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RIVER NOTES.

William Dierke, formerly on the Erie, went out on the St. Louis Eagle yesterday... Captain J. Ross Howell, chief clerk of the St. Louis...

MUSCLE AND NOT FAT.

What Thin People Need to Round Out Their Bodies. What thin folks need is flesh or muscle, not fat. To be symmetrical and properly proportioned every person should have a certain amount of excess flesh...

ONE REPRESENTATIVE TO 208,000 PERSONS.

Chairman Hopkins of Census Committee of the House Says That Will Be the New Basis.

BITTER FIGHT IS EXPECTED.

Southern and Western States Would Lose Congressional Missouri Would Not Gain Any—Popular Basis, 1900.

RIVER NEWS.

Rise and Fall of the Rivers. The St. Louis river ending at 7 a. m. yesterday... The Mississippi at St. Louis will change but slightly...

Table with columns for River Name, Date, and Gauge Change. Includes entries for St. Louis, Cairo, and other river points.

River Forecasts.

The Mississippi at St. Louis will change but slightly. Murray's gauge marked 1.5 feet at the foot of Pine street yesterday...

Arrived.

Chicago, Dec. 8. Arrived: Chester, Springfield, St. Louis, Memphis, Cairo, Hannibal, St. Charles, St. Louis, Memphis, Cairo, Hannibal, St. Charles, St. Louis, Memphis, Cairo, Hannibal, St. Charles.

Departed.

Chicago, Dec. 8. Departed: New Orleans, St. Louis, Memphis, Cairo, Hannibal, St. Charles, St. Louis, Memphis, Cairo, Hannibal, St. Charles.

Paragraphs.

Captain Isaac F. Lark returned from his trip to the Mississippi delta... The St. Louis river ending at 7 a. m. yesterday...

By Telegraph.

St. Louis, Dec. 8. River falling; gauge 2.2 feet... Memphis, Dec. 8. River rising; gauge 2.2 feet... Cairo, Dec. 8. River rising; gauge 2.2 feet...

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NO BILL CAME WITH THESE PIGS' FEET.

Gridiron Club, Burlingame Campaign Incidents, Gives Hanna a Pair Without Charge.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Gridiron Club gave its December dinner to-night at the Arlington Hotel, and a large number of distinguished guests were present. The campaign that closed a month ago resulted in a number of skirts, in which the members of the club skirted the incidents of the campaign...

THE BIGGEST AND BEST TOY SALE IN TOWN.

The Hellrung & Grimm House Furnishing Co., 16th and Cass Av. Offer their Entire Stock of Toys, Holiday Gifts and Novelties at a Tremendous Reduction. Everything Must Go Before Christmas, as we are going out of the Toy business. Price Cuts No Figure. Stock All New. This is the Greatest Opportunity Ever Offered. Don't Delay. Come at Once. Select Your Goods Now—Never Were They Sold So Low. We will put them aside for you until Christmas time.

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Steam Engine. This Child's Folding Black Board and Case. This Kid Dressed Doll. This Toy Horse Carriage. This Toy Fire Engine. This Toy Carpet Sweeper. This Incomplete Book Case. This Incomplete Train. This Toy Railroad Train. This Toy Fire Engine. This Toy Carpet Sweeper.

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NEW GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB.

Branch Organized by Citizens of the Fifth Ward. Citizens of the Fifth Ward last night organized a Good Government Club at a meeting held at Eleventh street and Clark street...

SANTA CLAUS AT THE FAMOUS.

Tableaux and Toys in the Windows Attract Great Crowds. Great crowds gathered around the Famous windows on Broadway and on Morgan street yesterday. The attraction in the window was a tableau of Little Red Riding Hood and the Wolf, and a great collection of toys. In a window on the Morgan street side of the store there was depicted the homecoming of Bechler's Hall in the vale tide. The building is a castle-like structure, brilliantly lighted, situated in a park covered with snow...

SWINGLEY'S NEW POSITION.

C. W. SWINGLEY'S NEW POSITION.—C. W. Swingley, who recently resigned his position as traffic manager of the Missouri Pacific, has been elected secretary of the Williams-Morris Advertising Company. Mr. Swingley is a son of the late Chief Swingley, and has a wide acquaintance among the business and railroad men of the city. He was formerly connected with the Lincoln & Myers Tobacco Company as manager. When the Lincoln & Myers Company became a member of the Continental Tobacco Company, Mr. Swingley went to the Wetmore Tobacco company where he remained until the acceptance of his present position.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

The annual election of officers of the Fifteenth Ward Republican League club will be held at St. Louis, Mo., 107 Biddle street, next Thursday night.