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MISSOURI JUDGES IN CONVENTION. Suggest Changes in Statutes Regarding Divorces and Bonds in Civil Suits.

STENOGRAPHERS PLAN FOR BETTER PAY. Circuit Court Attaches Meet and Discuss Legislation to Be Asked This Winter.

FALL MAY UPSET CHERISHED PLAN. Oscar Korhuse Had Arranged to Send for Young Wife in Germany, but is Now Disabled.

The annual meeting of the Circuit Judges of Missouri convened at the Courthouse yesterday. The judges held two sessions, one from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m., and the other from 2 to 4 p. m., and adjourned until today.

Circuit Court stenographers of Missouri met at the Laclede Hotel yesterday to discuss measures to be presented to the next session of the Legislature for better and more certain pay for members of their craft.

Oscar Korhuse fell or leaped from a second-story window at his home, No. 234 Chouteau avenue, early yesterday morning, after a night spent with a convivial companion.

"FOR NO MAN OR FACTION." Charles A. Walsh Denies Reports of a Bryan Organization.

Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold. Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day.

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CITY ITEMS. NOTHING Bigger about Crawford's Bargains, as you can easily find out by going there.

JOHN HOWARD JONES DEAD. He Won Fame by His Description of Chicago Fire.

TO REPRESENT SIR THOMAS. Wm. Bonnor Will Be President of Lipton Company at Chicago.

MONEY TO LOAN. The highest amount loaned on values, also loans a specialty, at low rates of interest.

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TO BE USED AS A TRANSPORT. Freight Steamer Samoa Purchased to Carry Volunteers Home.

PILES. Permanently cured without surgery. The only operation. Cure guaranteed.

FIRE COST THREE LIVES. Mother and Two Little Daughters Perished in Burning Home.

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NOTICE. We can give you an Enamel 3-Sole Shoe for \$2.50. All sizes—A to E. Waterproof. HARRIS SHOE CO., 520 Pine St.

CITY CHEMIST IN A DILEMMA.

Appropriation of \$26,400 for Drainage Canal Investigations Exhausted and Work Incomplete.

REPORT MAY BE DELAYED. Doctor Teichmann May Be Compelled to Stand Part of Expense of Printing—No Relief in Sight.

The whole of the \$26,400 appropriated for "Costs and legal expenses, Chicago Drainage Canal" is now exhausted.

A similar incident transpired in the bacteriological division, necessitating provisions for conducting experiments at a time that had to be made by the city.

HUMPHREY'S 2 Rent OR 4 Rent

Which is correct? While you are thinking it over we will call your attention to our Full Dress Coats and Vests, which can be leased of us for an evening—

\$2.50 Per. Always in perfect condition—nicely pressed. Delivered to any part of the city.

Humphrey's Broadway and Pine, St. Louis.

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MRS. MILLER MEANS TO GET HER BOY YET. Forced to Give Him Up to His Father and Police, She Still Has Hope.

HER SIDE OF THE STORY. Declares Her Husband Agreed Before They Separated That She Should Have the Lad Half the Time—Will Go to Law.

AMERICANS OUTWIT EUROPEANS. Secure Valuable Guatemalan Concession Over Competition.

IMPROVED TELEPHONE SERVICE. Chicago Company Has Practical System of Duplexing Wires.

SAY BODY WAS NOT DISSECTED. Local Authorities Deny a Report From Texarkana.

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TO FINISH FLOORS AND BORDERS. Use "Floor-Shine" Enamel Floor Colors; Oak, Cherry, etc.

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SPARKLES WITH ALL THE NOVELTIES OF THE SEASON.

- Ladies' Dongola 1-strap Slipper \$1.25; Ladies' Patent Leather 1-strap (with bow) \$1.50; Ladies' Dongola 3-strap Slippers \$1.50; Ladies' Pat. Leather and Dongola, slashed strap \$2.00; Ladies' Pat. Leather 3-strap, Louis XIV. heel \$2.50; Ladies' Pat. Leather 4-strap, Louis XIV. heel \$3.00; Ladies' Red and Black, 8 straps \$3.00.

J. G. BRANDT SHOE CO., CORNER BROADWAY AND LUCAS AVENUE.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

You will please take notice that, under the provisions of an act of the Legislature, approved February 16, 1899, all current Tax Bills become delinquent on and after January 1, 1901, and I will be compelled to charge interest at the rate of one per centum per month.

CHAS. F. WENNEKER, Collector of the Revenue.

RAGLAN OVERCOATS.

Raglans—so-called—are plentiful at some stores at almost any price. We don't keep the shiftless-looking ill-fitting sorts at all. To be in this stock they must be exactly right, or we don't want them.

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"Good Times" Bourbon Whiskey, Made in Old Kentucky. FOUR FULL QUARTS. Express charges prepaid. \$3.50.

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The right kind for this weather. Beats having a sick spell, with doctors' bills at the end of it. Heavy single and double soles, extension edge, and all the latest kinks in shoe making. YOUR FOOT FITTED.

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Result of the Stonega, Va., Riot, Caused by a Dog Fight.

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Superfluous hair, red veins and all blemishes are speedily, completely and permanently removed by my new painless method, leaving no trace of the former blemish. Full information with book free. Call or write.

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