placed on file.

Motion by C. Pitcher that the following resolutions be adopted and published in one of the Coldwater city papers.

Motion Carried.

Whereas, at our country's call, some of the members of our Co. have gone to the front to fight for the right and
Whereas, we deplore their absence, yet it is with feelings of pride that we look upon them as our brave soldier firemen; be it therefore
Resolved:— That their places shall be held open for them, and their names shall be called and marked present at every fire and meeting of the company.
Resolved that the secretary pro-tem cause these resolutions to be printed in the Coldwater Daily Reporter and spread upon the records of the company.

Motion Carried.

Sec. pro-tem.
L.V. Marsh

Regular Meeting June 8. 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of last meting read & approved
C. Pitcher presented the name of
John Moore with the usual honorary
membership fee of Five dollars.
name refered to the reference com, and
reported favorable.
On ballot 1 candidate elected.
On motion meeting adj.

L.V. Marsh
sec. protem.

June 30, 1898.
The alarm at 11:30 this P.M.
was caused by the burning of the
Hoisting Derrick Car on the L.S. & M.S.
R.R. cause unknown.
Damage Seventy Five Dollars.
Insurance none.

L.V. Marsh.
sec- Protem.

Regular meeting July 6, 1898.
Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of the last meeting read and
approved.
Motion by Wm Glenn that next six
months sec. salary be paid to
Mrs. Stuart. Motion carried.
On motion meeting adjourned.

L.V. Marsh.

July 7, 1898.

The alarm at 4:43 this P.M. was caused by fire in the second storey of G. P. Barnards Black Smiths shop.

Damage on Building none, on stock one hundred Dollars.

Insurance on stock one thousand.

H. H. Marsh, sec. protem.

Regular Meeting Aug. 3rd 1898

Foreman Brown in the Chair;

Minutes of the last meeting read and corrected,

The following members paid fines C. F. Bennett 30 William Glenn 30

The following members paid dues for the following six months

Brink Marsh Grundy Bennett. Glenn

Total $2.10

On motion meeting adj

H. H. Marsh
Sec prot.

Aug 27. 1898

The alarm at 1-20 this P.M. was caused by the burning of Wm. Stewarts Barn and Sheds on ~~East Perkinsville~~ Perkinsville st, Cause unknown

Insurance none Damage 25.00

H. H. Marsh sec. Prot.

Sept. 30, 1898 by Telephone

The alarm of fire this A. M. was caused by the burning of a house, belonging to Mrs. George Ford, on south Jackson street, caused by a Gasoline stove. Ins., on house three hundred dollars. $300. Damage fully covered by ins

H. W. Marsh Sec. Pro-t.

Regular Meeting Sept 7, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved.
The following members paid fines and dues.

C. Pitcher	$ 0.25
Geo. Pitcher	0.25
Sorbir dues & fines	0.50
Total $	1.00

On motion meeting adj.

H. W. Marsh Sec. Pro-tem.

Sept 12, 1898.

The alarm of fire this A. M. was caused by the burning of brush & sheds back of Arlington Hotel.
Damage none.

H. W. Marsh Sec. Pro-tem.

Regular Meeting Oct. 5, 1898

Foreman Brown in the chair.

Reading Minutes of last meeting dispensed with. Communication from Lansing Fire Dept., received and ordered placed on file.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the rules be suspended and the name of Charles E. Sorter be dropped from the roll. Motion carried.

On motion of C. L. Pitcher the company proceeded to the election of a member to fill vacancy which resulted in the election of Samuel F. Murray. The Sec. was instructed to notify C. E. Sorter, Sam F. Murray, and Chairman of Fire Com. of the action taken.

On motion of C. F. Bennett the fine of Emmet Brink for absence from fire Sept. 12, was excused.

Roll called.

Meeting Adj.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.,

Friday Oct. 28, 1898.

The alarm of fire, by messenger at 12:30 this P. M. was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove in house owned by Harvey Miller and occupied by Mrs. Hattie Sherman located on South Fremont St.,

No loss on building or contents.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Nov. 2, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved
On motion of Bennett the fines of
Brink, Smullen and Grundy were
excused.
Moved by Glen that the fines of
H. N. Marsh be excused. Motion lost.
Moved by Glen to reconsider the vote
of excusing fines of Brink, Smullen and
Grundy. Motion to reconsider lost.
Moved by Brink that the company
proceed to the election of fire-warden
for the 4th Ward. Motion carried.
Chair appointed as tellers C. F. Bennett
and Fred Elston. Ballot resulted in
the election of C. S. Stuart
Moved by C. F. Bennett that the
company proceed to the election of a
substitute to fill vancancy caused by
the promotion S. F. Murray. Motion carried.
Ballot resulted in the election of
Jake Burley
Received of S. F. Murray $1.10 as
membership fee and dues; of Frank
Eaton 50¢ dues for year 1898. Roll called.
Meeting Adj.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Tues. Nov. 8, 1898.

The alarm, by night watch, at 4:30 this A.M. was caused by a fire in an empty house owned by Alfred Wilmes situated at 251 W. Pearl St.,
Cause of fire unknown. Insurance received $335. Loss over and above insurance estimated at $200.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Special Meeting Nov. 22, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair.
The resignation of H. W. Marsh was received and read by Sec.
Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the resignation be accepted. Motion carried.
Roll called
Meeting Adj'
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Wed. Nov. 30, 1898.

A chimney burning out at the residence of Harry P. Woodward situated at 169 E. Pearl st., was the cause of an alarm, by messenger, at 8:30 this A.M. No loss.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Dec. 5th, 1898.

Annual Meeting Coldwater Fire Department.

Chief Holt in the chair.

C. L. Pitcher appointed Sec. and S. F. Murray and Emmet Brink tellers.

Whole number votes cast for chief, 10, of which F. Holt received 10.

Whole number votes cast for 1st Ass't. Chief 10

Brown	received	7
Grundy	"	2
Stuart	"	1

Whole number votes cast for 2d Ass't. Chief 11

Stuart	received	4
Bennett	"	2
C. L. Pitcher	"	3
Grundy	"	2

Moved by Brink that Stuart having the largest number of votes cast be declared elected second Ass't. Chief.

Motion carried.

Meeting Adj.

C. L. Pitcher

Sec C. S. S.

Dec. 5th, 1898.

Annual Meeting
Invincible Fire Co.,

Present: Brown, C. L. Pitcher, Stuart, Bennett, Grundy, Brink, Geo. Pitcher, Smullen, Elston and Murray.

Foreman Brown in the chair.

Minutes of last annual meeting read and approved.

The company proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result; the chair first appointing Emmet Brink and S. F. Murray tellers.

Foreman - Emmet Brink
Asst. " - C. L. Pitcher
Sec. - J. B. Smullen
Treasurer - Wm Glen
Fireman - S. F. Murray

FIRE WARDENS

1st	Ward	Emmet Brink
2d	"	J. B. Smullen
3rd	"	S. F. Murray
4th	"	C. L. Pitcher

Roll called
Meeting adj'd.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Dec. 7, 1898.

Foreman Brown in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

C. L. Pitcher chairman of Com. on obtaining honorary members reported no new names and requested that the Com. be discharged. There being no objection the Com. was discharged.

On motion of C. L. Pitcher the fines of F. A. Brown and J. B. Smullen for absence from Al. Milnes fire were excused.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the company proceed to the election of a fireman to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of H. W. Marsh. Motion carried.

Chair appointed as tellers Smullen and Grundy Ballot resulted in the election of John Lauza.

Upon a ruling by the Chair that substitutes were elected for one year, C. L. Pitcher moved that the company proceed to the election of five substitutes. Motion carried.

The following substitutes were elected: Chas. Harris, Bernie Bevier, Frank Graham, Frank Terril, and H. E. Hutchins

A communication from the National Monument Committee was read, and, on motion of C. L. Pitcher the same was received and placed on file.

The resignation of Fred R. Elston was received to take effect Jan. 1st, 1899. Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the

resignation be accepted. Motion carried.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that a vote of thanks be extended to Fred. R. Elston for his work as a fireman. Motion carried. Moved by C. F. Bennett that the company proceed to the election of a fireman to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of Fred R. Elston. Motion carried. Ballot resulted in the election of C. J. Harris. C. F. Bennett moved that the tellers cast the ballot of the company for Fred R. Elston for substitute. Motion carried and Fred R. Elston was declared elected.

Received of J. B. Smullen 50¢ dues; of C. S. Stuart 25¢ dues and of John Laura $1.00 membership fee. Total $1.75

Roll called
Meeting Adj.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

1899

Department Officers

Chief	Frank W. Holt
1st Asst "	Frank. A. Brown
2nd " "	Chas S. Stuart

Company Officers

Foreman	Emmet A. Brink
Asst "	Chas L. Pitcher
Secretary	Jas. B. Smullen
Treasurer	Wm Glenn
Piperman	Samuel F. Murray

Members of the Invincible Fire Co

E. A. Brink	T. W. Grundy
C. L. Pitcher	C. S. Stuart
J. B. Smullen	Geo Pitcher
Wm Glenn	C. F. Bennett
S. F. Murray	John Laura
F. A. Brown.	C. J. Harris

Fire Wardens

1st Ward	E. A Brink
2nd "	J B Smullen sa-4-5-99
3rd "	S. F. Murray
4th "	C. L. Pitcher

Volunteer

Monday Jan 2nd 1899

The alarm of fire at 8.50 a.m. was cause by a chimney burning out at the residence of Mrs Winters #53 Hooker St no damages

Jas B Smullen Sec

Regular Meeting Jan 4th 99

Foreman Brown in Chair
Minutes of last meeting read and approved
The Sec read his Annual report and on motion of C. H. Bennett the same was accepted and ordered place on file

The Treasurer read his annual report and on motion of C. L. Pitcher the report was accepted and ordered placed on the record

Treasurer report showed total Receipts $21.70
" " " " Expenditures $10.60
Bal on hand Jan 3rd 1899 $11.10

Foreman Brink takes the chair

On motion of F. A. Brown the amt paid by C. S. Stuart for substitute for 1898 was refunded to him

Pipeman murray appointed the following Assistants Grundy Harris and Bennett

The Chair appointed the following Committees Finance - Grundy Bennett. Harris

Reference - Brown Stuart Murray

The following members paid dues for 1st 6 mos of 1899. Brink C Pitcher. Glenn. Bennett. Grundy. Murray. Laura. Brown.

Company proceeded to the election of substitute Chair appointing Stuart & C. Pitcher tellers

The election resulted in the election of Elmer Greenemyer

Roll. Called meeting Ajnd
J B Smullen Sec—

Friday Jan 6th 1899

The alarm at- 1. P.M. was caused by a small blaze at- north East- Cor of Church & Jefferson Sts in residence owned by Geo Dumond and occupied by mr Fesher cause of fire unknown damage to residence $18-00
damage to trunk & Clothing $70 00 Both covered by insurance

Saturday Jan 14th 1899
(a Harris)

The alarm at- 10.45- P.M. was caused by a fire in Skelton Clothing Store on South side of Chicago st. cause of fire was from furnace pipe. ~~damage to store~~
Damage to stock $225-00 Damage to Store $148
Both covered by Insurance

Regular Meeting Feb 1st 99

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Minutes of last meeting read and approved
On Motion of Grundy Lanna was Excused for
non-attendance of Regular meting Jan-4th 1899

On motion of Stuart Grundy was Excused for
non attendance of skeltan fire jan 14th 1899
Roll called and meeting apd
J B Smullen Sec

Thursday ~~Jan~~ Feb 9th 1899 (Rain)

The alarm at 11.45 this a.m. was
caused by a small blaze in residence
of Frank Burgess on east-Perkins St
cause of fire was from spark from
chimney burning ~~from~~ a hole in
roof loss $5.00 covered by insurance

Residence

Monday ~~Jan~~ Feb 13th 1899 (Telephone)
The alarm at 1.40 this P.M. was
caused by blaze in residence of Mrs
Tiffiny South west corner of Marshall and
Alden St. Fire was caused by thawing
out Pipes said pipe being packed around
with paper and a red hot poker being used
to thaw out said pipe loss on Building
$406.21 covered by insurance loss on Contents
$25.00 no insurance

Regular Meeting March 1st 1899

Asst-Foreman Chas Pitcher in the chair
Minutes of last meeting read and approved
Bennett proposed the names of Chas.
Follett and A.R. Grice for substitutes
on motion of Brown Grice was elected
Substitute by acclamation and Com-
pany proceeded to Ballot- on name of
Follett Ballot- showed Candidate Elected
On motion of Brown Geo Pitcher was ex-
cused for non attendance of Reg. meeting
Jan 4th 1899 On motion of Bennett
Murray was excused from non attendance
of Fires of Jan 6th & 14th 1899 and Reg Meeting
Feb 1st 1899 and Laura for non attendance
of Fire of Jan 6th 1899
On motion of Brown Stuart- was excused
from non attendance of Fires of Jan 6th and
Feb 13th 1899 On motion of Stuart- Glenn
was excused for non attendance of Fires
of Feb 9th and 13th 1899
On motion of Glenn the name of Elmer
Brenemyer was dropped as substitute
On motion of Brown Jacob Hurley was
elected substitute

Roll Called meeting Adj

J.B. Smullen Sec

Telephone

Wednesday March 8th 1899
The alarm by Telephone at 5.20 this P.M.
was caused by slight- blaze Caused by
a Gasolene Stove at- South Jefferson St
Occupied by Robert- Rattray Sr. damage to
Building $6.00 damage to Contents- None.
Insurance on Building $500.00 Insurance on Contents
none

1½ Story
House -
owner
Mrs Thos
Kelly

Wednesday Mar 29th 1899

½ story frame House owner Mrs Gibson

The alarm this evening (messenger) @ 8.45 was caused by the burning out of a chimney at the residence of Mrs Gibson's East Chicago St- no damage. Insurance on Building and Contents none

Smullen Sec

Regular Meeting Apr. 5, 1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair.
Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Recived of Chas. J. Harris $1.55 membership fee, dues, add. fine and of J. B. Smullen 25¢ dues. Total receipts $1.80

On motion of C. L. Pitcher Wm Glenn was elected fire-warden for 2nd Ward in place of J. B. Smullen resigned

The resignation of J. B. Smullen was recieved and on motion of C. L. Pitcher the same was accepted.

On motion of Brown the company proceeded to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of J. B. Smullen.

Ballott resulted in the election of A. W. Grice.

The name of Lee Jepson was presented as substitute fireman, vice Grice promoted, and on motion of Bennett he was declared elected.

On motion of Brown C. S. Stuart was elected Sec. to fill the unexpired term of J. B. Smullen

Moved by Bennett that an order be drawn in favor of J. B. Smullen for $1.25 for services as Sec. from Jan. 1st to Apr. 1st 1899. Motion carried.

On motion of Bennett the fines of Grundy for absence from fires Feb. 13 & Mar. 29th '99 were excused.

Roll called. Meeting Adjd. C. S. Stuart Sec.

Saturday April 29, 1899.

Telephone from Delisle to Engine House

An alarm at 2:10 this A. M. was caused by a telegram from Sturgis asking for help to control a large fire raging there. The steamer was quickly loaded and Chief Holt accompanied by firemen: Brown, Brink, Glenn, Grundy, Murray and Laura went to their assistance. The fire being under the control when they arrived the steamer was not unloaded.

All arrived home at 5:20 this A. M.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting May 3, 1899.

Ass't Foreman Pitcher in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read corrected and approved. Received of A. W. Grice $1.25 membership fee and dues. On motion of Grundy the fines of Bennett and S. Pitcher for absence from alarm Apr. 29 were excused. A communication from L. H. Hickey was recieved asking for copy of Co. by-laws. Moved by Glenn that the Sec. forward a copy also a request for Co. dues for first six months of 1896. ⊙ The treas. read his quarterly report as follows:—

⊙ Motion carried

Balance on hand Jan. 1	$11.10
Rec'd	3.80
Total	$14.90

Expenditures $4.75
Balance on hand Apr. 5-99 $10.15

Moved by Brown that the repoat be accepted and placed on the record Motion carried.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting June 7, 1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. A communication from the City Clerk of Sturgis was received and on motion of Grundy the same was ordered placed on file.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd

C.S. Stuart
Sec.

Monday June 12, -99.

The alarm at 2:35 this A.M. was caused by the burning of the residence on Marshall St, known as the "Old Water Cure". Cause of fire unknown. Insurance on house and contents $1800. Loss over and above insurance $200. Alarm sent in by telephone.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Reversed

Friday June 16, 1899.

The alarm at 6:40 this P.M. was caused by a small blaze in the roof of a shed in rear of a building on West Chicago St., known as the Jacket Wagon Shop. No damage

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting July 5, 1899.

Asst Foreman Pitcher in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. On motion of Brown the fine of Murray for absence from fire June 16th was excused.

The following fines & dues were paid: L. D. Hickey, Stuart, Grundy, C. Pitcher, Grice, Glenn, Brown, Murray, and Bennett 25¢ each Geo. Pitcher 30¢ fine 50¢ dues Total collected $3.05

Roll called
Meeting adjd
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Thursday July 6, 1899.

The alarm at 7:20 this P.M. was caused by a fire at the State School situated outside the city limits. The horse and carriage barn was totally destroyed. Cause of fire unknown. Loss $1500. No insurance.

C. S. Strait
Sec.

Regular Meeting Aug. 2, 1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

C. Pitcher moved that the fines of Brink for absence from alarm June 6th and regular meeting July 5th be excused. Motion carried.

Bennett moved that the fine of Laura for absence from regular meeting July 5th be excused. Motion carried.

Received of Brink 25¢ dues and 50¢ fine; of Laura 25¢ dues. Total collected $1.00.

Roll called
Meeting Adjd
C. S. Strait
Sec.

Regular Meeting Sept. 6, 1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Stuart and Harris each paid 25¢ dues; Grice paid 30¢ fine for absence from regular meeting Aug. 2, 1899. Total collected 80¢.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd.
C. L. Stuart
Sec.,

Regular Meeting Oct. 4-1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The resignation of Geo. Pitcher as a member of the company was received and on motion of Harris the same was accepted.

Moved by Grundy that the company take an informal ballot for a member to fill vacancy. Motion carried. The chair appointed as "tellers" Grundy and Harris; ballot resulted as follows: Whole No. votes cast 11; of which Hurley received 2, Grayson 1, Jepson 8. Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the company proceed to a formal ballot. Motion carried. Ballot resulted as follows: Whole No. votes cast 11,

Jepson received 10, Hurley 1. A ball ballot then being taken on the name of Lee Jepson showed candidate elected.

Roll called
Meeting Adjd.
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Nov. 1, 1899.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Received of Lee Jepson $1. ~~made~~ membership fee and 25¢ dues. Roll called.
Meeting Adjd.
Chas. S. Stuart
Sec.

Sunday Dec. 3 - 99.

The alarm at 8:25 this P. M. was caused by a fire in the tailor-shop of Marchese & Ross over T. Skelton's Clothing store. Building owned by Scott McLane. Loss of Marchese & Ross estimated at $350. Scott McLane on building $300. T. Skelton stock damaged by water estimated at $4,000. All loss fully covered by insurance. Cause of fire unknown.

C. S. Stuart
Sec

Marchese & Ross received $243.
T. Skelton " " 3,15-5,65- estimated that insurance received covered all loss
Scott McLane " 383.

Dec. 4, 1899.

Annual Meeting
Coldwater Fire Dep't.

Chief Holt in the chair.
Chas. Harris appointed secretary, and
Chas. L. Pitcher and Sam Murray
tellers.
Whole number of votes cast for
chief 12
Frank Holt received 8; scattering 4.
Whole number of votes cast for
1st asst chief 13.
F. A. Brown received 5; scattering 8.
Whole number of votes cast for 2d
asst chief 13.
Grundy received 3; Glenn 3; scattering 7.
Lots being cast Tom Grundy was
declared elected.

Meeting Adj'd.
C. J. Harris.
Sec.
Per. C. S. S.

Dec. 4, 1899.

Annual Meeting
Invincible Fire Co.

Present— Brink, Pitcher, Glenn, Murray, Brown, Grundy, Stuart, Bennett, Laura, Harris, Grice and Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair.

Minutes of last annual meeting read and approved. The company proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result; the Chair first appointing F. A. Brown and Wm. Glenn tellers —

Foreman —		Emmet Brink.
Asst "		Wm " Glenn.
Sec. —		C. S. Stuart.
Treas. —		G. W. Grice.
Fireman —		S. F. Murray.

Fire Wardens.

1st Ward —		C. F. Bennett.
2d " —		John Laura
3d " —		Thomas Grundy.
4th " —		F. A. Brown.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd.
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Dec. 6, 1899.

Present— Brink, Grundy, Glenn, Pitcher, Stuart, Brown, Bennett, Murray, Laura, Harris & Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Received of John Laura 30¢ fine for absence from regular meeting Nov. 1st 1899. Moved by Pitcher that the company proceed to the election of five substitutes for the ensuing year. Motion carried.

Chair appointed as tellers Glenn and Grundy. The election resulted in the selection of the following substitutes — Robt. Miller, Oscar Hall, J. B. Smullen, John Nagel and Jacob Hurley.

Moved by Grundy that the Sec. be instructed to have the list of officers as published in Coldwater Reporter corrected. Motion carried.

A communication was received from the Knightstown Fire Dept., asking for contributions for a monument to dead fireman. On motion of Pitcher the same was received and the Sec. ordered to draw an order on the treasurer for one dollar and forward to said Fire Dept.,

Roll called

Meeting Adjd

C. S. Stuart

Sec.

Telephone

Wednesday Dec 13-1899

False Alarm at 9-5 P.M
Cause light from a Salamander
Shining in new house on east
Chicago St.

C S Stuart. Sec

Thursday Dec 21-1899.

Fire at 7.40 P.M. in Brick Block
50 east Chicago St. owned by
Miss Angie Pratt and occupied
by Frank Stokes in the manufactu
of Coat hooks Insurance received
on building 88 dollars which
covers all loss on building.
no loss on Stock. Cause of
fire Spark from stove flying in
pail of varnish

C S Stuart
Sec

1900

Department Officers

Chief	Frank W Holt
1st Asst "	Frank A Brown
2d " "	Thomas Grundy

Company Officers

Foreman	Emmet A Brink
Asst "	William Glen
Secretary	Charles S Stuart
Treasurer	A W Grice
Pipeman	Samuel F. Murray

Members of the Invincible Fire Co.

E. A. Brink
Wm Glen
C S. Stuart
A W. Grice
S F Murray
F A Brown
Thos. Grundy
C L Pitcher
C F. Bennett
J F Laura
C J Harris
L L. Jopson

Asst. Pipeman.

Bennett. Jopson Grice

Fire Wardens

1st Ward	C F. Bennett
2d "	J F. Laura
3 "	Thos. Grundy
4 "	F. A Brown

Reference Com.

Pitcher Glen Grice

Finance Com.

Bennett Laura Jopson

Jan 3d 1900

Reg. Meeting
Present. Brink- Glen- Stuart- Grice- Murray- Brown- Grundy- Bennett- Laurd- Pitcher- Jepson
Foreman Brink in the Chair.
Minuts of last meeting read and approved
On motion of Glen Pitcher and Jepson were excused for absence from alarm Wednesday Dec. 13th
The following members paid dues for first six month of 1900
Laurd- Glen- Grundy- Pitcher Brink- Brown- Grice- Jepson-
Received of Frank Holt 50c
total receipts 2.50
On motion of Brown the bill of C S. Stuart for postage &c 33c was allowed
Sec. read his annual report. moved by Pitcher the report be accepted and placed on file. motion carried. Treasurer read his annual report as follows. balance on hand Jan 1st 99- 11.10 received during the year 11-45 total receipts 22.55 disbursments 5.75- balance on hand Jan 3d 1900 16.80.
moved by Brown the report be accepted and placed on file motion carried
The chair appointed as reference Com Pitcher- Glen- Grice. As Finance Com. Bennett- Laura- Jepson. Piperman Murray appointed as asst Piperman - Bennett- Jepson Grice. Moved by Brown that an order for $5-00 be drawn on the

Treasurer in favor of the Sec. to pay Salery for 1899. Motion Carried
Moved by C L. Pitcher that a Com. of three be appointed to purchase a badge for Chief Engineer Holt. Cost not to exceed $5-00 motion Carried Chair appointed as such Com. Pitcher-Brown-Iten
Roll Called
Meeting Adjd
C S Stuart
Sec,

Friday Jan 12-1900

Value of house 500. Contents 500.

Alarm Recd by Telephone A small blaze at 290 West Pearl St in dwelling house owned by C V & Kibbe and occupied by E C. Myers did about $10-00 worth of damage. at 6.20 this A.M Loss covered by insurance

Cover Co Insurance

C S Stuart
Secy.

Tuesday Jan 16- 1900

Alarm received by Messenger

The alarm at 8.05 this P.M. was Caused by a Chimney burning out on Ray's Livery barn. N- Hanchett St no damage

C S Stuart
Sec

Feb. 7- 1900

Reg. Meeting
Present. Brink. Glen- Stuart- Price-
Murray- Brown- Grundy- Bennett
Laura- Harris- Jepson
Foreman Brink in the Chair
Minutes of last meeting
read and approved The Com. on
purchasing badge for Chief Eng-
reported that a Badge had been ordered
but not received - moved by
Bennett that the report be accepted
and the Com. continued- Motion
Carried- Murray and Bennett
paid dues for first six month of
1900- total receipts 50¢ On
motion of Bennett the fines of
Glen - Murray- and Laura for
absence from Kibbee fire Jan. 12-
1900 were excused
Roll called- Meeting Adj-
C S Stuart
Secy-

Saturday- Feb 24- 1900

alarm received by Telephone

The alarm at 6. P.M. was caused by a small blaze in dwelling house owned and occupied by Anthoney Holland, situated on Waterman Ave. Cause of fire defective Chimney. Loss estimated ~~$45.00~~ Covered by insurance

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Value of House 600. Contents 400.

2056 House
1850 Contents ~~35.50~~
3906

Insurance paid

Tuesday March 6- 1900

(Mary Lilly's House.)

alarm received by Telephone

A chimney burning out at 106 Jackson St was the cause of the Alarm at 12.20 this P. M. no damage

C S Stuart
Sec

March 7th. 1900

Reg. meeting

Present- Brink- Glen- Stuart Murray- Grundy- Pitcher- Bennett- Laird- Harris- Jepson

Foreman Brink in the Chair minuts of last meeting read and approved - on motion of Glen all fines were excused to date

Com. on purchasing Badge for Chief Eng. reported that a Badge had been purchased and received

Moved by Pitcher that a order be drawn for the amount due for said badge Motion Carried

On motion of Glen the com. was continued and instructed to report at next meeting on the matter of purchasing Badges for members

C L Pitcher Chairman Com. on purchasing badge for Chief Eng. here presented Chief Eng. Holt with his badge

Chief Holt responded and invited the Co. to refreshments After the meeting

Said invitation being Accepted - Roll Call

Meeting Adj.

C S. Stuart Sec.

April 4th 1900

Reg. meeting
Present Brink- Stuart- Grice- Murray- Brown- Pitcher- Bennett- Laura- Harris- Jepson
Foreman Brink in the chair
minuts of last meeting read and approved
Com. on Badges requested more time which was Granted-
Roll called Meeting Adj-
C S Stuart
Sec

Thursday April 5th 1900

Alarm rec'd by Telephone
one Story House
Value of House $600
Contents 400.

The Alarm at 12.30 this P.M. was caused by a small blaze in dwelling house. Situated on South-west Corner of Polk and Charles St. owned and occupied by Mrs Wealthia Nichols- no damage- Cause of fire defective Chimney
C S Stuart
Sec

Thursday April 5th 1900

Alarm rec'd by Telephone
Two-Story House
Value of House $1400
Contents

The Alarm at 8.00 this P.M. was Cause by a fire in dwelling house on Marshal St. owned by Harry W Parker and occupied by Prof- Vreidenburg.
Cause of fire unknown- Damage on building $250,00 On Contents 50

insurance received on building $250,00
" " Contents 50,00
C S Stuart
Sec

May 2nd 1900

Reg. meeting
Present - Brink - Ekes - Stuart
Murray - Brown - Grundy - Pitches
Laura - Harris - Jepson
Foreman Brink in the Chair
minutes of last meeting read
and approved
Moved by Brown that
the Com. on Badges be instructed
to purchase Treble Badges
similar to cut shown in Catalogue
motion carried
The fine of Jepson for
absence from Parker Fire April
5th was excused Stuart and
Harris paid dues for first
six months of 1900 Total receipts
50¢. roll called meeting adj.

C S Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting June 6, 1900.

Present - Brink - Glen - Stuart - Grice - Murray - Brown - Grundy - Pitcher - Bennett - Laura - Harris - Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair, Minutes of last meeting read and approved. C. Pitcher, chairman of committee on badges, reported badges purchased and moved that an order be drawn for $9.05 to pay for same. Motion carried.

Moved by Bennett that the committee on badges be discharged. Motion carried.

Grice, Glen, and Bennett paid fines for absence from regular meetings. Total collected 90¢.

Moved by C. K. Pitcher that all badges remain the property of the Company. Motion carried.

Roll called

Meeting adjd

C. S. Stuart Sec'y

Thursday June 7, 1900.

The alarm at 11:40 this A. M. caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove in building on N. W. corner of Pearl and Monroe Ste. owned by Mrs. Henry Gage. Loss on building $9. On contents nothing. Insurance rec'd $9.

C. S. Stuart Sec'y.

Alarm rec'd by messenger. Hay House valued at $4.000 Contents 1,400

Monday June 18-1900

Alarm reid by telephone value of Property $3.000

The alarm at 6:05 P. M. was caused by small blaze in building on N. W. corner of Chicago and Hudson Sts! known as Titus Foundry. Cause-spark from chimney. No damage.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Friday July 6, 1900.

Alarm reid by telephone.

Value of Farms $175.

The alarm at 12:45 this P. M. was caused by fire in barn owned by Arthur Robinson, situated on N. Monroe St. A barn in rear, owned by Alice Boynton also caught fire. Cause of fire children playing with fire.

Loss on Robinson barn $20.
" " Boynton " $40
Insurance on Robinson barn 0.
" " Boynton " 0.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.,

Regular Meeting Friday July 6-1900.

Present- Brink-Glen-Stuart-Price-Murray-Grundy-Pitcher-Laura-Harris-Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The fine of Harris for absence from Fires 4th June 18th was excused.

The following paid dues for last six (6) months of 1900; Grundy-Brink Pitcher-Laura-Jepson-Price-Glen.

Roll called

Meeting Adj'd

C. S. Stuart

Sec,

Tuesday July 31, 1900.

The alarm at 9:25 this P.M. was caused by a fire on the third floor of the old Bank Building, N. W. Corner of Monroe and Chicago sts., occupied by D. U. U. F. Cause of fire unknown. Loss on building $170.75

Loss on contents 50.00

Insurance recd on building 170.75

" " " contents 50.00

C. S. Stuart

Sec.,

Alarm recd by telephone.

Value of property $20,000

4 story Brick

Value of contents $10,000

Regular Meeting Wed. Aug 1, 1900.

Present — Brink, Allen, Stuart, Lyric, Murray, Brown, Grundy, Pitcher, Bennett, Laura, Harris, Jefson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Moved by Pitcher that all fines for absence from regular meeting July 6th be excused. Motion carried. The following members paid dues for last six months of 1900; Murray, Harris, Bennett, Brown. Total collected $1.00. The name of Starr Akenhead was presented as a substitute and on motion of Brown the company proceeded to ballot on the name. Ballot showed candidate elected.

Moved by Pitcher that the Sec. notify S. E. Akenhead of his election. Motion carried.

Roll called

Meeting adjd.

C. S. Stuart.

Sec.

Monday Aug. 13 — 1900.

Alarm rec'd by telephone. Value of property $500.

Alarm at 8:15 A. M. 1½ story house #16 Orchard St., owned by Mrs. M. Smith occupied by Wm Burne. Cause of fire gasoline stove explosion.

Loss on contents 125.00
" " building 500.00
Insurance on contents 000.00
" " building 300.00

A 15 months old child of Wm Burne was burned to death.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Wednesday Aug. 15 — 1900.

Alarm rec'd by telephone. Value of property $400. amount 200.

Alarm rec'd at 7:10 P. M. 1½ sto 1½ House situated N. E. corner of Race & Jackson Sts. Owned by Mrs. Frank McEagen. Occupied by B. Hereadeen. Cause of fire over heated stove pipe.

Loss on contents nothing.
On building 500.
Insurance received 500 C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Sunday Aug. 26, — 1900.

Alarm rec'd by telephone. 7.45 P.M.

Company called to #25 Clinton Ave. Proved to be false alarm pure and simple.

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Sept. 5 – 1900.

Present – Brink, Glen, Stuart, Grice Murray, Brown, Grundy, Pitcher, Bennett, Laura, Harris, Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. On motion of Stuart all fines were excused to date.

Roll called

Meeting Adj'd.

C. S. Stuart Sec.

Regular Meeting Oct. 3 – 1900.

Present – Brink, Stuart, Murray, Brown, Grundy, Pitcher, Bennett, Laura, Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Roll called

Meeting Adj'd.

C. S. Stuart Sec.

Regular Meeting Nov. 7 – 1900.

Present – Brink, Glen, Stuart, Grice, Murray, Brown, Pitcher, Laura, Harris Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. On motion of Brown the fines of Grice and Glen for absence from regular meeting Oct 3d were excused.

Roll called Meeting Adj'd.

C. S. Stuart Sec.

Dec. 3 - 1900.

Annual Meeting
Coldwater Fire Dept,

Chief Holt in the chair, C. S. Stuart appointed secretary, and C. L. Pitcher and J. F. Laura tellers.

Whole number of votes cast for Chief 13.
F. A. Brown rec'd 9; Frank Holt 3.
Whole number of votes cast for 1st Asst Chief 13.
C. L. Pitcher rec'd 3; scattering 10.
Whole number of votes cast for 2d Asst Chief 13.
J. F. Laura rec'd 4; scattering 9.

Meeting Adjd.
C. S. Stuart Sec.

Dec. 3–1900.

Annual Meeting Invincible Fire Co.,

Present– Brink, Glen, Stuart, Grice, Murray, Brown, Grundy, Pitcher, Bennett, Laura, Harris, Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last annual meeting read and approved. The company proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year with the following result: the chair first appointing C. J. Harris and C. F. Bennett tellers.

Foreman – Lee Jepson.
Ass't " – Wm Glen.
Sec. – C. S. Stuart.
Treas. – A. W. Grice.
Fikeman – C. F. Bennett.

Fire Wardens

1st Ward – Lee Jepson
2d " – Wm Glen.
3d " – Frank Holt.
4th " – C. S. Stuart.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Dec. 5-1900.

Present- Brink, Glen, Grice, Murray, Brown, Grundy, Pitcher, Bennett, Harris Jepson.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The following names were presented as substitute firemen for the ensuing year. Fred E. Ferguson, George Quakenbush, Robt. Miller, J. B. Smullen, S. E. Akenhead, A. W. Spencer, J. W. Hurley John Nagle. Moved by Pitcher that the names read be elected viva voce. Motion carried and candidates elected. Moved by Glen that an order be drawn for $5. in favor of Sec. for annual salary. Motion carried. Recd of C. S. Stuart 25¢ dues.

Roll called
Meeting Adj'd.
F. H. Brown
Sec Pro tem.

Friday Dec. 7-1900.

Fire alarm rec'd by messenger.

The alarm at 4:45 this P. M. was caused by small blaze in the show window of Pennock's Novelty Store

Loss on building and known received	120.00
" " contents "	75.00
	195.00

Value of building 6,000

Value of stock 3,000

C. S. Stuart
Sec

Friday Dec. 21, 1900.

Alarm rec'd by Telephone. Value of house $1500 Contents $1000

The alarm at 11:00 P. M. was caused by a small blaze in dwelling-house No. 157 S. Clay St., owned by Mrs. Hattie Sayffield and occupied by S. D. Smith & Caucasian unknown. Loss on contents $60. Loss on building $40. Insurance rec'd on contents $60. No building $40.

S. S. Stuart
Sec.

1901

Department Officers.

Chief Engineer — Frank A. Brown.
1st " " " — Charles L. Pitcher.
2d " " " — John F. Laura.

Company Officers.

Foreman — Lee Jepson.
Ass't " — William Glen.
Secretary — Charles S. Stuart.
Treasurer — A. W. Grice.
Fireman — C. F. Bennett.

Members of the Invincible Fire Co.

L. Jepson.	J. F. Laura.
Wm Glen.	S. H. Murray.
C. S. Stuart.	E. H. Brink.
A. W. Grice.	E. J. Harris.
C. F. Bennett.	T. M. Grundy.
C. L. Pitcher.	F. W. Holt.

Fire Wardens.

1st Ward — Lee Jepson
2d " — Wm Glen.
3d " — Frank Holt.
4th " — C. S. Stuart.

Ass't Fireman.
Ref. Com. Grundy - Glen - Grice.
Finance Com. Murray - Laura - Harris.

Wednesday Jan. 2-'01.

Alarm reid by telephone. Value of building

The alarm at 7 this A.M. was caused by a fire in dwelling house No. 250 S. Jefferson St., Cause of fire - overheated furnace flue. House owned and occupied by Chas. Belse. Loss on building

Value of contents

" " Contents

Insurance reid on building $38.21

" " " contents 200.00

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Jan. 2-1901.

Present - Jelson, Allen, Stuart, Grice, Pitcher, Lauka, Murray, Brink, Harris, Grundy, Holt.

Foreman Brink in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. The Sec. read his annual report, which, on motion of Grice was accepted. The Treas. read his annual report as follows:

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900 -	$16.80
Receipts for the Year	7.40
Total	$24.20
Disbursements	21.63
Balance on hand Jan. 1-1901	$2.57

Moved by Harris that the report be accepted. Motion carried.

On motion of C. L. Pitcher a rising vote of thanks was tendered to Ex-Chief Eng. Holt for his services during the past seven years.

Foreman Jelson taken the chair.

and appoints the following committee
Reference – Grumbly – Glen – Grice.
Finance – Murray – Laura – Harris.
On motion of Brink a committee
of three was appointed to purchase
a badge for Chief Eng. Brown.
Chair appointed as such committee
Pitcher, Glen, Grundy.
The following members paid dues
for the first six months of 1901 :–
Grundy, Brink, Murray, Laura, Grice,
Harris, Pitcher, Holt, Jelson. Total $2.25
The bill of C. S. Stuart for postals,
postage and receipt-book 37¢ was allowed.
Roll called
Meeting Adjd.
C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Regular Meeting Feb. 6, 1901.

Present C. Jepson, Glen, Stuart, Price Pitcher, Murray, Brink, Grundy, Holt.

Foreman Jepson in the chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Stuart offered his resignation as fire-warden of 4th Ward. Moved by Pitcher that the resignation be accepted Motion carried. Moved by Pitcher that A. H. Price be elected fire-warden 4th Ward to fill vacancy. Motion carried. and A. H. Price declared elected.

Recieved of Glen 25 cts first six months dues 1901; of Frank Eaton 50 cts Total 75¢.

Roll called

Meeting Adjd.

C. S. Stuart Sec.

Tuesday Feb. 12-1901.

Alarm recd by messenger. Value of building 2.000 Value of Stock 2,500

At 10 this P. M. fire was discovered in the roof of the engine room of the Behse Mfg. Co., on South Hudson St. Supposed cause - sparks from fire under boiler. No loss on contents. Loss on building - ~~$5.00~~ 2.55 Insurance recd on building - ~~$5.00~~ 2.55.

C. S. Stuart Sec.,

Thursday Feb. 14th 1901.

Alarm rec'd by telephone

Value of building $600.

Value of contents $500.

The alarm at 9:15 this P.M. was caused by a small blaze in second story of J. V. Conniker's house #159 South Division St., Cause of fire caught from stove.

Loss on building $22.00
Loss on contents $33.00
Insurance rec'd on building $22.00
" " contents $33.00

C. S. Stuart
Sec.

Saturday Feb. 23rd 1901.

Alarm Rec'd by messenger

The Company was called to the W^m Lane Building situated on W. Chicago St., at 10:20 this P.M. Proved to be false alarm.

C. S. Stuart.
Sec.

Regular Meeting Mar. 6 – 1901.

Present – Jepson, Glen, Stuart, Price Bennett, Pitcher, Laura, Murray, Brink, Grundy, Holt.

Foreman Jepson in the chair.

Minutes of last meetng read & approved.

C. L. Pitcher chairman of committee on purchasing badge for Chief Engineer Brown reported badge recd. Moved by Bennett that the report be accepted and the committee discharged. Motion carried.

On motion of Pitcher an order for ninty (90¢) cents was drawn on Treasurer to pay balance due on badge.

All fines excused to date.

Fireman Bennett appointed as asst. fireman Grundy, Price and Holt.

Geo. H. Turner gave a short talk in regard to a bill before the legislature to pension firemen injured at fires. Sec. read a letter from the Attorney of the Fireman's League also circulars.

Moved by Pitcher that the company proceed to the election of officers for a branch league. Motion carried.

The following officers were elected:
Pres. F. H. Brown; Sec. C. L. Pitcher;
Treas. A. W. Price.

Moved by Holt that $4. be sent to help pay expenses of the League. Motion carried and order drawn for the amount.

Stuart offered his resignation as secretary to take effect April 1st 1901. Moved by Bennett that the resignation be accepted. Motion carried.

A collection was taken up and one dollar was raised which was

added to the four dollars taken from the Treas. making five dollars to be sent to Firemans League.

On motion of Brandy S. F. Murray was elected Secretary to fill vacancy.

Roll called

Meeting Adjd.

C. S. Stuart

Sec.,

Wednesday Mar. 6th-1901

Alarm reed by telephone. Value of Building Value of contents

Alarm at 4:55 P. M. Company called to Calkins and Sons' stave factory on Race St, the second story of which together with the contents were entirely destroyed. Cause of fire supposed to be shark from heated

Loss on building } 1,200.00
" " contents }

Insurance reed on building } 1200.00
" " " contents }

C. S. Stuart

Sec.,

Friday Mar. 29-1901.

Alarm reed By telephone. Value of Building Value of contents

Alarm at 2:15 this P. M. was caused by chimney burning out in the Sterling House northwest corner of Monroe and Railroad Sts. No damage to building.

Loss on contents

Insurance reed on contents

C. S. Stuart

Sec.,

Regular Meeting Apr. 3 1901.

Present- Jafsen Stuart Bennett Pitcher Laura Murray Brink Harris Grimly Holt.

Foreman Jafsen in the Chair. Bennett & Stuart paid dues for first six months. Total $6.00 Frias & Harris for regular meeting 3 Mar. & Sterling Hurse Tue Mar. 29. Excused Motion by Pitcher that an order be drawn to pay the retiring Secty salary to date. Apr. 1st Motion Carried.

Roll called

Meeting Adjd.

S. T. Murray Secy.

Sunday. Apr. 7- 1901.

Alarm at 10.30 A.M. was caused by Chimney burning out on Cutter Ave. Fire House occupied by Clarence Lindsay and owned by R.C. Sawday. No. Damage.

S. T. Murray Secy

Alarm rec'd by Phone.

Friday Apr. 12. 1901.

Alarm rec. by Phone.

Alarm at 7.50 A.M. was caused by fire in dwelling house owned and occupied by Clarance Loverage on East Chicago St. cause of fire unknown.
Loss on Building $500 cr
Loss on Contents $400 cr
Value of Building
Value of Contents
Insurance rec. Building $800 cr
Insurance " Contents $400 cr

S. F. Murray. Sect.

Thursday Apr. 25. 1901.

Alarm rec. by Phone.

Alarm received at 4.30 A.M. Fire in Kitchen Hood annex to Brick House owned and occupied by Ed Fox on Mine Street. Cause of fire taken up hot coals and ashes and setting them on floor.
Loss on Building 1[illegible] $123 cr
Loss on Contents 199 cr
Value of Building $322
Value of Contents
Ins. rec'd on Building 123 cr
Ins rec'd on Contents 1[illegible] cr

S. F. Murray
Sect.

Regular Meeting May. 1. 1901.

Present- Jepsen Glan. Stewart.
Grice. Bennett. Pilcher Laura Murray.
Brink Harris Grundy Holt.
Foreman Jepsen in Chair
Minuts of last meeting read
and approved.
On motion of Pilcher fire & Glan
for Starlight House fire and also
Regular Meeting of Apr. 6 Was
excused. Grice fined for absents
on Regular Meeting Apr. 6.
On Motion of Bennett fine of Murray
for Sunday House Alarm was Excused
Brink made motion to excuse fine
of Harris from Sandy Alarm on
vote was a tie and Foreman Jepsen
voted in fine Harris, Received our
Charter as members of the Branch
of Firemans League.

Roll Call
Meeting Adj.
S. T. Murray Sec'y

Special. May. 2. 1901.

Special call by Chief Brown to
take out Stadtman and see if
it was all O.K. all members
present - Elsher Pilcher
arriving late time to buy
the Cigars which he did by
inviting them all out to
Grice's Grocerie. S. T. Murray
Sec

Alarm by Phone

Wednesday May. 13. 1901.

Alarm received at 8 P.M. Company called to Rail Road Street and Proved to be a false Alarm.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Alarm by Phone.

Friday May. 17 1901.

Alarm received at 3.30 P.M. was caused by fire in Out House (closet) on property known as the Glessner Estate. cause of fire unknown.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Alarm by Phone.

Friday May. 24. 1901

Alarm received at 11-40 cause Chimney at the Vandekhoff. Boarding House. no damage.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Rec'd by Phone.

Tuesday June. 4 1901

Alarm rec'd. at 9-50 A.M. was caused by a Kettle of Tar taking fire back of Shugar Bros. No damage.

S. F. Murray Sec'y

Regular Meeting June 6. 1901.

Foreman Pearson in the chair.
Present, Jepson. Price. Bennett
Glass. Holt. Grundy Brink
Harris. Laura. Pittzer.
Minutes of Last meeting read
and Approved.
On motion of Grundy fine of
Holt from 5th Ward excused.
Holt paid 45¢ fine.
Harris paid 50¢ fine. Total 15.45
Price " 30¢ fine
That resignation of Shural
received. Moved by Grundy
that same be accepted to take
effect July 1. carried.
The names of the Substitutes
were all referred to reference Com.

Roll Call-Meeting Adj.
C. L. Pittzer
Sec. Pro. Tem.

Regular Meeting July 3. 01

Foreman. Ayers in the Chair
Present. Ayers. Bennett. Glen.
Grundy. Brink Harris Laura
Pitcher Murray.
Minutes of last meeting read
and Approved.
Committee reported favorable on
names of all Pub..
Motion by Pitcher that we
proceed to Ballot on all names
and the one receiving lowest
number to drop out each time
until choice. Motion Carried.
Moved by Grundy Chair appoint
two tellers "Carried" Chair appoints
Bennett and Laura.
Akenhead receiving highest no.-
of votes on Motion of Grundy
C.D. proceeded to Ballot which
was favorable Akenhead was declared
Elected as member of Invincible
Fire Co.
Motion by Brink that the Election
of Pub. be put over. motion carried
Moved that Murray June be ex-
cused. Carried.
The following paid Dues for
next six months. Brink. Laura.
Pitcher. Grundy. Ayers. Glen
Bennett Murray.

Roll Call. Meeting Adj.

S. F. Murray
Sec.

Regular Meeting Aug 7.

Foreman Jepson in the Chair.
Present Jepson. Glen. Pilcher.
Laura. Murray Brink
Harris. Akinhead.
Akinhead paid initiation fee
and dues for six months.

Roll Call. Meeting Adj.
S. T. Murray Sec

Regular Meeting Sept. 4/98

Foreman Jepson in the Chair.
Minits of last meeting read
and approved. Present Jepson,
Glen, Pilcher, Laura, Murray,
Brink, Harris, Akinhead, Holtz,
Barnett, Grice, Grundy.
Motion & Glen Frie & Grice
be excused from last meeting
be excused, carried.
Motion & Pilcher Friee & Holtz
and Barnett be excused carried
Harris and Holt paid dues
for last half of year

Roll Call Meeting Adj.

S. T. Murray
Sec

Monday Sept. 23, 1901.

Alarm rec'd by Messenger

Alarm at 6 P.M. was caused by a small blaze in house on Marshall Street owned by Mrs Oxenham and occupied by Mrs Broughton. Fire caught from Oil Stove in kitchen

Damage house contents 1500
Value house contents.
Loss house contents

L. T. Murray Sec.

Messenger

Regular Meeting Oct 2 1901.

Foreman Jefson absent Asst Glen in Chair. Meeting & last meeting read and approved Present — Glen - Grice - Laura - Murray - Grundy - Brick - Harris - Akenhead - Holt - Bennett - Nothing further Roll Call Meeting Adj - L. T. Murray Sec -

Phone

Saturday ~~Sept~~ Oct 7 1901

Alarm at 11 30 P.M. caused by Blaze in house on Elm St owned by Mrs Hall and occupied by Frank Burgess cause unknown Loss on House $ 25.00 Loss on contents $35.00 No Insurance

L. T. Murray Sec

Sunday Oct 27 1901 12-30 PM.
Fire in House owned by Mr
Daughtry on Hooker St. Elm.
Loss on Building $4.45.
Insurance Rec'd $2.96
No Loss on contents -
S.T. Murray.

Shows

Tuesday Oct 29 1901

Alarm at ___ caused by small
Blaze at Gas Furnace that ever
heated Chimney no damage

Shows.

S.T. Murray
Chf.

Reg. Meeting Nov. 6. 1901.

Foreman Jefferson in the Chair.
Present. Jefferson - Glass - Grice -
Bennett Pitcher Laura
Murray Brink Harris Grundy
Markland. Minutes of last
meeting read and approved
after a few corrections
Moved by Pitcher - Supported by
Grice that Jim & Grundy and
Brink be Excused & Carried
Moved by Glass. Supported
by Pitcher that Jim & Laura & Jeff
be excused & carried
Pitcher & Harris paid fines for
absence from meeting 45¢ Moved

By Grundy Jim J Murray be Excused
Motion Carried.
Roll Call Meeting adj.
S. F. Murray S.

Monday Nov 18 1901.

By Phone

Alarm at 9.5.5 P.M. caused by
fire in the Fair Grounds in
Log House occipied by Johnie
Deering cause Unknown.
Did not have hose enough to
reach fire.
S. F. Murray Sec.

Annual Meeting.

Monday Dec. 20. 1920.

Meeting called to order with Chair Brown in Chair. On motion J Pitcher - Murray was appointed Clerk and on motion J Glass - Pitcher and Jelsen were appointed Tellers. Motion by Pitcher to nominate Officers to be elected - Carried. Motion J Bennett that all candidates have a majority of all votes cast to be Elected Motion carried - after which we proceded to Ballot with the following result

For Chair - Whole number of votes cast Eleven (11) as follows - Brown 9. Holk 1. Pitcher 1 Brown Elected.

For 1st Asst Whole number of votes cast Eleven (11) as follows - Grice 8. Bennett 2 Glass 1. Grice Elected.

For 2nd Asst. whole number of votes cast Eleven (11) Grundy 3. Lauzon 4 Harris 1. Grice 1 On motion J Pitcher proceded to Ballott again until a majority - carried with the following result in. 5th Bennett & Grundy 4 Bennett Elected -

Meeting Adj 8 P Murray Sec'y

Monday Dec. 2 1901
Annual Election.

Foreman Jepsen in the chair.
Present Pitcher - Laura - Price
Barnett Glen Jepsen Grundy
Brink, Harris Murray Akehead
Minutes of last Annual Meeting
read and approved - Depnd
appointed Price and Glen
Tellers after which proceeded
to the election of Officers with
the following result
Moved by Barnett - Teller be in-
structed to cast ballot for compan
for Jepsen as Foreman! carried.

Moved by Pitcher - same - for
Glen as Asst. Foreman. carried.

Moved by Grundy same - for
Murray as Sect. carried.

For Treasure. Whole number
of Votes cast Eleven (11)
Laura 6 - Pitcher 2 - Price 2 - Brink 1 -

Moved by Barnett Teller be
instructed to cast Ballott for
company for Akehead as
Engineer - carried -

Moved by Pitcher same for the
following for Substitutes
Quackenbush Hurley - G. Pitcher

carried - S. F. Murray - Secy.

Reg. Meeting Dec 4 1901.

Foreman Jepson in Chair.
Present. Bennett Laura
Grundy Pitcher Jepson Hoff
Murray Glenn Harris Chalked
on Petition of Bennett Griggs
& Pitcher Laura & Grundy
Excused Jam Fire at Far
Grounds Carried - Motion by
Pitcher that the following
Substitutes be elected
Macfarlane - J. Pitcher. Hurley
Frank Woodmaster J.B. Sundlan.
Carried and Same Elected

Meeting Adj
L. E. Murray
Sec'd

1902

Department Officers.

Chief Engineer — F. E. Brown.
1st Asst " " — Abe Grice.
2nd " " " — Flint Bamnett

Company Officers.

Foreman — Leo Johnson.
Asst. " — Dan Glenn.
Secretary — S. F. Murray.
Treasurer — John Laird
Pipeman — Starr Akenhead.

Members of Invincible Co.

L. Johnson — Starr Akenhead
Dan. Glenn. — Frank Holt
S. F. Murray. — Jno. Grundy
John. Laird. — Chas. Pitchar.
Abe. Grice. — B. G. Brink
Flint Bamnett. — Chas. Harris.

Asst. Pipeman. Grundy — Harris and Pitchar.

Ref. Comm. Grundy Glenn and Grice.

Finance. Comm. Pitchar. Brink and Holt.

Jan 1st 1902.

Regular Meeting.

Foreman Jefson in the chair
Present. Jefson - Glan - Grice -
Bennett + Pilchar - Laura.
Murray - Brink - Harris - Holt
Grundy - Akenhead -

The Sec. read his Annual report which was excepted

The Treas. made his Annual report as follows which was Excepted.

Bal. on hand Jan. 1 1901		2.57
Recd for the year 1901		8.95
Total		11.52
Paid out for year 1901		6.52
Bal on hand Jan. 1 1902		5.00

Motion by Grundy Sec'y. Salary be Laid. Carried

Akenhead Appointed as Asst. Fireman. Grundy Harris Pilchar.

Foreman Jefson appointed as Reference Com. Grundy Glan Grice

Appliance " Pilchar Brink + Holt.

Roll Call Meeting Adj.

E. T. Murray Sec'y

All Mandary Paid Dues Until July 1st 1902. and Brink Paid Fine

Jan. 9 1902 Thursday.

Alarm at 11.30 P.M. Self asked Jim Brown. Took Engine to Depot ready to Load whats recd word not to come. Present. Jas. Glan. Grice Pitcher Larkin McKinney Brink. Grundy Akenhead

S.T. Murray.

Friday Jan. 10. 1902.

Alarm at 3.40 P.M. asking for help Jim Brown as fire had broken out again Bank Glanmar and the following firemen went

Glas Brown - Grice - Bennett Pitcher Brink Grundy Akenhead. Found fire and threw out water.

S.T. Murray

Sunday. Jan. 18 - 1902.

Alarm at 10.40 A.M. caused by chimney at 127 Ludlow St owned by H.D. Claflin and occupied by Mc Cotter no Damage

S.T. Murray Sec.

No Damage. Alarm Phrase

Feb. 5 1902.
Regular Meeting.

Francis Jepsen in the Chair.
Present F. Jepsen - Glen. Price.
Bennett Murray Laura. Brink
Arkinhead Holt Pilcher
On Motion of Bennett the Trios
F. Jepsen Glen Laura and Murray and
Holt were excused from the
Browne Fires of Jan. 9 and 10 1902.
On motion of Bennett Trios
Laura & Pilcher were excused
from the McCotter Fire.
Both motions carried and
Trios Excused.
After a few Remarks by Chief
Brown in regards to the new
Hose Wagon which was put
in Commission on Sunday
Jany. 20 1902. in which the
Company made a trial run
in Front St on Jan. 19. and
was found to be all O.K.

Roll Call and Meeting Adj.

S. F. Murray
Sec.

New Hose Wagon
Jan 20 - 1902

Loss on House $25.00
Loss on Contents $8.10 "

Feb. 13. 1902. (1st Run made by Horse Wagon)
Alarm at 10.45 A.M. was caused by a fire at Tremont St in House owned by E.T. Stratton and occupied by Mrs Brock- Fire caught in Chimney in Second Story. This being the first run made with our new Dress Parade Wagon it was found to be all Right and a good run made.
E.T. Harvey Sec.

Special Meeting
Feb 14. 1902.

Meeting called to order by Foreman. Affair which Chief Brown made a few remarks in regard to the calling of the meeting. That the Fidelity Bonding Co had sent us a Check for Fifty Dollars and he wished to know our Pleasure in disposing of same. Pitcher made motion the money be divided equal among members of company Teamsters & Helper. carried.
Barnett made a motion to amend Pitchers motion to make it $3.25 Per. and put Bal. in the Treasure. Pitcher moved to reconsider his motion carried. Barnetts Amendment was the put and carried which put $1.25 in Treas.

Motion by Pilcher that Sec. be instructed to render a vote of thanks to commun council of City of Brunson Carried.

Roll Call

Meeting Adj

L. F. Murray

Regular Meeting
Mar. 5. 1902.

Chairman Johnson in the chair.
Present. Johnson. Glenn. Grice
Bennett Laura Murray Pilcher
Akinhead Brink Holt Grundy
Harris Minits of last meeting
read and approved.
Moved by Brink that Jno S
Harris be excused from Brunson
Alarm Seconded by Holt. Motion Carried

Motion by Glenn to nominate
Jno Taylor for Substitute in
place of Frank Woodmaster
Motion Carried and Taylor
declared elected.
Nothing more Roll Called and
Meeting Adj.

L. F. Murray Sec.

Mar. 14 1902 Friday
Alarm at 12.50 P.M. caused by
By Phone Chimney burning out on
Marshall Street at the Ed Jennings.
No damage.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Mar 15 1902, Saturday
Alarm at 5.30 P.M. caused by
small Blaze on Peirce St in
By Phone House owned and occupied by
Fred Allan
Loss on House 7.65
Loss " Contents 73.00
Covered by Insurance.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Sunday. Mar. 16 1902

Alarm at 2.15 P.M. caused by
fire in 3 story Brick Block on
Hudson St. owned and Occupied
by S. D. Treat and Bros. also a
2 Dwelling by Chas. Norton also
burned a Barn owned by Dawford
Loring all of which were totally
By Phone destroyed a very high wind was
blowing which made it almost
impossible to get water on fire.
Loss S. Loring Bld. Cnt.
" S. D. Treat & Bro — 5.000 — 3000
" Chas Norton. No insurance — $100.00
Ins. S. D. Treat & Bro Build 2000 Cnts 1000
" S Loring Build. Cnts

S. F. Murray Sec.

Thursday Mar. 20 1902.

By Phone

Alarm at 1 P.M. Caused by a Bonfire on Clay St No Damage

S. F Murray Sec.

Thursday Apr. 2 1902

Regular Meeting called to Order by Foreman Jepsen.

Present Jepsen Glad. Bennett Richar Lydra Murray Brink Harris Holt Absent Read. Moved by Glad that Fire C Murray be excused from Alarm of Mar. 20. carried nothing further Meeting adj.

S. F Murray Sec.

Sunday April 6. 1902.

Alarm at 8 P.M. Caused by Fire on Chicago St in House owned by Jefferson Conover and occupied by Chas. Ira Hall a very Stubborn Fire to fight and considerable damage done. Two caught

By Phone.

Loss on House $800.00
Insurance Recd. $500.00
Loss on Cont. $400.00
Insur: on " $400.00

S. F. Murray

By Phone

Alarm at 7 P.M. caused by small Blaze in house owned and Occupied by Mrs. Haldan on East Pearl St caught from Chimney burning out no damage.

S.T. Murray Dep.

Apr. 15. 1902. Friday

By Phone

Alarm at 1.40 P.M caused by a Barn fire on E. Pearl St. said Barnes owned by Burt Durrance and Mrs Goldan. Both of which were destroyed

Mrs Goldan Loss on Barn $150.00
Her tool contents 25.00
Burt Durrance " 35.00
Geo Tuckey contents 60.00 — 270.00

No Insurance caught from Children with matches

S.T. Murray S.

By Phone.

Monday Apr. 21 1902

Alarm at 1.40 P.M. caused by fire on Barn owned by Dan. Card on 20 Clay St. which was badly Damaged.

Loss 197.00

S.T. Murray S.

Insurance Rec'd 197.00

By Phone.

Monday Apr 21 1902.

Alarm at 10.30 P.M. caused by Blaze on Grass Pit & Trash and Rubbish which with the high wind threatened near by Barns. No Damage

S.T. Murray Sec

Regular Meeting May 7 1902

Asst. Foreman Gleason in the Chair.
Present - Glenn Bennett Laura
Murray Brink Harris Grundy
and Akerfeldt - Minutes of last
meeting read and approved -
Moved by Bennett to Excuse
Brinas & Laura from Fire Alarms
& Apr 28 - carried Roll Call
Meeting adj -

S. F. Murray
Sec'y.

May 24 1902

Alarm at 10 45 A.M. was caused
by small Blaze at 151 Elm St
the small wooden cottage owned
and occupied by A. L. Preston
some delay was caused by the
Dept. not knowing where
fire was as Alarm was by
Paper Works Whistle - also
John Laura met with an
accident by having a
collision with a small boy
which caused him a broken
wrist and several bruises.

By Paper Mill Whistle

S. F. Murray

Lord on Hose & Contents 75.00
Insured " " " 75.00

Regular Meeting
Thursday June 4 1902.

Foreman Jepsen in the Chair
Present. Jepsen. Price Grunday Holt
Brink Laura Murray Pitchar
Akanhead. Harris. Minutes
last Meeting read and Approved.
On Motion Jepsen and Pitchar excused
from Reg Meeting 7 May 7 —
Price & Holt fined for non attendance
2 meeting May 7 1902.
Laura was excused from Presence
Fire on acct of Sickness.
Roll Call
Meeting Adj.
S. J. Murray

Regular Meeting July 2 1902.
Foreman Jepsen in the Chair
Present Brink Price Grunday
Holt Harris Laura Jepsen
Akanhead Glaus - Pitchar Excused.
Harris laudared his resignation
Moved by Grunday the same be
excepted - Carried - Moved by Grunday
that two tellers be appointed - Carried
Chair appointed Akanhead & Price.
Ballot was then taken to elect
Foreman to fill Vacancy as follows
Whole no Ballots Cast 8 Majority
Required 5 - Ballot Ballot being
taken resulted in Spendlan being
elected. The following Paid Dues.
Grunday. Laura. Brink. Akanhead. Jepsen
Price. Roll Call Read Meeting Adj
J. A. Brown Sec Pro Tem

July 17. 1902.

Alarm at 11.30 A.M. caused by Oil Stove catching on fire in house owned by Rev. Brodie Williams & [illegible] no damage.

Present Jafson. Sub. Glan Grice Laura Murray Akenhead Bennett Pitcher Holt Brink Grundy Smullan.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Thursday Aug. 6. 1902.

Regular Meeting.

Present. Jafson Glan. Grice. Bennett Pitcher Laura. Murray Brink Grundy Holt Akenhead and Smullan. Foreman Jafson in the Chair. Minits of last meeting read and approved. Pitcher and Holt paid dues Murray Bennett and Glan Paid Fines and Dues. and Smullan Paid Dues and Membership Moved by Grundy that Dues of Bennett Fro R.M July 2 and July 17 Fine be Excused. Motion Carried - Nothing further roll called and meeting adjourned -

S. F. Murray Sec.

Regular Meeting Sept. 3. 1902.

Present Grice - Glass - Lamar - Murray - Grundy - Brink Bamett Akenhead and Pitcher - Smallan excused on account of Sickness. Minits of last meeting read and approved, nothing further roll was called and Meeting adjourned.

S. F. Murray Sec.

Sunday Sept. 21 1902.

Alarm of fire at 3 A.M. was caused by fire in basement of Libaby Park Hotel fire was confined to basement and the most damage was caused by smoke.

Present - Jayson Grice Glass Murray Grundy Brink Akenhead Holt Smallan Pitcher Bamett

Loss on Build - $177.38
" " Cont - $114.00 - 291.38
Ins. recd on Build - 177.38
— — - Cont - 114.00

S. F. Murray Sec.

Regular Meeting Oct. 1 1902

Foreman Jepson called meeting to order Present Jepson Gridd Gilan Laura Murray Grundy Brink Akenhead Bruillard Pilcher Holt Bennett. Minutes of Last Meeting read and approved on motion of Pilcher Laura plus excused Dan Park Hotel Fire. Nothing further roll called and meeting was adjourned.

S. T. Murray Sec.

October 29 1902.

Alarm of Fire at 9 P.M. was caused by Chimney burning out an Alarm rowed by Wm Gillam Coombs and occasioned by Harry Adams some damage was done by smoke.

Loss on Build.
" " Cont - 14.5.0

Ins. on Build.
" " Cont - 14.5.0

S. T. Murray Sec.

Oct. 30 1902.

Alarm of Fire at 1.30 P.M. caused by dogs getting in Cold air Box of Furnace and getting on Fire no damage.

S. T. Murray

Nov. 1 Regular Meeting

Foreman Lappin in Chair. Present.
Lappin Glass Holt Murray
Bamatt Bonk Grundy Pitcher.
Smullan Akenhead — Minutes of
last meeting Read and approved
Moved and Supported that the
Fire & Pitcher from Green Fire
be excused, carried. moved and
supported that our Chief be
appointed to see our Representative
and ask their aid in securing
Passage of a Pension Bill.
Nothing further Roll call
& Meeting Adj
L. F. Murray Sec.

Nov 3 1902.
Alarm of Fire at 11 30 was caused
by a small blaze in Burial Devices
Work is caused by Spontaneous
Combustion. Fire put out with
Loss. $31.00 Chemical.
Insurance. $31.00

Sal.

L. F. Murray Sec.

Nov. 27 1902 Thursday A.M.
Alarm of Fire at 7 45 was caused
by Small Blaze in Cutler Axe in
House of Hiram McNall no dam

Sal.

L. F. Murray Sec.

Nov. 28. 1902 Friday.
Alarm of fire at 9.30 P.M. was caused by Chimney burning out on Pearl St in house owned and occupied by H. Wilard no damage
S.F. Murray Sec.

Oct 27-1902.
Silent Alarm. 7 P.M.
In Zellar Bro. Bakery on Chicago St In Building owned by John Moore was caused by Lard Kettle catching fire was extinguished by Mr Hutchens with a Chemical who quickly subdued the flames. Insurance received 78.50

S. F. Murray
Sec.

Silent Alarm
Feb 13 1902. 10.43 P.M.
At Batts Grocery on Chicago Street. Was caused by Chimney in Batts Store Was extinguished with Chemical no damage
S F Murray
Sec't

Dec. 2. 1902 Monday.

Annual Election

Chair Brown in the chair.
On motion of Sandlan - Murray
was appointed Clerk. Moved by Grundy
that Chair appoint two Tellers. Carried.
Chair appointed Jepson and Grundy
after which we proceed to Ballot as
follows.

For Chair. Whole no. of Votes Cast. 10.
Brown-8- Grier 1- Pitcher-1-
Brown Elected

For 1st Ass. Whole no of Votes Cast 11
1st Ballot. Grier 4 Brown 2 Barnett 2 Holt 1 Grundy 1 Pitcher 1
2nd " Whole no. of Votes Cast 10-
Glen 5 Grundy 3 Barnett 1 Pitcher 1
3rd " Whole no of Votes Cast 11
Glen 9 Grundy 2
Glen Elected.

For 2nd Ass. Chair whole no of Votes Cast 11
1st Ballot Barnett 4 Murray 2 Glen 2 Jepson 2 Grundy
2nd " Grundy 6 Murray 4 Pitcher 1
Grundy Elected

Frank Dalin Paid 25¢ Dues not then
Arthur Robb called. Present. Barnett
Grundy - Sandlan. Jepson - Murray -
Laura - Glenn - Holt. Brink. Pitcher.

L. F. Murray Sec.

Annual Meeting Monday Dec 2. 1902.

Foreman Jefson in the Chair. Roll Call Bennett Brindy Smullan Jefson Murray Laura Gland Holt Brindle Pitchar. were Present. On Motion of Brindle Chair appointed two tellers — Pitchar and Smullan appointed

Moved by Bennett that Tellers be instructed to cast Co. Ballot for Jefson as Foreman Motion Carried.

Proceeded to Ballot for Asst. Foreman
1st Bal. Whole no. of Votes Cast 10 —
Akenhead 4. Bennett 4 Murray 1. Laura 1.
2nd Bal Whole no of Votes Cast. 10.
Akenhead 6. Bennett 4.

Moved & Supported that Sec. be instructed to cast. Co. Ballot for. Smullen as. Sec.

Moved and Supported that Sec be Instructed to Cast Co. Ballott for Bennett for. Treas.

Proceded to Ballot for Rifleman
1st Ballot. Holt 6 Laura 3 - Murray 1.

The Co was then Invited by Chas Brown to Kollars Restaurant where an Oyster Supper was held.

Roll Call and Adj.

S. T. Murray

Regular Meeting Dec. 3 1902.

Foreman Japp in the Chair.
Present. Japp. Glass Laura
Murray Bruck Grundy Holt & Dunlap.
Minutes L. last Meeting read and
approved. Moved by Grundy that
Subs L last year be re elected
motion carried - Subs Quackenbush
Pilcher Hurley and Taylor.
Moved by Grundy that a committee
2 one be appointed to see about
date for a Firemans Ball carried
Chair appointed J. B. Dunlap.
Roll Call Meeting adj.

L. T. Murray Sec

Special Meeting Dec. 6 1902.

Called to order by Foreman
Present Japp Glass Grundy Laura
Burnett Pilcher Akenhead and Dunlap
Murray. Meeting call to have
report of Dunlap in regard
to Dance. Who reported that Xmas.
and New Years Dates were taken and
it would not be advisable to
hold dance until later and
a motion by Dunlap that a
committee of 5 consisting
Chair Bruck and Japp Glass
Pilcher and Barnhart be appointed
to secure a date and make the
necessary arrangements. carried
Roll Call Meeting Adj'

L. T. Murray

Special Meeting Dec. 6. 1902.

Meeting called to order Foreman.
Present John Glan Sullivan Grundy
Layna Bartlett Pitcher Bonnie Murray
Arrowhead -
Meeting Called by Chief in behalf
of Friendly League. who reported.
that he had seen Mr Nadberry
and he had requested him to
draw up a resolution which he
had done and read same to
company - on Motion of Pitcher
Res. was adopted as Read.
Chief asked the Co. to meet Tues.
Eve at Engine House to lay new
Laddars Roll Call Meat-Adj
S. F. Murray.

Tuesday Dec. 17. 1902.
Alarm at 7.30 A.M. caused by
small Blaze in Clay St in
House owned by Vandusan
and Occupied by Bert Hoover
Fire was extinguished by the use
of Chemicals
Loss on House. $18.88
Ins. Recd - 18.88
Loss on Cont- 150.00 168.88
Ins. Recd- 118.75
S. F. Murray

By Phone.

Resolution as adopted at special meeting Dec. 6th 1902 and to be presented to our Representative.

At a special meeting of the Invincible Fire Co. of the City of Coldwater held on the 6th Day of December 1902 the following Preamble and Resolutions was unanimously adopted.

Whereas:- It is our belief that a law should be enacted. whereby Firemen who have served as such for a certain number of years, or who may have become partially disabled while in the active discharge of their duties should receive a suitable reward or pension and.

Whereas:- It has come to our knowledge that such a bill will be presented at the next session of the State Legislature therefore be it Resolved:- That our State Senator and our Representative from this District be urgently requested to support. and use their influence in the passage of such a law: and that they each be presented with a copy of this Resolution.

Signed.

F. A Brown
Wm Glenn
Thos M. Grundy
Chilion F. Burnett
Clair E. Armstead
L. H. Johns
C. L. Pilcher
Sam F. Murray
Emil Bonitz
John F. Laura
J. B. Swindlen
F. H. Holt
A. H. Grice.

Members of Fire Co.

1903

Department- Officers

Cheif- F. A. Brown
1st Asst- " Wm Glenn
2nd " " Thos Grundy

Company Officers

Foreman Lee Jepson
Asst- " " Stan Akenhead
Secl- J. B. Smullen
Treas. C. F. Bennett
Piperman Frank Holl-
Asst- " " Emmett Brink
" " " Chas Pitcher
" " " Jno Laura

Reperance Committe

Bennett. Glenn Holt

Finance Committe

Grundy Murry Akenhead

Members of The Invincible Fire Co

Lee Jepson
Wm Glenn
Thos Grundy
C. F. Bennett
Frank Holl-
Emmett Brink
Chas Pitcher
Jno Laura
Stan Akenhead
A. W. Grices
S. F. Murray
Jas B. Smullen

January 6th 1903

Alarm by Phone

Alarm of Fire, at- 7. P. M. was caused by a Chimney burning out- on Harrison St in house owned by Mrs O. Shaugnessey and occupied by Same damaged Same by Smoke

Loss on Building $8.75

Insurance Paid 8.75

J B Smullen

Sec

Regular Monthly Meeting Jan 7th 1903

Foreman Jepson in the Chair
Minutes of last meeting read and approved
Present: Jepson. Glenn. Grundy. Smullen
Bennett. Hoel- Brink Pitcher Laura
Murray Akenhead absent: Grieer

Sec Murray read his report for the year (1902) on motion of Pitcher report was accepted.
The following members paid dues from Jan 1st 1903 to July 1st 1903 Pitcher Grundy Akenhead Laura Murray Glenn Bennett Jepson Hoel Smullen total amt $2.50

Chief Brown made report of new apperatus Supplied the Department during the last year

Foreman Jepson appointed the following Committee for the year

Reference Co. Bennett Glenn. Hoel-

Finance Co. Grundy. Murray Akenhead

Foreman Hoel- appointed Brink. Pitcher and Laura as asst Foreman

Sec Murray's Salary as Sec for 1902 was allowed and order drawn on Treas for Same also .12¢ for postage.

On motion of Glenn a Special meeting was called for Jan 17- 1903

to appoint- Committee for Dance
Jan 22nd 1903.
Roll called and meting adj-

J B Sullivan
Sec'y

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January 17th 03 Alarm of Fire by Phone at- 12.30 a m was caused by the Burning of Visel's Novelty Works situated on N. E. Corner of Division and Rail Road St- Building Owned and Occupied by August Visel. Cause of Fire unknown

Loss
Building 1,000
Contents 4,000
Total 5000.00
Ins Paid 2987.14
2012.86

Loss on Building 1,200 Insurance on Building $1,200
" " Contents $4,000 and Contents $3,500
Insurance Paid $2987.14
Loss Less Insurance paid $2012.86

J B Sullivan
Sec

3 January 19-03 Alarm of Fire by Phone at- 4.00 P.M. was caused by a overheated Stove in a Building used by boys as a Hut- Situated on rear of Property owned by Jno Kerr on west- Chicago St- Hut- was consumed and Fire extended to Barn of Chas Sherwood Situated in Rear of No 137 Harrison St-

Loss
Barn 600
Contents

Loss on Barn 600 Insurance Paid none
" " Insurance " "

Paid Insurance none

J B Sullivan
Sec

4 Jan 22-03 alarm by Phone at- 1.30 P.M. was caused by Chimney burning out- on House situated Nat- 87 Jackson St- Residence owned and Occupied by Jas Flynn damaged by Smoke

Loss
Building

Paid Insurance on Contents 10.75
Loss on Contents 10.75

Loss on Building none
Insurance " "

Special Meeting Jan 17th 1903

Foreman Jepson in Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy
Akenhead Smullen Bennett Hall-
Murray Pitcher Brink, Laura

Chief Brown as Chairman of Dance
Committe Reported that- a Program
of 20 numbers with privelege of 2 Extra
numbers had been decided on also
apponted the following Committes
Floor Committe Bendett Jepson Pitcher
and Murray

Reception Com- Brown Grundy Laura
Check Room - Hall- Akenhead
Door Tenders - Glenn Brink
Ticket- Sellers - Smullen

On Motion of Brown Foremen
was requested to report- to him
the amt- of Tickets Sold. to wednesday
evening to him at- Engine House
on Said night

Roll called Meeting adj

J B Smullen
Secty

Special Meeting Jan 24th 1903

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Akenhead
Smullen Bennett Hoel-
Pitcher Brink Laura

Chief Brown Chairman of Dance Committe Reported as follows

Total Receipts $161.50

Report of Dance Jan 22nd 1903

Disbursements

Hall	$10.00	
Music	$15.00	
Printing	$3.25	
Mrs Condon	$1.50	
Total		29.75
Bal on hand		$131.75
Bal rec'd from Chief Brown		.50
		132.25

On Motion of Pitcher the following members were paid $10.00 each out of dance proceeds
Brown Brink Bennett. Laura Akenhead Smullen Glenn Jepson Hoel- Pitcher Grundy and Murray 12.

132.25
120.00
12.25

On motion of Bennett each member is to be assess $1.00 per week in case a member was injured at a fire or in case of Sickness of a member

On Motion of Pitcher Chief Brown was instructed to publish a vote of Thanks to the public in general for the

liberal support given the
firemen at their dance

Roll called meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

Jan 24/03

Alarm of Fire at 8.45 P.M. by Phone
was caused by chimney burning
out on residence of Mrs Easter Cr
Penn North west corner of Hudson and
Grand St no damage

J B Smullen
Sec

Feb-16-03

6 The Alarm of Fire at 12.45 P.M. was Caused by a blaze in House at No 82 Charles St owned By Mrs W. B. Moore and Occupied by Jas Kane

Loss on Building $85.00 no Insurance

" " Contents $10.00 No Insurance

Total Loss $95.00

Cause of Fire. Catching from Stove pipe

Feb 18-03

7 Phone, The alarm at 10.30 a m was Caused by Chimney burning out on House at 123 North Clay St owned and Occupied by Henry Jde. No damage

J B Smullen

Sec

Regular Monthly Meeting Feb-4-03

Asst-Foreman AKenhead in Chair

Present- AKenhead Glenn Grundy
Smullen Bennett Hoel- Murray
Pitcher Brink and Laura
Absent- Jepson " Grice

Minutes of Last- meeting read and approved

On Motion of Glenn all fines for non attendance of Fires of Jan 17th 19th and 24th and of Special meetings except- Jan 24th were excused

Chief Brown reported .50¢ in his possesion of Dance proceeds on motion of Pitcher it was Lmend over to Secretary

Foreman Pitcher offered the following

Resolved

Relative to Sick Benefit Sec 1

That- the following amendments be added to and be known as Section 1-2 and 3 of and amendment- Relative to Sick Benefit-

In Case a Member is disabled in the discharge of his duties as a Fireman there shall be Levied against each member an amount not to exceed One dollar per week for a period not- to exceed Ten weeks in any one year

the same to be paid by the Treasurer of Company to such Sick member. In case more than one member shall be disabled then what money then is raised shall be divided pro rata

Sec 2 In case any member shall refuse to pay the money as Levied in Sec 1 Said member may by a two thirds vote of all members voting at the first meeting after levey is made be expelled

Sec 3 Money may be taken from the general Fund for the purpose of helping Sick members at any time the Company may by a majority vote decide

Roll. Called and Meeting adjnd

J B Smullen
Secty

Regular Monthly Meeting Mar 4-03

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Present- Jepson Grundy Smullen Bennett Hart- Pitcher Brink Laura and Price absent- Glenn Akenhead Murray

On Motion of Pitcher Resolution and amendments 1-2 and 3 of and amendment- Relative to Sick Benefits as read at Last meeting was adopted.

Secty read Resignation of Stan Akenhead as a member of Fire Co to take effect- April 1st 1903 and on motion of Brink resignation was accepted

On motion of Pitcher Co proceeded to Election of a Fireman to take the place of Stan Akenhead Resigned

On motion of Pitcher the Rules were suspended and Co proceeded to vote on the names of Geo Quackenbush Wm Taylor Gurney Pitcher and Jake Hurley as a candidate For Fireman the Ballot resulting as follows whole number Votes cast- 9

Quackenbush 6
Taylor 3 } 9

On motion of Pitcher Company proceeded to Ball Ballot- For Fireman to take place of Akenhead resigned The Ballot resulting as follows whole number of Votes

Cast- 9 of which Geo Quackenbush receiv.
ed 9 and was declard Elected a
member of Fire Co. membership to begin
April 1st 1903

On Motion of Brink the Election of
Substitute in place of Quackenbush
was postponed until next Regular
meeting

Dues from Jan 1st 03 to July 1st 03
was paid by Brink and Grice

Roll called meeting adjtd

J B Smullen
Sect-ry

8

Mar 23-03 The alarm at- 6.10 P.M. by Phone
was caused by Chimney burning out
on house located South West- Corner of
W- Pearl and Polk Sts owned and Occup
ied by Jno Stanley Sr Put- out by
Chemical no damage

J B Smullen
Sec

9

Mar 27-03 The alarm at- 6.10 a.m by Phone was
Caused by Chimney on Hotel Southern
not- working Satisfactory causing Rooms to
become filled with Smoke. but- no
damage done

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Monthly Meeting April 1-03

Foreman Jepson in chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Grice Smullen Bennett Heckt- Murray Pritchard Brink Laura Quackenbush

Glenn proposed the name of Chas Fanning Grundy the name of Robert-Clark Laura the name of Clyde Thompson for Substitutes

On motion of Bennett the names of Chas Fanning Robert Clark Clyde Thompson and Fred Whitehead were elected Substitutes

On motion of Grundy Abe Grice was elected asst-Foreman in place of Akenhead Resigned

Geo W. Quackenbush Paid membership fee and dues to July 1st 1903 $1.12

Roll called meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

10

April 2-03 The alarm by Phone at 11 a.m was Cause by Fire on roof of house at 241 East Washington Catching from Sparks from Saw Mill on opposite Side of Street Damage to Building $8.75 Insurance Paid $8.75
Owner of Building Mrs W. A Golden
Occupant " " Mrs Gardner

J B Smullen
Sec

11

April 9-03 2.30 P.M The alarm by Phone was caused by boys setting Straw a fire in Shed to Barn at 271 Marshall St owing to location of Fire being turned in wrong to Engine House Co was late in getting to Fire and it was put out before arrival of Department no Damage

J B Smullen
Sec

12

April 22-03 The alarm by Phone at 3.15 P.M. was caused by Sparks from Smoke Stack setting fire to Sawdust in Dust Flue at Cutler Factory Cor of Division and Rail Road Sts Put out by Small Hose attached to plants Engine Room. Damage 10 cts to building Covered by Insurance

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting May 8th 03

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy
Grue Sullen Bennett Holt-
Murray ~~Butcher~~ Brink Laura
Quackenbush. Butcher Excused

On Motion of Glenn the Fines
of Jepson Brink and Quackenbush
were excused

Salary of Substitutes $1.00 per Fire

On Motion of Brink the Salary
of Substitutes were raised to one
dollar per Fire

Roll called Meeting adj

J B Sullen
Sec

(13)
May 16-03

The alarm by Phone at 11.55 a.m.
was caused by explosion of Gasoline
Stove at No 40 west Alden St Residence
of J J. Snyder No damage to building
and contents $15.85 Insurance Paid $15.85

(14)
May 21-03

The alarm at 6.05 P.M. by Phone was
caused by Fire in a Manger in basem
ent of Wheel Barrow Factory South
Division St put out by Department
by Hose attach to Hydrant
No Damage.

(15)

May 27-03

The alarm at- 8. P.M. was caused by fire at- Residence of Chas Wheeler No 117 west- Chicago St- Causing the burning of a Hat and Coat- hanging in Kitchen of Said Residence Cause unknown No Damage

J B Smullen
Sec

(16).

June 17-03

The alarm by messenger at- 3.15- P.M. was caused by fire on Roof of west- half of J B Branch & Co ~~Store~~ W. Chicago St cause of fire was Gas escaping from pipes laid between Ceiling and Roof

Damage to building 156.00
" " Contents 960.00
Insurance paid 156
960

(17).

June 29-03

The Alarm at- 11.05- a M was caused by Boys and Matches Setting Fire to Barn on premises of Mrs J H. Montague Situated on west- Chicago St- Opposite Johnson Cooperage Works resulting in the Total destruction of Barn and shedding to Shed and Slaves piled on East- of Barn resulting in lost of Shed.

Loss
Barn $120.00
Shed + contents + Slaves $650.00

Insurance Paid $725.00

Loss on Barn $120.00 Insurance on Barn $120.00
Loss on shed contents and Slaves $625.00 Insurance on Shed Contents + Slaves $625.00

Regular Meeting June 3rd 03

Foreman Jepson in chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy
Grice Smullen Bennett Pitcher Branch
Laura. Quackenbush
Excused Hall and Murray

Grice and Pitcher paid fines of April 1st 1903

Roll Called meeting adj.d
J B Smullen
Sec

Special Meeting June 18-03

Meeting Called to Order with Foreman Jepson in chair

Chief Engineer Brown read the following communication from J B Branch and Co

To Frank A. Brown Chief Eng of Fire Dept and Members thereof

Gents

For your action and Efficient service in quenching the fire which occured in our Store yesterday and your most excellant judgment and Skill in the use of water at the time We tender you our deep gratitude and the Sum herewith Respectfully presented as a slight te

ine of our appreciation and Esteem
Most Respty J B Branch & Co

On Motion of Petcher the Chief was instructed to Return the Thanks of this Department to J B Branch & Co for their Liberal donation of money to this Co for their Services at the Fire at their Store June 17-03

Brink moved that each member of Dep artment receive $6 50 and Balance $2 50 be turned over to Co Treasurer Motion Carried

Roll called Meeting adj'd
J B Smullen
Sec

(75)

Regular Meeting July 1st 03

Asst Foreman Grace in Chair

Present- Grace Glenn Grundy
Smullen Bennett Hurl- Murray
Pitcher Brink and Laura
Absent- Jefson and Quackenbush

Minutes of Last meeting read and approved

Sec read Resignation of Samuel F. Murray to take effect July 1st 03

on motion of Brink. resignation was accepted

on motion of Pitcher the Co tendered to Mr Murray a vote of thanks for the efficient manner in which he discharged his duties as Foreman

On Motion of Glenn Murray was elected a Substitute of the Company

on Motion of Pitcher Co proceeded to vote on the names of Substitutes Wm Taylor J. W. Hurley Clyde Thompson Fred Whitehead and Robert Clark for Candidates for Member of Company in place of Murray Resigned.

1st Ballot- Whole no Vote 9

Hurley Reed	3
Thompson "	3
Taylor "	3 -no Choice

2nd Ballot-
Whole no Votes 9
Hurley 3
Thompson 3
Taylor 3
no Choice

3rd Ballot-
Whole no Votes 9
Hurley 3
Thompson 3
Taylor 3
no Choice

4th Ballot-
Whole no Votes 9
Hurley 3
Thompson 3
Taylor 3
no choice

5th Ballot-
Whole no Votes 9
Hurley 1
Thompson 4
Taylor 4
no Choice

6th Ballot-
Whole no Votes 9
Taylor 6
Thompson 3

Wm F. Taylor having rec'd a majority of all Votes Cast- was declared a Candidate for membership to Co

on motion of Grundy Co proceeded to ballot- on name of Wm F Taylor for membership to Co Whole no Votes Cast- 9 of which Taylor rec'd 9 and was declared a member of Co to take effect- July 1st " 03

Glen Grundy Grice Bennett Hall-Pilcher and Brunk Pond Bears from July 1st 03 to Dec 31st 03

Chief Brown reported he had tendered to J B Branch & Co a vote of thanks of this Co for their donation of money

July 18th 03

Roll called meeting adj

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Aug 5th 1903

Foreman Jefferson in Chair

Present— Jefferson Glenn Grundy
Grice Smullen Bennett Hall
Laura Brink Quackenbush
Taylor. Pitcher excused

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Quackenbush paid fine of 30¢ for meeting of July 1st 1903 also Dues from July 1st 03 to Dec 31st 03 .25¢

Jefferson & Smullen Paid dues 25¢ from July 1st 03 to Dec 31-03

Taylor paid membership $1.00 and Dues .25 to Dec 31-03

Roll called meeting adj

J B Smullen
Sec

(18)
Aug 9-03 The alarm at- 12.55- a m was caused by a small blaze at- Stock yards on So Clay St- no damage

(19)
Aug 26th-03 The alarm at- 9.55- P.M. was caused by a Gasolene Lamp setting fire to show Canvas in front- of Tent- Situated on Cor of Division & Chicago Sts belonging to Robinson Carnival Co doing damage to amount- of $5.00

(20)
Sept ~~Aug~~ 29 ,03 The alarm by Phone 3.10 P.M. was a call for help at- Quincy Mich Steamer and Hose cart- was loaded on flat- Car and arrived at- Quincy at- 5.32 P.M. Quincy Fire Department had Fire under control when Department- arrived there So Steamer was not- unloaded Supper was furnished ~~Sup~~ by Quincy and arrived Home at- 10.00 P.M.

(21)
Sept-16-03 The alarm at- 3.30 P.M. was caused by a Small Blaze on Roof of Round House of L. S. and M. S. R. R. Situated on Rail Road Grounds west- of South Clay St- damage nominal

Regular Monthly meeting Sept-
2-03

Foreman Jepson in Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Grice
Bennett. Smullen Hall- Brink Laura-
Quackenbush -Taylor Excused Pitcher

Minutes of last-meeting read and
Approved

Fines of Grundy for Aug 9-03 and
Smullen Aug 26-03 Excused

Laura paid Dues to Jan 1st " 04

Roll Called meeting adj'd

J B Smullen
Sec'y

(22)

Oct 24-03

The alarm by Phone at- 2.30 P.M. was caused by a Bunch heads Fire Setting fire to Hedge on premises of Mrs A J. Starr No 166 West Pearl St damages Nominal

(23)

Nov 17-03

The alarm at- 10 a.m. was cause by a Blaze in residence of Jno Moore No 68 North Hanchett St- burning the rear of upright- and Roof of Kitchen Cause of fire Supposed to be Mice and matches

Loss on Building	~~$228.59~~ ~~$80.05~~
Insurance paid on-	$228.59 ~~$80.05~~
Loss on Fiauture	80.05
Insurance paid on Furniture	80.05
Total- Insurance Paid	$308.64

(24)

Nov 19-03

The alarm at- 9.40 a m was caused by Fire at Residence of E.M. Swafford No 129 East- Pearl Fire was first discovered in Bath Room in 2nd Story of Building Cause of Fire Supposed to be from Chimney Fire burning up through Roof and Consumed to attic

Loss on Building	$725.00
Insurance paid on Building	$725.00
Loss on Contents	$1480.00
Insurance paid	$1480.00

Regular Monthly Meeting Oct 7th 03

Foreman Jepson in Chair.

Minutes of Last meeting read and approved

Secty read Postal from Mr Sulzer per in regard to Columbian Moving Pictures no action taken in the matter

Roll called meeting adj'nd.

J B Lunsden
Sec

(25Y)
Nov 27-03 The alarm at 4.30 P M was caused by stove pipe coming apart in 2nd Story of House situated at 194 South Jefferson St owned by E D. Lenddens and occupied by J. Carpenter No Damage

Regular Meeting Nov 4th 03

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Grice
Smullen Bennett Hall- Pletcher Brink
Laura Quackenbush Taylor

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Fine of Taylor for absence from Fire of
Sept- 16th 03 was remised

Taylor paid Fine for 1st Roll Call
of Oct- 7th 03

Roll. Called and meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Secty

Dec 3-03

(26) The Alarm at- 6.35- a.m. Was a Call for help at- Hillsdale Mich Steamer and hose Cart- was loaded on Flat- Car and Firemen Jepson- Glenn Brink Pitcher Grundy Grier Swindler and Laura were detailed to go with same to Hillsdale Owing to not- leaving City until 7.5- P.m on account of trains on arriving at- Quincy Mich We was ordered back home arriving at- 8.30 a.m.

27th

Dec 6-03 The Alarm at- 11.25- P.M. was Caused by Fire in Stoker Novelty Works Destroying Boiler Room and Scorching Machinery and Belting Cause of Fire Unknown

Loss on Building $200.00 Insurance on Building $200.00

" " Contents $171.50 " " on Contents $171.50

(28)

Dec 9-03 The Alarm at- 3.45- a.m. was Caused by the Burning of a Barn on premises Owned and Occupied by A Bedford - West- Alden St- Resulting in Total Loss of Barn no Insurance Cause of Fire Unknown

Loss on Barn $800.00

" " Contents $150.00

Regular Meeting Dec 2nd 03

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Grice
Sinullen Bennett Hoel- Pitcher Brink
Laura Quackenbush and Taylor

On motion of Pitcher the fines of Glenn
for fines Nov. 17 ~~to~~ 27th were excused

On motion of Bennett the fine of
Quackenbush for fine of Nov. 17th was
excused

Roll Called Meeting Adjd

J.B. Sinullen
Sec

Annual Meeting Dec 7th 03

Chief Brown called meeting to order at 7. P.M.

On Motion of Jepson Smullen was elected Clerk

On Motion of Grundy, Quackenbush and Brink was appointed Tellers

Chief Brown closed polls at 8 P.M.

The Tellers announced the following Results

Whole number of Votes Cast for Chief 11

Of which F. A. Brown rec'd 9
Wm Glenn " 1
Chas Pitcher " 1
Total 11

Whole number of Votes Cast for 1st asst Chief 12

Of which Glenn rec'd 10
Brown " 1
Brink " 1
Total 12

Whole number of Votes Cast for 2nd asst. Chief 12

Of which Grundy rec'd 8
Jepson 1
Smullen 1
Pitcher 2
Total 12

J B Smullen
Sec

Annual Election Dec 7th, 03

Foreman Jepson in the Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Grice
Smullen Bennett Hall- Prather
Brink Laura Quackenbush and Taylor

Minutes of last- annual Election
read and approved

On Motion of Quackenbush Chair
appointed Glenn and Taylor Tellers

On Motion of Glenn proceeded to
Ballot- for Foreman

1st Ballot-
Whole number Votes 11
Which Jepson rec'd 5-
Grice 2
Brink 3
Bennett 1
no choice

2nd Ballot-
Whole no Votes 11
Jepson 4
Brink 4
Grice 3
no choice

3rd Ballot-
Whole no Votes 12
Jepson 5-
Brink 5-
Grice 2
no Choice

4th Ballot-
Whole no Votes 12
Brink 7
Jepson 4
Grice 1

Brink having rec'd a majority of all
votes cast- Was elected Foreman

On Motion of Bennett the Tellers
was Instructed to cast the Ballot-
of the Co for Geo Quackenbush
for asst Foreman

Whole no votes Cast- 12 of which
Geo Quackenbush rec'd 12
Geo Quackenbush was declared
Elected Asst- Foreman

On motion of Brink Tellers was
instructed to cast the Ballot- of
Co for Smullen for Clerk
Whole no of Votes Cast- 12 of which
J B Smullen rec'd 12
J B Smullen was declared Elected
Co Secretary

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On motion of Glenn Co proceeded
to the Election of Treasurer
Whole no of Votes Cast- 12
of which Bennett rec'd 8
Laura 1
Grice 1
Glenn 2 - 12
Bennett having rec'd a majority of
all Votes Cast- was declared Elected Treas

On motion of Glenn Co proceeded
to the Election of Pateman

1st Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
of which Taylor rec'd 6
Jepson " 5
Glenn 1
no Choice

2nd Ballot
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
Taylor 6
Jepson 4
Bennett 2

3rd Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
Taylor 4
Bennett 4
Grice 2
Pitcher 2
no Choice

4th Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
Taylor 4
Jepson 2
Bennett 4
Grice 2
no Choice

5th Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
Taylor 2
Bennett 1
Pitcher 3
Holt- 6
no choice

6th Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast 12
Lewis 6
Pitcher 4
Bennett 1
Brink 1

7th Ballot-
Grice 7
Brink 2
Pitcher 2
Taylor 1

Grice having Rec'd a majority of all Votes Cast- was declared Elected Fireman

No further Business Roll was called and meeting Adjnd
J B Smullen
Sec

29th "
Dec 31st 1903

The Alarm at- 12.45 P.M. was caused by Burning Sugar which Mrs C D. Sutton was melting on a Stove filling room with Smoke causing a alarm to be Sent- in no Damages
J B Smullen
Sec

Chief F. A. Brown
1st Asst- " Wm Glenn
2nd " " Thos H. Grundy

Company Officers

Foreman Emmett Brink
Asst- " " Geo W. Quackenbush
Secretary Jas. B. Smullen
Treasurer C. F. Bennett
Fireman A. E. Grice
1st Asst- " " C S Pitcher
2nd " " " Lee Jepson
3rd " " " Wm Taylor

Reference Committe
Grice Glenn Grundy

Finance Committe
Taylor Quackenbush ~~Taylor~~ ~~Bennett~~
~~Grice~~ ~~Glenn~~ ~~Grundy~~

Members of The Coldwater Invincible Fire Co

F. A. Brown
Wm. Glenn
Thos. H. Grundy
J. B. Smullen
C. F. Bennett
Emmett Brink
A. E. Grice
Lee Jepson
Chas L. Pitcher
Frank Holt
Jno Laura
Geo Quackenbush
Wm F. Taylor

Secretary's Report- 1903

Total Number Alarms 29
City " 27
Outside " 2 — 29

Location of Alarms

Jan 6th Mrs O'Shaugnessy's Harrison St-
" 17th Visels Novelty Works Cor R.R. & Division Sts
" 19th Jno Kerr's West- Chicago St-
" 22nd " Flynn's 87 Jackson St-
" 24th Ester Crispen's Cor Pearl and Hudson Sts
Feb- 16th Wm B. Moore's 82 Charles St-
" 18th Henry Jde's 123 North Clay St-
Mar 23rd Jno Gamby's Sr. Cor Pearl and Polk Sts
" 27th Hotel Southern West- Chicago St
April 2 Mrs W.A. Golden's 241 E. Washington St
" 9th Jno Welsh's 271 Marshall St-
" 22nd Cutter Factory Cor R.R. and Division Sts
May 16th J.J. Snyder's 40 West- Alden St-
" 21st Wheel Barrow Factory Division St
" 27th Chas Wheeler's 117 West- Chicago St
June 17th J B. Branch & Co. West- " W. Chicago St
" 29th Mrs J.H. Montague and Johnson Cooperage Co
Aug 9th L.S. and M.S. R. Ry Stock Yards So Clay St
" 26th Robinson Carnival Show Tent- Cor Division & Chicago Sts
Sept- 16 L.S. and M.S. R.Ry Round House So Clay St
" 29th Quincy Mich
Oct- 24th Mrs. A.J. Starr's 166 W. Pearl St
Nov 17th Jno Moore's 68. North Hanchett St-
" 19th E. M. Swafffield's 129 East Pearl St-
" 27th E. P. Lendelen 190 South Jefferson St
Dec 3rd Hillsdale, Mich
" 6th Stokes Novelty Works So Clay St-
" 9th A. Bedford's West- Alden St-
" 31st C D. Suttons " Chicago St-

Alarms by Months

Jan - 5 - Feb 2 - Mar 2 April 3 - May 3
June 2 July 0 - Aug 2 - Sept - 2 Oct 1
Nov 3 - Dec 4 Total 29

Cause of Alarms

Chimneys	7	Sparks	3	Brush Heap	1
Gasolene Stove	1	Boys and Matches	3		
Overheated Stove	1	Mice and "	1		
Gasolene Lamp	1	Outside Help	2		
Unknown	5	Other Causes	5	—	29

Attendance at Alarms

	Attended	Missed	By Substitute	per Cent
Jefferson	27	2	0	93.3
Glenn	25	4	0	86.6
Gundy	25	4	0	86.6
Grice	29 22	0	7	100.0
Smullen	28	1	0	96.16
Bennett	29 14	0	15	100.00
Ritcher	27	2	1	93.3
Holl-	27	2	0	93.3
Brink	28	1	0	96.16
Laura	27	2	0	93.3
Muckenbush April 1st	18	2	0	90.0
Taylor July 1st	11	1	0	91.8

Total attendance at alarms 301
Ave " " 10 11/29

Membership

Number of members Jan 1st 1903 — 12
Resigned during the year 2
Admitted " " " 2
Number of members Jan 1st 1904 12

Substitutes

No of Substitutes during the year 9
" " " admitted to Company during " 2 - 7
" " " Jan 1st 1904 — 7

attendance of Substitutes at alarms 23
Quackenbush for Bennett 2
Taylor " " 6 for Grice 7
Thompson " " 4
Whitehead " " 3
Covey " Putcher 1 23

Total number of alarms by Phone 27
" " " " " messenger 2 29

Total no alarms where all members where present 13
" " " " 11 " " " 9
" " " " 10 " " " 4
" " " " 9 " " " 2
" " " " 8 " " 1
29

Meetings

To no of Regular meetings 12
" attendance " " 129
Ave. " " 10 3/4
Per Cent- " " 93.3

Total no Special meetings 3
" attendance 32
Ave " 10 2/3
Per Cent- " 93.3

Finance

Total Recd For Dues Fines + Etc $25.62
" Paid to Asa Bennett $25.62

Losses by Fires

Total Loss on Buildings	$3,403.19
" " " Contents	$7016 55
" " " Buildings & Contents	$10,419.74

Total Insurance Paid on Buildings	$2,422.19
" " " " Contents	$5438 69
" " " " Buildings & Contents	$7,860.88

Total Loss on Buildings and Contents	$10,419.74
" Insurance Paid " " "	$7860.88
Total Loss over Insurance —	$2,558.86

Total number feet of Hose Laid during the year 7,050

J B Smullen
Sec

Treasurers Report

Total Receipts	$38.07
" Expended	5.12
" Amt on hand Jan 1st 04	$32.95

C. F. Bennett
Treas

J B Smullen
Sec

(1)

Jan 6-04
1.20 a.m
By Phone

The Alarm at 1.20 a.m was caused by Fire being discovered in west Basement of 2nd ward School House Cor of Hull and N. Jefferson Sts Fire was confined to Basement and floor above ~~Cause of~~ Fire supposed to have caught from Heating apperatus
Out out by Attaching 2 Lines of Hose to Hydrant — no feet of Hose Laid 650

Loss on Building 807.07 Loss on Contents $240.00
Ins. Paid " " 807.07 Ins. Paid " " $240.07
Total Loss $1047.07 Total Ins Paid $1047.07

(2)

Jan 23
11.50 a.m

By Phone

The alarm at 11.50 a.m. was Cause by Smoke filling Offices of Legg and Howe 2nd Story of Store occupied by W. H. Hawley and owned by Mrs A.W Dickinson W. Chicago St — (put out by Chemicals)

(3)

Feb. 2-04
7.35 P.M.
By Phone

The alarm at 7.35 P.M. was caused By Chimney Burning out at Andy Kerr's # west Chicago St — put out by Chemicals no damage

(4)

Mar 17-04
4.20 P.M
By Phone

The alarm at 4.20 P.M. was caus by Chimney burning Out of Residence of Thos Rhodes Church St — no Damage

Regular Meeting Jan 6th 04

Foreman Jepson in Chair

Present- Jepson Glenn Grundy Smullen Bennett Grice Quackenbush Holt- Brink and Taylor. Pitcher and Laura excused

Secretary read his report- for 1903 and on motion of Grundy Report- was accepted and place on file

Treasurer Reported Receipts for year $38.07 Disbursements $5.12 Balance on hand Jan 1st 04 $32.95.

on motion of Glenn Report- was accepted and Placed on file

Foreman Brink takes the Chair and announced the following Committee

Finance - Grice Glenn Grundy

Reference — Taylor, Quackenbush, Bennett

Foreman Grice appointed the following asst- Foreman Pitcher Jepson Taylor

The Fines of Glenn Dec 9-03 Jan 6-04
" " " Grundy " 9-03 " " "
" " " Holt " 9-03
were excused

Jepson Glenn Grundy Smullen Bennett
Grice Quackenbush Taylor Holt Brink
and Butcher Yard Dues to July 1st 04

The matter of holding a dance was
Taken up and Foreman appointed
Bennett Glenn and Quackenbush a Committe to report at once

Committee reported that they wished an
expression from the members present
before reporting a majority of members
where in favor of Dance and on motion
of Glenn Chair appointed Bennett
Jepson and Smullen as Committe
to report Wednesday evening Jan 11th

See Salaries for 1903 and Bill
of Van Aken Bros for Flowers for
Dr Cunningham were allowed

Roll Called Meeting Adj

J B Smullen
Sec

Special Meeting Jan 11th 04

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Smullen
~~Brandt~~ Grigg Pitcher Jepson Lauser
Absent- Grundy Bennett Holt Taylor
Quackenbush Excused on acct of Sickness

Jepson and Smullen Reported for
Dance Committe. That from info
mation they recd from different
citizens it was best to postpone
Dance until later

On motion of Smullen vote for
Dance at Jan 6th meeting was
reconsidered

On motion of Pitcher Dance was
tabled.

Roll called meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Feb 3rd 1904

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy Quacken
bush Smullen Bennett Grice Pitcher
Hoel- Jepson Laura Taylor

Minutes of last meeting read and
approved

Fines of Laura Quackenbush Bennett
and Smullen Jepson were excused

Laura paid Dues 25c to July 1st 04
Hoel- " Fine 30c for Jan 11th meeting
Grundy " " " " " " "
Taylor " " " " " " "

Wm Covey Fred Whitehead Clyde Thom
pson Ben Ruthrauff Robert Clark
Sam Murray and Jacob Hurley were
elected Substitutes for 1904

Roll Called meeting adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Mar 2nd 1-04

Foreman Brink in the chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy
Quackenbush Smullen ~~Brink~~ Pitcher
Hall- Jepson ~~Laura~~ Taylor
Absent- Bennett. Grice. Laura

Minutes of Last meeting read and approved

No other Buisness being transacted
Roll was called and meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting April 6th 04

Asst- Foreman Quackenbush in the Chair

Present- Glenn Grundy Quackenbush
Smullen Bennett Pitcher Jepson Taylor
Grice Absent- Brink Hall- Laura

Minutes of Last- Meeting read and approved

Bennett Paid fine 30¢ for March 2nd meeting

Fine of Grice for Mar 2nd meeting
Excused

Roll called meeting adjd
J B Smullen Sec

Regular Meeting April 6th 1904

Asst- Foreman Quackenbush in the Chair

Present- Glenn Grundy Quackenbush
Smullen Bennett Pelcher Grice Jepson
Taylor
Absent- Brink. Hoel- Lauran

Minutes of last- meeting read and approved

Fine of Grice for Mar 2nd meeting Excused
" " Bennett " " " " Paid

Roll Called Meeting Adjd
J B Smullen Sec

(5)
April 20-04
Phone
9.20 A.M.
The alarm at- 9.20 a.m. was Caused by blaze on roof of L. S. and M S R R. Round House situated on So Clay st- Caught by Sparks from R R. Engine put- out- by Chemical and attaching 900 ft- Hose to Hydrant.
Damage-

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting May 4th 1904

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grice Holt- Pitcher Jepson Laura Taylor.

Minutes of last- meeting read and approved

Holt- paid fine 30¢ for April 6th " meeting
Brink " " 30¢ " " " " "
Laura " " 30¢ " Mar 21st meeting
Alarm of Mar 17th 50¢ meeting April 6th 38

Roll Called meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

(6)
Phone
May 20-04
10.30 P.M. The Alarm at- 10.30 P.M. was caused by burning: Gas jet- setting fire to joist- and floor in cellar of Residence of J. N. Neal # West- Pearl St- filling house with smoke put out by Extinguishers
Loss estimated $ 15.00
Insurance paid $ 5.00

(7)
Phone
May 23-04
11.20 a.m. The alarm at- 11.20 a.m. was caused by sparks from Engine setting fire to roof of L. S. and M. S. R R Round House situated on So Clay St- put out by Extinguishers no Loss) 6.50 Hose Paid

Regular Meeting June 1st. 04

Asst- Foreman Duckenbush in the Chair

Present- Glenn Grundy Duckenbush Smullen Bennett Grice Petcher Jepson Launa Taylor Absent- Brink Hall-

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Fines of Glenn for May 20 and 23rd Excused

Roll called Meeting Adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

(8)

June 17-04
3.30 a.m
Phones

3 Lines of Hose Laid

and Hose Laid 1350 ft

The Alarm at 3.30 a.m was caused by a Blaze being discovered in the North East Corner of Building used as a Cooper Shop Situated at the Cor of west Chicago St- and Mill St- owned and occupied by Johnson Cooperage Co: resulting in Total loss of Building.

Loss on Building	$15-00	
Insurance on "	6 20	
Loss over Insurance		$8 80.
Loss on Contents	$743. 00	
Insurance on "	77 50	
Loss over Insurance		$665.50

665 50
880.00
1545 50

Regular Meeting July 6th 1904

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grice Holt- Jepson Ritcher Laura Taylor

Minutes of last meting read and approved

Holt- and Brink paid Fine of June 15th meeting Holt- Excused from May 20th Jun Glenn.

Brink Glenn Grundy Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Ritcher Holt- Jepson Laura Taylor paid Dues to Jan 1st 1905-

Roll called meeting Adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Aug 3 - 04

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present Brink Gaundy Brackenbush
Smullen Bennett Holt Butcher
Jefson ~~Grice~~ Laura Taylor
Absent Glenn Grice

Minutes of last meeting read
and approved

No Business being transacted
Roll was called and meeting
adjourned

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Sept- 7th. 04

Foreman Brick in the Chair

Present- Brink Grundy Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Hollister Grice Jepson Laura Taylor
absent- Glenn-

Grice Paid dues to Jan 7th 05-

Fine of Grice for aug 3rd meeting excused

No Further Business being transacted Roll was Called and meeting adjourned

J B Smullen
Sec

(9)
Sept-17-04
7.10 a.m. The alarm at- 7.10 a M. was caused by a Stove Setting fire to a Partition in House located on the Northeast- Corner of Jefferson and Washington Sts. owned by Stan Parish and occupied by W. D. Force damage slight- Loss $50

Insurance $0.0

Regular Meeting Oct 5th 1904

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy
Smullen Bennett Holt- Pitcher
Jefson Grice Laura Taylor
Absent- Quackenbush

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Fines of Glenn for aug 3rd and Sept 7th Meetings Excused

Bennett proposed name of Stan Akenhead for Substitute

Pitcher the name of Fred Fergerson
Glenn " " " Homer Holt-
Laura " " " Wm Williams

On Motion of Pitcher Akenhead Fergerson Holt and Williams was elected Substitutes by acclamation

Roll called meeting adjd

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Nov 2nd 1904

Forman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Ritchen Hall- Jepson Grice Laura Taylor

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Quackenbush Paid fine for meeting of Oct 5th 30¢

On motion of Glenn the polls of the annual Election for Chief 1st asst and 2nd asst Chief be open from 7 P.M. to 8 P.M.

Roll called meeting adj'd

J.B. Smullen
Sec

(10) Nov 2-04 11.10 P.M Phone

The alarm at 11.10 P.M. Nov 2nd/04 was caused by fire being discovered in Residence of W. H. Hoover #138 So Clay St- Resulting in partial loss of Building and Contents Cause of Fire ~~Suspected to be Incendiary~~ Unknown Two lines of Hose Laid of 300 ft each

Loss on Building $536.75
" " Contents $907.09

Insurance paid on Building
" " " Contents $907.09

(11) Nov 15/04 6.30 a.m Phone

The alarm at 6.30 a m Nov 15-04 was caused by stove pipe setting fire to casing & room of House #122 North Polk St- Occupied by Chas Fisher and owned by Wife Mary Hyder put-out by Chemicals

Loss on Building
Insurance on " "

(12) Nov 22-04 8.05-a m Phone

The alarm at 8.05- a m was caused by Gasolene stove setting fire to Can used for filling same at- 50 Monroe st- Building owned by a Milner and occupied by Geo Hinkle Can was thrown down Back Stairway setting fire to same doing damage Estimated at $5.00 put out before arrival of Company

(13) Nov 26-04 6.10 a.m Phone

The Alarm at 6.10 a m was caused by fire in attic of 2 Story House Situated at 154 So Hudson St- caused by Defective Chimney Department had a Stubborn Fight of it- for a time but Succeeded in Saving building: 2 Lines of Hose Laid of 350 each

Owner of House Mrs Dolph Loss on Building 443.21
Occupants- Mrs Dolph " " Contents 200.00
" " Whitney Insurance " Building 443.21 538.21
" (Wm Schlacter Carried no Ins) " " Contents 125.00

(14) Nov 26-04 11.30 a.m Phone

The Alarm at 11.30 a m. was caused by stove pipe setting fire to Joist between ceiling of 1st & floor of 2nd Story of Double House Situated at # 7 West Chicago St- Fire was first discovered by Smoke issuing from under Shingles of the roof Fire was confined to attic and put out by Hose 2 Line of Hose aflin a stubborn fight of nearly an Hour in which nearly every member of Department got a wetting fire was put out

2 Line of Hose Laid 350 each
Owner of Building Mrs Jessie Pollock
Occupants " " " Silas Swain & H. Angevine
Loss on Building $400.00
Ins " " Paid $400.00

Loss on Contents $350.00.
Insurance " " None

Election

Annual ~~Meeting~~ Dec 5th 1904.

Chief Brown called meeting to order at- 7. P. M.

On motion of Glenn Smullen was elected Clerk

Chief appointed Quackenbush and Grice Tellers

Polls Closed at- 8. P. M with the following results

Whole no Votes Cast- for Chief 13
of which
F. A. Brown rec'd 10
A. Grice " 2
Wm Taylor 1 — 13

F. A. Brown having rec'd a Majority of all Votes Cast- is declared Elected Chief for the year 1905-

Whole no Votes Cast- for 1st asst-Chief 13 of which
Wm Glenn rec'd 9
Thos Grundy " 2
F. A. Brown 1
Wm Taylor 1 — 13

Wm Glenn having rec'd a Majority of all Votes Cast- is declared Elected 1st asst-Chief for the year 1905-

Whole no of Votes Cast for 2nd asst- Chief 13

of which ~~[redacted]~~

C. L. Pitcher	rec'd	7
Thos Grundy	"	2
Wm Glenn		2
Lee Jefferson		1
J B. Smullen		1 – 13

C. L. Pitcher having rec'd a majority of all votes cast – as declared elected 2nd asst Chief for the year 1905-

On motion of Quackenbush a vote of thanks was ~~was~~ given to M. Dawson for a Box of Hub Cigars presented to the Co

J B Smullen
Clerk of Election

Annual Co Meeting Dec 5th 04

Foreman Brink in chair

Present- Brink Glenn Grundy
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Pitcher Holt- Jepson Laura Grice
Taylor

Co proceeded to the election of
Co Officers for 1905-

Pitcher nomenated Brink for
Foreman and made motion that
Sec Cast- vote of Co for same

Whole No Votes Cast- 12 of which
E. A Brink rec'd 12 and was
declared elected

On Motion of Jepson Sec Cast-
the vote of Co for Geo Quacken
bush for asst- Foreman
Whole no Votes Cast- 12 of which
Quackenbush rec'd 12 and was
declared elected asst Foreman

On Motion of Grice Sec Cast- the
Vote of Co for J B Smullen for Sec
Whole no Votes Cast- 12 of which
J B Smullen rec'd 12 and was declar
ed elected Sec

On motion of Pitcher Sec Cast
Vote of Co for C. F Bennett for
Treas Whole no Votes Cast- 12
of which C. F. Bennett rec'd 12

and was declared Elected Treas

Co proceeded to the election of Foreman

Whole no Votes Cast 12 of Which

Wm Taylor recd 7
Lee Jepson " 2
A Grice 3 — 12

Taylor having recd a majority of all Votes Cast — was declared elected Foreman.

Bennett made a few remarks in regard to Co having a Social gathering of members of the Co and their Families every two weeks and By a vote of Co they accepted the invitation of Bennett to spend the evening of Dec 15th at his home Lunch to consist of Dough nuts and Coffee

Roll called meeting Adjnd.

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Dec 7th 04

Foreman Brink in chair

Present- Brink Glass Grundy
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
~~Calder~~ ~~Hoot~~ Jepson Grace Laura
Taylor. Absent excuse Hotchkiss

Minutes of Last meeting read
and approved

No Business being transacted Roll
was called and meeting adjd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

(157)
Dec 28
1904
6.10 P.M.
Bronson

The alarm at 6.10 P.M was a
Call for Help from Bronson
Steamer and Hose Cart was taken
to Depot and after Co had taken
a Side from a Coal Car which
took nearly an hour Steamer
and Hose Cart was loaded
and 6 men was Started for
Bronson when Orders was
rec'd not to come as fire
was under Control.

Secretary's Report for 1904

Total No alarms 15-
City 14
Outside " 1

Location of alarms

Jan 6th 2nd ward School House Hull St-
" 23rd Hawley's Drug Store 31 W. Chicago St-
Feb 2nd Andy Kerr's 185 W. Chicago St-
Mar 17th Thos Rhodes 140 Church St-
April 20th L. S and M. S. Round House So Clay St
May 20th J. H. Neals Cor W Pearl and Walnut Sts
June 17th Johnson's Cooper Shop W. Chicago St-
Sept. 17 W. D. Force Cor Jefferson & Wash-sts
Nov 3rd W. H Hoover's So Clay St-
" 15th Chas Fisher 122 N. Polk St-
" 22nd Geo Henkle 50 So Monroe St-
" 26th Mrs A. Dolph 154 So Hudson
" 26th Miss Jessie Pollock's 140 W Chicago St
Dec 28 Bronson Mich
May 23 L. S and M. S R R Round House S. Clay St

Cause of alarms

Defective Chimney 1 Furnace 1
Burning " 3 Stove Pipe 2
Heating Stove 1 Gasolene Stove 1
R. R. Engine-2 Gas Jet 1
Outside Help 1 unknown 2 - 15-

Alarms by Months

Jan 1 Feb 2 Mar 1 April 1
May 2 June 1 July 0 aug 0
Sept 1 Oct 0 Nov 5 Dec 1 -- 15

attendance at alarms

	attended	missed	By Substitute
Brink	15-	0	0
Glenn	12 -	3	1
Grundy	14	1	1
Mackenbach	13	2	0
Smullen	14	1	1
Bennett	15-	0	6
Pitcher	13	2	0
Hall-	12	3	0
Jefson	14	1	0
Grice	15-	0	0
Laura	14	1	0
Taylor	15-	0	0
	166	14	— 9

Membership

No members Jan 1st 1904 - 12
" " admitted during year - 0
" " Jan 1st 1905 — 12

No of Substitutes carried on roll during year 10

attendance of Substitutes at alarms

Ruthrauff	for	Glenn	1
Whitehead	"	Grundy	1
Hurley	"	Smullen	1
Thompson	"	Bennett	3
Akenhead	"	"	3 — 9

Total attendance at alarms 166
average 11 +

Total alarms turned in by Phone 15-

Alarms by Wards

1st	Ward	3
2nd	"	2
3rd	"	2
4th	"	7
5th	" (Bronson)	1
		15

No alarms between 6 a.m. and 6. P.M. 8

No alarms between 6 P.M and 6. a.m 7

Meetings

No Regular meetings 12
Total attendance 128 ave 10 2/3

No Special meeting 1
attendance 8

Members who have not missed a meeting 4 Grundy Taylor Jepson and Smallen

Finances

Total rec'd for Dues & Fines $9.80
" turned over to Treas $9.80

Losses by Fire

Total Loss on Buildings	$3,733.53
" Ins Paid "	2853.53
" Loss over Ins	880.00

Total Loss on Contents $2,115.09
" Ins Paid " " $1349.59
" Loss over Ins $765.50

Total Loss over Ins Paid on Buildings 880.00
" " " " " " Contents 765.50

Total Loss on Buildings and Contents over Insurance Paid $1,645.50

No Feet of Hose Laid during the year 4900 ft-

Respt-y Submitted
J B Smullen
Sec

Treasurer Report 1904

Receipts

Bal on hand Jan 1st 1904 $27.83
Rec'd of J B Smullen Sec 9.80
Total Receipts for 1904 $37.63

Disbursements

Sec Salary 1903- $5-00
Vanalen Bros Flowers $10.00
Total 15-00

Bal on hand Jan 1st 1905- $22.63

C. H. Bennett Treas

1905

Department Officers

Chief F. A. Brown
1st Asst- " Wm Glenn
2nd " " Chas L. Pitcher

Foreman E. A. Brink
Asst- " Geo Quackenbush
Secretary J. B. Smullen
Treasurer C. F. Bennett
Pipeman Wm F. Taylor

Members of Invincible Fire Co.

1 Thos Grundy
2 Frank Holt-
3 Chas L Pitcher
4 C. F. Bennett
5 Lee Jepson
6 Jno Laura
7 A. E. Grice
8 J B Smullen
9 Wm Glenn
10 Geo Quackenbush
11 E. A Brink
12 Wm F. Taylor

Asst- Pipemen Jepson Grundy and Laura

Reference Committe Grice Glenn and Grundy

Finance Committe
Taylor Quackenbush and Bennett

Substitutes

1 Lynn Collins
~~1 Fred Whitehead~~ 6 Stan Akenhead
~~2 Ed Jones~~
~~2 " Jepson~~ 7 Jacob Hurley
~~3 Geo Cole~~
~~Chas A. Lapey~~ 8 Sam Murray
~~4 Wm Williams~~ 9 Bert Pitcher
~~6 Asst- Chas~~
~~5 Homer Holt~~ 10 Frank Early

Regular Meeting Jan 4th 05

Foreman Brink in chair

Present- Brink Glenn Petcher
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy Holt- Jepson Grice
Laura. Taylor.

Minutes of last meeting read
and approved

Holt-Paid Fine 30¢ for meeting of Dec 7th 04
and was excused from alarm
of Nov 26-04 Petcher excused
from Nov 22/04 alarm
Foreman Brink appointed
Reparace and Finance Committe of last-year for 1905-

Taylor appointed Jepson Grundy
and Laura as asst- Firemen
Brink Glenn Petcher Quackenbush
Bennett Grundy Holt- Jepson Laura Taylor Paid Due to July 1st 05

Secretary read his report- for
1904 And on motion Petcher Same was
placed on file

Treasurer Bennett read
his report of Trus and Same
was placed on file

Roll Called meeting adjourned

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Feb 1st 05

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present Brink Glenn Pitcher
Lockenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy ~~Holt~~ Grice Jepson Laura Taylor,
Holt Excused by Foreman

Smullen and Grice Paid Dues to
July 1st/05

The Chief was instructed to ans
wer letter rec'd from the Pres
of Bronson in regard to the
Call for Help Dec 28th/04 Saying
there was no Bill of Co to
present to Bronson.

On motion of Pitcher the follow
ing Persons was elected Substitutes
for the year 1905

1 Fred Fergerson 6 Wm. Williams
2 Homer Holt 7 Jacob Hurley
3 Stan Akenhead 8 Fred Whitehead
4 Chas Covey 9 Bert Pitcher
5 Sam Murray 10 Frank Early

Roll Called Meeting Adj'd.

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #1 Feb 8th 2,30 a m

The Alarm at- 2,30 a M Feb 8th /05. was a Call for help from the Village of Burr Oak Steamer and Hose Cart- and Chief Brown Firemen Archer Grundy Bennett Laura Gipson & Bennett Price was Sent- in answare to Call Leaving Cold water at- 3,30 a M making the Trip of 18 miles in 23 minutes Steamer refused to work Satisfactory and Boys turned in and Helped out- the people of Burr Oak Fight the Fire with the Burr Oak Engine returning home about- 10. a M

J B Smallen

Sec

Regular Meeting Mar 1st 1905

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Pitcher Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grundy Hall- Jefferson Grice Laura and Taylor

Minutes of last- meeting read & approved ✓

Sec read letter from Thos Gibson President of the Village of Burr Oak. Thanking the Firemen for their aid at the Fire in Burr Oak Feb 8-05- and on motion of Pitcher the same was placed on file

Roll called meeting adjrd

J B Smullen
Sec

alarm #2 April 2nd. The Alarm at- 7.45- a m was by Fire being discovered in the 2nd story of the Farm Residence of Frank Treals situated on the South Side of west- Garfield ave Outside the South Limits of the City no Hydrant- being located in that Vicinity. Co could not- use any Hose. Hook and Ladder Truck and Chemical with firemen responded to Call

Alarm #2 but- Fire had gain such head way that- not- much assistance could be given The Fire resulted in Total distruction of the House and some of the Contents

J. B. Smullen Sec

May 7-05-

Alarm #3 By Messenger The Alarm at- 11.30 a m. was caused by an awning in front of Wm Jacketts Boarding House 50 Grand St Catching Fire resulting in Loss of awning and Small damage to House

Loss on awning $5.00
" " Bldg $5.00

J B Smullen Sec

Alarm # 4 May 13-05 By Phone The alarm at- 3.00 a m was caused by a Blaze being discovered in Boiler Room of the Stokes Novelty Works on 50 Clay St- Fire was confined to Boiler Room burning out the South end of same. Cause of Fire Spontaneous Combustion in Coal Bin

J B Smullen Sec

Alarm # 5- May 15-05- Phones The alarm at- 9.45- a m was caused by a Chicken Brooder on the premises of J M. Lind 386 Grand St- resulting in Total loss of Building and 125 Chicks Cause of Fire Overheated Lamp.

J B Smullen Sec

Special Meeting April 4-0

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Pitcher Quackenbush Smullen Grundy Grice Lewis

Excused Glenn and Jepson

Absent- Holt- Bennett Taylor

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

On motion of Quackenbush the this meeting was to take place of the Regular Meeting for April 3rd 03-

On motion of Pitcher Roll was called and meeting adjnd

J B Smullen

Sec

Alarm # 6 June 2-05- Phone

The alarm at- 10. A M was caused by a small Blaze from a leak in a Gasolen Stove at the Residence of Fred Brown # 24 So Hanchett St no damage done

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm # 7 June 13-05- Phone

The alarm at- 8.50 A.M. was caused by Fire being discovered in Roof of L. S and M. S Ry Round House situated on So Clay St- and Out- out- by Chemicals damage Slight

Alarm # 8 June 15-05- Phone

The alarm at- 7.40 A M was caused by a small Blaze Starting between the Ceiling and Roof of Engine Boiler Room. The fire was Extinguished by the use of Chemical and small hand pumps damage Nominal

Alarm # 9 June 18 Phone

The alarm at- 12.15 P.M. was Caused by Sparks from Chimney setting Fire to Roof of 2 Story House situated at- 109 Waterman Ave owned and occupied by Mrs Betsey Angivine damage
Ins Paid

J. B Smullen
Sec

Regular meeting May 3rd 1905

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Pilcher
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy Grice Jepson Laura Taylor

Holt- Excused

Bennett & Taylor excused from Fire
of April 4th meeting

Roll called
no further Business, meeting adj

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting June 7th 05.

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Pitcher
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy Jepson Laura Grace Taylor

Holl- Excused

Minutes of last Meeting Read and Approved.

Quackenbush absent of June 2nd Excused
Smullen " " May 13th "
Grundy " " May 15 "
Taylor " " " June 2nd "

On motion of Pitcher Albert Leaf was elected a Substitute

On motion of Glenn Chas Shay was elected a substitute.

Roll was called Meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting July 5th " 06-

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present. Brink Glenn Pitcher
Smullen Bennett Grundy
Holt- Jepson Laura Taylor
Absent Grice
Excused Quackenbush

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Jepson alarm June 15th Excused
Glenn " " 18th "
Taylor " " 18th "

On motion of Glenn Fred White head Fred E. Furgerson Chas Covey Wm Williams were droped as substitutes and on motion of Pitcher Lynn Collins Ed Jones and Geo Cole were elected substitute

On motion of Grundy the Sec was instructed to place a list of substitutes on engine House for benefit of the members of the Fire Co

Brink Glenn Pitcher Smullen Bennett Grundy Holt-Jepson Laura Taylor Paid dues to Jan 1st " 1906

Roll called meeting adj'd

J B Smullen

Sec

Alarm #10
Aug 25th
11.00 PM.

The alarm at 11.00 P.M was Caused by a Gasolene ~~Stove~~ in a Carnival stand Cor Chicago and Hanchett Sts catching fire by being filled. without puting out fire be fore filling Reservoir no damage

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #11
Sept 12-05
~~12.05 P.M~~ 11.58 a.m.

The alarm at ~~12.05~~ 11.58 a.m. ~~P.M.~~ was Caused by Sparks from Kitchen Chimney Setting fire to roof of upright of Residence of Clarence Chillcick #215 North Fremont St location of fire being outside of water work System it had to be put out by Chemicals.

Loss on Building $36.30 Loss on Contents 29.08
Insurance Pd " $36.30 Ins Pd " " 29.08

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #12
11.55 a.m
Sept ~~11~~ 28/05

Fire was discovered in Office of Drs Baldwin & Pattison situated in 2nd Story of #19 W Chicago St— Fire was confined to Office resulting in burning of Office desk of Dr Pattison and damage of Office by Smoke also Water done some damage to Schmidt's Bazar located on 1st Floor.

Loss of Dr Baldwin & Pattison

Loss of H.H. Schmidt—
Ins Paid " "

Regular Meeting Aug 25th 05
Foreman Brink in the Chair

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Quackenbush paid dues to Jan 1-06
Grice excused from alarm June 15th and meeting July 5th paid dues to Jan 1-06
no futher Business roll was called and Meeting adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Present; Brink Glenn Ritcher Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grundy Holt-Jebson Grice Laura Taylor

Regular Meeting Sept 6-05-
asst Foreman Quackenbush in Chair

Present- Quackenbush Glenn Ritcher Smullen ~~Bennett~~ Holt Grundy Jebson Laura Taylor
Absent Brink Grice
Bennett Excused

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

No Bisiness be transacted Roll was called and meeting adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #13 Oct-20th 3.10 P.M.

The alarm at- 3.10 P.M. was a Call for Help at- The Neal and Argevine Dairy Farm situated on North Much ave Outside City Limits Steamer and Hose Car- and Co responded to the Call but- Owing to limited supplly of water not- much service could be rendered

The Fire resulted in the Total Loss of Cow Barn Milk House Horse Barn and Sheds and Contents estimated Loss $11,000 Insurance on Building & Contents $5.8.00

Alarm #14 Nov 7th 1.30 a m

The Alarm at- 1.30 a m. was caused by Fire being discovered in the Basement- of Brinks Restaurant situated at- South East- Cor of West Chicago and South Hanchett St- Cause of Fire.

Loss on Building $5-00 00 Loss on Contents
Insurance Pd " $500 00 Ins Paid " "

Alarm #15 Nov 25-05 7.45 P.M.

The alarm at- 7.45- P.M. was a Call to the Store of Sargent- East- R R. St- caused by a Gasolene Tank catching fire from a lighted match by a boy drawing Oil, damage estimated at $5-00

Regular Meeting Oct 4 - 05 -

Foreman Brunk in the Chair

Present Brunk Glenn Butcher
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy Holt Gibson Grice
Laura Taylor

Minutes of last meeting
Read and approved

Grundy alarm Sept 23rd Excused
Grice Meeting Sept 6th alarm Sept 12th "
Taylor alarm of Sept 23rd "

Silent alarm Reported
Sept 12th Mrs B. Mannerse #
Waterman ave

Sept 24 Paynes Cigar Store
80 Hanchett St -

Brunks Restaurant cor
Chicago & Hanchett Sts

On motion of Glenn Chas Covey
was elected Sub.

On motion of Grice Frank
Brady was elected Sub

Roll called Meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Nov 1st 1905.

Asst Forman Quackenbush in the Chair

Present Quackenbush Glenn Pitcher Bennett Smullen Grundy Holt Jefson Laura Taylor

Absent Brink & Grice

minutes of last meeting read & approved

On motion of Pitcher a Committee of 3 was appointed to see Mayor in relation to Co electing a Chief at the annual Election of the Co Chair appointed Glenn Grundy and Pitcher as such Committe

Roll Called Meeting adjnd

J B Smullen

Annual Meeting of Fire Co.
Dec 4th 1905.

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Pitcher
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Gundy Holt- Jepson Laura Taylor,
Absent Grice

Minutes of last annual meeting read and approved

Co proceeded to the election of Co Officers for the year 1906

Jepson and Gundy appointed Tellers

On motion of Bennett Co proceeded to the Election of a Foreman

1st Ballot-

Whole no Votes cast- 11

Quackenbush Recd	3	
Gundy	1	
Bennett	1	
Holt-	1	
Smullen	1	
Brink	2	
Taylor	2	– 11

No Choice

2nd Ballot-

Whole no Votes cast- 11

Quackenbush	3	
Brink	4	
Taylor	2	
Gundy	1	
Laura	1	– 11

No Choice

3rd Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 11

Quackenbush	3
Brink	3
Grundy	2
Taylor	2
Laura	1 - 11

no Choice

4th Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 11

Brink	5
Quackenbush	3
Bennett	2
Taylor	1 - 11

no Choice

5th Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 11

Brink	6
Quackenbush	2
Taylor	1
Pelcher	1
Bennett	1 - 11

Brink having rec'd a majority of all the Votes Cast- was declared Elected Foreman.

He proceeded to the Election of a Asst- Foreman

1st Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 11

Quackenbush	6
Pelcher	3
Holt-	1
Grundy	1
Taylor	1 - 11

Quackenbush having rec'd a majority

of all the Votes Cast was declared elected asst Foreman

On motion of J Bennett J B Smullen was elected Sec

On motion of Glenn Bennett was elected Treas

On motion of Pitcher Taylor was elected Foreman

So Elected the following Fire Wardens

1st Ward E. A Brink
2nd " J B Smullen
3rd " Frank Holt-
4th " Wm Glenn

Roll Called Meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Annual Election of Fire Dept-
monday Eve Dec 4th 1905-

Chief Brown in the Chair

Jepson and Grundy appointed
Tellers

J B Smullen elected Clerk

The polls for the Election of
Department Officers were open
from 7 P.M to 8. P.M. and the follow
ing Firemen Voted

F. A. Brown Wm Glenn
C L. Pitcher Geo Quackenbush
J B Smullen. C F. Bennett
Thos M. Grundy Frank Holt- Lee
Jepson E. A Brink Jno Laura
Wm F. Taylor

Tellers announced the following
Results

Whole no Votes cast for Chief 12
of which F. A. Brown Recd 7
J B Smullen " 2
E. A. Brink 2
T. M. Grundy 1 - 12

Whole no Votes cast for 1st Asst Chief 12
of which Wm Glenn Recd 9
J B Smullen " 2
Thos M Grundy 1 - 12

Wm Glenn having recd a majority

of all the Votes Cast for 1st Asst Chief was declared elected 1st asst Chief

Whole no Votes Cast for 2nd Asst Chief 12
of which L. L. Pitcher Recd 5
Lee Jepson " 3
Geo Quackenbush 1
Wm F. Taylor 1
Thos M. Grundy 1
F. A. Brownt 1 — 12
no Choice

2nd Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
of which Lee Jepson Recd 5
L. L. Pitcher " 4
Wm F. Taylor " 2
Geo Quackenbush 1 — 12.
no Choice

3rd Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast- 12
of which Lee Jepson Recd 6
L L. Pitcher " 3
E. A Brink 2
Geo Quackenbush 1 — 12
no Choice

4th " Ballot-
Whole no Votes Cast 12
of which Lee Jepson Recd — 7
F. Holt " 1
C F. Bennett " 1
E A Brink 1
T. M. Grundy 2 — 12

Lee Jepson having rec'd a majority of all the Votes Cast for 2nd Asst Chief was declard elected 2nd " "

On motion of Pitcher The following Petition was drawn up and presented to the Mayor and Common Council

We the entire membership of The Coldwater Invincible Fire Co do petition your Honorable Body to approve the action taken to-night by our Company in the appointment of Mr F. A. Brown as Chief Engineer

Signed

E. A Brink
Frank Hall-
Lee H. Jepson
Wm Glenn
Wm F. Taylor
John Laura
C. F. Bennett
C. L. Pitcher
Thos M Grundy
Jas B. Smullen
A. W. Grieer and Geo Quackenbush

On motion of Pitcher a committee of 3 appointed by the Chair was ordered to make arangements for a Banquet for the members of the Department and their wives Chair appointed Pitcher Bennett and Glenn Committee

No further Business meeting Adjd

J B Smullen
Clerk of Election

Regular Monthly Meeting Dec 6th 1905

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Pitcher
Brackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy ~~Holt~~ Jefson Grice Laura
Taylor

Absent- Holt-

Minutes of last meeting read and approved

Brink was excused from meeting
Nov 1st-05-

Jefson and Laura excused from alarm
of Nov. 4-05-

Pitcher as Chairman of Banquet-
Committe appointed at the Annual
meeting Dec-4-05- Reported that Mr
Quinnan of S. M. Hotel would furnish
Banquet at 50¢ per plate report was
accepted and Committe was instructed
to make arrangements with So Mich
Hotel for Banquet-

On motion of Glenn Banquet was to
the active members of the Fire Dept
and their wives

Foreman Taylor appointed Laura
Pitcher and Grundy asst- Foremen
for 1906

Glenn nominated Chas Covey Substitute
Laura " Lynn Collins Hayes "
Taylor " Stan Akenhead "
Jefson " F. A Early "
Grice " Frank Brady "
Grundy Ed Jones
Glenn Jacob Hurley and Homer Holt
for 1906

On motion of Laura the above named Substitutes Were elected for 1906 and Sec was instuted to notify them of the same and allso to inform them that only when acting for a active member of the Fire Co are they alowed to ride on Hose wagon or Ladder Truck

On motion of Pitcher ~~Dec-14-05~~ Thursday Eve - Dec-14-05 at 8 P.M. was Chosen for the Banquet

Roll was called and Meeting adjd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Committee

Glenn appointed Quackenbush Jefson & Laura Reference Committee - 1906

Grice Glenn & Grundy Finance Committee - 1906

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Alarm #16 Dec 23 6. P.M.

Alarm at- 6 P.M. Dec 23rd was caused by Fire being discovered in a Clothes Closet- at the Residence of G. W. Worden 99 East- Washington St but- was put- out- before arrival of Co Damages to Clothing

1906

Department Officers

Chief F. A. Brown
1st Asst " Wm Glenn
2nd " " Lee H. Jepson

Foreman E. A. Brink
Asst " Geo Quackenbush
Secretary Jas B. Smullen
Treas C. F. Bennett
Fireman Wm F. Taylor
Reference Com. Quackenbush Jepson Laura
Finance Com. Grice Glenn Grundy

Members of The Invincible Fire Co

E. A. Brink
Wm Glenn
Lee H. Jepson
Geo Quackenbush
Jas B. Smullen
C. F. Bennett
Thos M. Grundy
Frank Holt
Chas L. Fetcher
John Laura
A. E. Grice
Wm F. Taylor

Substitutes

1 Elias Covey
2 Lynn Collins
3 Stan Akenhead
4 F. A. Earley
5 Frank Brady
6 Ed. Jones
7 Jacob Hensley
8 Homer Holt

Secretary's Report for 1905

Total No alarms 16
City " 13
Outside " 3

Location of Alarms

Feb 8th " Burr Oak Mich
April 2nd Frank Treats Farm Res. W Garfield ave
May 7th Wm Jucketts #18 So Monroe St
" 13th Stokes Novelety Works So Clay St
" 15th J W. Linds #386. Grand St
June 2nd Fred Browns #17 So Hanchett St
" 13th L.S. and M.S. R.y Round House So Clay
" 15th Champion Brass Co So Division St
" 18th Mrs B. Angevine #109 Waterman ave
Aug 25th Robinson Carnival Co W Chicago St
Sept 12th Clarence Philbrick #215 N. Fremont St
" 23rd Drs Baldwin & Patterson Office #19 Chicago St
Oct 20th Neal & Angevine Farm N. Mich ave
Nov 4th Brink's Eureka Restaurant #57 W. Chicago St
" 25th D. Sargent E. Rail Road St
Dec 23rd G.W. Worden's 99 E. Washington St

Causes of Alarms

Outside Helps 3 Chimneys 3

Spark from R.R. Engine 1 Gasolene Stove 1

Gasolene 2 awning 1 Lamp 1

Spontaneous Combustion 1 Unknown 3 - 16

alarms by Months
Jan 0 Feb 1 Mar 0 April 1
May 3 June 4 July 0 Aug 1
Sept 2 Oct 1 Nov 2 Dec 1 - 16

Attendance at Alarms

	attended	missed	By Sub
Brink	16	0	0
Glenn	14	2	0
Pitcher	16	0	0
Quackenbush	15	1	0
Smullen	15	1	0
Bennett	16	0	7
Grundy	14	2	0
Holt	15	1	2
Jepson	14	2	0
Laura	15	1	0
Grice	14	2	1
Taylor	12	4	0

Membership
No Members Jan 1-05 12
admitted during year 0

Substitutes
No of Substitutes on Roll 11
" " " Drop from " 5
" " " Dec 31st-05 6

Attendence of Sub's at alarms
Akenhead for Bennett 7
Easley " Holt 3
Leaf " Grice 1

1905

Losses By Fire

Loss on Buildings	$804.60
Ins Pd " "	$794 60
Loss over Ins Paid	$10.00
Loss on Contents	$533.19
Ins Pd " "	330.93
Loss over Ins Paid	$202.26

Tot- Loss on Buildings & Contents $212.26

Receipts

Recd for Dues 3.00 and Fines 3.30 $6.30

Paid Treas $6.30

No Feet of Hose Laid 1905 — 32304

Miscellaneous

Alarms by Wards

1st- Ward		5-
2nd	"	1
3rd	"	3
4th	"	4 — 13
5th	" (Outside city)	3 — 16

Alarms between 6. A M & 6 P.M. 11

" " 6 P.M. & 6. A M 5-

Months no Alarms were given 3

Jan Mar & July

Alarms turned in by Phone 15-

" " " " messenger 1 — 16

No of Alarms where all member present 7
" " " " 11 " " " 4
" " " " 10 " " " 4
" " " " 9 " " 1
16

No Meetings held during year 13
Regular monthly 12
Annual 1 - 13
Total attendance 131 ave 10+

J B Smullen
Sec

Treasurer's Report - 1905 -

Receipts

Bal on hand Jan 1st 1905: $22.63
Rec'd for Dues and Fines " $6.30
$28.93

Disbursements

Paid Sec Salary for 1904 $5.00
" B. M. Hotel for Banquet $15.50
$20.50

Bal on hand Jan 1st 1906 - $8.43

G F Bennett
Treas

Regular Meeting Jan 3rd 1906

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Jefson Quackenbush
Smullen Bennett Grundy Holt- Pitcher
Laura Grice Taylor

-Minutes of last- meeting read and approved

Holt-Paid fine for Dec 6-05- meeting
" Excused from alarm Nov 4-05

Pitcher as Chairman of Banquet
reported that Banquet was held Dec
14-05 and all Bills paid

The Bill of So Much Hotel for $15.00
for Banquet was allowed

Secretary and Treas made reports for
1905- and were accepted and placed
on file

On motion of Pitcher The Co voted
to have Co picture taken and
Bennett was instructed to see about
same being taken Sunday P.M. at- 2 P.M
Jan 14-06

Roll Called -meeting
Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #1
Tuesday Jan 9th 06
3.35 P.M.
Telephone

The alarm at 3.35 P.M. was caused by Gasolene setting fire to the Black Smith + Wagon Shop of Jno F. Laura & Co Situated at #60 South Monroe St- Fire was put out by Chemicals
Loss on Contents $49.45 Loss on Building
Ins. Pd " " 49.45 Ins Pd " "

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #2
Wednesday Jan 10-06
7.30 a m
Telephone

400 ft Hose Laid

The alarm at 7.30 a m was caused by fire being discovered in the Basement of the "Reporter" Building Situated at # 9-11 So Hanchett St- Fire was confined to Basement and openings in floor on 1st Floor
Cause of Fire supposed to be from Gasolene in Basement used to run Gasolene Engines
Put out by 1 Line 350 ft Hose from Hydrant and chemical.

Loss on Building $63.00 Loss on Contents $135.00
Ins Pd " " $63.00 Ins Pd " " $135.00

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #3
Wednesday Jan 24-06
8.20 P.M.
Telephones

400 ft Hose Laid

The alarm at 8.20 P.M. was caused by Fire being discovered in the Hay loft of Barn owned by Ed Pomeranka #22 Race St resulting in the burning of Part of Roof + north end of Hay Loft-
Put out by 1 Line 350 ft Hose from Hydrant
Loss on Building $100.00 Loss on Contents $8.50
Ins Pd " " $100.00 Ins Pd " " $8.50

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Feb 7th 1906

Asst- Foreman Quackenbush in the Chair

Present- Quackenbush Sinullen Jefson
Bennett Grundy Holt- Laura Glenn
Taylor

Absent- Brink ~~Reid~~ Grice
Ritcher excused

minutes of last meeting read and approved

on motion of Taylor Glenn was excused
from alarm of Jan 9th 06

on motion of Glenn. all members
are to be marked present- when a
call for Help outside of City is asked
for.

Foreman Grundy invited the members
of the Fire Dept and there wives to spend
the evening of Thur 20-06 at his
home to Celebrate the 20th annivers
ary of his membership in the Fire
Dept-

The following communication was
read by the Sec and was Ordered
placed on file

Coldwater Mich Feb. 7th 1906

To the members of the Coldwater
Invincible Fire Co.

Gentlemen

After the reading

of your annual Report at the regular meeting of the Common Council Jan 18-86 by Unanious request I was instructed to convey to you the thanks of the Council for your most excellent work during the past year. The record shown by your report is one to be proud of, and surely the citizens of this City appreciate your promptness, attention to duty and readiness to do and dare whenever called upon in the performance of your duty. Feeling assured that you will ~~again~~ acquit yourselves as honorably and as satisfactorily the coming year as in the past I remain.

Yours Very Truly
W. H. King
City Clerk

No Futher Buisness Roll was called and meeting adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #4 Feb. 9-06 5.25 P.M. Telephone

The alarm at 5.25 P.M. was caused by Gasolene spurting a leak in a Gasolene Generator in T. A Heltons Clothing and Shoe Store #20 & 22 West Chicago St Put out by Chemical

Loss on Building Loss on Contents
Ins Pd " " Ins Pd " "

Alarm #5 Feb. 11-06 9.10 a.m. Telephone

The alarm at 9.10 a.m. was caused by Fire being discovered in 2nd Story of House owned by Mrs Chas Messicks #49 Race St- Fire was confined to 2nd Story and attic, resulting in burning of Roof and part of 2nd Story and Contents House was occupied by Mrs Messick Mrs Sillie Harkham and Mrs Harper 2 Lens of Hose Laid 750 ft

Loss on Building $503.57 Loss on Contents $400.00
Ins Pd " " $503.57 Ins Pd " Contents $200.00
Cause of Fire Defective chimney

Alarm #6 Feb. 11-06 2.05 P.M. Telephone

The alarm at 2.05 P.M. was caused by a Barn being on Fire at 213 Perkins St- resulting in loss of three (3) Horses by Burning and nearly a Total loss of Barn and Contents owner of Barn Ed Clark occupied by Jessie Waldron. 2 Lens of Hose Laid 450 ft

Loss on Building $250.00 Loss on Contents 300.00
Ins Pd " " $100.00 Ins Pd on " none
Cause of Fire unknown

Alarm #7 Mar. 5-06 8.10 P.M by Telephone

The alarm at- 8.10 P.M. was caused by Sparks from Smoke Stack of The Loomis Ladder Factory on cutter Ave setting fire to Roof of same -no Damage.

Alarm #8 Mar 13-06 11.45 P.M. by Nightwatch

The alarm at- 11.45 P.M. was caused by smoke being discoverd by Nightwatchman French issuing from the Basement of 2 story Brick Store located at- #15 North Monroe St. Occupied by F. G. Crandall as a Job Printing Establishment. Fire was confined to Basement and burned part of Floor on 1st Floor. owner of Building Jno T. Starr

Loss on Building $290.00
Ins Pd " " 290 00

Loss on Contents		Ins Pd on Contents	
J T. Starr	25.00	J T. Starr	25.00
Western Printing Co	864.14	Western Pr-Co	864.14

Alarm #9 Mar 15-06 8.30 a.m. by Telephone

The alarm at- 8.30 a.m. was caused by defective Chimney setting fire to roof of House located at- #184 Jackson St- but- was out on arrival of Dept-

Loss on Building Ins Pd on Building

Alarm #10 Mar 16-06 11.00 P.M by Telephone

The alarm at- 11.00 P.M was caused by fire being discovered in Jno F. Laura's Blacksmith and Wagon Shop #60 so Monroe St- Fire was out on arrival of Dep.

Loss on Building none Loss on Contents none
Ins Pd " " " Ins Pd " " "

Regular Meeting Mar 7th 06

Asst-Foreman Quackenbush in the Chair

Present- Quackenbush Glenn Jepson
Smullen Bennett Grundy Pitcher
Laura and Taylor

Absent- Brink Holt- Green

Minutes of Last- Meeting read and
approved

The fine of Pitcher for Jan 9th alarm
was excused

After a few remarks by Chief
Brown about the Lansing
Fire Dept- Roll was Called and
Meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #11
Mar 27-06
7.20 P.M.
by
Telephone

The Alarm at 7.20 P.M. was caused
by an Oil stove getting a fire in
Cellar of the Saloon of Chas Cahill
situated at the cor of W. Chicago and
N. Clay Sts Damage Slight-
Loss on contents 8.00 Ins Paid
on contents $8.00

Regular Meeting April 4th - 06

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Jepson Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grundy Holt- Pitcher Laura Grice Taylor

Minutes of Last Meeting Read and Approved.

The Fines of Jepson Brink Quackenbush Smullen Grundy ~~Holt~~ for non attendace at Alarms and meetings were excused

Holt was excused for non attendace of alarms and Paid Fines for 1st Roll Call of Feb 7th 15c and meeting of Mar 7th 30c Total 45c

On motion of Glenn the Chair appointed three (3) of the Firemen to confer with mayor elect Kliendenst in regard to the appointment of a Chief Chair appointed Glenn Pitcher and Quackenbush.

No further Business Roll was called and meeting adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Omitted

A Vote of thanks of the Dept was extended to F.G. Crandall. Jno Starr and Chas Cahill for Cigars donated to the Dept.

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Alarm #12 Friday April 6-06 12.40 P.M.

The alarm at 12.40 P.M. was caused by a Brush Pile at # 86 N Fremont St. setting fire to grass and Spreading towards Barn. put out on arrival of Dept. no Damages

Alarm #13 Tuesday April 24-06 4.00 P.M.

The alarm at 4.00 P.M. was caused by Boyes setting fire to Barn on property owned by E. E Killinger #151 Henry St. resulted in total loss of Barn. (1 Line of Hose laid from Hydrant- 600 ft.)

Loss on Barn Insurance Pd

Special Meeting April 24-06

Foreman Brink in the chair

Present- Chief Brown. Foremen Brink Glenn Gipson Quackenbush Smullen Bennett Grundy Holt- Pitcher Laura Grice Taylor

Chair called on committe appointed to confer with Mayor Klundert- for a report- committe reported that- the mayor would appoint- whom the Co would choose for Chief Engineer

Pitcher moved that- the Co proceed to a Ballot- for Chief and the one receiving a majority of the Votes cast- be declared the unanimous choice of the Co. motion carried

1st Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 13

of which	Smullen	rec'd 6
	Pitcher	" 3
	Grice	1
	Holt-	1
	Quackenbush	1
	Brown	1 — 13

2nd Ballot-

Whole no Votes Cast- 13

Smullen	rec'd	9
Grice	"	1
Glenn		1
Pitcher		2 — 13

Smullen having rec'd a majority of all the Votes Cast- was declared ~~the~~ the choice for Chief. ~~Chief.~~ A/ and on motion of Pitcher the Vote was declared unanimous

Grice moved that a petition to the Mayor and Common Council recommending Jas B Smullen as Chief be drawn up and signed by the members present- motion Carried

The following petition was drawn up and Signed.
To the Mayor & Common Council
We the entire membership of The Coldwater Invincible Fire- Company do petition your Honorable Body to approve the action taken to-night- by our Company in the appointment of Jas B. Smullen as Chief- Engineer.

F. A Brown
E. A Brink
Wm Glenn
Lee Jefferson
Geo Quackenbush
C. H. Bennett
Thos Grundy
Frank Holl-
C. L. Pitcher
Jno Laura
A E. Grice
W. H. Taylor

Roll was called meeting adj'nd

Regular Monthly Meeting May 2-06

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Glenn Jepson
Quackenbush Smullen Bennett
Grundy Holt- Butcher Laura
Grace and Taylor

Minutes of last- monthly and
Special meeting read and approved

Jepson Excused from alarm of
April 7-06

Grace excused from non attend
ance of meeting Feb 7th and May 7th
and alarms of Jan 10th Feb 9th Feb
11th and April 6th

Smullen resigned as Sec
and on motion of Bennett
resignation was accepted

On motion of Bennett F. A Brown
was elected Sec to fill Vacancy
by Resignation of Sec Smullen

a order was drawn on Treas
in favor of J B Smullen for $1.66
for Sec Salary for Jan Feb Mar
and April

No further Business Roll was
Called and meeting adjrd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Alarm #14 May 6-06 9.50 P.M.

The alarm at 9.50 P.M. was caused by fire being discovered in the Residence owned by A J Klinger and occupied by Miss Bertha Gilbert and Sister and J H. Hagerman and Family Fire originated from the Furnace The chemical Extinguishers was used to such good effect that fire was under control before much damage was done fire being confined to a portion near radiator

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm No 15. June 1st 06.

At 4 oc P M an Alarm was sent in. The cause for which was a small blaze in the roof of Chief J. B. Smullens residence No 193 Morse St.
The fire was caused by sparks from the Chimney and was out when the Dep't. arrived.
Damage $1.00 Ins Paid $1.00

F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater M. June 6. 1906.
Regular meeting of C. F. D.
Foreman Brink Presiding.
Minutes of last meeting and Fires during the month read and Approved
The following members were present.
Brink. Holt. Bennett. Quackenbush. Laura. Pitcher. Grice. Taylor Jepson. Grundy.
Absent. Brown & Glen
The fines of Jepson & Holt for absence from A. J. Klingers fire. were on motion excused.
There being no further bussiness the roll was called and meeting adjourned

C. L. Pitcher Sec'y
Pro tem

Alarm No 16. June 10.

At 6 oc this morning an alarm came by telephone, that A. Stetler needed the assistance of the Fire Dep't. the alarm was sounded but before the Team could be hitched up a second message said we need not come. the cause was an over heated oil stove.
Damage slight.
Members present. Chief Smullen. Grice & Brown.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #17 June 15.

At 8 PM this eve. an alarm called the Dep't. to the Brass Foundry. Quick time was made. but upon arival at the fire it was found unnecessary to use either water or chemicals. Cause. A hot iron in a Barrel of Charcoal. Damage Slight. All members were present except Grundy & Laura.

F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater July 4. 06.
Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Forman Brink presiding.
Roll was called and the following
members were absent.
Bennett. Taylor. Grice. Laura & Brown
Bennett & Taylor were excused by the
Foreman.
There being no bussniess before the meeting
the roll was called and meeting adjourned
C. L. Pitcher Sec. pro-tem.

Alarm
#18
July 10-06

at- 7.45- P.M. an alarm by Telephone
Called the Dept- to Ball Bros Planing
Mill N.E. Cor Chicago & Clay Sts
Fire was confined to 3rd Story & Roof
and by effecent. work of Dept- was
soon under control.
Damage estimated @ 1250.00
no Insurances

J B Smullen
Sec Pro Tem

Alarm
#19
Aug 26-06

at- 4.00 P.M. an alarm by Telep-
hone Called the Dept- to #149 So
Division St- where a Barn owned
by Mrs Arlene Chandler had
been struck by lightning setting
fire to Goods of Mrs A Brayton
Stored in Barn. damage Slight-

J B Smullen
Sec Pro Tem

Special meeting of Coldwater Fire Co called by order of Chief Smullen July 11-06

Present-- Brunk Jepson Bracken bush Grundy Holt- Ritchen Laura Grice Taylor
Absent- Glenn Brown Bennett

Foreman Brunk in the chair Chief Smullen stated the object of the meeting was that- Ball Bro's had presented to the Dept- Fifty Dollars as a token of appreciation for Services of Dept- rendered at the Fire of their Mill July 10-06

On motion of Ritchen each member of the Dept was paid three dollars and Bal of $5.00 turned over to Treasurer and a Vote of thanks be given Ball Bro's for the same- no further Business Roll was Called and meeting adjourned

J B Smullen
Sec Pro Tem

Regular Meeting Aug 1st 1906

Foreman Brink in the Chair

Present- Brink Jepson Quackenbush Grundy Pitcher Laura Grice and Taylor

Absent- Glenn Brown Bennett and Holl-

minutes of last meeting read and approved.

on motion of Pitcher the alarm of A A Stetler June 10th was ordered stricken out- from records of alarms

The following members paid dues for July 1st- to Jun 1st-07

Brink Jepson ~~Grundy~~ Pitcher Quackenbush Laura Grice Taylor $2.00

Dues 2.00

Laura & Grice paid Fines for meeting of July 4th 06 .60

Fines .60

Grundy and Laura Excused from alarm of June 15th 06

No Futher Business Roll was called and meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Sec Pro Tem

Alarm No. 20 Sept. 1. 06

At 8-30 A.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dep't. to No 222 S. Div. St. The residence of Patrick Leavy. The cause was supposed to Be Spontaneous Combustion in a Barrel of clothing in the wood-house. and was out when the Dept. arrived
Loss about $5.00

F. A. Brown Sec.

Reg. meeting Sept 6. 06.
Forman Brink presiding
Members present. Brink. Jupson. Quackenbush Brown. Bennett. Grundy. Laura. Grice
Absent:— Glen. Holt. Picher & Taylor.
Holt & Pitcher were excused.
The following communication was received and on motion of Fireman Bennett was spread upon the records.

Coldwater Sept 6. 1906.
To the Officers and Members of the Coldwater Fire Dep't. Dear Friends:— We wish to express to you our sincere thanks, for the beautiful flowers sent by you on the occasion of the death of our Beloved husband & Father.
Signed Mrs Catherine L. Holt
Frank W. Holt
Mrs Frank W. Holt.

The fines of Brown & Holt were excused for the reg. meeting Aug. 1st & the fines of Brown & Laura for absence from Chandler barn fire were excused.

There being no further bussiness the Roll was called and meeting adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm No 21. Sept 13.06

At 5-25 P.M. a Telephone alarm called the Dept. to the S.E. Cor of S. Jefferson & Hooker Sts.
The cause was a Gasoline Stove.
All out when Dept arrived.
Damage very Slight.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting Oct. 3. 1906
Forman Brick presiding
Minutes of the last Regular meeting and the Fire Alarms for September read and approved.
The Bill of Vanaken Bros. $2.50 for 1 Wreath of flowers was presented, and allowed, and an order drawn for the same.
Fireman Bennett Paid dues to Jan 1.07
Dues & Fines .25¢ " " also paid 30¢ fine for absence from Reg. meeting Aug 1.06.
Fireman Taylor Paid 30 fine for absence from reg. meet. Sept 6.06 .85¢

There being no further Bussiness Roll was called & meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm No 22 Oct 20. 06.

At 11-45 a.m. a Telephone alarm called the Dept to the N.E. Cor. of Chicago & Jefferson Sts. at the residence of Art. Walker. The fire was confined to the basement. and was extinguished with Chemicals & a garden hose.
Cause. A defective chimney
Damage slight

F. A. Brown Secy.

Alarm No 23 Nov 5. 06.

At 1-20 P.M. A Telephone alarm called the Dept. to No 155 So Jefferson St. The residence of Mrs. Danl. Gibson. A spark from the chimney had started a blaze in the roof which had burned through into the attic. One chemical and a little water put it out in a few minutes. Damage about $15.00

F. A. Brown Secy.

Regular meeting Nov. 7. 06.
Foreman Brink presiding.
Minutes of the last meeting, and fires for Oct. read and approved.
On motion of Fireman Pitcher the fine of Fireman Grice for absence from Regular meeting Oct 3rd was excused.
The subject of holding a series of parties the coming winter was brought up and discussed. but no action taken.
There being no further business, the roll was called and meeting adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm No 24 Nov 12. 06

Alarm at 4. P.M.
Residence No 161 East R R^d St occupied by Chas. Blake.
Cause:- Chimney burning out
Damage nothing.
F. A. Brown Sec

False Alarm No 25 Nov. 15. 06.

Nov. 15. At 8-30 A.M. a telephone alarm from the Cutler Factory announced that the Brass Foundry was on fire. The Dept. made a very quick response but found that a mistake had been made in telephoning. the alarm was caused by smoke from a traction engine at work in the old Tibbitts Stove Foundry. A genuine False alarm.
F. A. Brown Secy.

False Alarm No 26. Nov. 29. 06

Old Dove & Fred's last run

Nov 29th at 6 PM a Telephone Alarm stated that Hellenburgs Turning Factory on S. Jefferson St was on fire. The Dept made a quick hitch up and start. but just as they were leaving the house, a second message said they need not come, as it was a mistake
The cause of the alarm was, escaping steam from the boiler.
F. A. Brown Sec'y.

Anual Election of Dep't. Officers

Dec. 3rd 1906

At the Anual Election of Officers of the Coldwater Fire Dep't. Chief Smullen presided.

F. A. Brown, was on motion, chosen as Clerk. He on motion of Brink the chair appointed W. F. Taylor & G. A. Quackenbush as tellers. Upon opening the ballots the vote stood as follows.

For 1st Asst. Chief.

Whole no votes cast 11 of which

Wm. Glen reed 9

C. L. Pitcher " 1

C. F. Bennett " 1 11

Wm Glen having received a majority of all the votes cast was declared elected 1st Ass't. Chief for the ensuing year.

For 2nd Asst. Chief

Whole no votes cast 11 of which

Lee A Jupson reed. 8

Wm F Taylor " 1

G. A. Quackenbush " 1

Wm Glen " 1 11

There being no further business meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Dec. 3rd 1906

Anual Election of Company Officers

At the anual Election of Company Officers. held this eve. Foreman Brink presided. Upon motion of Grundy the Chair appointed Grundy & Quackenbush as tellers.

There being but one candidate for each Office. The Tellers were upon motion, instructed to cast the ballotts. which resulted as follows

For Foreman	C. A. Brink
" asst. "	G. A. Quackenbush
" Sec	F. A. Brown
" Treas	C. F. Bennett
" Pipeman	Wm F. Taylor.

Fireman Pitcher moved that a Com. of 3 be appointed, with full power to arrange for a Banquet. The motion prevailed and the Chair appointed. Brown Glen and Bennett as such committee.

Fireman Grundy moved that the wives of the Firemen be included in the Banquet. Motion Lost.

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting

Dec. 5. 1906 Regular meeting Foreman Brink presiding. Minutes of last Regular meeting and of the Fires & alarms for November read & approved.

The fines of Quackenbush & Grundy for absence from roll call. Alarm Nov. 29th were on motion of Bennett excused. Firemen Glen & Brown Holt paid dues to Jan 1. 07

Dues .50 & .25 / .75

There being no further Business the roll was called & meeting adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #27 Dec 27 Still Alarm.

At 11-30 a.m. a still alarm by Telephone. from the Residence of Alderman F. B. Rowley. Cor Monroe & Peckham Sts. saying that he wanted a little assistance. consequently W. B. Hutchins took one Chemical and went down there. the cause of the alarm was an overheated boiler with no water in it. One chemical relieved the situation. with but very slight damage

F. A. Brown Secy.

1907

Regular meeting Jan 2. 1907
Foreman Brink presiding.
Minutes of last regular, and of alarms for the month of Dec. read & approved.
The fine of F.W. Holt. alarm Nov 29. was excused on motion of Fireman Glen.
Pipeman Taylor appointed J.F. Laura C.L. Pitcher & T.M. Grundy as assistant pipemen.

Secretarys Annual Report

The Secretary read his annual report which was as follows.
No of Alarms during 1906 was 27
Alarms by months. Jan 3. Feb 3. Mar. 5. Apr 2. May 1. June 3. July 1. Aug 1. Sept 2. Oct 1. Nov. 4. Dec. 1. Total 27

Alarms by Wards. 1st ward 11. 2nd ward 5. 3rd ward 5. 4th ward 6. = 27

Alarms between 6 a.m. & 6 P.M. 18
" " 6 P.M. & 6. a.m. 9 = 27

Alarms by Telephone 26. Nightwatch 1 = 27

Average No of Men (Regular & Subs) present at alarms was 11 1/2.

Causes of Alarms.

Gasoline Engines 2. Gasoline Stoves 1. Gasoline lights 1. Oil stoves 2. Defective & burning out chimneys 5. Lightning 1. Spon. Com. 2. Sparks from Chimneys 4. Defective Wall pipe 1. Boys & Matches 1. Grass fire 1. Overheated boiler 1 Unknown 3. False alarms 2. = 27

No ft hose laid 5150

No of fires put out entirely with Chemicals 8

Losses & Insurance.

				Total
Losses on Buildings	$1585.82	On Contents	1795.09 =	$3380.91
Ins. Paid " "	1307.52	" "	1290.09 =	2597.61
Loss over Insurance	278.30	" "	505.00 =	783.30

Financial Statement.

Amt. on hand as per Treas Report Jan 1. 1906.	$8.43
Received for Dues for 1906	6.00
Received " Fines " 1906	1.95
Received from Ball Bros.	5.00
Total Receipts	21.38
Disbursments. Orders on Treasures	
May 2. 1906. J. B. Smullen Secy. Salary	1.65
Oct 3. 1906 Vanaken Bros. Flowers	2.50
Total Disbursments	4.15
Ballance on Hand Jan 1. 1907	$17.23

Respectfully submitted
F. A. Brown Secy.

Moved by Fireman Pitcher that the report be accepted & spread upon the records. and that a copy be presented to the Common Council.
Motion prevailed.

The Treasurer makes the following report.

On Hand Jan. 1. 1906	$8.43
Receits During 1906	12.95
Total	21.38
Total Disbursments 1906	4.15
Ballance on Hand Jan 1. 1907.	$17.23

Respectfully submitted
C. F. Bennett Treas.

Moved by Fireman Pitcher that the report of the Treas. be accepted and spread upon the records.
Motion prevailed.

over

Dues $2.50

The following members paid dues to July 1. 1907. Brink .25- Glen .25- Holt .25- Quackenbush .25- Brown .25- Bennett .25- Pitcher .25- Laura .25- Grice .25- Taylor 25 = $2.50

Sub's. ~~Corey~~ Akenhead Early Brady Hurley Homer Holt Jos. Hayes Fish ~~Collins~~ Rosier Graves Clyde Thompson Geo. Cole

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the same Sub's. be reelected for another year with the exception of Lynn Collins & E. F. Jones who had left the City. Fireman Glen presented the name of Jos. Hayes in place of Collins Vote being taken he was declared elected.

The Banquet-Com. reported that they had fulfilled the duty for which they were appointed, and that a banquet was now awaiting their pleasure at Mrs. Brinks.

Moved by Bennett that an invitation be extended to City Clerk King to attend our Banquet. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Glen. that orders be drawn on Treasurer as follows.

Orders drawn $8.85-

M. Dawson.	1 Box Cigars	$1.75-
Mrs E. A. Brink	Banquet	3.75-
	Moved by Pitcher that an order be drawn for Sec'ys Salary	3.35-

Both motions prevailed

There being no further business the roll was called & meeting adjourned. after which all repaired to the "Batchelor Quarters" kept by Mrs Brink and enjoyed the Splendid Banquet which she had prepared. After the banquet the nerves of the members were given a severe trial with cigars & Speeches, but all stood the test. Chief Smullen acting as Toast master. with credit to himself and Honor to the Dep't.

F. A. Brown Sec'y.

Regular Meeting Feb 6. 1907

Forman Brink presiding

Roll was called and all members were present except Bennett Taylor & Grice Bennett was excused by the Forman

Minutes of the last regular meeting read & approved.

Dues 50¢

Grundy & Jepson paid dues to July 1. 07.

The following communication was received and read. & on motion of Fireman Glen was ordered spread upon the records.

City Clerks Office. Coldwater, Mich.

Feb. 6. 1907

Invincible Fire Co. of the City of Coldwater.

Gentlemen:— After the annual report of your Co. for 1906 had been read to the Common Council, I was instructed to express to you the satisfaction & appreciation of the Council for the efficient and faithful services performed by you during the past year. Very truly Yours. W. H. King City Clerk.

Letter from Clerk

There being no further business the Roll was called & meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Secy.

Alarm No 1. Feb. 9. '17. Carrols. Bell Phone

At 6-10 this morning an alarm by Telephone stated that Carrols Stores on Morse St were on fire. The Dept. made a quick responce. but owing to the combustible nature of building and some delay in giving the alarm. the fire had gained a terrific start before the arrival of the Dept. However by hard work of every man the dwelling part of the building (at the South end) was saved with small damage. the Store buildings & contents are practically a total loss.

Loss on Buildings } about $4500.
Loss on Contents }
Insurance none
Cause of fire Unknown
No. ft. Hose Laid 1600. 4 streams.

F. A. Brown Secy

Geo. Allens. Alarm No. 2. Feb 14. Telephone Bell 3. Chem.

At 8-15 this morning an alarm by Telephone called the Dept. to No 93 East Pierce St. the residence of Geo. S. Allen The fire was found to be a chimney burning out which required 3 chemicals to extinguish. loss slight & covered by insurance.

F. A. Brown Sec.

#3 J. Burns Feb. 19. Tel. Bell

An Alarm by Telephone at 7-30 A. M. called for help at Jas. Burns No 121 Sprague St The Dept got there as soon as possible but found the fire out when they arrived. Cause mice & matches. no damage

Alarm #4
Mrs. Smith's House Cutter Ave. Telephone Bell

Feb. 26.

At 7-30 this Morning fire was discovered in the roof of Mrs. D. R. Smiths house No 156 Cutter ave. An alarm was sent in by Telephone and the Dept made a quick responce. A dash of water put out the blaze with about $35.00 Damage to the house. fully insured. (Ins. Pd. $41.00)

F. A. Brown Secy

Alarm #5
7-50 a.m.
Chimney at N.E Cor. Pearl & Hanchett.
Messenger

March 6. At 7-50 this morning an alarm by messenger called the Dept. to the N.E. Corner of Pearl & Hanchett Sts. House owned by J. N. Rankin. & occupied by Clyde Killiar The cause was found to be a burning chimney which was quickly disposed of. with Sleight damage.

Regular Mar 6.

Regular Meeting. March 6. Forman Brink presiding. Minutes of the last regular meeting, and the alarms for the past month read and approved. The fines of Holt Taylor Pitcher & Grundy were upon motion excused. Chief Smillen made a few remarks. saying among other things that we had a new fire team.

Mr Burns. a representative of the Sou. Mich Tel. Co bring present spoke in regard to putting Telephones in each Firemans house After some discussion it was moved by Fireman Bennett that provided the City will pay the ballance, The Fire Co will put in and pay $10.00 each for 13 Phones. Which motion prevailed. Moved by fireman Pitcher that we adjourn. Carried.

Roll called & meeting adjourned F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm
6
March 16.
4-15 A.M.
Telephone Bell
350 ft
Hose
No water

At 4-15 A.M. an alarm by Telephone
Called the Dept. to the 2nd Story of
Store Bldg. No 51 W Chicago St. in the
rear of rooms occupied by Mrs Perry.
The blaze was extinguished with a
few pails of water
The cause of the fire was. hot ashes
carelessly deposited near a pile of Kindlings
Damage to Building
Damage to Contents

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm
7
March 22
2-15 P.M.
Bell Phone

At 2-15 P.M an alarm by Telephone
Called the Dept to No 261 Cutler Ave.
Dwelling House owned by Mrs Alma
Bedford and occupied by Mrs Hattie
Homan. The rear of the house was
burning fiercely when the Dept. arrived
and owing to the great distance beyond
the last hydrant we were unable to
reach it with hose. so we were obliged
to fight with Chemicals & Buckets
After a hard fight we succeeded in
extinguishing it with about
$100. Loss
The Cause was a Gasoline Stove
Loss covered by insurance

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular meeting April 5. 1907
Foreman Brink presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting, and Alarms for the month of march read and approved.
The bill of Vanaken Bros. $1.50 for flowers for Mrs Holt was read, and on motion of Fireman Bennett was allowed and an order drawn for the same.
Bill $1.50
A letter of thanks from Mr & Mrs. F. W. Holt was for the floral token sent to Mrs. Holts funeral was received, read, and on motion of Fireman Glen was placed on file.
There Being no further bussibess the roll was Called and meting adjourned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 8. Apr. 19 Bell Phone 1000 ft Hose
At 12-05 P.M. an alarm by phone called the Dept. to the South end of Sheridan St. where the found the grass on fire, which was easily extuinguished with Chemicals, with no damage.
F. A. Brown Secy.

Alarm # 9 Apr. 23 Bell Phone 350 ft Hose
At 11-10 P.M. An alarm by Telephone called the Dept. to the North West Corner of Henry & Green Sts. where the House belonging to Mrs Myers was found in flames. The fire had a big start before it was discovered but by hard work and two streams of water was not allowed to go much further. the cause was a defective chimney
Loss and Insurance { estimated $1200. unknown at this time
Insurance on contents 250.00 on Building 750.00
F. A. Brown Secy.

Coldwater. M. May 1st 07.
Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Asst. Foreman Quackenbush presiding
Chief Smullen appointed Secy. pro-tem.
Minutes of last regular meeting, and of
the fire alarms during the month of
April read and Approved.
On motion of Fireman Glen the fines
of Fireman Jepson for absence from
alarms of Apr. 19th & 23rd were excused
On motion of Fireman Jepson
the Secy was instructed to draw up a
recommendation of the Co. to the Mayor,
for the reappointment of Chief J. B.
Smullen for the coming year.
There being no other Bussiness. the
Roll was called and meeting adjourned
J. B. Smullen Sec. pro tem

Alarm # 10 May 4. 07

At 3-45 PM an alarm by messenger
called the Dept. to the South West Corner
of Pearl & Jackson Sts. A quick responce
was made, but it proved to be a false
alarm. It was the Gas Co who were wanted
instead of the Fire Co.
F. A. Brown Secy.

Alarm # 11 May 7. 07

Bill

At 8-25 PM an alarm was turned
in by telephone, stating that the
house on the N. W. Cor of Jackson and
Peckham Sts. occupied by Geo. Estlow
was on fire. Upon the arrival of the
Dept. it was found to be some clothing
which Estlow had set on fire and was
put out without much damage to the
building
F. A. Brown Sec.

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Fire Losses

Year			Amt Paid
1898	Total Loss	1.035.00	730.00
1899	" "	6.147.76	5819.76
1900	" "	1648.06	1.363.06
1901	" "	3684.21	3.682.72
1902	" "	10.312 96	4.964.71
1903	" "	10.419 74	7.860.88
1904	" "	5848.62	4.203.12
1905	" "	1337.79	1125.53
1906	" "	3380.91	2597.61
1907	" "	9064.47	3614.47

Alarm # 12. May 14. 07 Both Phones at once

At 6-15 P.M. a Telephone alarm called the Dept. to the R.R. Yards on the W side of S. Clay St. where a pile of Telephone poles owned by the Southern Mich Tel. Co were on fire. The were quickly extinguished with one stream of water. the fire was supposed to have originated from a spark from a Locomotive.
Damage $20.00 450 ft hose laid
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 13. June 3. Bell Phone

an alarm by Telephone at 12-20 P.M. Called the Dept. to No 161 E. R.R St. house occupied by Chas. Blake. It was found that sparks from the chimney had started a small fire on the roof which was easily extinguished with but little damage.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 14 June 3 Both Mich Phone

at 7-15 P.M. a Telephone alarm called the Dept. to the residence owned by Wm Ward & wife on the S Elm St. the source of the fire was soon located and quickly put out with chemicals The Cause of the fire was bedding catch-fire spontaneously.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting June 5. 1907. Foreman Brink presiding. Minutes of last meeting and alarms for May. read & approved. Glenn moved that Bennett be excused from alarm of May 4. carried Pitcher moved that Brown be excused from alarms of April 23rd & May 7. Carried
Roll called and meeting adjourned
J. B. Smullen
Sec. Pro-tem.

Alarm # 15. June 19. Bell Phone 500 ft hose

At 12-15 A.M. an alarm by Phone notified the Dept that McLaughlins boat office, situated on the East side of the river and just north of the bridge, was on fire. The Dept made a quick response but when they arrived at the fire the building was so nearly destroyed that it was useless to throw any water, although a line of hose was laid.
Cause of fire unknown.
Damage ——
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 16. June 19 "Messenger. 1200 ft Hose

At 2-30 A.M. Soon after returning from the McLaughlin fire, a boy reported that Shepards Dry Goods store was on fire. Again the boys turned out, but found the fire to be in the rear of Dr Clizbi's office, over Shepards store. It had gained considerable headway and three streams of water were used which quickly extinguished it.
Cause unknown
Damage to building ——
Damage to Contents ——
Ins. paid ——
F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #17 June 27. U. M. Phone. Chemicals

At 10-30 A.M an alarm by Telephone summoned the Dept. to the L S & M S Round house. Sparks from an engine had again set fire to the roof, which was quickly extinguished with Chemicals.
Damage nothing
F. A. Brown Sec

Regular

Coldwater, M. July 3, 1907
meeting of Coldwater Fire Dept.
Forman Brink presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting
and alarms for the month of June
read and approved.

Fine 30¢

Fireman Holt paid 30¢ fine for
absence from Regular meeting June 5
all other fines were, upon motion,
excused to date.

Dues. $2.00

The following members paid dues to
Jan 1st 08. Brink, Quackenbush
Jepson, Grice, Glen, Bennett, Holt.
Brown. Total $2.00.

Fireman Jepson proposed the name
of Ed. Fish for Substitute, Ballot
being taken resulted in his election
There being no further business, the
roll was called and meeting
adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec.

Coldwater Aug. 7th 1907.
Regular Meeting of C. F. D.
Forman Brink presiding. Minutes
of last regular meeting read and approved.
The fines of Firemen Glen and Taylor
were on motion of Bennett, excused.
There being no further business the
meeting adjourned.

Dues .25¢

Aug. 18. 07. J. M. Grundy paid dues. 25¢
to Jan 1. 1908

F. A. Brown Secy.

Aug 23 - 1907

Alarm #18 — At 2-35 P.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dep't to No 97 N Clay St. a Dwelling House owned by Robt. Kautz and occupied by Greenwald & Lawson.
Bell Phone — The fire was caused by a Gasoline Stove exploding in the rear part and communicating the fire through the Attics of the building. and had made considerable headway bfore the Dep't were notified Chief Smullen ordered two lines of hose laid and by quick work, soon had it under control.
Damage covered by insurance.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Sept. 4. 1907. Regular Meeting of C. F. Dep't. Forman Brink in the Chair.
Minutes of last regular meeting and alarms for the month of August read & approved.
Fines .60 / Dues .25 / .85 — Fireman Laura paid fines for absence from Reg. meetings of July & Aug. .60
Fireman Pitcher Paid dues to Jan 1-08. .25
Roll called and meeting adjourned.

Alarm # 19. Bell. Phone — Sept 7. 1907. At 7-25 P.M. an alarm by Telephone notified the Dep't that they were wanted at H. B. George's Feed Mill on S. Clay St. Upon arriving, it was found that the entire rear end of the Building was in flames. two lines of hose were laid and the fire was not allowed to spread but was soon extinguished. the cause was a spark from the boiler.
2300 ft Hose
Loss about $500. No insurance.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Sept 25. 1907

Alarm #20. Bell Phone

At 4-15 P.M. an alarm by Telephone summoned the Dept to No 98 Morse St. House owned by Mrs Ransford A quick hitch up and run soon brought the boys at the scene. but there were no indications of a fire. Investigation found that a little girl had attempted to light a fire by using Kerosene. when an explosion followed, burning the girl quite badly but not setting fire to the house. consequently no damage to the building.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #21 S.M. Phone.

Sept 25. 1907. alarm at 11oc P.M. For the second time today the boys were called together. this time a still alarm by Telephone. notified them that the Boiler House at the County Farm was on fire and that the Superintendent had asked for help. consequently the Team was hitched to the Ladder wagon and taking the four Chemical extinguishers. the start was made to the County Farm. Upon arriving it was found that the boiler house wds a goner but excellend assistance was rendered by the Dept. with their Ladders & Chemicals in preventing other buildings from burning. After all further danger was over the Dept. returned to quarters

F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater Oct. 2. 1907.

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Foreman Brink presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting and
Alarms for the month of September
read & approved.
The following members paid Dues and
Fines as follows.

Dues & Fine .80

J. F. Laura. Dues to Jan 1. 1908. 25¢
W. F. Taylor. " " " " " 25¢
A. W. Grice fine for Reg. meet. Aug 7. 30¢
Total. .80

N. B. George presented the Company a
Box of Bloomer cigars. to show his appre-
ciation of the good work done at his fire.
There being no further bussiness the
roll was called and meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec'y.

Oct. 28, 07
Alarm #22.

Bell Phone

At. 5-30 P.M. an alarm by Telephone
notified the Dept. that Leonard Corless.
barn at no 256 Marshall St was on fire.
Upon arriving at the scene the barn was
a blaze in every spot & place. one
Stream of water was used and the fire
was soon put out. but the barn was
practically a total loss.
The cause of the fire was an Oil Stove.
Loss, Bldg $125. On Contents $40.
No Insurance

F. A. Brown Sec.

Coldwater Mich. Nov. 6. 1907.

Regular monthly meeting of Coldwater Fire Dept. Foreman Brink presiding Minutes of last regular meeting, and alarms for the month of October read and approved.

There being no further bussiness, the roll was called and meeting adjourned

C. L. Pitcher
Secy. pro-tem

Alarm #23
Bell Phone

Nov. 13. 1907. At 2-30 this afternoon an alarm by Phone summoned the Dept. to the Cor. of Henry & Green Sts. the home of Wm Young. Upon arriving it was found to be nothing more serious than a chimney burning out.

Alarm #24
Bell Phone

Nov. 16. 12-30 P.M. An alarm by Telephone called the Dept. to the Cor. of Pearl and Jackson St. House owned by Mrs Drake. a fire had started between the ceiling and 2nd floor thence communicating to the attic, which when located was soon extinguished.

Cause. Stove pipe through floor
Damage —— $17.33
Insurance — $17.33

F. A. Brownell Sec.

Special

Coldwater Mich Nov. 27, 1907
meeting of C. F. D. Forman Brink presiding. Roll called and every member present.
The Forman states that the object of the meeting was to consider the advisability of having our wives join with us at our Anual Banquet. Dec 2. 07.
Fireman Pitcher moved that each fireman have the privilege of inviting his wife. Fireman Taylor supported the motion.
After some discussion the motion was put and unanamously lost.
There being no further Bussiness. the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Secy.

Anual Meeting Dec 2. 1907.

At the Anual election of Officers of the Coldwater Fire Dept. held this evening Chief Smullen presided.
Fireman Wm F. Taylor was elected Clerk.
Chief Smullen appointed Firemen Quackenbush and Brink for Tellers.
The Election resulted as follows.
For 1st Asst. Chief Wm Glen.
" 2nd " " Lee H. Jepson
The several Ballotts were as follows.
1st Asst. Chf. Whole no. votes 11. of which Taylor recd. 1. Jepson 3. Glen 7.
2nd Asst. Chf. 1st Ballot. Whole no 11. of which Glen recd. 3. Pitcher 2. Jepson 2. Brink 1. Grundy 1. Taylor 1. Quackenbush 1.
2nd Ballot. Jepson 6. Laird 1 Taylor 1 Pitcher 1 Grundy 1. Brink 1.

There being no further bussiness Meeting adjourned Wm F. Taylor Clerk

Anual Meeting Dec. 2. 1907.

At the Anual Election of Company Officers held this evening. Forman Brink presided. Sec'y being absent It was moved by Fireman Grundy that Fireman Pitcher act as Clerk. Carried Upon motion of Glen the Chair appointed Wm Glen & A. W. Grice as Tellers.

The Election of Officers resulted as follows.

For Forman		Geo. A. Quackenbush.
Ass't.	"	Thos. M. Grundy.
Secretary		F. A. Brown
Treasurer		C. F. Bennett.
Pipeman		E. A. Brink.

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

After the meeting the Company proceeded to the "Glen Restaurant where a sumptuous Banquet & social time followed.

C. L. Pitcher Sec. pro-tem.

Coldwater Dec 4, 07

Regular Meeting. C. F. D. Ass't. Forman Quackenbush presiding. Minutes for the last. Regular. Special and Anual meetings. and Alarms for the month of Nov. read and approved.

Fireman Bennett makes report in regard to the Banquet. and states that the bill for same is $7.00.

Order $7.00

Moved by Glen that an order be drawn on Treas. for $7.00 to pay for Banquet. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Grundy that the report of the Com. be accepted, and the Com discharged. Motion prevailed.

The fine of G. A. Quackenbush alarm of Nov 13 was upon motion excused

Regular Dec. 4. Continued

The fines of Wm Glen for absence from Reg. meetings of Sept. Oct. & Nov. were upon motion, excused.

The fine of F. A. Brown for absence from Reg. meeting of Nov. was upon motion excused. (F. A. Brown paid fine for absence from alarm Nov. 13.

Fine Paid .50

Moved by C. L. Pitcher. that as the date for the next Reg. will be on New Years day. that the meeting be held on Thursday eve. Jan 2. 1908. Motion prevailed

Rects .50

There being no further business. the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 25 Bell Phone

Dec 6. 07. Alarm at 9-05 A. M. Shneidlers Grocery on W Chicago St opposite 4th School Bldg.

The fire was in the 2nd Story of the building in a pile of rags & Shavings. and is supposed to have been caused by Spontaneous combustion

350 feet of hose were laid but 1 Chemical did the Bussiness.

Damage None. F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 26 Bell Phone

Dec 9. 07. At 6 oc. this morning an alarm by Telephone summoned the Dept. to No 109 Pierson St. The Home of Mathew Nickey. The fire was located in the Cellar and was soon extinguished. The Cause was a leaking gas meter which Mr Nickey had ignited with a match.

Damage #7.00. Insurance Pd #7 00

F. A. Brown Sec

1908

Coldwater, Mich. Jan. 2. 1908.

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Dep't.

Formal Brink presiding

Minutes for the last regular meeting, and alarms for Dec. read & approved.

The fines of A. W. Grice for alarms No 23 & 25 were on motion excused.

The fines of T. M. Grundy & J. F. Laura for Reg. meeting Dec 4 were also excused.

Fines pd .60

E. A. Brink & A. W. Grice paid a fine of 30¢ each for absence from reg. Dec. 4.

Annual Report

The Secretary read his which is as follows.

No of Alarms during 1907 26 and occurred by months as follows. Jan 0. Feb 4. Mar. 3. Apr. 2. May. 3. June. 5. July. 0. Aug. 1. Sept. 3. Oct. 1. Nov. 2. Dec 2. = 26.

The fires & alarms were distributed about the City as follows. 1st Ward 6. 2nd Ward 6. 3rd Ward 6. 4th Ward 7. Outside Limits 1.

Alarms between 6. A.M. & 6. P.M. 16
" " 6. P.M. & 6. A.M. 10 26.

Alarms by Telephone 23. Messenger 3. = 26.

Average No Men (Reg. & Subs) Present. 11 1/26

Causes of fires.

Gasoline Stoves 2. Oil Stoves 1. Gas Meter 1
Defective & burning out Chimneys 4. Defective pipe thimble 1. Sparks from Chim. 2. Sparks of Locomotive 2
Sparks from Arch 1. Spontaneous Combustion 2.
Kindling with Kerosene 1. Mice & Matches 1
Incendiary 1. Hot Ashes 1. Grass fire 1.
False Alarms 1. Unknown 4 = 26

No. ft. hose laid during 1907 9550
No. Chem. extinguishers used " 21
No. of fires put out entirely with Chemicals 6

Losses and Insurance

Loss on Buildings	$ 5602.47	Loss on contents	$ 3462.00
Ins. Pd " " "	2327.47	Ins. Pd on " "	1287.00
Loss over Insurance	3275.00	Loss over Insurance	2175.00
Total loss over insurance			5450.00

Financial Statement.

Amt. on hand as per Treas. Report Jan 1. 07.	$17.23
Rec'd. for Dues 1907	6.00
" " Fines "	1.70
Total Rects	$24.93

Disbursments, orders on Treas. as follows.

Jan 2. 1907	M. Dawson Cigars	$1.75-
" " "	Mrs. E. A. Brink Banquet	3.75-
" " "	F. A. Brown Sec. Salary	3.35-
Apr. 3. "	Vanaken Bros Flowers	1.50
Dec 4. "	C. F. Bennett, Banquet.	7.00
	Total Disbursments	17.35-
	Bal. on hand Jan 1. 1908	$7.58

Respectfully submitted
F. A. Brown Sec.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the Report be accepted and spread upon the records. motion prevailed.

Treasures Bennett read his annual Report which is as follows.

Receipts		Disbursments	
Bal on hand Jan 1. 07.	$17.23	Sec. Brown	$ 3.35-
Dues for 1907	6.00	Cigars	1.75-
Fines " "	1.70	Mrs. Brink Banquet	3.75-
Total	24.93	Van Aken Bros. Flowers	1.50
		Gem. Restau. Banquet	7.00
			17.35-

Bal. on hand Jan 1. 08 $7.58. Respt. Submitted C. F. Bennett Treas

Moved by Wm Glen that the report be accepted and spread upon the records Motion prevailed

Moved by Grundy that the Sec. Salary and bill for Postage amounting to $5.15 be allowed and an order drawn for same, Motion prevailed.

Sec. Sal. $5.15

Foreman Elect Quackenbush takes his seat.

Pipeman Brink appoints C. F. Bennett & John Laura as his assistant pipemen for ensuing year.

The foreman appointed the following Committees for 1908.

Ref. Com. Jepson. Pitcher. & Laura

Fin. Com Glen. Brink & Grundy.

Substitute Firemen for the year 1908 were nominated as follows. Akenhead. Early. Brady. Hurley. N. Holt. Jos Hayes. Ed Fish. Geo. Cole Roscoe Graves. Clyde Thompson

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the names as nominated. be elected, Motion prevailed

The following members paid dues to July 1. 1908.

Dues $2.50

Brink, 25 Glen. 25- Jepson, 25- Quackenbush. 25- Brown. 25- Bennett, 25- Grundy, 25- Pitcher. 25- Laura, 25- Grice. 25-

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 1
S. M. Phone

Jan. 23. 1908. At 9-15 A. M. an alarm by telephone called the Dept to No 178 Henry St. house owned by Mrs Patch and occupied by Eugene Juckett. The fire was caused by an overheated stove pipe passing through the ceiling & floor between the first and second Stories. setting fire to the same and was extinguished with two Chemicals

Damage 10.
Insurance 10. F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 2.
Mrs. L. D Halstead burned to Death
Bell Phone

Jan 25. 1908 At 11-45 A.M. an alarm by Telephone Called the Dept to the home of Mrs. L. D. Halstead #165 W. Pearl St. upon the arrival of the Dept it was found that Mrs Halstead in replenishing the fire in the grate. had set fire to her clothing and had burned to death. No particular damage to the house The fire was extinguished with water and pails F. A. Brown Sec

Loss Contents $25.-

Regular

meeting Feb. 5. 1908. Foreman D. presiding Minutes of last regular and alarms for Jan. read. corrected and approved.

The fine of F. W. Holt for meeting Jan 2. excused.

Fines .60
Dues .50

Holt paid 30¢ fine for absence from meeting Dec 4. also 25¢ for Dues to July 1. 1908

W. F. Taylor paid 30¢ fine for meeting of Jan 2 also 25¢ Dues to July 1. 1908.

Moved by T. M. Grundy that the Sec. notify the Subs to appear at next regular meeting and that the Sec have a box of cigars

over

Postals 10¢

C.L. Pitcher calls for a division of the Question, which bring done the first part of the Question Carried and the last part was lost. There bring no further bussiness. the meeting was adjourned F. A. Brown Sec

Feb 11. 08
Alarm # 3

At 12-40 A M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dept to #139 Morse St. House owned by F. T. Lent and occupied by Wm E. Staffelt It was found that Mr. Staffelt had put some wood in the oven of the Kitchen Stove to dry. during the night it caught and occasioned the alarm. no water. no chemicals no Damage only to the wood. which was completly destroyed.

Bell Phone

F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting March 4. 1908
Foreman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting and Alarm of Feb. 11. read and approved.
In response to the invitation extended the following Subs. were present.
Akenhead. Early. Fish. Cole. Hurley and Thompson.
Foreman Q. Stated the object of the Company in extending the invitation. Chief Smullen gave a good talk in regard to the duties and privileges of Subs. After considerable discussion by members & Subs. which was beneficial to all. the Roll was called and meeting adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 4

March 10th 08 At 4-20 this P.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dept. to No 105 S Monroe St. house owned by Emmon Klinger and occupied by Wm. W. Curtis. The alarm was caused by the explosion of a Gasoline Plumbers torch.

No damage
F. A. Brown. Sec.

Exibition Run

Coldwater March 25. 1908
At 4-30 P.M. The Dept. made an Exibition Run for the amusement of the large Crowd who were in town attending Sales Day. the run was made from Hudson St. west on Chicago St to Jackson St. 150 ft of Hose laid, Nozzle put on and a Stream started in 1 min. 29½ sec. Taking into consideration that the run was made over the pavement with a total load of 5710# the exibition was very satisfactory, to the Common Council Spectators, and the Dept itself.

Alarm # 5

S. M. Phone.

March 26. At 7-15 A.M. an alarm by Telephone summoned the Dept to No 40 River St. house occupied by Isaac Clair. A Spark from the Chimney had set fire to the Roof and was quickly extinguished with two Chemicals. Damage Slight and covered by insurance, $5.00
No hose laid

F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater Mich Apr. 1. 1908

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Dept.
Forman Quackenbush presiding
The minutes were dispensed with.
Members absent Brown and Grice.
There bring no further bussiness the
meeting was adjourned
C. L. Pitcher Sec protem

Apr. 24
Alarm
6

Bell
Phone

At 9 o.c this morning the Dept were
called to the Bakery, No 37 west Chicago
St. some of the rooms on the 2nd floor
were filled with smoke, but it was
some time before the cause could be
located. It was finally learned that
Chas Ross occupying the adjoining
Store had been burning rags, and that
the smoke came through the thimble
hole on the opposite side of the Chimney.
No damage. F. A. Brown Sec.

Coldwater Mich. May 6. 1908

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Dept.
Forman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of the regular meetings for
March and April, also for the alarms
during that period read and approved.

Fines
$1.10

Moved by Brink & Supported by Pitcher
that the Company express their wish
to the Common Council for an ordinance
prohibiting persons other than Firemen
from riding upon our apparatus to and
from fires. Which motion unanamously
prevailed. Brown Pd Fine for Reg. Apr 1.
and Alarm Mar 10. Total .80. } There bring no
Grice Pd Fine for Reg. Feb. 5. .30 } further Bussiness
the meeting was adjourned F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #7

Bell Phone

500 ft Hose

May 14. 1908. At 12-20 A.M. an Alarm by telephone called the Dept to the residence of J. B. Branch No 188 Marshall St. a fire had started in a pile of Kindlings in the cellar. Considerable difficulty was experienced in locating the exact position of the fire on account of the dense smoke, but when once located it was quickly extinguished. two streams of water & 500 ft of hose were used.
The cause of the fire was a fire in the ash pit of the grate, which heated the ash pit Door, setting fire to the Kindlings which were piled against the door.
Loss on Building 364.33 Ins Pd 364.33
Loss on Contents 1700. Ins Pd $1700.00
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #8

Bell Phone.

May 23. 1908. At 2-30 P.M. a Telephone Alarm summoned the Dept to the C. Mill at the extreme West end of Chicago St. Upon arriving it was to be an old Barn at the rear of the Mill property. and was extinguished with pails. The barn was valued at about $2.00 Damage very slight.
The cause is supposed to be. Kids & Matches F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater June 3. 1908

Regular meeting C. F. ~~Dept~~. Co
Forman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting
and Aldrus for May read and
approved
J. B. Branch, through Chief Smullen
presented the Dept. two boxes of 10¢
cigars, in appreciation of the work
done at his fire.
Moved by Fireman Pitcher that
the cigars be divided pro. rata
carried,
Moved by Fireman Glen that
the Co. extend a vote of thanks
to Mr Branch for the cigars, which
motion carried.
there being no further bussiness
the roll was called and meeting
adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec.

Coldwater July 1. 1908

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Forman Quackenbush presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting
read & approved.

Fine .30 C. F. Bennett pd fine for absence from
reg. meeting June 3.

Dues $2.00 The following members paid dues
to Jan 1. 09. Quackenbush. Glen. Jepson
Grundy. Brown. Bennett. Brink & Taylor.
There being no further bussiness. the
meeting was adjoirned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Dues .25 July 2. C. L. Pitcher pd dues to Jan 1. 09

Alarm # 9.

July 14. 1908.
At 8.45- A.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dept to No 96 Elm St. Dwelling house owned by Mrs Edmons. & occupied by Frank Burch and Family. The fire was out when the Dept arrived.
The cause was. Kids. Matches and a Gasoline Stove. Damage very slight.
F. A. Brown. Sec.

Special Meeting July 22. 1908.
The following members were present. Quackenbush. Glen. Jopson. Grundy Brown Bennett. Taylor. Laura. Holt and Chief Smullen. The Chief stated that the object of the meeting was this. Mrs Brink. wife of Fireman E. A. Brink was in a very critical condition which necessitated an immediate operation to save her life. and that the meeting was called to ascertain if the Fireman wished to share in defraying the expences.
After talking over the situation. it was moved and carried that each member contribute $2.00. and that the sum be presented to Mrs Brink.
The Purse. including $2.00 each from Wm B. and A.E. Hutchins amounted to $28.00 which was very gratefully received by Mrs Brink. She wishing to be remembered with heartfelt thanks to every Member for the thoughtfulness and Kindness shown by them.

Purse of $28.00 for Mrs Brink

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm No 10

Aug. 1st 1908.

Bell Phone

At 11-30 A.M. an alarm by Telephone stated that there was a fire in a shed in the rear of the S.M. Hotel. a quick responce was made, but when the Dept. arrived it was found to be more serious than at first contemplated. It seems that a fire had started in a pile of manure in the rear of Bidelman & Dimonds feed barn quickly communicating to the wooden sheds and Barns which closely surrounded it. the wind being in the west blew the flames from one building to another in an incredibly short time. although 4 streams of water were soon playing upon the flames and every fireman putting forth his best efforts, it was quickly evident, owing to the combustible nature of the buildings that the whole row to Marshall St was doomed. Several other wooden buildings in close proximity were by heroic efforts saved. And at 5-30 the Dept. returned to their quarters with the fire out. The buildings burned were. 1 Wooden Barn belonging to Mrs Lee 1 Brick Barn belonging to Mac Parker Several Sheds, Feed barns and Feed Store belonging to Scot McLane. After the fire Emmet Bidelman presented the Co. $5.00 in appreciation of our efforts which saved his barn. and the following communication was received from E.R. Clark and Co.

Bidelman 5.00

E. R. Clark & Co's letter and Gift

To the members of Fire Dept Coldwater Mich
Aug 1st 08. Dear men and Friends
as a slight evidence of our appreciation of
your efforts and good work at the fire this
day, We wish to make you each this mod-
est present, and trust you will accept it
in the same kindly spirit in which it
is sent.

Sincerely Yours
E. R. Clark & Co.

The present consisted of 15 Crisp, new, two
Dollar bills. $2.00 for each fireman.
The losses incurred ~~and insurance rec'd~~
are as follows.

Alarm # 11

Aug. 4, 08. at 4-25 P.M. an alarm by Telephone notified the Dept. that there was a fire in the alley in the rear of Conovers Printing office. Upon arriving at the scene it was found to be a genuine false alarm. Swaffield & Hibbard were setting tires in the rear of their shop, and Kids seeing the smoke, turned in an alarm.

False Alarm

F. A. Brown Sec

Coldwater Aug. 5. 1908

Regular Meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Foreman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of last reg meeting & alarms for
July read & approved.

Dues .50 J. F. Laura Pd 25¢ Dues to Jan. 1. 1809
F. W. Holt " " " " " " "

Moved by Brink that the fine against C. F. Bennett for Absence from alarm Aug 4 be excused. Motion prevailed.

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the Secy. be instructed to write to Fireman A. W. Grice asking for his immediate resignation. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Pitcher that the $30.00 presented by E. R. Clark & Co & the $5.00 presented by Emmet Bidleman be divided pro-rata among the firemen who were present at the Aug 1st fire. together with substitute Brady. & A. E. & W. B. Hutchins.

Ammended by Jepson that each of the men named recieve $2.25. & the ballance to be placed in the Treas. Amendment accepted & Motion prevailed.

($1.25 pd. Treas)

Moved by Pitcher that the Co. through the Secy. extend a vote of thanks to E. R. Clark & Co. & Emmet Bidleman for their presents and appreciation & Landlord F. S. Brown of the S. M. Hotel. for the Dinners Served to the firemen during Saturdays fire. Motion prevailed.

Meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #12 Bell Phone.

Aug 29. Alarm at 1-30 P.M.
The alarm was caused by boys & matches setting fire to a pile of straw and a privy in the rear of No 21 South R R St
The property of Mrs. Green.
No hose or Chemicals used. Damage slight.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting of C. F. Co. Sept. 2. 1908
Forman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting and alarms for August read and approved.
Moved by Glen that the fine of F. W. Holt for absense from alarm of Aug 29 be excused, carried. The Secy. reports what he had learned in regard to Fireman Grice) Moved by Jepson that the question of A. W. Grice be brought up at the next regular meeting unless he is present to speak for himself motion prevailed.
There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Still alarms.

Sept 11	Cotsonis Awning.	10.
Sept 12	Jashners Launch	100.
Sept 19	Boxes in Rear of Pennocks Store	

all put out with Chemicals.

Alarm #13

Sept 24. Alarm at 9-30 P.M.
the fire was in a barn belonging to Henry Nichols at No 124 Cutter Ave.
and was out when the Dept arrived
Cause unknown
Damage None.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Oct. 7. 1908

Regular Meeting Coldwater Fire Co.
Foreman Quackenbush presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and Alarms for Sept. read & approved.
Fines of Brink. Grice. Laura and Bennett were upon motion excused
Moved by Fireman Pitcher that the matter of Fireman Grice be laid on the table indefinitely carried.
There being no further Bussiness the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec.

Grice Dr. 25¢ Dues to Jan 1 1909

Dues .25¢

Alarm # 14 — Oct 31. 1908 An alarm by Telephone at 9-40 A. M. Called the Dept to Dr Taylors Dental Parlors over E. R. Clark & Cos Stors. The Dr had started a fire by accidentally igniting a box of matches. which was soon extinguished with a little water and 3 chemicals.

Bell Phone

150 ft hose

3 Chem.

Damage ... Bldg. 278. Contr. 1207.00
Ins. ... " 278 " " 982.00
F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm # 15 — Nov. 1. 1908. An alarm by Telephone at 7-30 this evening. called the Dept. to the W. W. and E. L plant. where a pile of coal was found to be on fire.

Bell Phone

the cause of the fire was supposed to be Spontaneous combustion. and was extinguished with the W. W. hose. Damage slight
F. A. Brown Sec

Nov. 4. 1908

Regular Meeting Coldwater Fire Co
Forman Quackenbush presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and
Alarms for the past month read and
approved.

Fine 30¢ Fireman Glen paid 30¢ fine for absence
from last regular meeting.
Moved by Glen that the fine against
Brown for absence from fire of Nov. 1st
be excused. carried.

Bill $3.00 Bill of VanAken Bros for $3.00. Flowers
for Mrs Brink allowed and order drawn
for the same.
There being no other bussiness the
meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm. # 16 Nov. 6. 1908. Alarm at 10c P M.
Grass fire on mill race bank west of
Walnut St. No damage.
No hose Laid. F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 17. Nov. 19. 1908 - Alarm at 10-45 P. M.
The fire was at Geo. Millers Saw Mill on
East Washington St. and was caused by
Sparks from the engine setting fire to the
mill. 1 Stream of water put it out in
a few minutes. Damage $50. No insurance
450 ft hose laid.

F. A. Brown Sec

Dec. 2nd 1908

Regular meeting of Coldwater Fire Co.
Foreman Quackenbush presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and
Alarms for November read and approved.
The following communication was rec'd.

Coldwater Mich. Nov. 11. 1908.

Coldwater Fire Co. City.

We have before us your letter of Aug 6/08 in which you acknowledge the receipt of the evidence of our appreciation of your efforts at the fire which occurred a few days before that date. In the same letter you say "We hope we may never be called to fight fire in your properties, but if we do, rest assured every man will do all that is in him"

E.R. Clarke & Co's Letter & Gift $30.00

The unexpected is very likely to take place, and unfortunately to all concerned we have had a fire, and you men have made good your promise beyond any shadow of a doubt. By the use of good common sence, energy and allertness, by keeping cool, using your brains and doing all that was in you, the fire was snuffed out, and what bid fair to be a very disastrous loss, is comparatively a light one.

We are naturally more proud of our fire laddies than ever and the inclosed is more in the nature of an evidence of our proudness and not in any way an attempt to pay you for services rendered.

We sincerely thank you for your efforts and trust you will receive this in the spirit in which it is sent.

Yours truly
E.R. Clarke and Co.

The enclosure consisted of fifteen

crisp new $2.00 bills.
Moved by Fireman Glen. that the communication
and gift be received. and that the secretary be
instructed to acknowledge with thanks the
receipt of the same. which motion prevailed
There being no further bussiness the
meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Secy.

Annual Meeting. Dec 7. 1908
At the annual Election of Officers of the
Coldwater Fire Dept. held this evening
Chief Smullen presided.
F. A. Brown elected Clerk
The chair appointed C. L. Pitcher and
Geo. A. Luckenbush as Tellers.
Polls opened at 7 P.M. & closed at 8. P.M.
The election resulted as follows.
1st Asst. Chief
Whole no. Votes cast 12. of which
Wm Glen recd. 10. Laura 1. Holt 1
Glen having a majority of all votes
cast was declared elected
2nd Asst. Chief.
Whole no. Votes cast 12. of which
Jepson recd. 7. Brown 2. Holt 1
Bennett 1. Laura 1
Jepson having a majority of all votes
cast was declared elected.
There being no further bussiness
the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Clerk

Annual Meeting Dec. 7. 1908

At the anual Election of Company Officers held this evening. Forman Quackenbush presided. Minutes of last annual meeting read & Approved.

On motion of T. M. Grundy the Forman appointed two tellers. Consisting of Wm Glen and T. M. Grundy.

The Election of Officers resulted as follows.

Forman.	Geo. A. Quackenbush
Asst. Forman	T. M. Grundy.
Secretary	F. A. Brown
Trasurer	C. F. Bennett
Pipeman	E. A. Brink

Moved by C. L. Pitcher that an assessment of 25¢ per capita be collected, the same to be turned over to Chief Smullen to purchase cigars for the Company. Carried. Each member including Chief Smullen & A. E. Hutchins paid 25¢ making a total of $3.00. Taylor & Grice being absent. There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 18. Dec 18th 1908. Alarm at 7 oclock A. M. The fire was at No 68 Charles St. the home of Isaac Depue. & was caused by an over heated stove pipe which passed through through the roof in place of a chimney. No hose or Chemicals were used.

S. M. Phone

Damage very slight

F. A. Brown Sec.

Still Alarm. 4 oc P M. Dec 27. Burning Chimney on the Dr Long residence Cor Chi. & Walnut. Smullen. Pitcher & Bennett with 1 Chemical Put it out.

Alarm #19. Dec. 27th/1908. 5-15 P.M.
An alarm by Telephone called the Dept. to the residence of Mrs. B. H. Calkins #84 Jackson St. Their Christmas Tree had caught fire. Upon the arrival of the Dept it was found unnecessary to use any water or Chemicals. as the tree had been thrown out door.
Damage slight.
F. A. Brown.

Sec & Treas report for 1908 ends Here.

1909

Jan 6/09 Regular Meeting Coldwater Fire Company.
Foreman Quackenbush presiding.
minutes read & approved The fines of Holt for Oct & Nov. reg. meet. excused
Fines 60¢ Holt Pd 30¢ fine for absence from Dec. reg. meed
Taylor " 30¢ " " " " Nov. reg "
The following members paid dues to July 1/09
Dues $2.50 Quackenbush. Glen. Jepson. Grundy. Brown Bennett. Pitcher. Taylor. Laura & Holt. $2.50.
Brink and Grice bring absent.
Bill $5.30 Bill of Sec. Salary for 1908 $5.00 & postage &c 30c presented and on Motion of Pitcher was allowed and an order drawn for the same.
The Foreman appointed the following Committees.
Ref. Com. Jepson. Pitcher & Laura.
Fin. Com. Glen. Brink & Grundy.
Subs. Moved by Pitcher that the Subs. of 1908 be reelected for 1909. motion carried.
The Secretary read his annual report which is as follows.

To the Officers of Coldwater Fire Co.
The following is the Annal report of your Secy. for the year ending Dec 31. 1908.

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Jan 6. 1909 Continued

The No. of alarms during the year was 19.
and they occurred by months as follows.
Jan. 2. Feb. 1. Mar. 2. April 1. May 2. June 0.
July 1. Aug 3. Sept. 1. Oct 1. Nov 3. Dec 2.
The fires and alarms were distributed about
the City as follows.
1st Ward 6. 2nd ward. 3. 3rd Wd 4. 4th Wd 6.
Alarms between 6 A.M. and 6 P.M. — 14
" " 6 P.M. " 6 A.M. — 5.
Average No of men present at alarms 11 9/19
Possible average 12.
Besides the above alarms. there have
been 5 still alarms. which were put out
with Chemicals. Viz Cotsons Awning.
Tashners Launch. Boxes in rear of Peninocks
store. Geo. Burtons residence and the Dr Long. res.

Causes of Alarms

Children & matches 4. Stovepipes 2. Sparks
from Chimneys & Stacks 2. Defective Chimneys 2.
Clothing taking fire 1. Wood in oven 1 Gasoline 1
Matches accidentally lighted 1 Spon. Com 1
Grass fire 1 Christmas Tree 1 Unknown 1
False alarm 1 Total 19.

No. ft. hose laid during year 3100
No of fires put out with Chem. including Still alarms 7.

Losses and Insurance

Loss on Buildings	$7117.33
Ins. Pd " "	2757.33
Loss over Ins.	4360.00
Loss on Contents	4532.00
Ins Pd " "	2550.00
Loss over Ins	1982.00
Total loss over Ins.	$6342.00

Financial Statement.

Amt on hand Jan 1. 1908 —		$7.58
Recd. for Dues	1908 —	6.00
" " Fines	1908 —	2.90
" " Presents	1908 —	1.25
Total rects	1908 —	17.73

Disbursments

Jan 2. Sec. Salary & Postage	5.15
Nov 4. Van Aken Bros. Flowers	3.00
Total Disbursments	8.15
Bal. on hand Jan. 1. 1909.	$9.58

Respectfully submitted

F. A. Brown Sec.

Moved by Bennett. the report be accepted and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

Treas. Bennett reports as follows.

Amt on hand Jan 1. 1908		7.58
Recd. for Dues	1908	6.00
Recd. for Fines	"	2.90
Recd. " Presents	"	1.25
Total Rects	"	17.73

Disbursments

Jan 2. Sec. Salary & Postage	5.15
Nov 4 Van Aken Bros.	3.00
Total	8.15
Bal on hand Jan 1. 1909.	$9.58

On motion of Pitcher the report was accepted and placed on file.

Moved by Pitcher that the Sec. submit a copy of his report to the Common Council. Carried.

A. E. Hutchins reports that an alarm by telephone invites the entire Dept. to an oyster supper at the "Gem" Res. The invitation was accepted and all adjourned to the "Gem" and enjoyed a nice supper and a Social time. at the expense of some friend Unknown at this time.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 1

no 170 Waterman Ave

Jan. 18. 1909. An alarm at 9-30 A.M. called for help at No 170 Waterman Ave Upon arriving at the house a considerable smoke was found in the attic. which when traced to its source was found to be a disconnected Stove pipe. No Damage

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 2

Stuttings Bakery

Jan. 25. 1909 An alarm by messenger at 5-30 A.M. notified the Dept. that there was a fire at Stuttings Bakery. No. 29 W. Chicago St. and was caused by a Bake oven on the 2nd Story.

It required 1 stream of water and 2 chemicals to extinguish it

Damage. Bldg 250. Contents 1200

Ins. " 250. " 700

F. A. Brown Sec.

Feb. 3. 1909

Regular meeting. Forman Quackenbush presiding Minutes of last reg. meeting and alarms for the past month read and approved.

Fine. 30¢ Grice Paid .30¢ fine for absence from Reg. meeting Jan 6.

Dues. 50¢ Grice and Brink each paid 25¢ dues to July 1. 1909.

Fireman T. M. Grundy solved the mystery of the Banquet of Jan 6. by admitting that he tendered the same. in consideration of past favors granted.

The Secy. in behalf of the Fire Dept thanked him for the same.

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #3. Feb 7. 1909. At 2-15 A.M an alarm turned in by night watchman Casebeer arroused the firemen from their peaceful slumbers. and we were notified by telephone that the Gas Works was on fire.
Gas. Works
Every one expected a hard fight. but on arriving at the works it was found to be nothing but an accumulation of dust on top of the retorts which had caught by fire running up the Tar pipe. and was put out with a small hose.
No Damage.
200 ft Hose laid but not used.
F. A. Brown Sec.

March 3. 1909.
Regular meeting. Foreman Zuckenbush presiding. minutes of last regular meeting and alarms for the preceeding month read and approved.
Bill $2.00 The bill of Van Aken Bros. for flowers for Fireman Grundy's mother. presented. allowed and an order drawn for the same.
Communication from A. P. Lane. Sec'y Mich. St. Firemens Assn read and placed on file. There being no further business the meeting was adjourned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #4 March 27. 1909.
At 2-40 P.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dep't. to the Sterling House. Cor Monroe and R.R. sts. The fire proved to be nothing more serious than a burning out chimney. no hose laid or chemicals used.
Damage nothing
F. A. Brown Sec

April 7. 1909

Regular meeting. Coldwater Fire Co.
Foreman Quackenbush presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and
alarm of March 27th read & approved.
Fines .45¢ J. T. Laura paid 45c fines for absence
from Regular March 3rd and 1st Roll call
of April 7th
Firemen Glen and Taylor reported sick, also Fireman Holts wife. I Moved by Fireman Pitcher that the
Secy be instructed to request the
Mayor, in behalf of the Co. to appoint
J. B. Smullen as Chief of the Fire Dept.
for the ensuing year. which
motion prevailed.
There being no further bussiness the
meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec

Saturday April 10th 1909
Special Meeting of Coldwater Fire Co. called
on account of the death of Fireman
Wm Glenn, who died this morning.
Present: ~~Quack~~ Quackenbush, Jepson, Grundy,
Brown, Bennett, Brink, Pitcher, Laura
~~and~~ Holt and Chief Smullen.
Wm. Glen Died April 10th 1909
Ira Mix being present, stated that the
funeral would be held Monday Apr 12 at 3 PM, and that
it was the request of the family that three
Firemen and three Maccabees act as pall
bearers. Moved by Smullen that the
Foreman select 3 firemen to act as
bearers. Motion prevailed and firemen
F. A. Brown, T. M. Grundy & L. H. Jepson
chosen. Moved by Smullen that
the Foreman and Sec. draft suitable
resolutions on the death of Fireman
Glen. a copy to be presented to his
family. published in each of the City

papers. and spread upon the records. Carried
Moved by Jepson that we meet at the Engine house at 2-30 P.M. Apr 12. and attend the funeral in a body
Motion prevailed.
Moved by Pitcher that the Sec. notify the Substitute fireman to be on duty from 1 to 6 PM monday
Motion prevailed.
Moved by Grundy that the Sec. procure rigs for firemen to go to the Cemetery. motion prevailed.
Moved by Holt that the Sec. procure white gloves and crape for firemen to wear at the funeral.
Motion prevailed.
there being no further bussniess the meting was adjourned F. A. Brown Sec.

Monday Apr. 12. 1909.
At the funeral of our Bro. Fireman Wm Glen, held at 3 P.M. today. The following members attended.
Chief Smullen. Forman Quackenbush.

L. H. Jepson	T. M. Grundy
F. A. Brown	C. F. Bennett
C. A. Brink	C. L. Pitcher
W. F. Taylor	J. F. Laura
F. W. Holt.	

Fireman Grice was sick and could not be present.

F. A. Brown Sec

April 18. 1909

Alarm No 5

At 4-30 this P.M. during a thunder Storm an alarm by telephone called the Depit to No 21. Liberty St. the Home of A. D. McQueen It was found that lightning had struck in the roof, tearing off a few shingles but not setting fire to the house.

Damage about ~~$5.00~~ ~~2.00~~ 22.00

F. A. Brown Sec.

Resolutions Adopted on the Death of Wm A. Glen. April 19. 1909.

At a special meeting of Coldwater Fire Co. held on the above date, the following Resolutions were unanamously adopted.

Whereas:

It has pleased Almighty God in his infinite wisdom, to remove from our midst by death, our our honored & beloved Brother Fireman Wm A. Glen. and

Whereas:

The pleasant & intimate relations which for thirteen years he has held with this Company as a fellow-fireman, make it fitting that we should place on Record our feelings of appreciation of his friendship, and regret for his loss. therefore be it

Resolved:

That this Company will ever hold in loving remembrance, the Sterling qualities, integrity and bravery possessed by our late fellow-fireman

Resolved:

That the death of our esteemed Brother creates a vacancy in the Company not easily filled, and that we fully realize & deeply deplore the loss to his family, to ourselves, and to the city.

Resolved:

That we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved Widow & Relatives of our Friend, & hope that they may find some consolation in knowing that value of his personal qualities and friendship are appreciated by us.

Resolved: That these Resolutions be spread upon the records of the Co. A copy presented to the family of our deceased Brother, and that they be published in each of the City papers.

Signed. G. A. Quackenbush Foreman, F. A. Brown Sec

April 24. 1909.

Alarm No 6. False alarm

At 10-50 P.M. an alarm by Telephone said there was a fire at the Cor. of Pearl & Elm Sts. The Dept. promptly obeyed the summons, but on arriving at the said Corner no cause for the alarm could be found, nor the person who had sent in the alarm, so the apparatus was returned to the Engine house.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm No 7.

April 30. An alarm by Telephone at 8-20 A.M. called the Dept. to Shorcrafts Livery Stable, where it was found that an Electric wire had set fire to a fence post. no damage.

F. A. Brown Sec

Special Election C.F.D. May 5. 1909

Chief Smullen presiding. Brown elected Clerk and Grundy & Laura appointed tellers. The Chief states that the object of the meeting was the election of 1st Asst Chief to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Wm Glen. It required 5 ballotts to decide the question the several ballotts being as follows.

1st	Brink	2.	Laura	4.	Grundy	3.	Jepson	2.	Brown 1. no choice
2nd	"	2.	"	5.	"	3.	"	2.	no choice
3rd	"	2.	"	4.	"	3.	"	3.	no choice
4th	"	0.	"	4.	"	3.	"	5.	no choice
5th	"	0.	"	3.	"	2.	"	7.	

Jepson declared elected 1st Asst Chief thereby causing a vacancy in the office of 2nd Asst Chief.

over,

May 5th Continued

Moved by Pitcher that we proceed to the election of 2nd Asst Chief. motion prevailed.
No choice was made until the third ballott which resulted as follows. Whole No Votes Cast 12 of Which. Quackenbush recd 7. Laura 3 Grundy 1. Brown 1.
Geo. A. Quackenbush receiving a majority of all votes cast was declared elected 2nd Asst Chief.
There being no further Bussniess the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Clerk.

Regular Meeting Coldwater Fire Co. May 5. 1909

Forman Quackenbush presiding.
Minutes of the last regular and the special meetings of the past month. also the alarms for the month of April. read and approved.
Under the head of applications for membership. the application of S.E. Akenhead was recieved and read.
Pitcher presents the name of Frank Brady.
Bennett presents the name of Roscoe Graves.
Brown presents the name of Frank Early.
Moved by Taylor that we proceed to an informal ballot Carried.
Moved by Grundy that the Chair appoint two tellers. Carried. Laura and Grundy appointed.
The 1st ballot resulted as follows.
Whole No votes cast. 11 of which
Brady recd. 5. Graves 3. Thompson 2. Early 1
Moved by. Bennett that we proceed to ~~an~~ informal ballot. motion prevailed and resulted as follows. Whole No votes cast 11 of which Graves receives 6. Brady 5.

Roscoe Graves Elected

Roscoe Graves having recd a majority of all votes

cast was declared elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Wm Glen.

Forman Quackenbush calls Asst. Forman Grundy to the Chair, and tenders his resignation as Foreman of the Co. on account of being elected 2nd Asst Chief. the same to take immediate effect.

Moved by Bennett that the resignation be accepted motion prevailed.

Moved by Pitcher that we proceed to the election of a Forman. motion prevailed.

Laura and Bennett were appointed tellers.

The 1st Ballot resulted as follows. Whole No 10

Grundy recd. 6. Laura 2. Pitcher 1. Taylor 1.

T. M. Grundy having recd a majority of all votes cast was declared elected Forman by the Sec. thus causing a vacancy in the office of Asst. Forman

Moved by Quackenbush that we proceed to elect an Asst. Forman. Motion prevailed.

There was no choice until the eleventh ballot which resulted as follows. Whole No 10

Brink recd 7. Laura 2. Grice 1.

Brink receiving a majority of all votes cast was declared elected.

The fines of Grundy. Laura and Grice were on motion excused.

Fine 30¢ — Taylor Paid 30¢ fine for absence from regular meeting of March 3rd

The following communication was recd and on Motion of Bennett was spread on records

Coldwater Mich Apr 15. 1909.

Dear Members of the Fire Dept. Please accept our thanks for your sympathy and beautiful Floral offering, on the occasion of the death and funeral of our husband and Father

Sincerely Yours

Mrs Jennie Glen

Mrs and Mr Chas. Cahil

over

The following bills were presented and on motion of the Secy. were allowed and ordered paid.

Van Aken Bros. Floral Design for Glen $7.00
Van Aken Bros. 1 rig for Glens funeral 3.00
Bills Van Aken " Flowers for C.L. Pitchers Father 1.50
$12.25 Courier. printing Resolutions .75
12.25

There not being funds enough in the hands of the Treasurer to pay these bills a voluntary assessment of 50¢ per capita was paid by the following members.

Rects Smullen. Brink. Jupson. Laura Brown
5.50 Quackenbush. Grundy Grice Holt. Taylor
.50 Bennett. Pitcher (June 2.)

Total rects of the evening 6.30

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular meeting C. F Co. June 2. 1909

Forman Grundy presiding. Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

C.L. Pitcher extends thanks to the Co. for flowers at the funeral of his father.

Rects 1.25 Fireman Roscoe Graves contributes to the funds of the Co by paying $1.00 membership fee & 25¢ dues. Brink resigns as pipeman M. by Quackenbush that the resignation be accepted. motion prevailed

M. by Pitcher that the pipemen be promoted according to seniority. Motion prevailed and Laura so promoted. Laura appoints Graves as ass't. pipeman. Chief Smullen gives notice that the steamer will be taken out and tested tomorrow eve.

Meeting adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular meeting C. F. Co. July 7th 1909.
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of last Regular read and approved.
The fine of W. F. Taylor for absence from last regular was on motion of Bennett excused.
The following members paid 25¢ each for dues to Jan 1. 1910. Grundy. Grice Graves Quackenbush. Taylor. Bennett & Brown

Dues $1.75

Rec'd from Vanaken Bros. $2.00 which was by error overpaid in their bill of May 5. 1909.

Vanaken $2.00

The bill of D. Vogt for $1.50 for flowers for Fireman Pitches father was presented and on motion of Brown was ordered paid.

Bill $1.50

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #8.

July 12. 09. An alarm by Phone at 8.20 P. M. summoned the Dept. to #274 Grand St. the Hawley Home. It was found that in some unaccountable manner, a pile of papers & magazines stored in the wood house had taken fire. the roof of the wood house was somewhat burned & smoked. but was quickly extinguished.

Damage about $75.00 Ins 119.00

F A Brown Sec.

Alarm #9

July. 15. 10c P M.
During a heavy thunder storm. A barn owned by Dr Warner on Greene St. was struck by lightning and set on fire. The Dept. was called by telephone and told that the fire was on No Grand St. After running the length of Grand St. word was rec'd. that the fire was on Greene St. After another long run to Green St. it was found that the fire had been Put out by the neighbors.

Damage $ 20.00

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #10 July 22, 1909. At 8 o-c A. M an alarm by telephone called the Dept. to No 86. N. Fremont St. the home of Linus Faurot. The fire was in the rear of the house and was caused by a gas stove setting fire to a paper partition.
It was quickly put out with chemicals.
Damage $25.00

F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting Aug. 4. 1909
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting, and intervening alarms read & approved.
Fine .30¢ Jepson paid 30¢ fine for absence from regular meeting July 7.
Dues .75 Brink, Laura & Jepson paid 25¢ each for dues to Jan 1. 1910
Moved by Quackenbush that the names of Graves & Thompson be stricken from the list of Subs. Graves having been elected a regular fireman & Thompson having left the City. Motion carried
Fireman Bensell was reported, laid up, as the result of an accident while at work at the Cement Factory.
Reported that Fireman Holts wife had been taken to Toledo for an operation.
There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec

Aug 6.09
Mrs. Holt died in Toledo at 11 P.M. to-day.

Aug 9.
Mrs Frank Holt was buried to-day. Services at 2. P.M. Firemen Grundy, Quackenbush, Jepson, Laura, Taylor, Brink & Brown acting as Pall Bearers.

Still Alarm

Aug 21. About 8 o.c P.M. a Still alarm was sent in from Woodwards Store. Chief Smullen & Firemen Brink & Taylor responded with Chemicals and succeeded in extinguishing the fire without disturbing the trade.
The fire was caused by a leak in the gasoline lighting plant. Damage Slight.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #11

Aug 23. 3.30 A.M. An alarm by Telephone Summoned the Dept to Dyce Hunts Automobile & Bicycle repair Shop #24 E. Chicago St.
The building which was of light construction covered with iron was completely enveloped in flames when the Dept. arrived, and was a complete loss before any water was thrown Four lines of hose were laid, and by strenuous work the adjoining property, Carrolls Store on the East, and the Michigan Inn on the West were saved with but little loss. the cause of the fire is unknown, but is supposed to be Spontaneous Combustion.

Losses Hunt	$2500.	Ins 1000.
Mich Inn	548.	548.
Carroll Store	67.80	67.80

Can. Beard suffered a small loss in Clothing which was stored in the Inn.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Still Alarm

Aug 27. At 12-50 P.M. During a Severe Thunder Storm, an alarm by telephone summoned the Dept. to So Mich. Ave. but before a General alarm was sounded it was learned that a barn outside the City limits had been Struck by lightning. and as we could do no good we did not go.

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular Meeting Sept. 1st 1909
Forman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms read & approved.
Dues. 25-d Pitcher paid 25-d dues to Jan. 1st 1909
There being no further Bussiness the meeting was adjourned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting Oct 6. 1909.
Forman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.
Secretary read a communication from Fireman Holt, which on motion of Bennett was accepted and placed on file. there being no further bussiness. meeting adjourned
J. B. Smullen
Sec pro tem

Alarm # 12. Oct 8. 1909 At 2-05-PM Today an alarm by messenger called the Dept. to the new Post Office Cor of Pearl and S. Monroe Sts. One of the workmen had accidentally or carelessly thrown a lighted match into a pile of Straw and excelcior used for packing roof tiles therby setting it afire. It was easily extinguished with no damage.
J. B. Smullen Sec
pro tem
150 ft Hose laid

Regular meeting Nov 4. 1909. Forman Grundy presiding. Minutes of last Reg. & alarm #12 read & approved
F. W. Holt pays 25-d Dues to Jan 1. 1910. There being no further Bussinsss. Meeting adjourned.
Dues 25c)
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular meeting Dec 1. 1909.
Forman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of the last regular meeting read & approved.
No bussiness appearing, the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec

Annal Meeting Dec 6th 1909.

At the Anual Election of Dep't. Officers, held this Evening. Chief Smullen presided.
F. A. Brown elected Clerk.
Wm F. Taylor & C. L. Pitcher appointed tellers.
The polls were opened at 7 o.c & closed at 8 o.c.
Election resulted as follows.
For 1st Asst. Chief.
Whole No Votes Cast 12. of which Quackenbush recd. 1. Brown 2. Jepson 9.
L. H. Jepson having recd. a majority of all votes cast was declared elected 1st Asst. Chief.
For 2nd Asst Chief.
Whole No Votes Cast 12. of which Graves recd 1 Pitcher 1. Grundy 2. Quackenbush 8.
G. A. Quackenbush having recd. a majority of all votes cast, was declared elected 2nd Asst Chief.
There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Clerk

Dec. 6th 1909.
At the Anual meeting of the C. F. Co. held this evening. Forman Grundy presided.
Moved by Quackenbush that the chair appoint two tellers Carried
Quackenbush and Laura appointed tellers

Annual Meeting Continued

The Election of Officers resulted as follows

Foreman.	T. M. Grundy.
Asst. "	Roscoe Graves.
Secretary	F. A. Brown
Treasurer	C. F. Bennett
Pipeman	J. F. Laura

Fines 45¢ — Wm F. Taylor paid 45¢ fines for absence from 1st roll call Oct 6th & Reg. Dec 1.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm. #13 — Dec 28. 1909. An Alarm by messenger at 7-20 this eve. summoned the Dept. to Dr Hadleys Dental parlors, over McCorts Dry Goods Store. #13 E Chicago St.

At first the smoke was so dense that the seat of the fire could not be located, but when located was quickly under controll. two streams of water 650 ft hose was used. after about an hours hard work the fire was all out.

Losses.	Bldg	819.	Ins. 819
"	Hadley	1800.	1000
" Content	McCort	1500.	1500
"	Wicks	740	740

F. A. Brown Sec

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45 00 / 22 50 / 22 50

1910

Regular meeting of C.F.Co. Jan. 5. 1910
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of the last reg. meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.
Bill of D. Voyt. Flowers for Mrs Holt $1.50 presented. and on motion was allowed & ordered paid.
$1.50
On motion of C. F. Bennett an order of
Sec. Salary $5.00
five Dollars was drawn to pay Sec. Salary for the year 1909.
The following members paid 25c each for
Dues. $2.25
Dues to July 1. 1910. Grundy. Quackenbush. Jepson. Brown. Bennett. Brink. Laura. Pitcher. Taylor.
Pipeman Laura appoints as ass't. Pipemen W. F. Taylor and E. A. Brink.
Foreman Grundy appoints the following committees for the ensuing year.

Finance Com.
Quackenbush. Brink & Holt.

Reference Com.
Bennett. Pitcher & Jepson.

The Secretary read his annual report for the year 1909 which is as follows.
The No of alarms during the year was 13 and occurred by months as follows. Jan 2. Feb 1. Mar 1. Apr 3. May 0 June 0 July 3. Aug 1. Sept 0. Oct 1. Nov 0. Dec 1. = 13
Beside the above there were 6 still alarms which were either false alarms or were put out with Chemicals.
The fires and alarms were distributed about the City as follows. 1st Ward 4. 2nd Ward 2
3rd Ward 5. 4th Ward 2. = 13

Alarms between 6 a.m & 6 P.M were 6
Alarms between 6 P.M & 6 a.m " 7 = 13

 Sec. Report Continued

Average No Men present at alarms 11 10/12
Possible Average 12.
No ft hose laid during year 2650
No fires put out with Chemicals including still alarms 5
The causes for the fires and alarms during the year were
Defective Stove pipes 2. Spon. Com. 1. Lightning 2
Chimney fire 1. Electric wires 1. Gasoline Stove 1
Unknown 4. False alarm 1

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Respectfully submitted
F. A. Brown Sec

Treas. Bennett makes the following report

Bal on Hand Jan 1. 1909		$9.58
Receipts Jan 6. Fines & Dues		3.10
" Feb 3 " " "		.80
" Apr 7 "		.45
" May 5 "		.30
" May 5 Special Assisment.		6.00
" June 2 Initeation fee & Dues		1.25
" July 7 Van Aken 2.00 Dues 1.75		3.75
" Aug 4 Fines & Dues		1.05
" Sept 1 "		.25
" Nov 1 "		.25
" Dec 6 Fines		.45
Total		$27.23

Disbursments

Jan 6 Sec Salary & Postage	$5.30
Mar 3 Van Aken Bros.	2.00
May 5 Van Aken Bros	12.25
July 7 D. Voyt	1.50
Total.	$21.05
Bal on hand Jan 1. 1910	$6.18

Chief Smullen made a few appropriate remarks. after which the meeting adjourned.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Losses & Insurance 1909

Loss on Buildings	$2860.80
Insurance Pd	2860.80
Loss over Ins.	0 0 0
Loss on Contents	6740
Ins. Pd	3940
Loss over Ins	2800.
Total Loss over Ins.	$2800.

Alarm #1 False. Jan 25. 1910.

At 4-30 P.M. the whistle at the Power House sounded a fire alarm. several of the firemen hastened to the Engine house only to find that it was a false alarm. crossing of wires was responsible for the alarm.

Alarm #2. Jan 31. 1910.

At 7-15 A.M. an alarm by phone called the Dept. to No 229 East Washington St. House owned by C Megley & occupied by Arthur Prouty. The fire was in a partition around a stove pipe. and was due to faulty construction.

Damage about $5.00

F. A. Brown Sec'y

Regular Meeting Feb. 2. 1910.

Forman Grundy presiding

Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

Bill of D. Vogt for $1.50 for flowers (J. Laura's Mother) presented & on motion of Bennett was allowed and an order drawn for the same.
$1.50

Graves paid .25¢ dues to July 1. 1910 also 30¢ fine for absence from Regular meeting Jan 5. 1910
Dues .25
Fine .30

over.

 Regular Feb. 2. Continued

Moved by Fireman Quackenbush. that we have a Firemens Ball at Armory Hall on the evening of Jan. 16. 1910. which motion prevailed.

On motion, carried the following Committees were appointed, for the Ball

Executive Com.

Bennett. Brink and Jepson.

Reception Com.

Pitcher Brown and Taylor

Floor Com

Quackenbush Jepson Graves and Laura.

Moved & Supported that the price of the tickets for the Ball be $1.00 Carried.

On motion, carried. the meeting was adjourned until Wed. eve. Feb. 9th.

C. L. Pitcher Sec Protem

Special (adjourned) Meeting. Feb. 9. 1910.

Forman Grundy presiding.

Chairman Bennett of Executive Committee reports that arrangments for the Ball are progressing in fine shape. and that a good many tickets are being sold.

Moved by Jepson that complimentrary tickets be presented to A.E. Buck & Frank Brady in partial recognition of their good work in selling tickets Carried.

(Sub) Bennett proposes the name of Lee Holdridge for substitute fireman.

Moved by Laura that each fireman purchase a Cap like sample shown by the Sec'y. Carried.

Moved by Jepson that we adjourn until Tuesday eve Feb 15 at 7-30 Carried.

F. A. Brown Sec

(adjourned)
Special Meeting Feb. 15. 1910.
Asst. Foreman Graves presiding.
Minutes of Special meeting of Feb. 9. read & approved.
Chmn Bennett of Ex Com. reports $158.00 recd from sale of tickets. Secy reports caps recd. and that express & mail charges are 75¢. Moved by Laura that the bill for Express & mail be allowed and an order drawn on Gen. Fund for the same. Motion prevailed.
Bill .75¢
Moved by Laura that Chief Smullen be presented a complimentary ticket to the ball. Carried
Moved by Brink that one fireman be appointed to tend door and one to sell tickets. Carried
Brink appointed to tend door and Smullen to sell tickets.
Moved by Brink that the programs be given out at the door, as they come in. Carried.
Moved by Jepson that we wear our badges on outside of coat Carried
Moved by Brink that 15¢ be charged for seats in galary Carried
Moved by Brink that we adjourn until Friday eve. Feb 18. Carried.

F. A. Brown Sec.

(adjourned)
Special meeting Feb 18. 1910
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of last regular and adjourned meetings read and approved
Chmn. Bennett of the Ex Com. Reports as follows
That the dance was held on the evening of Feb 16. and was an enjoyable affair.
That the rects from all sources were $178.75
That the total expences were 52.70
Leaving a ballance on hand of $126.05
Moved by Quackenbush that the report be accepted & Com. discharged Carried

Moved by Brink that a vote of thanks be extended to the public through the press for their generous patronage of our Ball. Carried.

Moved by Laura that the proceeds of the ball be divided as follows.

$9.05 Dance.

$9.00 apiece to each member including the Chief. and that the ballance $9.05 be placed in the Gen. Fund Carried.

Fireman Pitcher with a neat speach in behalf of the Company presented the Sec. with a box of Cigars. in appreciation of alledged services rendered in connection with the Ball.

After a Smoker & Social secion. during which several members in plain language expressed their sentiments as to the good and welfare of the Company. the meeting was adjourned

T. A. Brown Sec

Regular Meeting ~~Feb.~~ March 2. 1910

Foreman Grundy presiding

Minutes of the last regular. and three adjourned meetings read & approved.

Fine 15¢

Taylor pd. 15¢ fine for absence from 1st roll call of Reg. meeting Feb 2.

Moved by Pitcher that all other fines be excused to date. which motion prevailed.

Dues 50¢

Nolt and Grice each paid 25¢ for dues to July 1. 1910

pd out 4.30

The bill for Electric Light for the Ball. amounting to $4.30 was presented. and on motion of Pitcher was allowed and ordered paid.

For Substitute firemen. Laura proposed the name of Robt. Miller

Pitcher proposed Carl. Staffelt

Moved by Pitcher that both be elected.

Carried

Sugested by the Chief, Brown proposed P. Gillispe
Bennett proposed Lee Holdridge
Moved by Taylor that both be elected. carried
Moved by Jepson that Geo Cole & J.W Hurley
be droped from the roll of Subs carried.
The Substitues at the present time are

Substitutes { S.E. Akenhead. Frank Early. Frank Brady.
H. Holt. Joe Hayes. Ed Fish. Robt Miller
Carl Staffelt. Peter Gillispee & Lee Holdridge

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm # 3 — March 16. 1910. Alarm at 9-30 a.m. caused by a grass fire in the field back of Gus. Burandts house No 23 Sheridan St. and was easily disposed of. 2 Chemicals were used. No Damage
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 4 False — March 16. 1910 At 9-40 P.M. a false alarm was caused by fire & smoke of a retort at the Gas Works. reflected in a Miror in O.J. Deablers furniture Store # 84-86-88 W. Chicago St.
F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm # 5 — March 24. 10-30 A.M. Grass fire at # 141 Hull St. Caused by a bon fire. Put out with 2 Chemical. No Damage.

Alarm # 6 — March 31. An alarm at 1-15 P.M called the Defit. to J. C. Mannerow's Dye House No 66 S Monroe St. while cleaning clothing with gasoline. it ignited. it was quickly extinguished with 2 chemicals.
Damage slight. $100.00 No Ins.
F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm. April 6. 1910. Alarm at 6-15 P. M
#7 The cause of the alarm was. The rays of the setting sun shining on steam at the Clark Cooperage Works. made some one imagine that the whole plant was in flames. An alarm was sent in and the aparatus was hurried to the Works only to find that it was a false alarm
F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting April 6. 1910.
Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening alarms read & approved.
The fines of Grundy. Bennett and Graves for absence from Alarm of Mar. 16 were on motion excused.
Fine .15¢ Graves Paid 15¢ fine for absence from first roll call. this meeting
Moved by Pitcher that the Sec. in behalf of the Co. request Mayor Sherman to appoint J. B. Smullen to succeed himself as Chief of the Fire Dept. Carried
Moved by Pitcher that the case of Fireman Brink be referred to the Ref. Com. for investigation. they to make report 1 week from to night. Carried.
Moved by Pitcher that we adjourn until Wed. eve. Apr. 13. Carried
F. A. Brown Sec

Adjourned meeting April 13. 1910.
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Fireman Bennett of the Ref. Com. reports as follows. That he had written a letter to Mr Brink. directing it to Cedar Springs Mich. but had recd no reply, also that he

had made enquiry of Sub. Brady, and that Brady knows nothing about his whereabouts.

× Fireman Pitcher of the Ref Com. recomends his dismissal.

Moved by Jepson that the Foreman appoint a Com of 3 to confer with the Mayor & Chmn. of the Fire Com. & get their opinion of the matter. Am.-by Brown that the Ref. Com. act as such Com. Am. Carried.

After a short recess, the Com. returns and reports that they had had a conference with the Mayor & City Attorney, and report with the following Resolution.

That Mr Brink be deemed an improper associate for the following reasons.

1st. That he has disposed of his household effects & severed his connections with all his interests in this city except the Fire Co. and that he has departed leaving no address and without notifying any Officer of the Dept or Co. of his whereabouts or intentions.

2nd That he owes numerous bills about the City including a member of the Co. which he shows no disposition to pay.

3rd That we deem it for the best interests of the City and of the Fire Co. that he be expelled.

Moved by Laura that the report of the Com. be accepted and adopted & motion unanamously carried & Mr Brink expelled.

× Pitcher gives notice that at our next regular meeting, he will move an amendment to the By Laws Art 4 Sec 12. relative to members leaving the City.

Meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Brink Expelled.

Alarm #7

April 6. 1910. Alarm at 6-15 P.M. The cause of the alarm was, the rays of the setting sun shining on steam at the Clark Cooperage works. made Jay Gibbons think that the whole plant was in flames. So he blowed the whistle. and sent in an alarm which however proved to be false.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #8

April 23. 1910. At 12-30 A.M. an alarm by telephone. called for help at the home of Mrs Allie Fisk. Although it was two miles distant, and outside the city limits. the team was hitched up, and the run made. The fire was started in the basement and communicated from thence to the partitions of the first floor. The Dep't did good work with Axes. Chemicals and buckets and in about an hour's time succeeded in extinguishing the flames. damage estimated at $1200 or $1500

ladder

$370. and $370.

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular Meeting May 4th 1910.

Forman Grundy presiding.

Minutes of last reg. meeting and intervening alarms read and approved

Brady Elected.

Pitcher proposed the name of Frank Brady for membership. to fill vacancy caused by the expulsion of Brick. There being no other names proposed. a ballot was taken and Frank B. Brady elected to membership.

Amendment to By Laws.

Pitcher presented the following amendment to the By-Laws and moved its adoption which motion prevailed.

Article V. Sec. 12.

Any member who shall leave the City to be absent for twenty-four hours or more. shall notify the Forman. Asst. Forman.

or Chief of his intention of being absent, and by his failure to do so, he may be expelled.

Mrs. Allie Fisk presented the Company with a box of Cigars, for assistance rendered at her fire April 23rd.

Moved by Bennett that the Co. extend to Mrs Fisk a vote of thanks. Carried.

Moved by Pitcher that the Chief ask common Council to date Brady's pay from April 15. Carried.

There being no further Bussiness the meeting was adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular meeting June 1, 1910.

Forman Grundy presiding

Minutes of last Reg. meeting read & approved.

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

Fees & Dues 1.25 — Fireman Frank Brady consumated his membership by paying the required fees. $1.00 membership fee & .25 Dues.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #9

R. J. Chandler Burned to Death

June 11, 1910. At 10-30 P.M. an alarm by messenger, summoned the Dept. to the rooms over Roby's Drug Store #42 W Chi. St. occupied by Robt J Chandler. the fire was incipient and quickly extinguished with 1 stream of water. The fire is supposed to have been caused by Mr Chandler lighting a match and accidently setting fire to his clothing. He was so badly burned that he died the next morning at 6-30

Damage. Roby $400.95. Ins. $400.95—
Bldg & Conts 300. 300.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm. #10

July 1. 1910 Alarm at 12-30 P.M. The fire was at No 293 W. Pearl St. house owned by Mrs. Homer Holt. the cause was an overheated stove pipe which passed through a wood ceiling in the Kitchen. and was easily extinguished with Chemicals. Damage $39.30 covered by insurance

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 11.

July 2. 1910. Alarm at 11-30 P.M. The fire was at Roby's Drug store # 42 W. Chicago St. and was out before the arrival of the Dept. The fire was caused by some one shooting a Sky rocket through the front window. which exploded in a display of fireworks and igniting some of them. Damage 150.00 Ins. 150.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm # 12

July 4. At 10-45 A. M. Dean Corless. Grocery on N. Marshall St came near going up in smoke. Dean had a lot of fire works in the front window. which in some way became ignited, causing lively times for a few minutes. He turned in an alarm, but had the fire out when the Dept. got there Not much damage except to the fireworks

Alarm # 13.

July 4. 11-50 A. M. Fire was discovered in the roof of the house belonging to Andrew Swantek. just South of the RR on Clay St An alarm was sent in and. the fire was soon extinguished with 1 stream of water. Cause unknown Damage about $100. Insured.

F. A. Brown

Regular Meeting July 6. 1910

Foreman Grundy presiding.

Minutes of the last regular Meeting and intervening alarms read & approved.

Fine 30¢ Holt pd 36¢ fine for absence from June regular

The fines of Laura for absence from two alarms July 4th were on motion excused, he being out of the city at the time,

The following members pd 25¢ each. dues to Jan 1. 1911. Grundy. Jepson. Quackenbush, Brown. Laura. Taylor. Holt. Grice. Pitcher & Brady.

Dues. 2.50

Quackenbush reported that Fireman Bennett had sold his house & lot. and was soon to leave town and suggested that we ought to give him a house warming before he goes.

Moved by Pitcher that a Com of 3 be appointed to arrange for such an event. Carried. & Pitcher. Quackenbush & Grice appointed.

Meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown. Sec'y.

Alarm #14 Sunday July 17. 1910. At 11-50 A M. an alarm by telephone called the Dep't. to Dr. Hadleys residence. No 160 N Hudson St. The fire was in the roof and caused by sparks from the chimney. and was extinguished by a stream from the garden hose. Damage slight

F. A. Brown Sec.

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Regular meeting Aug 3. 1910.
Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and alarm of July 17 read & approved
The Com. appointed to make arangements for a farewell party for Fireman Bennett reports. and were continued.
Moved & supported that the fines of those who were absent from Dr Hadleys fire be excused. motion prevailed. There being no further bussiness. the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec.

Aug 4. 1910
Alarm #15. At 8-50 A M. an alarm by telephone called the Dep't. to Mrs. Geo Greenwoods No 65 N Monroe St. where it was found that Mrs Greenwood had a bonfire in the rear of the barn. One of the neighbors seeing the smoke and thinking that perhaps the barn was afire sent in an alarm.
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #16 Aug 5. 1910. At 12-50 P.M. an alarm by Phone notified the Dep't. that one of the Carnival Tents on W. Chicago St was in flames. and upon the arrival of the Dep't. such was found to be the case. The tent had caught fire from a Gasoline heater used to heat the water in the swimming tank. and was badly damaged.
Put out with Chemicals.
F. A. Brown Secy.

Alarm #17 — Aug. 16. 1910. At 2. P.M. an alarm by Telephone summoned the Dept. to the residence of John T. Jackson. Cor of N Clay & Harrison Sts. Spontaneous Combustion among some Chemicals had started a fire in the 2nd Story which burned a small hole through the roof. It was quickly extinguished with Chemicals.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #18 — Aug 18. At 7.0c this morning a telephone alarm called the Dept. to 99 S. Division Street. but before the hitch up could be made a second phone said we need not come. No fire. No Water No Damage

False.

F A. Brown Sec.

Special aug 31 →

Alarm #19. — Sept 3. 1910. at 8.30 A.M. an alarm was sent in by telephone from No 219 S. Div. St. House owned by John Brown and occupied by Sobeskie. the scare was caused by something burning on the gas stove which created a dense smoke, giving Mrs Sobeskie the impression that the house was on fire.

False. — no Damage F. A. Brown Sec.

Aug 31, 1910

Special — meeting. Forman Grundy presiding. The Resignation of C. F. Bennett as a member of C. F. Co. read by the Sec'y. Moved by Jepson that the resignation be accepted. motion prevailed. there being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Bennett Resigned

Bennett Pd Dues. 25 ¢

Regular meeting Sept 7. 1910.
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of last reg. meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.
Fireman Pitcher presents for membership in the Co. the name of Ed. Fish. and also moves that the rules be suspended. and that the Secy. cast the ballot of the whole Co. for Fish. The motion prevailed. There being ten members present. The Sec. cast 10 votes for Edward H. Fish. and he was declared elected

Ed. Fish elected confirmed Sept 8.

Moved by Pitcher that all fines be excused to date. Motion prevailed.
Moved by Pitcher. that A. W. Grice be elected Treasurer to fill vacancy caused by resignation of Bennett. Motion prevailed.

Grice elected Treas.

Foreman Grundy also appoints Grice Chairman of Reference Co.
Meeting adjourned F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #20

Sept 19. 1910 At 2-30 this morning an alarm was sent in by telephone from the Gas Works. The fire was in a pile of Coke which had not been properly taken care of. 1 Hours work with 2 streams of water were required to extinguish it
No Damage F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm #21 Car. at R. R.

Oct 4. 1910. At about 12-30 P.M. an alarm by telephone said that there was a car on fire at the Depot. Upon arriving at the depot it was found that a freight train had just pulled in from the West with the caboose in flames. 1 stream of water quickly extinguished it, But not before the car was gutted. The cause is supposed to be a gasoline Stove. Damage unknown F. A. Brown Sec

400 ft hose

Regular meeting Oct. 5. 1910.
Forman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of the last reg. meeting & intervening alarms read and approved.

Dues .25 Fireman Graves pd 1.25. Dues to Jan 1. 1911

Fees $1.00 Fireman Ed. Fish pd $1.00 membership Fee and

Dues .25 25¢ Dues to Jan 1. 1911

There bring no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned. F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meeting Nov. 2. 1910
Forman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

30¢ Fine Holt Paid 30¢ fine for absence from last regular meeting. Moved by Brown that the fine of Holt for absence from the Caboose Fire of Oct 4th be excused. motion prevailed.
No further bussiness appearing, the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Subs. Early. Holt. Hayes. Akenhead. Miller & Holdridge

Anual Meeting Dec 5. 1910.

At the anual Election of Dept officers held this eve. Chief Smullen presided
F. A. Brown was elected Clerk of the meeting.
G. A. Zwackenbush & T. M. Grundy elected tellers.
The election resulted as follows.
1st Asst. Chief. C. H. Jepson
2nd " " Edw. Fish.
There bring no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned
F. A. Brown Clerk.

Dec. 5. 1910. At the Anual Meeting for the election of Officers, held this eve. Forman Grundy presided.
On Motion the Chair appointed firemen Pitcher & Quackenbush as tellers.
Moved by Fireman Laura, that when only 1 name is placed in nomination, that the vote be by acclamation, carried
The election resulted as follows.

Forman	T. M. Grundy
Ass't. "	Roscoe Graves
Secy.	F. A. Brown.
Treas.	A. W. Grice
Pipeman.	Frank Brady.

There being no further bussiness the meeting was adjourned.

F. A. Brown Sec.

Regular Meting Dec 7, 1910
Forman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last regular and Anual meting read & approved.

30 ¢ Fine — Fireman Taylor Paid 30 ¢ fine for absence from last regular meeting.
An anonamous letter inviting the Co to an oyster supper at "Johns Place" was recd. and read.
M. by Laura that the invitation be accepted, which motion unanamously prevailed
Meting adjourned after which all repaired to "Johns Place" and enjoyed a fine Oyster supper at the expense of Foreman Grundy.

F. A. Brown Sec

Alarm #22 Dec. 30. 1910 at 10-30 P.M. an alarm by Telephone called the Dep't to No 159 S. Div. St. the home of John Cauright. The fire was in the roof and was caused by an overheated stovepipe which was used as a chimney.

Damage $2.50

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular Meeting Jan 4th 1911. Or Jan 4th

Foreman Grundy presiding

Minutes read and approved.

The Secy. read his annual report which was as follows.

No of Alarms for the Year 1910. 22. & occurred by months as follows. Jan 2. Feb 0. Mar 4. Apr 2. May 0. June 1. July 5. Aug 4. Sept 2. Oct 1 Nov 0 Dec 1. and were distributed about the City as follows

1st Ward 7. 2nd Ward 3. 3rd Ward 6. 4th Ward 5 Out City 1.

Alarms between 6 A.M & 6 P.M.	16
Alarms between 6 P.M & 6 A.M	6.
Average No men present at Roll call	11 1/5
Possible average	12.
No ft. hose laid during year	1250
No fires but out with Chemicals	8

The causes of Fires and alarms were

Defective Chimneys 2. Sparks from Chimneys 1
Defective Stovepipes 2. Grass fires 2
Fireworks 2 Gasoline & Gasoline stoves 3.
Spontaneous Com. 2 Unknown 2. False Alarms 6

Losses & Insurance

Loss on Bldgs	1071.80	Loss on Contents	400.95
Ins Pd on "	969.30	Ins Pd on "	400.95
Loss over Ins	107.50	Loss over Ins.	000.00

Total Loss over Ins. $107.50

Regular Jan 4. 1911 Continued

Financial Report.

Rects.			Disbursements.		
On Hand Jan 1. 1910		6.18	Jan 5 D. Vogt. Flowers		1.50
Jan 5	Dues.	2.25	Jan 5 F.A.B. Sec. Salary		5.00
Feb 2	Dues & Fine	.55	Feb 2. D. Vogt Flowers		1.50
Feb 18	Dance	9.05	Feb 15. Express on Caps		.75
Mar 2	Dues & Fine	.65	Mar 2. El. Light at Armory		4.30
Apr 6.	Fine	.15	Total		13.05
June 1	Fees & Dues	1.25			
July 6	Fine	.30	Rects.	25.23	
" 6	Dues	2.50	Disburs.	13.05	
Aug 31	Dues	.25	Bal. on hand Jan 1. 1911		$12.18
Oct 5	Fees & Dues	1.50			
Nov. 2.	Fine	.30			
Dec 7.	Fine	.30			
	Total	25.23			

Respectfully submitted
F. A. Brown Sec.

The Treasurer read his Anual Report as follows.

Sept 7. 10.	Rec'd. from Ex Treas Bennett	10.08
Oct 5.	Fees & Dues	1.50
Nov 2	Fine	.30
Dec 7	Fine	.30
	Total.	12.18

Disbursments none.

Bal on hand Jan 1. 1911 $12.18

Respectfully submitted.
A. W. Grice Treas.

The question of a Firemens Ball was brot. up and discussed. all present seemed to be in favor of having a ball. it was therefor Moved by Jepson that a Com. of 3 be appointed and that a Special met. be called for their report. Motion carried

Dance Com. to make arrangments. Chair. appoints Jepson. Graves & Brown

The Foreman appoints as.

Reference Com. Pitcher. Laura & Quackenbush

Finance Com. Jepson. Graves & Fish.

Pipeman Brady as his assistants. Pitcher & Laura.
Moved by Quackenbush that Akenhead be left
off the Sub. list and that Early. Holt
Subs. Hayes. Miller Holdridge & Norm Kimbal who
was nominated by Graves. be elected as Subs
for the year 1911. motion prevailed.
Bill of F. A. B. for Sec. Salary, Express, Postage
5.40 and Moneyorder. amounting to 5.40 was
allowed and an order drawn for same
The following members pd. 25c each Dues to July 1, 1911
Dues Laura. Grundy. Grice. Brown. Quackenbush
2.75 Taylor. Jepson. Fish. Graves. Brady & Holt
Being no further bussiness. meeting adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm Jan 5. 1911. at 2-45 PM. an alarm by
#1 telephone called the Dept. to No 97 So Hudson St.
House owned by E. D. Luedders and occupied by
2 Chem. Fred. McKyes. and is supposed to have been caused
by plumbers thawing out water pipes. & was extinguished
with Chemicals. F. A. Brown Sec

Loss & Ins on Bldg. $31.45

Alarm Jan 25. 1911, 7-30 A. M. An alarm by
#2 telephone summoned the Dept to # 63
Smith St. The residence of M. J. Edmons.
The fire was in the roof of the east wing
and was caused by a defective chimney.
800 ft 1 line of hose was laid from the hydrant on
Hose the cor. of Morse & Smith sts and the fire was
quickly extinguished. The roof on that
part of the house was destroyed.
Damage to Bldg. & Ins paid $253.75
" to Contents " " 46.25

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular Meeting Feb 1. 1911
Forman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.
The Com. on Firemans Ball report that it is their judgment that it best not to have a ball this winter.
On motion carried. the report of the com was accepted and Com. discharged
15¢ fine — Graves paid 15¢ fine for absence from first roll call. There being no further business. the meeting was adjourned
C.L. Pitcher protem — F.A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 3. — Feb 13. 1911. At 10-30 a m an alarm by Telephone called for helt at the Reporter office on Hanchett St. It was discovered that fire in the chimney had dropped out of the clean out-hole at the bottom and set fire to the coal bin. No damage.
F.A. Brown Sec

Alarm # 4 — Feb. 15. 1911 at 8-45 P.M. night watch Ed Milks discovered a fire in the Dressmaking parlors of Mrs Nina Bell in the 2nd Story of the S.M Bank Bldg Cor Chigo & Monroe St. The Dep't were notified and were quickly on the scene, 2 chemicals and the small hose soon had the fire under control. The fire was caused by a gas flat iron which had been left burning.
Damage $214.25 on Bldg. Ins Pd $214.25
Damage to Contents $150. no insurance

F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 5. Feby 28. At 8.o.c. A. M. an alarm by Telephone notified the Dept. that the residence of Mrs B. N. Calkins. No 86 Jackson St. was on fire. The fire was in the roof and attic. a little water in the right place soon had it under control. The boys showed good judgment in not applying any more water than was absolutely necessary.
2 lines consisting of 400 ft of hose were laid.
Loss & Ins. Pd $380 Bldg. $120 Contents.

F. A. Brown Sec

Still Alarm Feb 28. at about 4 P.M. Mrs Musselwhite. residing at the Cor. of Chicago & Jefferson St. telephoned that her chimney was burning out. Chief Smullen and Wm Hutchins responded with a chemical & put it out no damage.

F. A. Brown Sec

Regular meeting March 1st 1911.
Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes of last meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.
There being no business. the meeting was adjourned

C. L. Pitcher Sec protem

Alarm #6 March 5. 1911. At 9-40 A. M. a telephone alarm called the Dept to the home of Frank Cook No 75 Smith St. where a spark from a burning out chimney had started a small blaze in the roof. It was put out with a pail of swill.
Damage very slight.

F. A. Brown Secy

Alarm #7 False.

April 4. 1911. At 6 oc P.M. an alarm by telephone said that Van Akens green houses on South Jay St were on fire. The long hard run was made, only to find upon arriving. that a woman had blundered by sending in an alarm when there was no fire. they were burning a little tobacco to kill rose bugs.

F. A. Brown Sec

April 5, 1911. Regular Meeting.
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of the last regular and intervening alarms read and approved.

Dues 25 Fireman Pitcher Paid dues to July 1. 1911

The fines of Grundy. Taylor & Quackenbush were upon motion excused.

Moved by Brown that we proceed to an informal Ballott for our Choice for Chief. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Laura that the chair appoint two tellers. Motion prevailed and Laura & Pitcher appointed

Seven informal ballots were had Before a choice was made.

The several ballots were as follows.

1st Ballot.	Grundy 3	Jepson 3	Brown 2	Smullen 2.	Laura 1	
2nd "	" 4	" 3	" 3	" 1	" 1	
3rd "	" 4	" 3	" 3		" 2	
4th "	" 1	" 4	" 3	Grice 1	" 3	
5th "	" 1	" 6	" 4		1	
6th "	" 1	" 6	" 5			
7th "		" 4	" 8			

Brown. Elected Chief.

Brown having rec'd. a majority of all votes cast wds declared the choice of the Co. and all signed a petition requesting Mayor Conover to Appoint F. A. Brown as Chief for the ensuing year. ~~F. A. B. Sec~~

M. D. Calkins & Jos Elliott presented the Co. with a box of C. W. C. cigars in appreciation of the excellent work done at the Mrs B. H. Calkins's fire on Feb. 28. The cigars were greatly enjoyed by all. There being no further business the meeting was adjourned F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 8 April 7. At 7 oc A. M. an alarm by phone called the Dept to the boarding house on the Cor of Chicago & Clay Sts. where it was found that a gas jet had set fire to the ceiling. 1 chemical was used and the fire quickly extinguished. Damage very slight. F. A. Brown Sec.

Alarm # 9 April 24. 1911. 5-20 P. M. an alarm by phone summoned the Dept to the residence of John Dawson on Race St. where it was found that a bon fire had set fire to the dry grass and was rapidly spreading toward near by buildings. The fire was stamped out without the aid of hose or chemicals. No Damage

F. A. Brown Sec

May 1. 1911. F. A. Brown upon the expressed wish of the company. was this evening appointed. By Mayor Conover Pas Chief for the ensuing Year.

Regular Meeting May 3, 1911.
Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes of the last regular meeting and intelerening alarms read and approved.
The fines of Brown, Fish & Taylor were upon motion excused.
F. A. Brown tendered his resignation as Sec. to take immediate effect. and upon motion of Pitcher was accepted.
C. L. Pitcher proposed the name of J. B. Smullen, as Sec. to fill vacancy.
no other name being proposed Smullen was elected by acclamation.
Chief Brown made a few remarks and invited the Company to a supper at Shaffers Restaurant.

J B Smullen Sec

Alarm #10 May 8th 1911 11.45 A M
an alarm by Phone Called the Dept to the rear of Jacobs Bro's Store #70 West Chicago where some Empty Dry Good Boxes were a fire Caused by burning Rubbish in the alley it was put out by garden Hose and pails of water no damage

J B Smullen Sec

Alarm #11 May 12th 1911 3.35 P. M.
an alarm by Phone was sent in to the Dept from the Brass Works So Division St after Team was hitched Dept was Phoned not to Come as fire was under Control no Roll Called for this alarm

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm # 12 May 23rd 1911 5.10 P. M.

The alarm by Phone Called the Dept to Leon Clarks 173. East Rail Road St where a fire was started in a Barn by a Boy with matches Fire was out on arrival of Dept-

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm # 13 May 27th 1911 10.10 a.m.

An alarm by Phone Called the Dept to 15 So Rail Road St where a Closet and Barn was on fire Caused By a little girl setting some paper a fire in the Closet- 2 Lines of Hose laid 700 ft and Fire Confined to the Barn and Closet- was soon put out- another Barn owned by Mrs Apherman was Scorched some by the flames Property owned by Flord Bailey

Loss 60.00 Ins'd 60.00

J B Smullen
Sec

Special Meeting May 29th 1911

Foreman Grundy in the Chair

Invitation to take part in Memorial Day parade read and on motion of Pitcher it was accepted and agreed to turn out in a Body

The Resignation of Roscoe Graves was read and on motion of Quackenbush it was accepted

On Motion of Laura Company proceded to an Informal Ballot for Asst Foreman Laura & Grice appointed Tellers

Whole no Votes Cast 10 of Which Quackenbush received 6
Laura " 3
Pitcher " 1

Ballot was declared formal and Quackenbush declared elected asst Foreman.

Moved by Pitcher when we adjourn we adjourn to June 8th Carried

On motion of Laura a Vote was taken for temporay Foreman untill Regular meeting in June Laura and Grice appointed Tellers

Frist Ballot Whole number Voter Cast 10
Kimball 5 Early 5
2nd Ballot 10 Kimball 5 Early 5

3rd Ballot 10 - Kimball 5 Early 5
4th " 10 " 5 " 5
5th " 9 " 5 " 4
Kimball declared elected
Roll called Meeting adjnd
F. A Brown
Sec Pro Tem

Regular Meeting June 7th 1911
7.30 P.M

Foreman Grundy in the Chair
minutes of last meeting dispensed with
on motion of Quackenbush all
members where marked present
and meeting adjourned to June 8th
1911
C L Pitcher
Sec Pro Tem

Regular meeting June 8th 1911
Foreman Grundy in the Chair
minutes of last Regular & Special meet
ings and intervening alarms read
and approved

Under the head of Applications for mem
bership Pitcher proposed the name
of F. L. Earley and Laura the name
of H. C. Kimball. Chair referred the
names to Reference Committe
who reported back favorable on both
candidates Company proceeded to
Ballot on Candidates Grice & Laura
appointed Tellers
Whole no Votes Cast 11
Kimball rec'd 7
Earley " 4
Kimball receiving a majority of

Kimball Elected Confirmed June 8th 11

of Vote Cast was declared elected
and on motion of Pitcher the vote
was declared unanimous
Reds .50 Holt paid June 30c for absent from
alarm #9 april 24-1911

Brady proposed the name of Peter-
Substitute Gillespie Taylor the name of Wm
Roach as substitutes and they
where elected by the Company

Chief Brown read a Communi-
cation from State Fire Marshall
C. A. Palmer in regard to the
Law requiring Fire Chiefs to report
to his office all fires their Cause &
Ete inside of 2 days from the time
of Fire. no futher business was
was called and meeting adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Special meeting June 12-1911

Exibition Run Foreman Grundy in the chair
meeting was called to take action in
regard to making and Exibition Run
June 14. 1911 after informall talk
by Chief and members of the Co
it was decided to give the Exibition
Run Roll Called meeting adjnd

J. B. Smullen
Sec

Coldwater Mich June 14th 1911

The Dept made an Exibition Run at 2 P.M. from Clay St to Jefferson St on Chicago St connected to Hydrant at Jefferson with 100 ft of Hose. time from Tap of Fire Bell to Throwing Water was 1 Minute 5/1 3/4 seconds

J B Smullen
Sec

Wednesday Eve June 28-1911
New City Well Test
A Test of the New City well was given Eight Lines of Hose 50 ft each was Connected to Hydrants on Chicago and So Monroe St The pressure at the Power House was 100 lbs and pressure at Hydrants were strong good heavy streams were thrown ~~for~~ thirty minutes and an even pressure maintained

J B Smullen
Sec

Alarm #14
July 3rd 1911 1140 a.m.
an alarm was turned in by Phone from the residence of Wm Merrill 81 Jackson St Cause of fire was by Gasolene stove setting fire to Kitchen Window Curtain Fire Trucks were hitched When word came that fire was out no Run made and no Damage by fire

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting July 5th 1911

Foreman Grundy in the Chair

Minutes of last regular Meeting and special meetings and intervening Alarms read and Approved

Dues 2.75 Grundy Luckenbush Jefson Fish Smullen Grice Lauda Pitcher Taylor Brady & Kimball paid Dues to Jan 1st 1912

Back 1.25 Kimball paid membership Fees 1.25

Foreman Grundy made remarks in relation to Firemen to notifying Chief or Foreman in regard to who Chief substitutes are when they are out of the City

No Futher Business roll was Called and meeting adjourned

J R Smullen
Sec

Alarm July 7th 10.15 a m
Fee 1.5 The alarm by Phone Called the Dept to the Fashion Stables at 198 Morse St Where a Fire was discovered in one of the Horse Stalls on the ~~south~~ South Side of the ~~South~~ Barn but was out on arival of the Dept
Cause of Fire unknown

J R Smullen
Sec

Alarm #16 The Alarm by Phone Called the Dept to the Farm Known as the Speaker Farm situated on So Mich Ave The Ladder wagon and Firemen responded to the Call. Where a Oat Field was on Fire supposed to be set from Sparks from a L S & M S. Locomotive, about 50 Shocks of Oats, owned by H H Budka were Consumed by the Fire

J R Smullen
Sec

Loss 10.00

Alarm #17 July 15th 2,35 P M.
The alarm by Phone Called the Dept to 68 N. Hanchett St Where a Barn owned by Dell Haynes was on fire 400 ft Hose Laid and fire was soon under Control.
Loss on Building $250
Ins Paid 250

Note
For the good service done by the Dept at this Fire A E & H O. Robinson sent the Dept a Box of C W C. Cigars

Alarm # 18 July 15th 8,45 P M.
The alarm by Phone called the Dept to the Princess Theater Situated at 12 W Chicago St
1 Line of Hose 300 ft Laid and fire was soon put Out Cause of Fire Spon. Combustion

Loss on Bldg. 163.00 Ins 163.00
Loss on Contents 75.00 Ins. 75.00

July 18th " 8.15 A.M.

Alarm #19. The alarm by Phone Called the Dept To the Blacksmith Shop of Jno Dustman 101 W. Chicago St- Where a Coat hanging near the Forge was set on fire from Sparks from Forge resulting in the burning of Coat. no other damage

J B Smullen Sec

Alarm #20 July 22nd " 10.45 P.M.

The alarm by messenger Called the Dept To The New York Dry Goods and Millinery Store of J.G. Waddell and Situated at 17 W. Chicago St- on arrival of Dept Smoke was issuing from the 2nd & 3rd stories Windows in front and rear the most of the Fire seemed to be in the rear of 2nd Story Where the millinery and Cloak Dept was Situated 3 Lines of Hose 2 in front and 1 in rear were laid and a stubborn fight began but after a hour and a half Fire was out but the Contents in 2nd Story were nearly a total Loss The Building was Occupied by Waddell and Wolverton Comet Co.

Building owned by L. M. Wing

Loss on Building $1108.00 Cement Sales Co
" " Contents $6000.00 Conts. 2/12 Ins 2/12

Ins Paid on Building $1108.00 C.L. Pilcher
" " " Contents $3300.00 Conts. 54.45 Ins 54.45

No feet of Hose Laid 1250

Regular Meeting Aug 2nd 1911

Foreman Grundy in the Chair

Minutes of last Regular meeting and Intervening Alarms read and approved

On motion of Quackenbush the Fines of Holt Jefferis and Smullen for alarm #15 July 7th 1911 were excused

On motion of Taylor the fines of Laura and Grace For alarm #16 were excused

On motion of Laura the fine of Kimball for alarm #20 was excused. and on motion of Taylor the fine of Brady for same alarm was excused

Chief Brown made a few remarks in regard to members notifying the Foreman in regard to Substitutes and that he had by order of the Chairman of the Fire Dept asked for 500 ft of Hose 10 Pr of Rubber Boots 10 Rubber Coats and One nozzle, for the Dept He also passed a Box of American Cigars, with the Compliments of J G Waddell of the New York Store that was burned July 22nd

Foreman Grundy Ordered the Co out Tuesday eve at 7 O'clock

to try out the Steamer
No further business Roll was called
and meeting adjnd

J R Smullen
Sec

Alarm # 21 Aug 3rd 7.35 A.M.
The alarm by Phone Called the Dept to Wm Wards 56 Elm St where a blaze from a stove pipe that extended through the roof of the rear part of the House was discovered. and which burned a hole in the roof Blaze was put out by pails of water on arrival of Dept

J R Smullen
Sec

Wednesday Eve Aug 3rd 7.P.M.
The Steamer was taken to the NW Cor of E Chicago and Jefferson Sts and tried out and found to be in good shape

J R Smullen
Sec

Alarm # 22 Sept 2nd 9.10 P.M.
The alarm by Phone Called the Dept to the Seney Garage Cor E Chicago & Hudson Sts where an Automobile was on fire resulting in the total loss of the Top to the Automobile Cause of fire was Gasolene being spilled over the Tail Lamps which were lighted at the Time.

J R Smullen
Sec

Special Meeting Aug 30th 1911

a Special meeting was held at the Council Rooms on the above date The Object of this meeting was to meet with the Fire Dept Committe consisting of Aldermen Jackson & Groves Mayor Conover was also present

Remarks was made by Chief Brown Firemen Pitcher Grundy Funk Jefson Taylor Holt Zuckerbush Sines & Kimble giving their views why they signed a Petition asking for a change of Driver for the Hook and Ladder Wagon. Questions where asked by the Fire Dept Committe and Mayor, which was answered by the Firemen in satisfactory manner

Remarks were made by the Mayor and Aldman Jackson in regard to the matter after which roll was called and meeting adjourned

J B Smullen
Sec

Regular Meeting Sept 6th 1911

Foreman Grundy in the Chair

Minutes of last Regular and Special Meetings also Intervening Minutes Read and Approved

Dues 25c — Foreman Holt-pard dues to Jan 1st 1912

Bill $1.50 — The bill of D. Vogt for Flowers for Mrs Fred Fish to the amt of $1.50 was allowed and a Order on Treas for the Same was drawn by the Secy

Foreman Fish thanked the Co for the Flowers sent by the Co to his Mother

No further Business Roll was Called and meeting Adjnd

J B Smullen
Secy

Still Alarm — Sept 10th 3.00 P.M.
By Order of The Mayor the Hose Wagon and Firemen Brady and Kinsdale went to the City Gravel Pit South Fremont St where a pile of rubbish was on Fire and was causing a Offensive Smell to the residents in that part of the City 700 ft of Hose was laid and after an hours Fire Was put out

J B Smullen
Secy

Alarm #23 — Oct 2nd 8.00 A M.
The alarm by Phone Called the Dept. to 39. Perkins St. Cause of Fire was Caused by Stove Setting Close to Partition Causing Smell fire which was put out by garden Hose Owned by Geo Stuart No Damage.

Regular Meeting. Oct 4. 1911
Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes read and approved. There Being no business to transact the meeting adjourned
C. L. Pitcher Sec pro tem.

Alarm #24. Oct 24 1911. At 10 a m o c. an alarm by phone called the Dept. to No 42 Smith St. house owned by R. S. Biddle. Cause. Spontaneous combustion in clothing hanging on the wall.

Alarm #25 Oct 24 1911 At 2 o c P. M another call from Biddles house. cause this time was sparks left over from the first fire.
Damage & Insurance paid on both
House $5 00 Contents $70 00
J. B. Smullen Sec

Regular Meeting Nov. 1. 1911. Foreman Grundy presiding
Minutes read & approved. A note of thanks was rec'd. from Fireman Wm Taylor & Wife for flowers sent by the company on account of his Fathers death.
Also a Communication from Fireman J. B Smullen tendering his resignation as Sec. of the Co. on account of ill health. which upon motion of Fireman Laura was laid on the table indefinitely.
No further Business appearing the meeting was adjourned
C. L. Pitcher Sec
Pro Tem

Alarm #26. Nov 24. 1911. At 2:00 PM an alarm by telephone called the Dept. to No 22 So Clay St. Brick barn owned by Frank L Farnsworth. a Kettle of tar in the yard in the rear of the barn boiled over and caught fire. No damage. and no occasion for calling out the Dept. J. B. Smullen Sec
per F. A. Brown Sec pro tem

Special Meeting Nov. 29. 1911
Forman J. M. Grundy presiding, and stated that the object of the meeting was to consider. sending Fireman Smullen (who is sick) a Thanks Giving remembrance
Pd out $5.00 Moved by Fireman Pitcher that an order of 5.00 Be drawn on the Treasurer and presented to Bro. Smullen, carried
No further Bussiness. meeting adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec pro tem

Anual Meeting of Dept. Dec 4. 1911
Chief Brown presided.
On Motion C L Pitcher was elected Clerk
Kimbal & Laura appointed tellers
Election resulted as follows.
1st Asst. Chief L. N. Jepson
2nd " " Edwd H. Fish.

Anual Company Election Dec 4. 1911
Forman Grundy presiding, Quackenbush & Jepson appointed tellers. Election resulted as follows.
Forman. C. L. Pitcher
Asst. " A. W. Grice
Secy J. B. Smullen
Treas. J. F. Laura
Pipeman F. B. Brady
Meeting adjourned
F. A. Brown Sec pro tem

Still Alarm

Dec 6th. At 11-30 a.m. a telephone message saying that there was a little trouble at #45 East R.R. St. Fireman Pitcher and W. B. Hutchins took a Chemical and went to the above No. & St. where they found that a stove pipe running through the roof, had set fire to the roof. No particular damage

F. A. Brown Sec protem

Regular Meeting Dec. 6. 1911

Foreman Grundy presiding

Minutes for the last Month read & approved.

A letter from Sec. J. B. Smullen, thanking the Company for the thanksgiving remembrance rec'd, read and placed on file

Mo'd out $5.00

Moved by Pitcher that an order of $5.00 be drawn in favor of Jas. Smullen for Sec'y. Salary for the past year. Carried.

Meets $6.00

Moved by C. Pitcher that an assessment of 50¢ per member be levied to replenish the Treasury with the exception of Smullen. Carried

Bill pd $1.50

The bill of D Vogt $1.50 for flowers for Fireman Taylors Father allowed and an order drawn for the same. There being no further business, meeting adjourned

F. A. Brown Sec. pro. tem

1912

Jan 2nd. Fireman James B. Smullen Died at 9 o.c this morning

Jan 3rd Regular meeting.
Foreman Grundy presiding.
Minutes of the last regular meeting and intervening alarms read & approved.
The following members paid 25¢ each for Dues to July 1st 1912. Grundy. Jepson. Zwackenbush Fish. Grice. Pitcher. Laura. Taylor Brady. & Kimbal.
$2.50
Driver A. E. Hutchins assessed himself $1.00 to be placed in the Gen. Fund as his share of Purse & Flowers sent to Fireman Smullen
Chief Brown announced the Death of Fireman J. B. Smullen and requested the Company to attend the Funeral. Thursday at 2 o.c P.M.
Moved by C L Pitcher that we attend the funeral in a body. as requested by the Chief. which motion prevailed.
Moved by C. L. Pitcher that the Chief be requested to write a letter of Sympathy to the Family of our late Brother Carried
The following communication was received & read.
Holt Resigns
To the members of the Invincible Fire Co.
J. Frank W. Holt tender. my resignation as Fireman, to take immedeate effect. . Frank W. Holt
Moved by J. F. Laura that the resignation be accepted. motion prevailed.
Moved by Laura that the Chair appoint two tellers. and that we proceed to elect two Firemen. to fill the vacancies caused by Death & Resignation
Motion prevailed and the Foreman

appointed Quackenbush & Price as tellers.
The election resulted as follows.
To fill vacancy caused by Smullens Death
Frank. L. Early.
Early & Miller elected
To fill vacancy caused by Holts resignation
Robert Miller
Early Pd Admis Fee & Dues $1.25
Moved by Laura that Fireman Early be nominated for Sec. of the Company. Carried
Moved by Quackenbush that the Secretary pro tem cast the ballot of the Co. for Early
motion prevailed. vote so cast. and. F. L.
Early declared elected Sec'y.
Moved by Quackenbush that F. W.
Holt be Elected as Honorary Fireman. Carried.
Holt Elected Honorary
The Secretary read the Annual
Report of the Co. as follows.

No of Alarms for the year	26
No of Still alarms	3
	29

They occured in months as follows
Jan 2. Feb 3. Mar 1. April 3 May 4. June 0
July 7. Aug 1. Sept 1. Oct 3 Nov. 1. Dec 0
Distributed in Wards as follows.
1st 9. 2nd 6. 3rd 3. 4th 8.

Alarms between 6. A.M. & 6. P.M. =	5
Alarms between 6. P.M. & 6. A.M. =	21
Average No of men. Present	11 7/26
Possible Average	12.
No of feet Hose laid	4300
No of fires put out with Chemicals	6

Causes.

Thawing out Pipes 1. Burning out & defective Chimneys 5
Gas Flat iron 1. Gas Jet 1. Grass fire 1. Rubbish 1
Children & Matches 2. Spark from Locomotion 1
Spark from forge 1. Gasoline Stove 1. Cook Stove 1
Automobile 1. Spontaneous Combustion 3
Unknown 4. False Alarms 2.

over

Losses & Insurance.

Loss on Bldgs.	$2290.45	Loss on Contents	$6727.70
Ins. Pd " "	2290.45	Ins. Pd " "	3877.70
Loss over Ins.	0	Loss over Ins	2850.00

The Secretarys Financial Statement and The Treasurers Report were exactly alike.

The Treasurers Report follows

Reciets.

Bal. on hand Jan 1. 1911		$12.18
Jan 4.	Dues	2.75
Feb 1	Fine	.15
Apr. 5.	Dues	.25
June 8	Fine	.50
July 5	Dues	2.75
July 5	Admission Fee & Dues (Kimbal)	1.25
Sept 6	Dues	.25
Dec 6	Special Assessment	6.00
	Total Rects	$26.08

Disbursements

Jan. 4.	Sec. Salary & Expences	5.40
Sep. 6.	D. Vogt	1.50
Nov. 29.	Jas. Smullen	5.00
Dec. 6.	D. Vogt.	1.50
Dec. 6.	Sec. Salary	5.00
	Total Disbursmts	18.40

Bal on Hand Jan 1. 1912. $7.68.

Respectfully Submitted

A. W. Grice Treas. F. A. Brown Sec pro-tem

This concluding the bussiness of the year Forman Elect Chas. L. Pitcher takes his Seat as Forman with timely remarks. Pipeman Brady appoints as his Asst. Pipemen. T. M. Grundy & Norman Kimbal

Forman Pitcher appoints the following Committees

Ref. Com Taylor. Quackenbush & Fish

Finance Com Grundy. Grice & Kimbal

Rects of the Evening $4.75 which with the ballance on Hand $7.68 making in all $12.43 was turned over to New Treas. Laura

F. A. Brown Sec. pro-tem

Alarm No 1. Jan. 4-1912 at 6.15 A.M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to J.W. Farwells tenant house on State St. house occupied by Mart Cravans Being outside of City limits the ladder truck with firemen responded to the call. On arriving nearly there were met by Firemen Grundy and Laura saying they could not locate the fire. The Dept returned to the Engine house. The fire was caused by an overheated chimney we learned latter.

Alarm No. 2. Jan 4 - 1912 at 6.45 A.M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to the Clarks Cooperage Works located on West Chicago St. On arriving the Dept found a small blaze in shaving box. It was soon put out by the use of chemicals. No damage. 3 or 4 ft loss

Still Alarm. Jan. 4 - 1912 at 9.00 A.M. The second alarm by Phone was turned in from J.W. Farwells house on State St. asking for help. This being a still alarm the ladder truck with Foreman Pitcher and Firemen Taylor and Earley responded. On arriving at the house it was found what was supposed to be smoke arising from between the partitions was only steam caused by water being thrown on at the first fire in the morning. After looking over the house very carefully the Dept returned to headquarters. Cause of fire an overheated chimney.

Alarm No 3.

Jan. 12th " 1912 at 9.40 P.M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to Frank Waldrons house at 110 Walnut St A small blaze had started in the wall where the stove pipe entered the chimney. The lath and plaster being torn off the fire was extinguised without the use of water or chemicals Damage very slight.

Alarm No 4.

Jan 17th " 1913 at 4.20 P.M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to Scott McLanes house at No. 67 Hull St occupied by P. G. Walker. On arriving at the fire it was found that the rear part of upper story was all ablaze caused by defective chimney After a short time the fire was soon put out with a loss on building of about $231.93 Contents $87.50 500 ft of hose used.

Alarm No 5

Jan. 20th " 1912 at 3.15 P.M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to R. S. Biddles house at 42 Smith St The fire being in the North East bedroom caused by a defective Chimney. After laying 700 ft of hose the fire was soon extinguished.
Loss on building
" " Contents and- $ 440.73

Still Alarm.

Jan. 21st " 1912. at 11.15 P.M. Fire was discovered by Nightwatchman Trumbe in Dr. Hadleys Dental Rooms at No 13 W. Chicago St. A still alarm was turned in and the Nightwatchman with the help of Fox and Will Hutchins soon put out the fire with pails of water. The fire was caused by a gas jet being left burning and burning off the tubing setting fire to the Dental Cabinet. Loss $50.00. Ins. $50.00

Alarm No. 6

Feb. 4th 1912 at 9:00 a.m. An alarm by phone called the Dept. to 25 Orchard St. House occupied by James May. The fire was caused by a overheated chimney. The fire was soon extinguish with the aid of one chemical. Loss on building $15.00

Alarm No 7.

Feb 7th 1912. An alarm at noon called the Dept to Ted Taylor 323 West Chicago St. A gasoline blow torch was being used to thaw water pipes when it exploded. Fire was put out before arrival of Dept. No Damage. Ted Taylor was badly burned on hands and face.

Regular meeting Feb 7th 1912.

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms read and approved as corrected

Miller paid admn & Dues $1.25

Fireman Robt. Miller paid admission fee and dues to July 1st 1912. Total $1.25

Subs elected

The names of Ernie Legee, Chas. McCarty Wm Smith, Jesse Hurley, Vern Dippert and Roscoe Graves were presented to the Co. for admission as substitutes.

Fireman Laura made a motion that the names as presented be elected. Motion carried

.50¢

Will Hutchins assessed himself for .50¢ to be placed in the General Fund as his share of purse and flowers sent to Fireman Smullen

Bill pd $2.00

On motion of Fireman Grundy the bill of D. Vogt for $2.00 for flowers sent to Firemen Smullen was allowed and ordered paid.

Fireman Jepson moved that the secretary be instructed, (if the Chief had not already done so) to extend thanks to Dr. Wood for cigars also Clarence Osborn for pictures given the Co. Motion carried.
No further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley Secy.

Still Alarm.

Feb 12th 1912 @ 11:30 P.M. Fire was discovered in the basement of the Eaton Grocery Co located at No 14 So Monroe St. a still alarm was sent in and Monroe Truesdell and Will Hutchins responded with chemicals The fire was soon extinguished It was caused by burning soot falling out of chimney in the basement among some egg crates No damage.

Alarm No 8

Feb 21st 1912 at 7.40 A.M. An alarm by phone called the Dept to Frank Cook's house at 75 Smith St. The alarm was caused by burning out of chimney. No damage.

Regular meeting March 7th 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

Brady paid fine 30c.

Fireman Brady paid a fine of 30c for being absent from regular meeting Feb 7th 1912

Sub. Elected

Fireman Fish presented the name of Wm J Clyde to be added to list of substitutes and on motion the same was so added.

Taylor Pd fine 50¢

Fireman Will Taylor paid a fine of 50¢ for being absent from roll call at the time of the Cook fire Feb 21st

No further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L Earley Secy

Alarm No 9.

March 14th at 6.15 A M. An alarm by Phone called the Dept to 25 Orchard St. House occupied by James May. Fire was caused by an over heated stovepipe passing through partition and setting fire to partition. Damage $2.50

Regular meeting April 3rd 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding.

Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

Brady paid fine, 15¢

Fireman Brady paid a fine of 15¢ for being absent from first roll call of meeting of March 7th 1912

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L Earley
Secy.

Alarm No. 10.

April 25th 1912 at 2.15 P.M. An alarm by Phone called the Department to the house owned by L. E. Rose at 65 Division St where a rubbish pile was burning near the barn. No damage.

Special meeting apr 26th 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Forman Pitcher stated that the object of this meeting was to select a man for chief for the ensuing year.

Recommending E. A Brown for Chief

Fireman Laura moved that we recommend to the Mayor and Common Council our present Chief F. A Brown and that the Secretary be instructed to draft resolutions signed by all members. Motion carried

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley Secy.

Regular meeting. May 1st 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Minutes of last regular meeting and intervening alarms and minutes of special meeting read & approved.

Bro. Fish Excused from Fine.

Fireman Laura moved that the fine of .30 on Bro. Ed. Fish for being absent from both roll calls of the special meeting of apr 26 - be excused. Motion carried. No further business roll was called and meeting adjourned. F. L Earley Secy

Regular Meeting June 5th 1912

Pitcher in the chair.

Minuets of last meeting read and approved

There being no business rolled was called and meeting adjourned.

Alarm No 11.

June 6th 1912 at 11,15 A.M. An alarm by Phone called the department to W Henry St near Polk St where an automobile was on fire. The fire was extinguished without the aid of the department.

Alarm No 12

Sunday. June 9th at 3,15 P.M. An alarm by Phone called the Department to the Sleeys garage on East Chicago St. where an automobile had caught fire from gasoline. The fire was put out with a small loss to the cushions and seat.

Regular meeting July 8th 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Minuets of last meeting and intervening alarms read & approved

Bro Miller Excused from Fine

Foreman Quakenbush moved that the fine of Bro Miller for being absent from the Auto fire on West Henry St. be excused on account of sickness. Motion carried

Grundy-Jepson, Quakenbush. Miller Excused from Fine

On motion of Bro. Fish the fines of Firemen Grundy, Jepson, Quakenbush and Miller for being absent from the Auto fire at the Seneys garage on Sunday June 9th were excused on account of the members being at the Cemetery attending services.

Chief Browns visit to Kalamazoo.

Chief Brown made a very interesting report on his visit with Bro. Grice, Brady and Duchmis to Kalamazoo. He stated that the people of Kalamazoo did everything to entertain them and that they had a very good time. He also stated that in his opinion it would be a good idea to join the State Firemens Assn.

To join Firemans Association

On motion of Bro. Quakenbush the Chief and Secy were instructed to make application to join the Assn and that $3.00 be taken from the Company treasuary to pay for same.

No further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley
Secy.

Members Paid Dues

The following members paid dues for six months commencing July 1st Pitcher, Grice, Earley, Laura, Brady, Grundy, Kimble, Jepson, Quakenbush, Taylor, Fish, Miller

Alarm No 13

July 11th at 1 o'clock P.M. an alarm by Phone came from the residence of Solon Tupper at 123 No Jefferson St. Cause of fire was the burning of some kind of roof material which was placed on the gas stove to boil. The Dept was ready to go when word came that their services were not needed.

July 20th 1912. At 3.30 A.M. An alarm by phone called the department to the Wolverine Cement plant located West of the city. The department responded with the steamer and hose cart. The part of the plant known as the packing room was destroyed also thousands of cement sacks and machinery. The run to the cement plant was made in quick time and after about two hours work the department returned to the Engine house. 800 ft. of hose used. Loss on building and contents about $75.000 Insurance $15000 Cause of fire was an over-heated bearing.

Alarm No 14

800 ft. Hose used.

July 24th 1912 The Dept made an exhibition run from Clay St to Jefferson St. Connected to hydrant at Jefferson. Time from tap of bell to throwing water was 1 min 22 3/4 sec.

Exhibition Run

Regular meeting Aug 7th 1912.

Asst Foreman Grice in the chair

Minutes of last meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

On motion of Bro. Grundy the fine on Bro. Laura for being absent from the Auto fire on West Henry St was excused.

Laura's Fine Excused

Moved by Bro. Grundy and supported by Bro Brady that the resignation of Bro Wm Taylor as a member of the fire department be asked for. Motion carried.

Taylor's Resignation

Bro. Grundy moved that the fine on Bro Miller for being absent from the Cement Works fire

Miller's Fine Excused

be excused, Motion carried.

Straights Remarks

Rep. Henry Straight was present and made some very interesting remarks in regard the firemens pension law. The remarks were appreciated very much by the Co.

Chief Brown gave notice the he received the following letter

July 20th 1912

Frank A Brown.
Chief Coldwater Firedept.
Dear Sir

Cement Co's Gift of $50.00

The Wolverine Portland Cement Co wish to express to you, and through you to each of the members of your efficent department their great appreciation of the prompt response and splendid services rendered this morning at the Co. plant, in preventing the spread of the fire to other departments, Please accept the enclosed check as a slight token of our grateful thanks.

Yours very truly
E. R. Root
Secy & Treas.

On motion of Bro. Grundy a vote of thanks was extended to the Cement Co for their generous gift of $50.00

Bro. Grundy moved that the $50.00 received from the Cement Co be divided equally among the firemen including the driver, Motion carried.

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned

Frank L. Earley
Secy

Special meeting Aug 16-1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding.

The following members were present at Roll call
Pitcher, Laura, Grice, Grundy, Fish, Jepson. Miller, Taylor, Brady and Quakenbush

To Consider Resignation of Mr. F. Taylor.

Foreman Pitcher announced the object of the meeting was to consider the resignation of Wm F. Taylor.

After remarks by several of the foreman Laura moved that we take a recess of 10 minuets Motion carried.

Committe to confer with Taylor

Moved by Bro Laura that a committe of 3 be appointed to confer in private with Bro Taylor Motion carried. The chair appointed as such committee, Bros Laura, Quakenbush and Jepson.

The Committee with Bro Taylor retired for a few minuets after which the committee reported that Mr Taylor would not resign.

Moved by Bro. Laura that a committee of 3 be appointed by chair to wait upon the City Attorney and Mayor. Motion was carried.

The chair appointed, Bros Laura, Grice and Jepson.

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned

Frank A. Brown
Secy. Pro-tem

Alarm No, 15

Aug 31st at 6.20 P.M. An alarm by messenger came from the store of H.J. Woodwards. It was discovered that there was a small blaze in basement in rear part of store. The fire was extinguish with chemicals. Cause of fire was the explosion of a gas generator used in the lighting plant

Regular Meeting Sept 4th 1912

Minuets of last meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Proceedings against Taylor laid on table

Bro. Laura, chairman of committee on the resignation of Wm Taylor moved that the proceedings against Mr Taylor be laid on the table. Motion was carried.

Quakenbush Paid fine of .15c.

Bro. Quakenbush paid a fine of 15 cents for being absent from first roll call of the meeting of Aug. 16th

The fines of Bro. Earley and Kimble for being absent from special meeting aug 16th were excused.

The fine of Bro. Pitcher for being absent from regular meeting Aug. 7th was also excused.

Fred Burnham Elected Sub.

Bro. Laura moved that the name of Fred Burnham be added to the list of substitues. Motion carried

Sub. Gillespie dropped from Roll

Bro. Kimble moved that the name of Peter Gillespie be dropped from the list of Subs.

The motion was carried

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley. Secy.

Regular meeting Oct 2nd 1912

Foreman Pitcher presiding

Minuets of last meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

Taylor Paid fine of .50

Bro Taylor paid a fine of .50 for being absent from the Cement Co's fire July 20th

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley. Secy.

Alarm No 16

Oct 13th 1912 at 3.30 A.M. An alarm by messenger called the Department to the Gas Co's works on W. Chicago where a fire had started among the beams and rafters in the retort room. The fire was soon extinguished without any damage. 300 ft of hose used.

Alarm No 17

Oct 29th 1912 at 9.30 A.M. An alarm by phone called the Department to the store room of the Coombs Milling Co located on Race St. and south of the engine room of the B. Mill. On arrival of the Department it was found that the roof was a fire caused by a spark from a passing locomotive. The fire was soon put out with a loss of about $75.00 on building 450 ft of hose used.

Regular Meeting Nov. 6th 1912

Foreman Pitcher in the chair

Minutes of last meeting and intervening alarms read and approved.

Pitcher Ex from fire Jepson Ex from fire

Foreman Pitcher was excused from fire for being absent from the Gas Works fire Oct 13th 1912 and Fireman Jepson was excused for being absent from regular meeting Oct 2nd 1912

Foreman Pitcher gave notice that the Annual Election of officers of the fire department would be held the first Monday evening in December.

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned

Frank L. Earley. Secy.

Alarm No. 18

Nov. 24th 1912 at 4,25 A.M. An alarm by phone came from the residence of Harry Woodwards 169 E. Pearl St. On arrival of the department it was found the the closet in rear of the house was ablaze, also W. H. Wienands wood house which stood within four feet of the closet. The fire was soon extinguished in a very short time with a loss of about $20,00 The fire was supposed to be started by a cigarette or cigar stub Thrown into the closet.

Alarm No 19

Nov. 25th 1912 at 2.00 P.M. An alarm by messenger called the department to H.J. Woodwards Dry goods store 23 W. Chicago St. where a fire was discovered in the third story. The fire was soon put out with chemicals Cause of fire was a stove pipe running up through the floor which had become overheated and setting fire to curtain trimmings. Bld. 30.00 Contents $25.00

Alarm No 20

Nov 28th 1912 at 9.55 P.M. The department was called to Harry Clairs house at 77 Hatch Ave where a lamp had exploded and setting fire to some curtains. The fire was extinguished with very slight damage.

Annual Meeting of Dept. Dec. 2nd 1912
Chief Brown presiding

On motion the chair appointed Frank Earley clerk of the meeting.

On motion of Bro. Laura the chair appointed Bro. C. L Pitcher & Norman Kimball as tellers.

Election of Dept officers

The polls were opened at 7 oclock and closed at 8 oclock.
The first ballot resulted as follows.
For 1st Asst Chief.
Whole number of votes cast 13 of which Jepson receives 7 Laura 4 Fish 2- Jepson declared elected
For 2nd asst chief
Whole number of votes cast 13 of which Fish receives 6 Brady 1 Quakenbush 2 Kimbal 2 Pitcher 1 Laura 1 There being no choice the second ballot was taken and resulted as follows.
Whole no. of votes cast 13 of which Fish receives 9 Laura 2 Grundy 1 Kimball 1. Fish declared elected 2nd Asst Chief There being no further business, the meeting adjourned. Frank L Earley Clerk.

Dec. 2nd 1912
Annual meeting of the C.F. Co. C. L Pitcher presiding.
Minutes of last annual meeting read & approved
On motion of Bro. Grundy the chair appointed two tellers consisting of Bro. Jepson & Miller

Bro Grundy moved that where there was but one candidate put in nomination for an office he be elected by acclamation. Motion carried

Election of Co. Officers

The following officers were all elected by acclamation

Foreman	Chas L Pitcher
Asst "	A B Bruce
Secy	Frank L Earley
Treas	John Laura
Piperman	Frank Brady.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned. Frank L Earley Secy.

Chief Brown entertained Firemen.

After the election Chief Brown invited all the members over to Barbais Restaurant where he had provided a banquet. It was a fine banquet and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Regular Meeting. Dec 4th 1912

Foreman Pitcher in chair

Minutes of last meeting read and allowed

Bro Miller's fine Excused.

Bro. Miller was excused from fine for being absent from the Harry Woodward fire Nov. 24/12

Bro. Lauras fine Excused

Bro Laura was excused from fine for being absent from the Woodward store, Nov. 25-1912

There being no further business roll was called and meeting adjourned.

Frank L. Earley
Secy.

Returns for 1912

	Fletcher	Price	Bradley	Lawrence	Brady	Grundy	Fish	Jackson	Taylor	Kimball	Mahoney	Miller
Jan 4th												
Jan 9th												
Jan 12th												
Jan 17th												
Jan 26th												
Feb 4th											Sub Roach	
" 7th												
" 21st												
Mar 14th												
Apl 25th					Sub Bridge							
June 6th												
June 9th												
July 11th												
" 20th												
June 31st												
Oct 13th												
Oct 29th												
Nov 24th												
" 25th												
" 28th												

Jan 4th U Bowers Home State St
Jan 9th Deaths Registrar Under Boat Races to St
Jan 12th Private Medicine Home 110 So Market St
Jan 17th South Mc Kean Home Hall St.
Jan 26th R.S. Baldwin Home 42 Smith St.
Feb 4th Homes confined in 825 Market St
" 7th Taylor Home of 323 W Chicago St.
" 21st Private Certificate Home 75 Smith St
Mar 14th Home committed to my care 2 Sanders St.
Apl 25th Phillipsh, mon of 2 Pine Home
June 6th Outbreak fire on Hanna St
June 9th Outbreak fire Carpenter Shop & Sales Union
July 11th. Stolen Justice Home 23 No. Jefferson
" 20th Use Pat Comet to Want of Cty
June 31st Woodlawn St. Store Chicago
Oct 13th Boat Club House at Chicago
Oct 29th "B" Mine Short Term Rose St
Nov 24th Henry Mortimer 1169 Pearl St
" 25th H. J. Mortimer Sister. 23 Chicago
" 28th Henry Edson 77 Hatch ave

Meetings for 1912.

	Reg. Jan 3rd	Reg. Feb 7th	Reg. Mar 7th	Reg. Apr 3rd	Spec. Apr 26th	Reg. May 1st	Reg. June 5th	Reg. July 8th	Reg. Aug 7th	Spec. Aug 16th	Reg. Sept 4th	Reg. Oct 2nd	Reg. Nov 6th	Reg. Dec 4th
Pitcher	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	XX	//	//	//	//	//
Grice	Ex.	Ex	Ex	Ex	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	Ex	Ex	Ex
Earley. Elected Jan 3-12	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	XX	//	//	//	//
Laura	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	//
Brady.	//	OO	O	//	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Grundy.	//	//	//	//	Ex Ex	Ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Fish	//	//	//	//	OO	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Jepson.	//	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	OO	//	//
Taylor.	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	X	//	//	//	//	//
Kimball	//	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	XX	//	//	//	//
Drakenbush	//	Ex Ex	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	//	O	//	//	//	//
Miller. Elected Jan 3-12	//	Ex Ex	//	//	//	//	Sick OO	//	//	//	//	Ex Ex	//	//

Cash apc for 1912.

Pitcher	Jan 3rd 12 Pd dues to July 1.-12	.25	Paid dues. July 8th to Jan 1st-13- 25
Grice	" " " " " " 1-12	.25	" " " " " " 25
Earley	" 3rd Membership & dues	1 25	" " " " " " 25
Laura	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Brady	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Grundy	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Fish	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Jepson.	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Taylor.	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Kimball	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Drakenbush	" " " " " "	25	" " " " " " 25
Miller	Feb 7-12 " " " "	125	" " " " " " 25

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	Grundy	Lindsay	Hennessy	Jefferson	Fish	Swinburne	Browne	Price	Brady	Quackenbush	Lawson	Taylor	Pitcher	Nolte
Auditors House # 97 South Madison St. Box 5.														12
Edmonia House 63 S. State St. Box 25														12
Refreshments Office Merchants St Apts 13.														12
Apt 15. Miss Ella Beaumont 111 S. W. State														12
Apt 23. Mrs Bellview 84 Jefferson St.														12
Mrs. A. Grant Apt. House # 75 S. Smith St.			Sub											10
Annie M. Donaldson Apt. House. Butler Court														12
Office Remodeling House Co. Chicago & Clay Sts														11
Office. Mrs. Reese St. Mont Age Hotel Bee				ex									Resigned	9
To W. Clerk 90 Sl- Mont 12th Trains St													Sub	12
Termination Date St Mont 13th Depm													Sub	12
Clarke C & R St Mont 21st Street			Sub	Sub									Sub	12
Bradley's So R 12 St- Mont 23rd Avenue													Sub	12
84 Jefferson St- July 7th Eastern Stable													Sub	9
198 Huron St- July 14th Son Mrs E Stockton Tenn Ore													Sub	10
July 15th Dell Hayes 68 N Main Street													Sub	12
July 15th Chas Lee 12 W Clinton St Theodore													Sub	12
July 18th Dr Martin Hotel Smith Shelf Co. Ind														12
July 22nd Wabash Ave Hazard Store 17th Pleasant														10
Aug 3rd Wm Woods Co Elm St-														12
Sept 2nd Baltimore Bar & Chicago & Hudson's														11
Oct 2. Miss Edwards House #39 Portland St.														
Oct 2nd R. S. Bridges Hotel #42 Main St													Resigned	
Oct 3rd Bridges 42 Smith St. Leased Office													Sub	
Mon: 14 Gas Kettle in Room of Room at #21 to Clay St														

Meetings for 1911

	Reg Jan 4	Reg Feb 1	Reg Mar 1	" Apr. 5	Reg May 3	Special May 29	Reg June 7th	Reg June 8th	Special June 12th	Called meeting June 14th	Reg Meeting July 5th	Reg Meeting Aug 2nd	Special meeting Aug 3rd	Special meeting Aug 30	Reg meeting Sept 6th	Reg meeting Oct 4.	Reg meet Nov. 1	Reg Dec 6
Grundy	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	11	11	
Graves	11	ex	11	11	11	Resigned May 29 - 1911												
Jepson	11	11	11	11	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	11	11	
Fish	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	XX	Sub /	X	11	EE	11	11
~~Brown~~ Smullen	11	ex	ex	11	11	XX	Elected Chief May 1st 1911											
Grice	ex	ex	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	XI	11	E	11	ex
Brady	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	11	11	11	11	11
Quackenbush	11	11	11	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	11	11	11	11	11
Laura	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	XX	11	11	11	11
Taylor	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11		XX	11	11	1	11	11	X	11	
Pitcher	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	XX	1	11	11	11	11	11
Holt	11	ex	ex	11	ex	11	11	11	11	00	00	11	1	11	11	11	11	ex
Smullen					1	XX	11	11	11	11	11	11	1	11	11	SS	Sick	
Kimball	elected	June	8th						11	11	11	11	1	11	11	11	11	11

Cash Rec'd for 1911

Grundy	Jan 4. Pd Dues to July 1. 1911	.25
Graves	" " " " " " " Resigned May 29/11	.25
Jepson	" " " " " " "	.25
Fish	" " " " " " "	.25
Brown	" " " " " " "	.25
Grice	" " " " " " "	.25
Brady	" " " " " " "	.25
Quackenbush	" " " " " " "	.25
Laura	" " " " " " "	.25
Taylor	" " " " " " "	.25
Pitcher	" " " " " " "	.25
Holt	Jan 4. " " " " "	.25
Smullen		
Kimball	July 5 Paid Dues and Membership Fees	1 50

July 5 Paid Dues to Jan 1-12	.25
July 5 " " " " " "	.25
July 5 " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
July 5 " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
" " " " " " "	.25
June 8th Trans. allow #9-	.50
Sept 6 Dues to Jan 1-12	.25
July 5 Dues to Jan 1-1912	.25

1910 Alarms.

	Jan 31. Moplys house. #229 East Washington St.	March 16. Grand fire on Sheridan St.	Mar 16. False alarm Stablers Store	Mar. 24. Graff fire at #141 Mulberry St	Mar 31. Manwarren's Dye Works. 66 Monroe St	April 6. False alarm from Clarks Cooperage works	Apr 28. MS Fitts House. E. Ninth St. outside limits	June 11. Rounds over Robyns Drug Store.	July 1. House #293 W. Park owned by Mrs Hoover Holly	July 2. Robyns Drug Store #42 W. Ohio St	July 4. Corbly Grocery N. Marshall St	July 4. A. Quarterly house 8th & Clay St	July 17. Dr Hadleys house N. Webster St	aug 4. Mrs Greenwoods #68 N. Monroe St	aug 5. Carnival Tent W. Chicago St	aug 16. J.T. Packard House N. Clay St	Aug 18. False alarm #89 Butler St	Sept 3. False alarm 219 S. Division St	Sept 19. Rad Works	Oct 4. Car at 12, 12.	Dec. 30. Gunighbs house 139 S. Dix. St
Grundy	1	1	ex	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Jepson	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	
Quackenbush	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Brown	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Bennett	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	Resigned Sub	Sub	1	Sept 1,	ex	Sept 1, 1910 Sub	Sub	Sub	Sub					
~~Brink~~	1	Sub	Sub	Sub	Sub	Sub	Sub	Expelled			April	13,	1910								
Laura	Sub	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Taylor	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Sub	Sub	1	1	1	1	1	1
Graves	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Sub	Sub
Holt		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1
Grice	Sub	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pitcher	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Sub	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brady								1	1	1	1	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Fish																			1	1	1

Meetings for 1910

	Regular Jan 5	Regular Feb 2	Special Feb 9	Special Feb 15	Special Feb 18	Regular Mar 2	Reg. Apr 6	Reg. May 4	Reg June 1	Reg July 6	Reg Aug 3	Special Aug 31	Reg. Sept 7	Oct 5, 1910	Nov 2, 1910	Dec 5, 1910
Grundy	//	//	//	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Jepson	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Quackenbush	//	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Brown	//	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Bennett	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
~~Brick~~	//	//	ex	//	//	X	X	X	X							
Laura	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	ex	//	//	//	//
Taylor	//	pd	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	ex	//	//	pd	//	//
Graves	pd	//	//	//	//	//	pd	//	//	ex	ex	ex	ex	//	//	//
Holt	//	//	ex	ex	ex	//	//	//	pd	//	//	//	//	pd	//	//
Grice	ex	ex	ex	ex	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Pitcher	//	//	//	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//
Brady	Elected May 4/10															
Fish	Elected Sept 7, 10															

Special Feb 15 — Special. Brick Expelled Mar 13, 1910 — Special

Cash a/c for 1910.

Grundy	Jan 5.	Dues to July 1. 1910	.25	July 6.	Dues to Jan 1. 1911 .25
Jepson	"	" " " " "	.25	"	" " " " " .25
Quackenbush	"	" " " " "	.25	"	" " " " " .25
Brown	"	" " " " "	.25	"	" " " " " .25
Bennett	"	" " " " "	.25	Aug 15	" " " " .25
Brick	"	" " " " "	.25		
Laura	"	" " " " "	.25	July 6.	" " " " .25
Taylor	"	" " " " "	.25	"	" " " " .25
Graves	Feb 2.	" " " "	.25	Oct 5	" " " " .25
Holt	Mar 2.	" " " "	.25	July 6.	" " " " .25
Grice	Mar 4	" " " "	.25	"	" " " " .25
Pitcher	Jan 5	" " " "	.25	"	" " " " .25
Brady	Elected May 4, 1910		$3.00	"	" " " " .25
"	paid Dues June 1. to July 1	"	.25	"	" " " " .25

Alarms for 1908 & 1909

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Quackenbush												
Hart												
Chase												
Sylvester												
Kennedy												
Brown	Sub											
Bennett	Sub	Sub										
Brink												
Fisher												
Taylor												
Lewis												
Hart												
Grier												

1908

June 23. Was burned down #170 West 4th	
June 25. Mrs. A. B. McCloskey Burned to Death	
Sept. 11. 3 ½ Fire House 139 Monroe St	
Mar. 10. E. Klemper & Daughter St	
Mar. 26. Gloria Apartments 90 to 92 River St	
Oct. 24. Cancelled Box. St. 2nd Alarm. #37 W. Elm St.	
Mon. Night. B. Stranahan 188 Westminster St.	
Mon. 23. C. Miller Barn on Upper Chicago St	
July 27. Was Edgewood House 96 Elm St	
Aug. 1. Mrs. Lewis Parker & Mrs. Sarah Hotel Aug. 4. Public Odeum	
Aug. 29. Was Missouri Pacific No. 21 & R.R. St	
Sept. 2. N. Nichols Barn No. 124 Cutler Ave.	
Oct. 31. St. Vincent Hospital office over Florida Drug Store	
Nov. 1. Roof fire at Walker Works.	
Nov. 6. Hydrant fire on Pierce Ave. W. Mrs. Wm. Sullivan's St	
Nov. 19. Was Milliard Lumber Mill & Waukesha St.	
Dec. 15. Stevens House #68 Clarke St.	
Dec. 27. Was Colonial Hotel #84 Jefferson St.	
June 18, 1909. #170 Watertower Fire	
June 25-1909. Attempted Boston #19 W. Chicago St.	
Sept 7, 1909. Was Werks	
Nov. 17. Hotel Northmore & R.R. St	
Nov. 18. Was Colored House 21 Sixth St	
Dec. 24. Grand Avenue Car House & Fair Grounds.	
July 12. Mrs. Leigh House #674 Grove St	
July 15 St. Mary's Home Notre Dame Ave.	
July 28. Anna Stanley Mrs. Wm. Stanwood St	
Aug. 23. A. Neils Block 94 & Chicago St.	
Oct 8. Old Man P.O. Cor. Pearl & Monroe	
Dec 28. Dr. Mahony office over #13 E. Chicago St.	

1909

1908 Meetings

	Jan 2	Feb 5	Mar 4	Apr 1	May 6	June 3								
Quackenbush	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	//	//	//	//	//	/
Glen	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	//	//	Pd	//	//	/
Jupson	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	//	//	//	//	ex	/
Grundy	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	ex	//	//	//	//	/
Brown	//	//	//	Pd	//	//	//	/	//	//	//	//	//	/
Bennett	//	//	ex	//	//	Pd	//	/	//	//	//	//	//	/
Brink	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	0	//	ex	//	//	//	/
Pitcher	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	0	//	//	//	//	//	/
Taylor	0	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	//	//	//	Pd	ex	
Laura	//	//	//	//	//	ex	ex	/	//	//	//	//	//	/
Grice	//	Pd	ex	ex	//	ex	ex	0	ex	ex	//	//	//	
Holt	0	//	//	//	//	ex	ex	/	//	//	ex	ex	Pd	/

1908

Reg Jan 2
" Feb. 5
" Mar 4
" April.
" May 6.
" June 3
" July 1
Special July 22
Reg. Aug 5
Reg Sept 2
" Oct 7.
" Nov 4.
" Dec 2nd
Annual Dec 7.

Meetings 1909

	Regular Jan 6, 1909	Feb. 3 "	March 3 "	April 7. "	Special, Apr 10, 09	Special Apr. 19 09	Regular May 5,	Regular June 2,	Regular July 7.	Regular Aug 4.	Regular Sept 1.	Regular Oct 6. 09	Regular Nov 4. 09	Regular Dec 1. 09	Annual. Dec 6. 09	
Quackenbush	//	//	//	//	/	/	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Glen	//	//	//	Died Apr 10												
Graves elected May 5.						x	x	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Jepson	//	//	//	//	/	/	//	//	Pd	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Grundy	//	//	ex	ex	/	ex	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Brown	//	//	//	//	/	/	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Bennett	//	//	//	//	/	/	//	//	//	ex	//	//	//	//	/	
Brink	ex	//	//	//	/		//	//	//	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Pitcher	//	//	//	//	/	/	//	//	ex	ex	ex	//	//	//	/	
Taylor	//	ex	Pd	ex	ex	ex	//	ex	//	//	//	Pd 01	//	Pd	/	
Laura	//	//	Pd	Pd	/	/	//	ex	ex	//	//	//	//	//	/	
Grice	Pd	//	ex	//	x	x	//	//	ex	/	//	00				
Holt	//	ex	ex	ex	/	/	//	ex	ex	ex		//	//	//	/	

Cash a/c 1908.

Quackenbush	Jan 2.	Dues to July 1	.25	July 1.	Dues to Jan 1. 09. .25
Glen	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Jepson	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Grundy	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Brown	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Bennett	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Brink	"	" " " " " "	.25	" " " " " "	.25
Pitcher	"	" " " " " "	.25	" 2 " " " "	.25
Taylor	Feb 5.	" " " " "	.25	" 1 " " " "	.25
Laura	~~Jan 2.~~	Dues to July 1.	.25	Aug 5 " " " "	.25
Grice	"	" " " " " "	.25	Oct 7 " " " "	.25
Holt	Feb. 5	" " " " "	.25	Aug 5 " " " "	.25

Cash a/c 1909.

Quackenbush	Jan 6.	Dues to July 1.	.25	July 7	Dues to Jan 1. 1910 .25
Glen	"	" " " " " "	25		
Jepson	"	" " " " "	25	Aug 4	" " " " .25
Grundy	"	" " " " "	25	July 7	" " " " " .25
Brown	"	" " " " "	25	" "	" " " " " .25
Bennett	"	" " " " "	25	" "	" " " " " .25
Brink	Feb 3	" " " "	25	Aug 4	" " " " .25
Pitcher	Jan 6.	" " " "	25	Sept 1	" " " " 25
Taylor	"	" " " "	25	July 7	" " " " .25
Laura	"	" " " "	25	Aug 4	" " " " .25
Grice	Feb 3	" " "	25	July 7	" " " " .25
Holt	Jan 6.	" " " "	25	Nov 4	" " " " .25
Graves	June 2.	" " " "	25	July 7	" " " " .25

Brink	Jan 2. Dues 6- July 1. 07. 25¢	July 3. Dues 6- Jan 1, 08 = .25¢
Glen	Jan 2 Dues 6 July 1. 07. 25¢	" " " " " " " .25-¢
Jepson	Feb 6. Dues 6- July 1. 07. 25¢	" " " " " " .25-¢
Quackenbush	Jan 2. Dues 6- July 1. 25-c	" " " " " " .25-¢
Brown	Jan 2 Dues 6- July 1. 25-¢	" " " " " " .25-¢
Bennett	Jan 2. Dues 6- July 1. 25-c	" " " " " " .25-¢
Taylor	Jan 2 Dues 6- July 1. 25-c	Oct. 2. " " " " 25-¢
Grundy	Feb 2. Dues 6- July 1. 25¢	Aug 18 " " " " 25-¢
Pitcher	Jan 2 Dues 6- July 1. 25¢	Sept 4. " " " " 25¢
Laura	Jan 2 Dues 6- July 1. 25-c	Oct 2. " " " " 25¢
Price	Jan 2 Dues 6- July 1. 25-c	July 3. 07. Dues 6- Jan 1. 08 = .25-c
Holt	Jan 2. Dues 6- July 1 25-¢	" " " " " .25-¢

Alarms for 1907

Alarms 1907	Brick	Allen	Hyson	Lueders	Brown	Bennett	Taylor	Grundy	Fletcher	Lewis	Price	Holt
Feb. 9. Cancelled Storm	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
Feb. 14. Supp. Office House	/	/	/	/	/	Sub.	/	/	/	/	/	/
Feb. 19. Supp. Dunn House	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	ex	/	ex	ex	ex
Feb. 26. Vacant House 1st & Utica Ave	/	/	Sub	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
March 6. Prest & Vinsell Chemical Co.	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	ex	/
March 16. Store Bldg. No 51 Quincy St	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
March 22. Residence House 2 1/2 Cutler Ave	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
March 25. Fire Alarm Box 23 Broadway & Quincy St	/	/	Ex	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 2. Supp. Storehouse. Cor Division & Henry Sts	/	/	0	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 4. Supp. Police Station. Phila Ave 1st & Prairie St.	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 7. Res. Fenwick House Cor Aberdeen & Pacific Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 14. Supp. Telephone Poles on Division St	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 23. C. B. Depot House Plum & Elm Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
April 30. Supp. Mrs. Walsh House 1st & Plum St	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	0	/	/	/	/
May 19. Res. Fenwick House Dr. Ellis's office	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
May 19. Supp. Ellis Elevated Store	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
May 27. Res. 1st & Mrs. Rhode House	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
May 28. Box 23 to 91 Hall St. Left Burning	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
May 29. Supp. Cor Division & Quincy Sts.	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
June 1. Supp. Mrs. Fenwick House 1st & Plum Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
June 25. Res. Fenwick House 98 Main St	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
June 25. Res. Rhode House Cor. Main & Division Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
June 28. A. Carlson's 3 Story Brick Store 2nd & Main Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
June 29. Supp. Mrs. Wm Hanna Cor. Main & Division Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Page	/	/	/	/	/	/
July 6. Supp. Mrs. Fenwick House Cor Main & Division Sts	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
July 6. Res. Fenwick House 1st & Cleveland Ave	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/
July 9. Res. Mrs. Sarah Hanna House #109 Division St.	/	/	/	/	/	Sub	/	/	/	/	/	/

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	Sept 1. P. Rooms House. 8 Dist. Sq.	Arbeu Chandlers. Barn. Aug. 25.	Sept 13. Mastic Managers Mortgage Cor. Jeff & Hooker	Oct. 20. Ast. Walkout Co Chi. & Jeff. Sts	Nov. 5. Mr. Gibson House, 1558 Jeff St	Nov 12. House No 1616 E. RR St	Nov 29. Helbourn Fatty. False alarm	Nov 15. Store Box False alarm
Brink	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Glen	Sub	Sub	Sub	1	1	1	1	1
Jepson	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Quackenbush	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1
Brown	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bennett	Sub	1	Sub	Sub	Sub	Sub	1	Sub
Grundy	1	1	1	1	1	1	ex	1
Holt	1	1	1	1	1	1		1
Pitcher	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Laura	1	ex	1	1	1	1	1	1
Grice	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Taylor	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	10	9	10	11	11	11	9	

1907. Meetings

	Reg Jan 2 1907	Reg. Feb 6. "	Reg Mar. 6 "	Reg. Apr. 3 "	Reg. May 1 "	Reg June 5th	Reg. July 3.	Reg. Aug 7.	Reg Sept 4	Reg Oct 2	Reg Nov 6	Reg. Dec. 4.	Reg Jan 2. 08		Special Nov 27	Annual. Dec. 2.	
Brink	11	11	11	11	xx	11	11	11	11	11	11	Pd	11		1	1	
Glen	11	11	11	11	11	11	ex	11	ex	ex	ex	11	11		1	1	
Jepson		11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	ex	11	11		1	1	
Quackenbush	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11		1	1	
Brown	11	11	11	11	00	00	11	ex	ex	11	ex	11	11		1		
Bennett	11	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11			1	1	
Taylor	11	ex	11	11	11	11	ex	11	11	11	11	11			1	1	
Grundy	11	11	11	11	11	xx	11	11	ex	11	11	11	11		1	1	
Pitcher	11	11	11	11	xx	11	ex	11	11	11	11	11	11		1	1	
Laura	11	11	11	11	11	11	Pd	Pd	11	11	11	ex	11		1	1	
Grice	11				xx	00	11	Pd	EE	11	11	Pd	11		1	1	
Holt	11	11	11	ex	11	00	11	ex	EE	11	11				1	1	

Company Cash Account 1901.

Jepson	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Glen	2-6-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Stuart	4-6-25-	Ras. July 1st 1901.
Grice	1-2-25-ch-	7 3 25
Bennett	4-6-25-	7-3-25-¢
Pitcher	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25¢
Laura	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Murray	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Brinck	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Harris	1-2-25-ch-	9-4-25¢
Grundy	1-2-25-ch-	7-3-25-¢
Holt.	1-2-25-ch-	9-4-25¢
Eaton	2-6-5-0 ch-	~~9-4-25~~
Akenhead.		8-7-8/25.

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1-2-1901	Balance on hand		2.57
1-2-1901	Order # 1 C.S. Stuart Postage & Etc	37	
1-2-1901	Received for Dues		2.25
2-6-1901	" Frank Eaton 50ch Glen 25ch Cadue		.75
3-6-1901	Order #2 Badge for Chief Eng Brown	90	
3-6-1901	Order #3 Firemans League	4,00	
4-6.1901.	Order #4 C.S. Shiark Tech. Sch	1,25	
4-6 1901	Recd. Dues		.50
6-5-1901	Recd Fines		1.25
7-3-1901	" Dues		2.00
9. 4.1901	" Dues & Mem.		2.00
11-6 1901	" Fines		.50
		6.5.2	11.52
			6.52
	Bal on Hand Jan. 1st 1902		5.00

Company Cash Account 1900

Brink	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Glen	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Stuart	4-2-25-c	12-5- 25-c
Grice	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Murray	2-7- 25-c	8-1- 25-c
Brown	1-3- 25-c	8-1- 25-c
Grundy	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Pitcher	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Bennett	2-7- 25-c	8-1- 25-c
Laura	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c
Harris	4-2- 25-c	8-1- 25-c
Jepson	1-3- 25-c	7-6- 25-c

1-3-1900	Balance on hand		16.80
" " "	Received for dues		2.00
" " "	Order No 1. Stuart postage	.33	
" " "	" " 2 Stuart Sec. 1899	5.00	
" " "	Received from Holt		.50
2-7-1900	" for dues		.50
3-7-1900	Order No 3. Holt — Badge	2.25	
5-2-1900	Dues		.50
6-6-1900	Fines Grice-Glen-Bennett		.90
6-6-1900	Order No 4 Badger	9.05	
7-6-1900	Recd for dues		1.75
8-1-1900	" " "		1.00
12-5-1900	" " "		.25
12-5-1900	Order # 5 Stuart Sec salary 1900	5.00	
		21.63	24.20
			21.63
	Bal on hand Jan 1st 1901		2.57

Company Cash Account 1898.

Brown 1-5-98- 25 cts. 7. 6. 98. 25 cts

Pitcher 1-5-98- 25 cts. 9-7-98-25 cts

Stuart 4-4-98-25 cts 12-7-98-25 ¢

Glen 2-2-98-25 cts. 8-3-98, 25 cts

Bennett 1-5-98- 25 cts. 8-3-98, 25 cts

Grundy 3-2-98-25 cts. 8-3-98, 25 cts

Brunk 1-5-98- 25 cts. 8-3-98, 25 cts

Sorter 1-5-98- 25 cts. 9-7-98, 25 cts

Pitcher Geo. 1-5-98- 25 cts. 9-7-98-25 cts

Marsh 8-3-98, 50 cts

Smullen 12-7-98-50¢

Elston 1-5-98- 25 cts. 7. 6. 98, 25 cts

Murray 11-2-98-10¢

Jan. 5-98	Balance on hand		$5.85
" " "	Received for dues		1.75
" " "	Order No. 1 Stuart Sec. 1897	$5.00	
" " "	" " 2 Coldwater Sun printing	.50	
Feb. 2-98	Received for dues		.25
Mar. 2-98.	" " "		.25
" " "	" of Smullen dues 25¢ fine 30¢ — 1897.		.55
" " "	" " March fine Reg. M. 2-2-98		.30
Apr. 6, 98	" " Frank Eaton		.50
May 4-98	" " Chas. Stuart		.25
June 8-98	" " John A. Moore		5.00
July 6-98	" " Fred Elston		.25
July 6-98	" " E. H. Brown		.25
Aug 3-98	" of Bennett 30 Glenn 30 fines		.60
Aug 3-98	" " Marsh 50. Brink 25 Grundy 25		
" "	" " Bennett 25. Glenn 25 total		$1.50
Sept 7-98	" " 25¢ Sorter. 25¢ C. Pitcha. 25¢ G. Pitcher Dues		.75
" " "	" " Sorter fine Reg. Oct. 6-8-98		30
May 4, 98	Order No. 3 1st six months sec. salary	2.50	
July 6, 98	Order No. 4 2d " " " "	2.50	
Nov. 2-98	S. F. Murray membership fee & dues $1.10; F. Eaton dues 50¢		1.60
Dec. 7, 98	C. S. Stuart dues 25¢ J. B. Smullen dues 50¢		.75
Dec. 31, 98	John Laura membership fee $1.00		1.00
	Blank Receipts	10	
		10.60	21.70
			10.60
	Bal on hand Jan 1st 99		11.10

1899

1899	Company Cash Account	
Brink	1-4-25¢	8-2-25¢
C. Pitcher	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
~~Smallen~~	4-5-25¢ Resigned Apr. 5, 1899.	
Glenn	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
Murray	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
Brown	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
Grundy	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
Stuart	7-5-25 cts	9-6-25 cts
G. Pitcher	7-5-25 cts resigned Oct 4-99	7-5-25 cts
Bennett	1-4-25¢	7-5-25¢
Laura	1-4-25¢	8-2-25 cts
Harris	4-5-25¢	9-6-25 cts
Price	5-3-25¢	7-5-25¢
Jepson	Elected Oct. 4-99.	11-1-25¢

Jan 4-99	Balance on hand	$11.10	
" " "	Recd for dues	$2.00	
" " "	Order #1 C. S. Stuart		$3.50
Apr. 5 "	Rec'd of Harris $1.55 & Smullen 25¢	1.80	
" " "	Order #2 J. B. Smullen		1.25
May 3-99.	Recd of Grice	1.25	
July 5-99.	" " L. H. Hickey	.25	
" " "	" " Geo. Pitcher dues & fine	.80	
" " "	" " C. S. Stuart "	.25	
" " "	" " Grundy 25¢ C. Pitcher 25¢	.50	
" " "	" " Grice 25¢ Glenn 25¢	.50	
" " "	" " Brown 25¢ Murray 25¢ Bennett 25¢	.75	
Aug. 2-99	" " Brink 25¢ dues & 50¢ fine	.75	
" " "	" " Laura 25¢ "	.25	
Sept. 6-99	" " Stuart 25¢ " Harris 25¢ dues	.50	
" " "	" " Grice 30¢ fine	.30	
Nov. 1-99.	" " Jefson	1.25	
Dec. 6-99	" " John Laura fine	.30	
" " "	Order #3 Knightstown Fire Dep't.		1.00
		225	5.75
		5.75	

Bal on hand Jan 1st 1900 $1680

1898	Reg. M. 1-5	Reg. M. 2-8	2-20-98. Myers Bakery	2-22-98 Bible Committee	3-2-98. Reg. M.	3-7-98 E. Buck St. Barn	4-6-98 Reg. Meeting	5-4-98 Reg. Meeting	6-8-98 Reg. Meeting	6-30-98 E. Side Park	7-6-98 Rec. Secretary	7-7-98 E. Chicago St. Barracks Sept.	8-8, 98 Reg. Meeting	8-27. 98 Reg. Meeting	Mon. Sunday Rec.	5-30-98 Miss Lee Parade	9-7-98 Reg. Meeting
Brown	1	1	1	Ex.	—	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Pitcher	1	1	1	Ex.	—	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Stuart	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Ex	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Glen	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	/	Ex	/	/	Ex	//	/	1	//	
Bennett	1	1	1	Ex	Ex.	1	1	Ex	Ex	/	Pd	/	//	/	1	//	
Grundy	Ex.	1	1	Ex.	1	1	1	Ex	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Brink	1	Ex	1	Ex	Ex	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Sorter	1	Ex.	1	1	1	1	1	Ex	Pd	/	/	Ex	//	/	1	//	
Geo. Pitcher	1	1	Ex.	1	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Marsh	1	Pd.	Ex.	1	1	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	ap	
Smullen	1	Ex.	Ex.	1	1	Ex	1	Ex	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	
Elston	1	Ex.	1	1	1	1	1	/	/	/	/	/	//	/	1	//	

1898	9-12-98 Exch. of Arlington Hall	Reg. M. 10-5-98	10-28-98. H. Millershouse	Reg. M. 11-2-98.	H. Milnes house 11-8-98.	Special Meeting 11-22-98	H. P. Woodward Chimney Fell 11-30-98	Annual Meeting 12-5-98	Reg. M. 12-7-98
Brown	/	1	1	1	Ex	1	1	1	—
Pitcher	/	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—
Stuart	/	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—
Glen	/	1	1	1	1	Ex.	1		
Bennett	/	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Grundy	/	Ex.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Brink	Ex.	1	Ex.	1	1	1	1	1	1
~~Sorter~~	/	—			Removed Oct. 5, 1898				
Geo. Pitcher	/	1	1	1	1	Ex	1	1	1
~~Marsh~~	/	1	1	1	1	Resigned Nov. 22, 1898.			
Smullen	/	Ex.	Ex	1	Ex.	1	1	1	1
Elston.	/	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Murray	—		1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Laing		Elected Dec. 7, 1898							

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	1-2-99 53 Hooker	Reg meeting 1-4-99	1-6-99 Diamond Horse Cor. 4th & Church	1-14-99 Skeeter's Store Reg. meeting	2-1-99 Reg. meeting	2-9-99 Burning Hose Carriage	2-13-99 Tiffin's House Spl. Meeting	3-1-99 Reg. Meeting	3-8-99 Mrs Thos. K. Noe House So. Jefferson	3-29-99 Fire Chief's Election	3-29-99 Fire Chief's Election	Reg. M. 4-5 Stanziethire	4-29-99	Reg. M. 5-3	Reg. M. 6-7	Ladder Carriage 6-13-99	Chief's Buggy 6-16-99
Brink	1	11	1	1	=	1	1	Ex	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	Ex	
C. Pitcher	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	—	
~~Smutten~~	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	Resigned April 5, 1899.						
Glenn	1	11	1	1	11	Ex	Ex	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	—	
Murray	1	11	Ex	Ex	Ex	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	Ex	
Brown	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	1	
Grundy	1	11	1	Ex	11	1	Ex	11	1	Ex	11	1	11	11	1	1	
Stuart	1	11	Ex	1	11	1	Ex	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	1	
G. Pitcher	1	Ex	1	1	Pd	1	1	11	1	1	11	Ex	11	11	1	1	
Bennett	1	11	1	1	Ex	1	1	11	1	1	11	Ex	11	11	1	1	
Laura	1	Ex	Ex	1	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	1	11	11	1	1	
Harris	1	PA	1	1	Ex	1	1	Ex	1	Ex	11	1	11	Ex	1	1	
Grice	Elected Apr. 5, 1899.											1	11	11	1	1	

	R.M. 7-5-99	State School 7:30 P.M. 7-6-99	R.M. 8-2-99	R.M. 9-6-99.	R.M. 10-4-99.	R.M. 11-1-99. Mor Tailor Shop 12-3-99.		A.M. 12-4-99.	R.M. 12-6-99. False Alarm 12-13-99.	Stolen 7:40 12-21-99 P.M.	
Brink	Ex	Pd	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	—
C. Pitcher	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	Ex	1
Glenn	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Murray	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Brown	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Grundy	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Stuart	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
~~G.~~ Pitcher	11	1	Resigned Oct. 4-99.								
Bennett	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Laura	Ex	1	11	11	11	Pd	1	1	11	1	1
Harris	11	1	11	11	11	11	1	1	11	1	1
Grice	11	1	Pd	11	11	11	1	1	Ex	1	1
Jepson	Elected Oct. 4-99.					11	1	1	11	Ex	1

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	R. Inc 1-3-1900	Kiplo Hornal 1-12-1900	Chimney Ray's Barn 1-16-1900	R. Inc 2-7-1900	Herbert Hornal 2-24-1900	Chimney Cook House 3-6-1900	R. Inc. 3-7-1900	R Inc 4-4-1900	Nichols Barn 4-5-1900	Henry Parker Hotel 4-5-1900	R. Inc 5-21-1900	R Inc 6-6-1900	Grape Salmon 6-7-1900	Fire Boundary 6-18-1900
Brink	11	1	1	11	ex	1	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Glen	11	ex	1	11	1	1	11	pd	1	1	11	11	1	1
Stuart	11	1	1	11	1	ex	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Grice	11	1	1	11	1	1	pd	11	1	1	ex	11	1	1
Murray	11	ex	1	11	1	1	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Brown	11	1	1	11	1	1	ex	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Grundy	11	1	1	11	ex	ex	11	ex	1	1	11	11	1	1
Pitcher	11	1	1	ex	ex	ex	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Bennett	11	1	ex	11	1	1	11	11	1	1	pd	11	1	1
Laura	11	ex	1	11	1	1	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	1
Harris	ex	1	1	ex	1	1	11	11	1	1	11	11	1	ex
Jepson	11	1	1	11	1	1	11	11	1	ex	11	11	1	1

7-6-1900 Robinson Loan

Reg. M. 7-6-1900 Odd Fellows Building $1,000 Hall 7-31-1900

R. M. 8-1-1900 Burns & Inman Merchant St 8-13-1900

N. E. cor Road & Jackson Woodland by Hearndon 8-13-1900 Toledo Comm

8-26-1900 R.M. 9-5-1900.

R M 10-3-1900

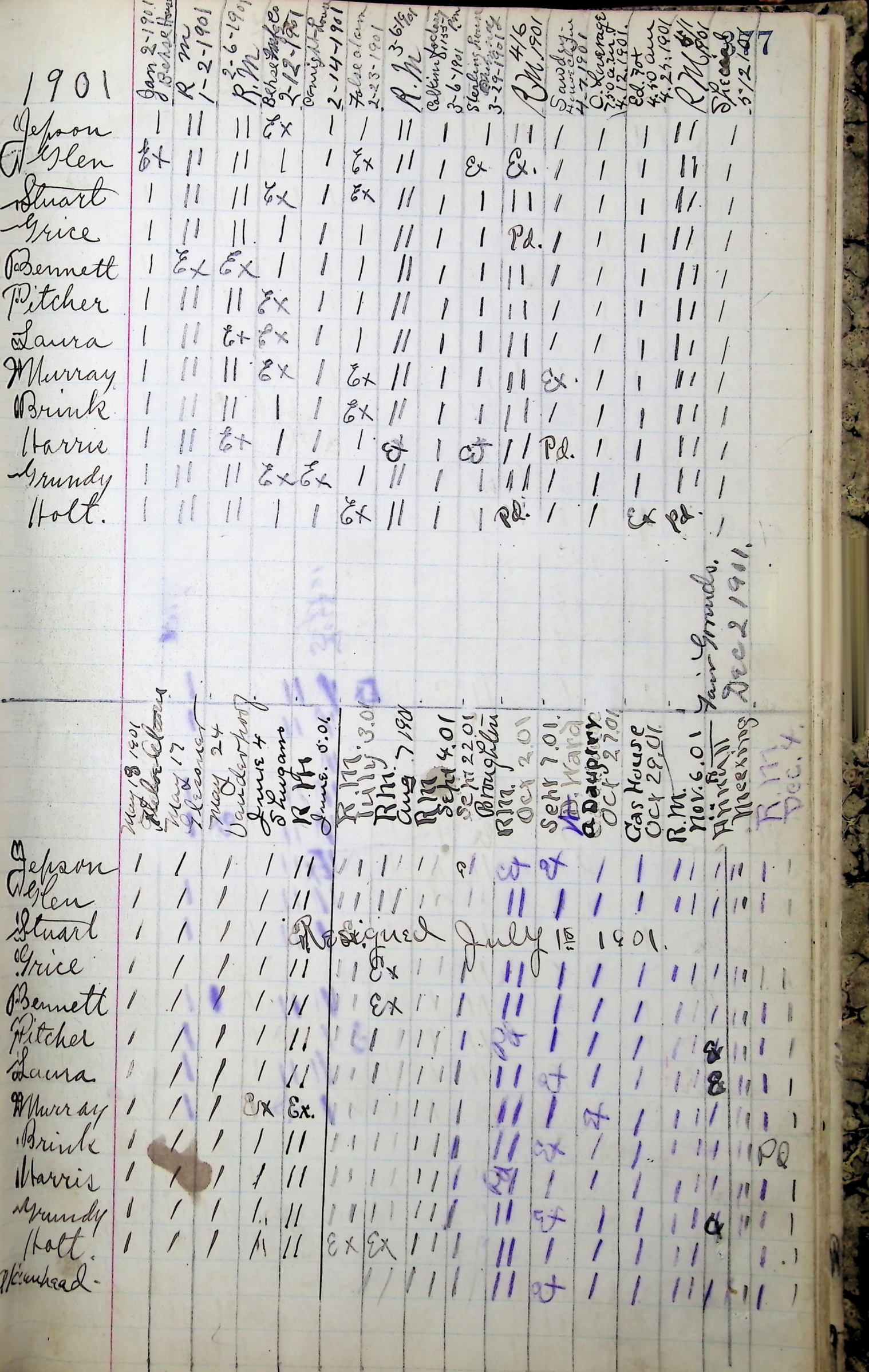
R M 11-7-1900

A In 12-3-1900

R In 12-5-1900 Penmoche Fire 12-7-1900

Shop Hall Thomas 12-31-1900

Brink	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	11	1	1	
Glen	1	11	1	11	1	1	ex	=	ex	11	1	11	1	1	
Stuart	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	ex	1	1	
Grice	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	ex	11	1	11	1	1	
Murray	1	11	1	11	1	1	ex	=	11	11	1	11	1	1	
Brown	1	ex	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	11	1	1	
Grundy	1	11	1	11	ex	1	1	=	11	ex	1	1	1	1	
Pitcher	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	11	1	1	
Bennett	1	ex	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	ex	1	11	1	1	
Laura	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	ex	1	1	
Harris	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	ex	11	1	11	1	1	
Jepson	1	11	1	11	1	1	1	=	11	11	1	11	1	ex	


1901

	Jan 2-1901 Bethel Hous	R M 1-2-1901	2-6-1901 R.M. Bethel Hotel	2-12-1901 Grand Hotel	2-14-1901 Falconbridge	2-23-1901 R.M.	3-6/16 Calkins Hotel	3-6-1901 Sterling House	3-29-1901 Brighton	4/6 RM. 1901	Sandusky 4-7-1901	C. Lounge 4.12.1901.	Ed. Hot 4.20 ann 4.23.1901	R M 4/11 1901	Sherman 5/12 1901
Jepson	1	11	=	Ex	/	=	1	—	11	/	/	1	11	/	
Wylen	Ex	11	11	1	1	Ex	11	1	Ex	/	/	1	11	/	
Stuart	1	11	11	Ex	1	Ex	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Grice	1	11	11	1	1	1	11	1	1	Pd.	/	1	11	/	
Bennett	1	Ex	Ex	1	1	1	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Pitcher	1	11	11	Ex	1	1	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Laura	1	11	Ex	Ex	1	1	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Murray	1	11	11	Ex	1	Ex	11	1	1	11	Ex	1	11	/	
Brink	1	11	11	1	1	Ex	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Harris	1	11	Ex	1	1	1	Ex	1	Ex	11	Pd.	1	11	/	
Grundy	1	11	11	Ex	Ex	1	11	1	1	11	/	1	11	/	
Holt.	1	11	11	1	1	Ex	11	1	1	Pd.	/	1	Ex	Pd.	/

	May 8 1901 Bethel Hotel	May 17 Eleanor	May 24 Vandenhoff	June 4 Shugans	R M June 5.01	R M July 3.01	R M July 15 1901	R M Aug 7 1901	R M Sept 4.01	Sept 22 01 Broughton	R M. Oct 2.01	Sept 7.01.	A Dauphin Oct 2 1901	Gas House Oct 28 01	R.M. Nov. 6.01	Hinman Meeks	Jan Grundy. Dec 2 1911.	R M Dec 4.
Jepson	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	2	Ex	Ex	1	1	11	1	11	1
Wylen	1	1	1	1	11	11	11	11	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Stuart	1	1	1	1	Resigned					July	15th	1901.						
Grice	1	1	1	1	11	Ex	1	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Bennett	1	1	1	1	11	Ex	1	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Pitcher	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	&	11	1
Laura	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1		11	Ex	1	1	11	&	11	1
Murray	1	1	1	Ex	Ex.	1	1	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Brink	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1		11	Ex	1	1	11	1	11	PQ
Harris	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Grundy	1	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1		11	Ex	1	1	11	&	11	1
Holt.	1	1	1	1	11	Ex	Ex	1	1		11	1	1	1	11	1	11	1
Pickhead																		

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	R.M. Jan 1 1902	Session Jan 9	Session Jan 10	Hudson Jan 18	Feb 3 Special	Special Feb 14	Reg Mar 5	Session Mar 4	Special Mar 15	Special Mar 16	Special Mar 26	R.M. Apr 2	Apr 6 Council	Apr 6 Corporation	Apr 18 Distance	Dan Card Apr 21
Jepson																
Glaze																
Grice																
Bennett																
Pilcher																
Laura																
Murray																
Brink																
Harris																
Grundy																
Holt																
Akenhead																

Land Bill Apr 21
Regl. Fifth Ward
Special
June 4
Regular Meeting
July 2 1902
Special Poor Hill St Bill 1902
Regular Meeting Aug 6 1902
Sept Regular.
Sept 21
Oct Regular.
Oct 28
Oct 30
Nov
Nov 13 Criminal Docket
Cutter Case Nov 27
Pond St Nov 28
Dec 2
Dec 3
Dec 7

Jepson																
Glaze																
Grice																
Bennett																
Pilcher																
Laura																
Murray																
Brink																
Grundy																
Holt																
Akenhead																
Smullen																

Regl. July 2 1902

Fire Dec. 7

Murray
Brink
Grundy
Holt
Akenhead
Smullen

Co. Cash Account. 1902.

Jefferson	Dues.	1/1	25.	6/2 25.
	Fines			
Glaves	Dues	1/1	25.	7/9 25.
	Fines			7/6 30
Price	Dues	1/1	25.	6/2 25.
	Fines	6/4	30.	7.
Bennett	Dues	1/1	25.	7/6 25.
	Fines			7/6 30
Pitcher	Dues	1/1	25.	7/6. 25.
	Fines			
Laura	Dues	1/1	25.	6/2. 25.
	Fines			
Whitney	Dues	1/1	25.	7/6 25.
	Fines			7/6 30.
Brick	Dues	1/1	25.	6/2. 25.
	Fines	1/1	30.	
Harris	Dues	1/1	25.	Res. July 1. 1902.
	Fines			
Grundy	Dues	1/1	25.	6/2 25.
	Fines			
Holt	Dues	1/1	25.	7/2. 25.
	Fines	6/4	30	11/5 30
Blankead	Dues	1/1	25.	6/2. 25.
	Fines			
Camillus	Dues. Elected.			6/2. 125.
	Fines. July 2 1902.			11/5. 30

	Balance on hand Jan 1 1902.		5.00
Jan 1.	Fines and Dues		3.30
" 1.	Sec'l. Sal. Order #1	3.75.	
Feb 14.	Bal-Jun Coll of Brown		1.25.
June 4	Fines		60
July 2	Dues (Membership)		1.50
Dec 6	Fines and Dues		3 40
Dec 2.	Fines 60-1 Dues. Ealon 25.		1 85.

1903 Regular Monthly meetings 1903

1903	Jan 7th	Feb 4th	March 4th	April	May	June	July 7th	Aug	Sept-	Oct-	Nov	Dec
Jepson	11	00	11	11	11	11	XX	11	11	11	11	11
Glenn	11	11	Ex	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Grundy	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Aikenhead	11	11	Ex	Resigned	April	1st	1903					
Smullen	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Bennett	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11		11	11
Hoel-	11	11	11	11	11	XX	11	11	11		11	11
Murray	11	11	Ex	11	11	XX	11	Resigned July 1st 03				
Pitcher	11	11	11	01	XX	11	11	XX	XX	11	11	11
Brink	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Laura	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Grice	00	00	11	01	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Brackenbush	Elected April 1st 1903		11	11	11	00	11	11	11	11	11	11
Taylor	Elected July 1st-03						11	11	01	11	11	
	11	10	9	12	11	10	10	11	11	10	12	12

1903 Special meetings 1903

	Jan 17th	Jan 24th	June 18
Jepson	11	11	11
Glenn	11	11	11
Grundy	11	00	11
Aikenhead	11	11	Resigned April 1st 1903
Smullen	11	11	11
Bennett	11	11	11
Hoel-	11	11	11
Murray	11	00	11
Pitcher	11	11	11
Brink	11	11	11
Laura	11	11	11
Grice	00	00	11
Brackenbush			11
	11	9	12

	Jan 6th 7. P.M 1903	Jan 17th 12.30 a.m.	Jan 19th 4. P.M.	Jan 22 1.30 P.M.	Jan 24th 8.45 P.M.	Feb 16th 12.45 P.M.	Feb 18th 10.20 a.m.	Mar 2 6.10 P.M.	Mar 27-03 6.10 a.m.	April 2nd 11. a.m.	April 9 11.30 a.m.	
Jepson	1	1	Ex 0	1	1	1	1 Ex	1	1	1	0	9-2
Glenn	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	10-1
Grundy	1	Ex 0	1	1	Ex 0	1	1	1	1	1	1	10-2
Akenhead	1	1	1	1	1	Ex 0	1	S Taylor	S Taylor	Resigned	April 1st	
Smullen	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Bennett	1	1	1	1	1	S Taylor Quackenbush	S Taylor Quackenbush	1	1	1 S. Taylor	S. Taylor 1	
Hoel-	1	1	Ex 0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Murray	1	1	Ex 0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Pitcher	1	1	1	1	1	1	0 Ex	1	0	1	1	
Brunk	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	
Laura	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Grice	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	1	1	1	1	
Quackenbush	Elected April 1st									1	0	
Total	12	11	9	12	11	11	10	12	11	12	9	

	Feb 3rd 5.15 P.M. Allen Hartley	May 16-03 40 to, Arden St. 11.05 a.m.	May 24-03 Fuel Cozzens 6.05 P.M.	May 27-03 117 W. Chicago St.	June 17-03 3.15 P.M. 28 Branches	aug 9-03 Stock Yards	aug 26-03 Show Tent	June 29-03 Across from Jefferson Confectionery	Sept 29-03 5.50 P.M. Quincy	Sept 16-03 Penn & Reese 15.9 & 14.5 S R R	Oct 24-03 Three & 9 Main 166 W. Pearl St.	Nov 17-03 Two Three 682 N. Hancock St.	
Jepson	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Glenn	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	
Grundy	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Grice	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Smullen	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	
Bennett	S. Taylor	S. Taylor	1	1	S Taylor	1	1	S Taylor	1 Thomp	1 Thomp	1 Thomp	1 substitute	
Hoel-	1	1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Murray	0	1	1	1	Clyde Scott Thomp	Resigned July 1st 03							
Pitcher	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Brunk	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	X	1	1	1	
Laura	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Quackenbush	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	X	1	1	0	
Taylor	Elected aug 1st					1	1	1	1	0	1	1	
		11	12	12	12	10	11	11	12	12	11	12	10

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J B Smullen Sec of Invincible Fire Co in acct with Invincible Fire Company

1903		Dr	Cr
Jan 7th	Recd for Dues	$2.50	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		$2.50
" 24	Recd from Dance proceeds	$11.75	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		$11.75
Feb 4th	Recd from Dance proceeds	.50	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		.50
Mar 4th	Recd for Dues membership 1.00	.50	
April 1st	" from Quadrennial Dues .12	1.12	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		1.12
June 3	Recd of a Grace Fine	15	
" "	" " Chas Aitchen "	15	
" 18	" " Chief Ft a Brown	2.50	
" "	Paid C F. Bennett		3.30
July 1st	" " " "		1.75
" "	Recd for Dues	1.75	
Aug 3rd	" " "	1.00	
" "	" " " membership (Taylor)	100	
" "	" " " Fines (Quadrennial)	.30	
" "	" from Shamokenhead per Brown	2.00	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett		4.30
Sept 2	Recd from Launa Dues	25	
" "	Paid Bennett		25
Nov 4	Recd from Taylor Fine	.15	
" "	Paid Bennett		.15
		25.62	25.62
			30

1903

Paid

Jefson Dues Jan 7th .25¢ Aug 15th .25
Fines

Glenn Dues Jan 7th .25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Grundy Dues Jan 7th .25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Akenhead Dues Jan 7th .25¢ Resigned April 1st 1903
Fines

Smullen Dues Jan 7th 25¢ Aug 5th 25
Fines

Bennett Dues Jan 7th 25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Holt Dues Jan 7th 25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Murray Dues Jan 7th 25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Ritcher Dues Jan 7th 25¢ July 1st 25
Fines June 3 - 15¢

Brink Dues Mar 4th 25¢ July 1st .25
Fines

Laura Dues Jan 7th .25¢ Sept 3rd .25
Fines

Grier Dues Mar 4th .25 July 1st .25
Fines June 3 - .15¢

Quackenbush Dues .12 Aug 5th .25
Fines July 1st .20
Membership fee 100

Taylor Dues aug 5th 25.
Fines Oct 7th 15¢
Membership Fees aug 5th 400

1903

	Nov 19-03 E. W. Smallwood 128 E Penn St 9.40 a.m	J. Cartwright Nov 27-03 144 Se Jefferson St 4.30 P.M	Pittsdale Tues ex 6.40 a.m Dec 8-03	Stokes Tuesday Nov 17, 3.35 PM Dec - 6. 03	A Bodford 13 Penn 3.40 - a.m inst. attend St - Dec 9th	L O. Sutton W. Chicago St - Dec 31-03
Jefferson	1	1	1	1	1	1
Glenn	1	0	1	1	0	1
Gundy	1	1	1	1	0	1
Price	1	1	1	1	1	1
Smullen	1	1	1	1	1	1
Bennett	1	1	1	1	1	1
Pletcher	1	1	1	1	1	1
Hall-	1	1	1	1	0	1
Brink	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lucas	1	1	1	0	0	1
Macklin	1	1	1	1	1	1
Taylor	1	1	1	1	1	1
	12	11	12	10	8	12

whitehead

Alarms
1904

		Jan 23 - 11:50 a.m. Hawkins Drug Store	Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 17-04 - 4:20 PM. 7th Ward Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 17-04 - 4:20 P.M. 7th Ward Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 23-11:30 a.m. Fire Box 20-1030 P.M. Dr. Bullen Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 23-11:30 a.m. Fire Box 20-1030 P.M. Dr. Bullen Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 23-11:30 a.m. Fire Box 20-1030 P.M. Dr. Bullen Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 26-04 - 11:30 a.m. Chicago Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 26-04 - 11:30 a.m. Chicago Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Mar 26-04 - 11:30 a.m. Chicago Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain	Dec 28, 6:10 P.M. Fire Box 26-04 - 11:30 a.m. Chicago Feb 2 Red 735 PM. Cloudy Rain

Regular Meetings

1904

	Jan 6th	Feb 3rd	Mar 2nd	April 6th	May 4th	June 1st	July 6th	Aug 3rd	Sept 7th	Oct 5th	Nov 9th	Dec 7th
Brink	11	11	11	00	11	00	11	11	11	11	11	11
Glenn	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	00	00	11	11	11
Grundy	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Quackenbush	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	00	11	11
Smullen	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Bennett	11	11	00	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Pitcher	XX	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	XX
Jepson	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Grice	11	11	Ex 00	11 Paid	11	11	11	00	11	11	11	11
Holt	11	11	11 Paid	00 Paid	11	00	11	11	11	11	11	00
Laura	Paid 00	11	00	00	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Taylor	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
	10	12	9	9	12	10	12	10	11	11	12	10

Special Meetings

	Jan 11th
Brink	11
Glenn	11
Grundy	00
Quackenbush	11
Smullen	11
Bennett	00
Holt	00
Pitcher	11
Jepson	11
Grice	11
Laura	11
Taylor	00

1904

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Brink	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines April 6th 30 June 1st 30	$1.10
Glenn	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines	.50
Grundy	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Jan 11th 30¢	.80
Quackenbush	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Oct-5th 30¢	80
Smullen	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines	.50
Bennett	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Mar 2nd 30¢	80
Grice	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ Sept-7th 25- Fines	50
Holt	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Jan 11th 30¢ April 6th 30 June 1st 30¢	1.40
Pitcher	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines ~~Mar 2nd 30~~	.50
Jepson	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines	50
Lamb	Dues Feb 3rd 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Mar 2nd 30 Mar 17th 50 April 6th 30	1.60
Taylor	Dues Jan 6th 25¢ July 6th 25¢ Fines Jan 11th 30¢	.80 $9.80

1904

Receipts

		Dr	Cr
Jan 6th	Recd for Dues	2.75	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		2.75
Feb 3	Recd for Fines 90 Dues 25	1.15	
" "	Paid C.F. Bennett Treas		1.15
April 6	Recd from Bennett for Fine Mar 2nd	.30	
" "	Paid — " — —		.30
~~May 4~~	"		
May 4	Recd of Jno Luna	1.10	
" "	" " E Brink	.30	
" "	" " F. Holt	.30	
" "	Paid C F. Bennett Treas		1.70
July 6th	Recd for Dues	2.75	
" "	" " Fines Holt & Brink	.60	
" "	Paid C F. Bennett	9.25	3.35
Sept 7	Recd for dues (Grace)	.25	9.25
" "	Paid C F Bennett		.25
Nov 2	Recd from Quackenbush Fine	.30	
" 4	Paid C F Bennett	9.80	.30
		9.80	9.80

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1905-			Total
Brink	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25-	.50
	Fines		
Glenn	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Pilcher	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
O.J	O.J		
Quackenbush	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	Dues Aug 2nd 25-	.50
	Fines		
Smullen	Dues Feb 1st- 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Bennett	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Holt-	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines Dec 7th/04 meeting 30¢		30
Grundy	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Jefson	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Grice	Dues Feb 1st 25¢	Dues Aug 2nd 26¢	.50
	Fines		
Laura	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		
Taylor	Dues Jan 4th 25¢	July 5th 25¢	.50
	Fines		

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Receipts

1905		Dr	Cr
Jan 4th	Recd For Dues & Fine	2.80	
" "	Paid C. H. Bennett Treas		2.80
Feb 1st	Recd for Dues	.50	
" "	Paid C H Bennett		.50
July 5th	Recd For Dues	2.50	
" "	Paid C H Bennett		2.50
Aug 2	Recd for Dues	.50	
"	Paid C H Bennett		.50
		6.30	6.30

6.30

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Regular Meetings

	Jan 4th	Feb 1st	Mar 1st	April 5th	May 3rd	June 7th	July 5th	Aug 2nd	Sept 6th	Oct 4th	Nov 1st	Dec 6th
Brink	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	Ex 00	11	00	11
Glenn	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Butcher	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Quackenbush	11	11	11	11	11	11	XX	11	11	11	11	11
Sinnullen	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Bennett	11	11	11	Ex 00	11	11	11	11	XX	11	11	11
Grundy	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Hall-	11	Ex	11	11	XX	XX	11	11	11	11	11	00
Jefson	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Price	11	11	11	11	11	11	Ex 00	11	Ex 00	11	00	11
Laura	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
Taylor	11	11	11	Ex 00	11	11	11	11	11	11	11	11
	12	11	12	10	11	11	10	12	9	12	10	11

Alarm No

1905

	Dec 23 - 6 PM 2 Engines & Ladder Washington & Ewing	1 Grand Slam 12 Oct - R R St - June 25 - 7:45 PM June 4th 4:30 A.M.	14 Bunker Restaurant - Oct - 20 - 05 - 3:10 P.M. 1 Wheel & angevine Baum	Sept 24 - 05 - 2:11 - 55 - a 4th Dr Baldwin Store # 19 W Chicago St June 12 - 05 - 1:20 5 P.M. 1 Ce Baldwin Co	0 1:20 PM 2:05 - 05 - 1 Engine Co 1 Truck Co & Chief Engine Co June 18 - 05 - 12:10 P.M. 9 June engines 109 Cullman Ave	June 15 - 05 - 7:40 A.M. 8 Alarm Wire & Light Co June 13 - 05 - 12:50 P.M. 2 Hose Co & Engine Co & Hook & Ladder Co June 2 - 05 - 6 Hose 1 Engine 2 4 Co Hamilton Ave	May - 15 - 05 - 9:45 - a 4th 1 4th. Loud 1 986 Grand St - May 13 - 05 - 11:03 A.M. 1 Slocum Novelty works 1 Co Clay St	May 7th 1:30 A.M. Jewell Branding 1 House 1 Co Monroe St - April - 2 - 05 - 1 Engine 1 Truck Co	Feb 8th 1905 2:30 A.M. Burn Oak Needle	
1 Brink	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
2 Glenn	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
3 Pitcher	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
4 Quackenbush	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
5 Scullen	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
6 Bennett	—	1	1 B	1 a	1 B	a	a	1 B	1 B
7 Grundy	—	1	1	1 Ex 0	1	1	1	1	1
8 Hall	—	1	1	1	1	1	1 E	1	1
9 Jepson	—	1	1	1	1	1 Ex 0	1	1	1
10 Grice	—	1	1	1	1	1 Ex 0	1	1	1
11 Laura	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
12 Taylor	—	1	1	1 Ex 0	1 Ex 0	1	1	1 Ex 0	1
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	12	12	9	10	10	12	11	11	12

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Brink — Dues Jan 3rd .25¢ — Aug 1 Dues 6 Jan 1.07 .25

Glenn — Dues Jan 3rd .25¢ — Dec 5 Dues 6 Jan 1.07

Jefferson — Dues Jan 3rd .25¢ — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25

Neuckenbush — Dues Jan 3rd 25¢ — Aug. 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25

Smullen Brown — Dues Jan 3rd 25¢ — Dec 5. Dues 6 Jan 1.07

Bennett — Dues Jan 3rd .25¢ — Oct 3. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25
Oct. Fine .30

Grundy — Dues Jan 3rd 25¢. — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25

Hoel- — Dues Jan 3rd 25¢ — Dec 5. Dues 6 Jan 1.07
Fine Dec 6-04 .30¢ — Apr 4. 45¢ — .20

Pitcher — Dues Jan 3- .25¢ — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25

Laura — Dues Jan 3- .25¢ — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25.
July 4. Fine .30

Grice — Dues Jan 3. .25¢ — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07. .25
July 4. Fine .30

Taylor — Dues Jan 3- .25¢ — Aug 1. Dues 6 Jan 1.07 .25
Oct 3 Fine 30

1906	Reg Monthly Jan 3-06	Reg monthly Feb 7-06	Reg Monthly Mar 7-06	April 4th Reg Meeting	April 24th Special	May 2 Reg Monthly	June 6 Regular	July 4 Regular	Special July 19th	Aug 1st	Reg. Sept 5-06	Reg. Oct 3-06	Reg Nov 7, 06	Annual meeting Dec 3. 06	Regular Meet. Dec. 5.
Brunk	1 1	0 Ex 0	0 Ex 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Glenn	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	0 0	0 0	0 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Jefferson	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Quackenbush	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Brown Smullen	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	0 Ex	0 Ex	0 0	0 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Bennett	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	Ex	0 0	0 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Grundy	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
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Putcher	1 1	0 Ex 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 X	Ex	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Lanna	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1
Grice	1 1	0 Ex 0	0 Ex 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	0	1 1	1 1	1 1	Ex	1 1	1 1	
Taylor	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	1 1	Ex	1 1	1 1	0 0	1 1	1 1	1 1	1
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Alarms 1906

| | Jan 9 P.M. 7.45 Ball Box 55 | June 15-06 3:15 Brass Foundry | June 10-06 5:40 Bottling House, Alarm 4:00 | Jan 24-06 4:00 P.M. Alarm 7:05 & 7:20 A.M. 1893 Morse Sys. | Jan 24-06 4:00 P.M. Alarm 7:05 & 7:20 A.M. 1886 Gamewell

1906	Secretary's Receipts 1906	Dr	Cr
Jan 3rd	Received for Dues & Fines	3.30	
" "	Paid Treasurer		3.30
March 4	Rec'd from Holt-for Fines	.45	
" "	Paid Treasurer		.45
July 11.	Rec'd from Ball Bros	5.00	
" "	Pd Treas.		5.00
Aug 1.	Rec'd for Dues & Fines	2.60	
Oct 3.	" " " "	.85	
" "	Paid Treas.		3.45

Coldwater Fire Co organized Feb 16. 1887

T. M. Grundy	Elected to Membership	Feb 16. 1887
F. W. Holt	" " "	Feb 16. 1887
F. A. Brown	" " "	May 16. 1887
C. L. Pitcher	" " "	Sept. 5. 1888
J. B. Smullen	" " "	Nov. 4. 1896
J. F. Laura	" " "	Dec. 7. 1898
A. W. Grice	" " "	Apr. 5. 1899
L. H. Jepson	" " "	Oct 4. 1899
G. A. Luckenbush	" " "	March 4. 1903
W. F. Taylor	" " "	July 1. 1903
Roscoe Graves	" " "	May 6. 1909
Frank Brady	" " "	May 4, 1910
Ed. Fish	" " "	Sept 7. 1910
H C. Kimball	" " "	June 8th 1911
Frank L Earley	" " "	Jan. 3 1912
Robert Miller	" " "	Jan 3 1912

Size of caps

Pitcher	7¼
Fish	7
Grice	7⅛
Brady	7⅛
Bromo	7⅛

Feb 13
Oct 27

6 5.2

1177
643
8'3 8

300
255 75
46 25

