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The tragic intelligence has been received that Hon. William J. Gaynor, Mayor of this city, died at sea on Wednesday, September 10th, and in order that appropriate action may be taken regarding his death, I hereby call a special meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to be held at the City Hall Friday, September 12th, at 11:00 A.M.

Very truly yours,

A. L. Rhine

Mayor.

Hon. William A. Prendergast,
Comptroller,
New York.

THE EAST SIDE GAYNOR LEAGUE

73-75 DELANCEY STREET

NEW YORK



Sept. 18, 1913.



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Robert Adamson, Esq.,
City Hall,
New York City.

Dear Sir:-

The East Side Gaynor League desires to send a delegation to represent it at the funeral of Mayor Gaynor next Monday consisting of Julius Barunstein, Louis Goodman, B. Koppelman, Aaron Sheinker, Dr. H. M. Serota, Hyman Tolk, Meyer Wiener and Joseph Spector.

Will you kindly let me have cards of admission to the church.

Respectfully yours,

Secretary.

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September 18, 1913. d

Dear Mr. President:

The pall-bearers at the funeral of the late Mayor Gaynor are asked to assemble in the Mayor's office at the City Hall next Monday morning, September 22nd, at ten o'clock. The casket is to be taken from the City Hall to Trinity Church followed by the pall-bearers and the citizens escort, arriving at the church at about eleven o'clock.

I have made arrangements for an automobile and an escort to be sent to convey you from your stopping place in this city to the City Hall on Monday morning and from Greenwood Cemetery after the interment. If you will be good enough to let me know where you will stop while in the city I will see that the automobile is sent for you in time for you to arrive at the City Hall at the appointed hour.

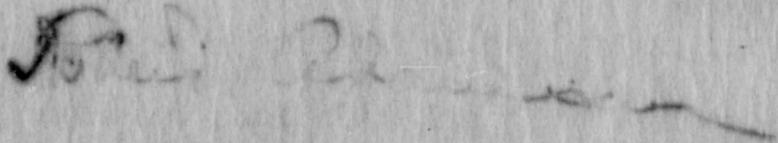
I enclose a card of admission to the City Hall for Monday morning, not that it will be necessary for you to use it as you will have an escort, but simply as a precaution in the event that I might not hear from

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you in time for the escort to be sent for you.

I gave your kind and thoughtful message to Mrs. Gaynor who, it is needless for me to say, appreciated it highly. She told me on Saturday when selecting the pall-bearers that she desired to select only those personal friends of the late Mayor whom he himself would have selected for such a service, and she spoke of you particularly as a friend whom her husband greatly prized.

Sincerely yours,



Secretary.

Hon. William H. Taft,
Hotel Taft,
New Haven, Conn.

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ROBERT ADAMSON, MAYORS OFFICE
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I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM NORTHERN MICHIGAN WHERE I WAS
WHEN MAYOR GAYNOR DIED. CURIOUSLY ENOUGH I WAS WRITEING AN
ARTICLE IN PRAISE OF HIM FOR COLLIERS WEEKLY WHEN THE
NEWS OF HIS DEATH REACHED ME I SEND TODAY IN
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NEW YORK, September 19th, 1913. 191

Honorable Robert Adamson,
Secretary to the Mayor,
City Hall, New York City.

My dear Mr. Adamson:-

I am rather disappointed not to have been named on the Citizens Committee to attend the funeral services of our late Mayor, William Jay Gaynor, but I presume demands upon you are great.

I called a meeting of the National Board of Steam Navigation and had a resolution passed requesting all shipping to display their flags at half staff on Monday, and so far as possible stop all operations during the hour of the services. I also appointed a committee of three from the Board to attend the funeral. This committee consisted of Mr/ Eugene F. Moran, Mr. Edgar F. Luckenbach and myself.

I forwarded this information to my friend *Com.* R. A. C. Smith but as yet have not received cards of admission or assignments. Would it be possible to have me assigned on one committee of the other.

Yours very truly,



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Representatives of the Commissioners of Accounts, The Commissioner of Licenses, The Bureau of The Chamberlain, The Bureau of Weights and Measures, The Bureau of Licenses, The Board of Ambulance Service, The Board of Assessors, The Board of City Record, The Board of Examiners in the order named, Walker Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Board of Water Supply, Walker Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives from the Coroners' offices, Manhattan, Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, in the order named, Lispenard Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives from the County offices, Kings, Queens and Richmond, in the order named, Canal Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the County offices, New York, Canal Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of Department of Bridges, on Brooklyn Bridge, as per instructions.

NOTE—The line of march from Trinity Church will be Broadway to Park Row, Brooklyn Bridge to Liberty, to Clinton, to Montague, to Court, where the representatives of the City Departments and Civic organizations will turn out of the column east on Joralemon Street to Fulton, thence to Hoyt Street and be dismissed.

THE COMMITTEE.

DETAILS OF FORMATION

Funeral of Late Mayor Gaynor

Representatives of City Departments and societies to participate in the funeral procession of the late Mayor, Honorable William J. Gaynor, Monday, September 22, 1913, have been assigned by the Committee to positions of assembly as follows. Representatives of the City Departments north of Murray Street. Societies and Delegations south of Murray Street. All organizations should be in position by 9.45 A. M. The assignments made are as follows :

The Grand Army of the Republic, Manhattan and Brooklyn, Pine Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

The United Spanish War Veterans, Pine Street, facing west, head of column resting on Nassau Street.

The Marshals' Association of New York City, Pine Street, following Spanish War Veterans.

The Federal and State Civil Service Employees, in the order named, Thames Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Democratic organization of Kings County (Executive Committee), Cedar Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Eureka Democratic Club of Bronx County, Cedar Street, facing east, following Democratic Organization of Kings County.

The Harlem Board of Commerce, The North Side Board of Trade, The Clermont Heights Property Owners' Association, The Staten Island Chamber of Commerce, The Sheepshead Bay Board of Trade and Improvement Association, and The Business Men's Association of Flushing, in the order named, Liberty Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Italian Societies of Greater New York, Liberty Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Central Federated Union, Cortlandt Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The New York Team Owners' Association, Maiden Lane, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Independent Taxicab Owners' Association, Dey Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society and Broadway Association, in the order named, Bronx Newsdealers and Stationers Association, John Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

The United Dealers' Association, Fulton Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Equity Congress of Greater New York, and the Exempt Firemen's Association, and the Greater New York Live Poultry Dealers' Association, in the order named, Fulton Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

The United Citizen Peddlers' Association of Brooklyn, Vesey Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

The Federation of Citizen Peddlers' of Greater New York, Vesey Street, facing east, head of column resting on Church Street.

NOTE—Societies and delegations are requested to parade, so far as possible, 12 files abreast. Organizations not mentioned, who expect to participate in the procession, have been assigned to positions to be announced later.

Civilian Employees of the Police Department, Chambers Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Fire Department, Chambers Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Law Department, Reade Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Street Cleaning, Reade Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Health, Duane Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Docks and Ferries, Pearl Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Finance, Thomas Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Tenement House Department, Worth Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Corrections, Worth Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Parks, Leonard Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Borough Offices, in the following order, Manhattan, The Bronx, Brooklyn, Queens and Richmond, Leonard Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Public Charities, Franklin Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, Franklin Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

Attendants from Magistrates' Courts, White Street, facing west, head of column resting on Broadway.

Representatives of the Department of Water Supply, Gas and Electricity, White Street, facing east, head of column resting on Broadway.

To

On behalf of the Committee of Arrangements I have been delegated to acknowledge the receipt of your tender of the association as participants in the funeral procession on Monday, September 22, 1913, in honor of the late Mayor of New York, Honorable William J. Gaynor; to thank you for the same; and to inform you that your organization will be formed on Street facing , with the head of column resting on Broadway. Your organization should be in position at 10 A. M. and will march in the procession 12 abreast. You will march from your indicated point of assembly to Borough Hall, Brooklyn, where you will be dismissed at a point indicated.

Very respectfully,

For the Committee.