

WILLIAM G. FRYE GETS POLICE COMMISSIONERSHIP.

Successor to William F. Woerner Is Appointed by Governor Dockery—Mr. Frye Says His Policy Will Be to Reward Efficiency With Promotion.



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William G. Frye, president of the Philbert & Johanning Manufacturing Company, was on Monday appointed Police Commissioner by Governor Dockery to fill a vacancy made by the resignation of William F. Woerner.

Shortly after Mr. Woerner resigned from the Police Board Mr. Frye was asked by his friends whether he would accept the police commissionership. At first Mr. Frye refused to consider the matter, thinking that he could not devote the proper amount of time to the duties of the office.

STENOGRAPHERS UNITE FOR MUTUAL BENEFIT.



MISS FRANCES A. HOOVER, Secretary and Treasurer, Officers of the St. Louis Stenographers' Association.

The St. Louis Stenographers' Association owes its origin to a movement begun simultaneously with the suggestion of a World's Fair, and is the successor of the St. Louis World's Fair Stenographers' Association.

Hoover is president, James K. Remick, vice president; Oliver T. Loford, secretary and treasurer; Miss Belle E. Hart, corresponding secretary, and Miss Emma H. Krite, assistant secretary.

Why a Marriage, Arranged by Correspondence, Did Not Occur.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Bridgeport, Conn., April 15.—A picture of a dashing young woman sent by Mrs. Emma Johnson of Bridgeport as a likeness of herself brought Frederick Lynch of Yorkville, N. Y., to this city with the avowed intention of making the original his wife.

Advertisement for 'TO HAVE AND TO HOLD' A BOTTLE OF 'FRY'S PURE MALT WHISKEY'.

DECIDE TO PAY BACK BEER TAX.

Brewers Deposit \$191,250 to State's Credit After Agreement Is Reached at Jefferson City.

GOVERNOR SIGNS THE BILL.

Compromise Effected After Rehearing Had Been Denied in Brinxman Case—Out-of-Town Dealers to Pay.

There was deposited with the Mississippi Valley Trust Company in St. Louis Monday afternoon to the credit of the State Treasurer \$191,250, the amount due the State under the law providing for the settlement of back inspection fees on beer at the rate of 10 cents a barrel.

An agreement to prosecute the appeal, signed by Judge Priest, was filed with Attorney General Crow in a conference in the Governor's office Monday afternoon, at which were present Judge Priest, Governor Dockery, Attorney General Crow and Judge W. M. Williams.

Representatives of the brewers of Missouri had to be satisfied with the law as it stands outside of the State, and the \$24,500 owed by them in inspection fees was not deposited in St. Louis. No trouble, however, is anticipated from them, according to good local authority.

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MAYOR WELLS APPOINTS J. G. McCONKEY SECRETARY.

Young Attorney Will Assume Duties of the Office on Tuesday.

PLANS OF NEW OFFICIALS.

James G. McConkey, an attorney with offices in the same suite occupied by ex-Governor Stone on the ninth floor of the Union Trust building, was officially appointed Monday to the position of private secretary to Mayor Wells. Mr. McConkey will begin his duties Tuesday and Temporary Private Secretary Joseph E. Whyte, as originally understood, will return to his real estate office.

The Mayor's private secretary is 20 years old and has been practicing law in St. Louis since 1888, when he was graduated from the University of Michigan. He is a native of Salem, Va. In 1883 he was graduated from the Virginia Military Institute with the highest military and academic honors, and from 1883 to 1885 was commandant of cadets and instructor in mathematics in the Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo. When the Spanish-American War broke out he organized a battalion of cadets, but his force was not ordered out.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Memphis, Tenn., April 15.—The police officers of this city are being retrained by the police department of that city. The retraining is being conducted by the police department of that city.



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Advertisement for 'THE SMART SET' magazine, 'The Literary Sensation of the New Century.' Includes text about 'THE MAY NUMBER' and 'OUT TO-DAY'.

GENERAL McCLURG DIES IN FLORIDA. Health Failed Last Winter and He Went South With His Wife—End Comes at St. Augustine.

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TO CONTRACTORS. Office of the President of the Board of Public Improvements, St. Louis, April 15, 1901. Sealed proposals for the public work hereinafter mentioned will be received at the office of the Board of Public Improvements, Room 300, New City Hall, until 12 m. of the 17th day of May, 1901.

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IN THE COUNTY. —William Scruggs, alias Bryan, who is charged with having robbed the post office at Kirkwood March 20, was arraigned Monday before United States Commissioner Gray. Scruggs admitted his connection with the robbery and was bound over to the Federal Grand Jury. His bond was fixed at \$1,000, in default of which he was committed to jail.

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