FRATERNAL SOCIETIES INSTALLING OFFICERS.

LODGE MEETINGS ARE LARGELY ATTENDED.

Many Initiations and Applications Are Reported—The Royal Arcanum.

Grand Regent A. F. Robinson and the grand officers of the Royal Arcanum will make official visits this week as follows: Tuesday, to Easton Council, accompanied by North End Council; Wednesday, to North End Council, accompanied by Laclede Council.

Meeting River Council adopted the following officers: Representative, Doctor M. J. McCluer; alternate, M. F. Vierneel; regent, Philip J. Lemay; vice regent, Joseph M. McMillan; orator, Doctor J. B. Chaffee; past regent, M. F. Vierneel; secretary, John McMillan; collector, John Heckel; treasurer, Carl E. Pigan; chaplain, W. J. Fleming; guide, John W. Hutcheson; warden, Martin A. McNernney; sentry, John E. Lange; trustees, William C. Thomas, Doctor M. J. McCluer, F. N. Darcy.

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Ladies' Council received two applications and initiated one candidate. Grand of the evening.

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