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**Another Big Combine About to Be Made.**

All Companies in the Bell Telephone System Are Soon to Be Consolidated.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 21.—The Journal says: "The Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Cumberland Telephone Company, operating exclusively in the Southern States, are to be consolidated under a single management in the immediate future."

"Following this will occur a grand consolidation of all the Bell systems, including the consolidated companies of the Cumberland Southern Bell, the Chesapeake and Potomac, the Chicago, New York and Boston, and all other systems under the direct management of the American Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company. Headquarters will be in New York. Heretofore the different Bell systems have been under control of separate managements. About a year ago steps were taken looking to the grand combination of all lines under management from New York."

"President James E. Caldwell and General Manager Leland Hume of the Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Company, which is the Bell organization in Tennessee, left Chattanooga this morning for Atlanta to inspect the plant."

"It is said that after the first consolidation is effected the Standard company will be absorbed in Atlanta by the consolidated lines and made a part of the system. This rumor is denied by the Standard people. The Standard company was built by Philadelphia capital, and its charter forbids consolidation."

**Negress Charged With Murder.**

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Pine Bluff, Ark., Nov. 21.—Meeley Fletcher, a young negro woman, was arrested at her home near here today charged with the murder of Lullia Hines, which occurred at Corkscrew in this county Tuesday morning, and was one of the most brutal acts in the annals of the county.

As everyone knows, in bronchitis, the coughing is softened at first and then diminished by Scott's emulsion of cod-liver oil. The reason is: it puts new life in the weakened inside of those tubes. It may or may not entirely cure them. No taste of oil in it.

**SPECIALTIES.**

SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES, per year.

**MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST COMPANY.**

**DEATHS.**

FEAGAN—On Wednesday, November 21, 1900, at 2 a. m., at his residence, 403 S. 2nd St., St. Louis, Mo., Peter H. Feagan, aged 29 years, beloved son of Thomas J. Feagan and brother of Mrs. Agnes M. Feagan. Friends invited to attend funeral, Friday morning, November 23, 9 o'clock, at Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend funeral, Friday morning, November 23, 9 o'clock, at Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend funeral, Friday morning, November 23, 9 o'clock, at Calvary Cemetery.

**Excursion Sleeping Cars To Los Angeles and San Francisco.**

Leave St. Louis on "Katy Flyer" (M., K. & T. Ry.), 8:35 p. m., every Tuesday via St. Antonio. See "Katy" Agent.

**Child Scalded to Death.**

Fell Into Ditch at End of Exhaust Pipe and Could Not Get Up.

**Inspected the Air Line.**

A party of Southern Railway officials were at Union Station yesterday morning after a four-day inspection of the Louisville, Evansville and St. Louis, better known as the Air Line. The sale of this road takes place today at the Illinois and Indiana division of the Chicago, St. Louis and Louisville division of this system.

**AMENDMENTS WERE REGULARLY PASSED.**

No Departure This Year From the Custom Regarding Sequence of Publications.

**PROOFS FILED AT CAPITAL.**

Charges of Illegality Brought Against Changes to Constitution Recently Voted On Not Warranted by State Records.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 21.—Much has been said concerning the legality or alleged illegality of the publication of the proposed constitutional amendments voted on at the recent general election. Your correspondent has examined the vouchers on file in the State Auditor's office, which contain the proofs of publication of the several and divers amendments submitted since the adoption of the Constitution of 1875 for the purpose of determining whether there had been a departure this year from precedents established years ago. The result is that it can be stated positively that the publication of the amendments this year conforms in all particulars to those of previous years.

**Proofs of Publication.**

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**To Increase Capital.**

Illinois Central Will Issue \$6,000,000 of Additional Bonds.

**ALL MORTGAGES TAXED.**

Amendment Number Three Covers Liens in Existence.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 21.—Attorney General E. C. Crow, at the request of Governor Stephens, to-night gave his opinion on the amendment No. 3, which covers mortgages already in existence.

**RECORD POWER OF ENGINES.**

The fact that the mechanical engineering department of the University of Illinois has developed a machine which will record automatically different lines of data pertaining to the speed and power of engines, is of great interest to the public.

**Through Cascade Tunnel.**

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 21.—A special to the Times from Tacoma, Wash., says: "Within a month trains will be running over the Great Northern Railway through the Sound, through Cascade tunnel, on which work was started two years ago."

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**RAILROAD NEWS FROM ALL PORTS.**

Transcontinental Passenger Association is Awaiting the Reports of Committees.

**SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.**

Charles H. Tweed Elected President of Pacific Mail Steamship Company—Illinois Central—General Notes.

The Transcontinental Passenger Association resumed its sessions yesterday at the Planters Hotel. At the morning session a committee of the Epworth League was received, who made formal application for reduced rates for the next annual meeting of the organization, which is to be held at San Francisco.

**CHARLES H. TWEED PRESIDENT.**

Meeting of Directors of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

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**TO ALBERT LEE.**

The Illinois Central Will Inaugurate Train Service Next Monday.

**NEBRASKA STATE BOARD.**

Supreme Court Declares the Act Constituting It Inoperative.

**Employers' and Strikers' Rights.**

In discussing the reciprocal rights of employer and employe, Justice McLaughlin of the New York Appellate Court said: "The right to work is the right of the workman as well as the right of the employer."

**H. & O. Track Improvements.**

Improvement work on the Baltimore and Ohio system is being carried on more extensively at present than ever before in the history of the road.

**Every Gold Wane.**

Brings thoughts of new cases of catarrh. A common ailment is acute catarrh. It is sure to become chronic catarrh if neglected. Peruna is a sure cure.

**TO TESTIFY FOR FATHER.**

Boy, Convicted of Homicide, Pardoned by Governor Stanley.

**Wichita, Kas., Nov. 21.**—The trial of Geo. Hewitt, accused of the murder of Robert Bomer, in Kingman County, came up for hearing in the District Court at Wichita this morning and will last several days. It was accused of being an accessory to the killing which took place last July.

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**Public Notice.**

Office of the President of the Board of Public Works.

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