

**1863** (150 years ago)

*Provided by the Onondaga Historical Association in commemoration of its 150th anniversary.*

■ **Gathering:** Irish orator Mason Jones, 28, spoke for more than two hours to a capacity crowd at Wieting Hall, in Syracuse. The subject of his talk: "Curran and the Wits and Orators of the Irish Bar."

**ALSO THAT WEEK:**

■ **For sale:** A small house and lot at 86 E. Jefferson St. in Syracuse was listed for sale for \$900. The property included a cistern and fruit trees.