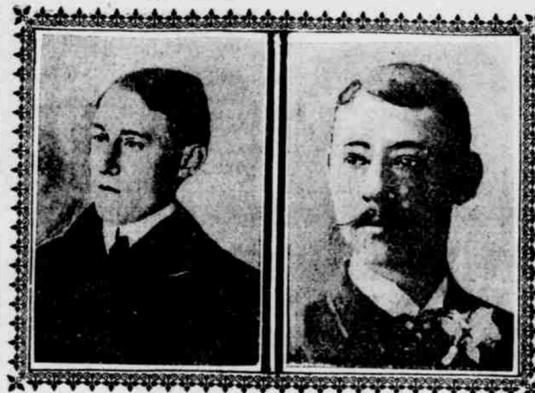


WATERWORKS RAILWAY CONDUCTORS APPOINTED.

Frank Nicolay and Edward Collins Bear the Distinction of Being the First Employes Chosen to Serve on Line Built by City for Its Own Use—Model Car for Passengers and Freight Is Ready for Operation Next Week.



EDWARD COLLINS. Motorman and conductor who will operate the car on the Waterworks Railway, which is to be opened next week.

Frank Nicolay and Edward Collins will be the first conductors on the first street car line that was probably ever built and operated by any city for its exclusive use.

This line is a single-track road, about four and one-half miles in length, extending from Baden pumping station, at No. 849 North Broadway, to the pumping station at the Chain of Rocks, where nearly 200 men are employed by the city at its waterworks plant.

Some time ago a track was built between the two pumping stations for the purpose of carrying material from one place to another, but only push cars were used. It occurred to the city statesmen that with a very little expense an electric power-house could be established in connection with the pumping stations, and a trolley car operated on the track.

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St. Louis's first municipal trolley car line will probably be in operation by November 15, and its builders promise that it will be a paying investment from the start.

It is expected that the cost of the improvement will be paid from the savings in five years.

The positions held by the conductors are unique because they are probably the only employes of the kind who draw a salary direct from the city, the same as a City Hall clerk or any other employe.

They will not be required to collect fares. Nobody can ride on the St. Louis Waterworks Railway who is not a city employe and on business, and to these no charge is made. All of the employes at the Waterworks live in the city. There are three shifts, and the one car on the line will make three round trips daily to carry these men to and from their work, besides handling freight between trips.

The coach which the city has had made is a model for speed, comfort and convenience. It can accommodate fifty passengers and has an apartment for freight. It is lighted and heated by electricity, is capable of running fifty miles an hour and is thoroughly strong and durable. It has a tender like a locomotive and a large headlight and vestibule in front.

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MEN WITH WEAK BACKS

It is an erroneous but nevertheless an almost universal belief that a weakness and pain in the back, especially if men, is due to diseased kidneys. This is not the case, as there are no nerves of sensation in the kidneys, and diseases of these organs are known by altogether different symptoms.

Weak backs in men are due mainly to a diseased condition of the sexual organs, for all sexual diseases invariably produce a drain of the vital forces and cause a reflex condition in the shape of a weak back. The most dangerous sexual diseases that cause weak back are prostatic trouble and sexual debility.

Prostatic trouble, in addition to a weak back, is accompanied by bearing-down pains in that region and in the loins. There is also a frequent desire to urinate, and at times there is a burning or scalding sensation when urinating. In other cases there is more or less pain and difficulty in urinating.

In the case of Sexual Debility, weak back is the reflex condition due to losses of seminal fluid. These losses are often hidden and their extent unknown until an examination is made by a competent physician. Their ravaging effects are manifested, however, in many ways, such as a continual "tired feeling," extreme nervousness, mental depression, dizziness, headaches, restless nights, lack of confidence, loss of energy and ambition, palpitation of the heart and many other alarming indications of a general undermining of the system.

If you desire a quick and permanent cure for these or any other sexual ailments, consult Doctor Milen. He has had twenty-five years' experience curing these troubles exclusively. He doesn't experiment. He cures. He quickly diagnoses your disease. He knows at once what medicines are best adapted to your particular case and condition, and gives you what will most quickly eliminate the disease from your system, restore the faulty functions of the sexual organs and place them in a strong, healthy, active condition. With this accomplished, all reflex conditions are removed and a perfectly healthy condition of body and mind is the gratifying result.

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If needing treatment, write your symptoms as fully as possible, in your own language, and if further information is needed in order to make an accurate diagnosis, you will be so informed. In return you will receive, in a plain envelope, my personal diagnosis and prognosis of your case, together with return postage. Fully 50 per cent of the afflictions to which I confine my practice can be cured by my perfect system of Home Treatment; but if absolutely necessary for you to call in order to be cured I will tell you so. Address:

DOCTOR MILEN MEDICAL CO., 800 OLIVE ST., (Incorporated by the State of Missouri.) Opposite Post Office, ST. LOUIS, MO.

MISS A. CONNOD, treasurer; MISS H. STOLLE, assistant treasurer. After all business matters were disposed of the following programme was rendered: "From All Eternity," Mascheroni, Miss Gertrude L. Moore; violin selection, Misses Marie B. Stued and C. Bann; "Who'll Buy My Lavender," Miss M. Durkin; "Lichtertanz," Rubenstein, Mrs. P. Von Phul; "Spring Song," Hawley; "Peggy," Neislinger, S. V.; S. Quartet; "Nearer, My God, to Thee," S. V. S. Quartet; violins, Misses Stued and Bann; piano, Mrs. P. Von Phul; organ, Miss L. Lamp.

At the conclusion of the programme, a reception was held in the assembly hall. Refreshments were served by a prominent caterer.

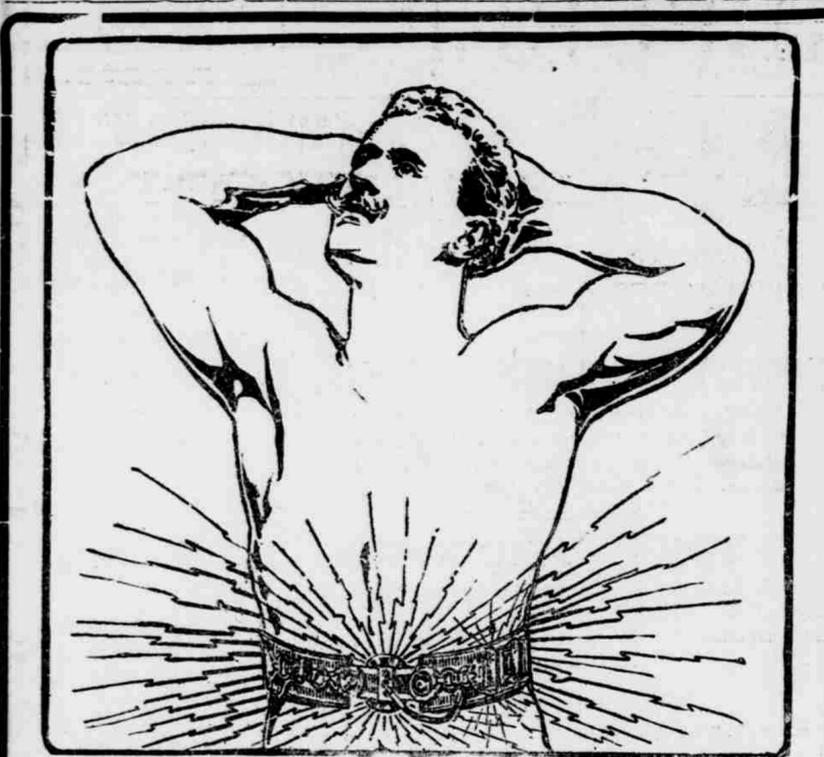
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Men Who Have Regained the Vigor of Youth. Who Have Attained the Highest Standard of Physical Manhood From Wearing Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt.

You will never know what a grand power electricity is until you feel its genial, glowing warmth penetrating every vital part of your body from your Electric Belt.

You know how easily it runs street cars, makes plants grow without sun or soil, purifies filthy water and transforms night into day at the will of man, but I can't make you believe that it will renew the vigor of youth until you feel it dancing through your veins and carrying to every organ of your body the "fire of life."

Pick out the men who have worn my Belt. See them with head erect, chest expanded, the glow of health in their cheeks, courage in their hearts and a clasp of the hand that tells you "I am a man."

And how is it with you? Have you rheumatism and back pains, a dull ache and weakness over your kidneys, dull headaches, with a tired, stupid feeling? Are you losing your vitality power? Do you feel yourself growing aged before your time? Are you nervous, sleepless, short of memory and lacking in spirit and self-confidence? Do you know that you are not the man you would like to be?

If so, I can cure you. What you lack is just what electricity supplies. My Belt will cure you, and if you will come to me you will soon be one of "DR. McLAUGHLIN'S MEN."

I believe that the best evidence is the word of an honest man who says, "YOU CURED ME."

"I have worn your Belt, and after six weeks' use of same I was cured of Sciatic Rheumatism, from which I have suffered two years." "322 Franklin Avenue, St. Louis, Mo."

"I can truthfully say that your Belt has entirely cured me of the pain in my back which I had suffered from for twelve years. I am entirely a different man." "ALEXANDER MORRISON, 197 Market Street, St. Louis."

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Twenty years of my life have been devoted to my trade, and I have made my Belt popular with people who are tired of drugging. I cure while you sleep. It's easy and pleasant. My Belt gives a current that is a glowing warmth. No burn or sting. I take the old style, burning belts and the kind that give no current in trade, if you have one. FREE BOOK—I have a nicely illustrated book, which every man should read. I will send it closely sealed, free, if you send this ad. Call if you can.

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practice this form of conscription, for which certain obsolete laws already provided. This new legislation would be obsolete. The War Secretary, Mr. Broderick, has already caused guarded feelers on this matter to be circulated in the press, for it appears to be almost impossible to keep the home forces up to adequate strength and supply the necessary re-enforcements for South Africa on the volunteer system of enlistment alone. Such a strenuous measure, however, doubtless will cause a storm of disapproval in Great Britain, and it will not be enacted unless the war situation becomes grave.

What changes have come over the state of the country in two years can be judged from the fact that the War Office has closely examined the old ballot laws and has prepared an elaborate plan by which they can be sprung upon the public at a moment's notice.

WILL GO TO WATCH PLAGUE. Two American Doctors Assigned to Liverpool and Glasgow. Washington, Nov. 9.—On account of the recent outbreak of the plague in Liverpool and Glasgow, two additional surgeons of the marine hospital staff have been detailed for duty in those cities. They are Doctor Jos. P. Anderson and Doctor Carroll Fox. Both have had extensive experience in dealing with plague. No reports except those which have been given to the public concerning the plague in those cities have been received. The experts are sent merely as a precautionary measure.

MISS HELEN GLADSTONE. Is in Charge of University Settlements. SPECIAL BY CABLE. London, Nov. 9.—Miss Helen Gladstone, fourth daughter of the late W. E. Gladstone, has taken charge of the pioneer woman's university work among the London poor, the Women's University Settlement.

INDIAN GIRL EDITRESS. Miss Tacheta is the Only Cherokee Newspaper Woman. The Cherokees call Miss Cora V. Eddleman Tacheta "the lost bird," and she has the distinction of being the only Indian editress in the world. Her magazine, the Twin Territories, is devoted exclusively to the interests of the red men of Oklahoma and Indian Territories.

TWO PRIVATES KILLED. Action Took Place at Sojotjan, Near Basey, Samar Nov. 7. REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, Nov. 9.—The Navy Department has received the following dispatch from Rear Admiral Rodgers, dated today: "Privates George Lynch and E. A. Klonon were killed in an action at Sojotjan, near Basey, Samar, on the 7th. The privates referred to belonged to the marine corps."

KILLED BY A BARKEEPER. Former Illinois Man the Victim of a Saloon Tragedy. Marceline, Mo., Nov. 9.—Robert N. Baird was shot and killed here by Ben Richardson, a barkeeper. Baird, while under the influence of liquor, had threatened to shoot Richardson, and had drawn his revolver when the barkeeper fired. Richardson fired five shots, three of which took effect in Baird's breast. Baird formerly lived at Galesburg, Ill., where he was a switchman, and later in Chicago, where his mother resides. He was married.

NEW POSTMASTERS NAMED. Appointments Made in Missouri, Kansas and Texas. Washington, Nov. 9.—The President has appointed the following Postmasters: "Idaho—Central City, James A. Gilmore, Kansas—Osage City, E. A. Rosenquist, Missouri—Pleasant Hill, George C. Greenup, Texas—Fort Worth, George W. Burroughs; Stephenville, Wm. H. Christian, Utah—Mercur, R. W. Watt."

TREASURER OF PORTO RICO. William F. Willoughby Appointed by the President. Washington, Nov. 9.—The President today appointed William F. Willoughby of the District of Columbia treasurer of the island of Porto Rico. Mr. Willoughby will succeed Jacob Hollander of Maryland, who resigned some time ago.

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK. Dubuque, Ia., Nov. 9.—The Chicago Great Western strike at Oselwein was settled by the men returning to work this morning, though the objectionable foreman was not removed. Three hundred strikers were out for three weeks. The decision to return to work was reached at a meeting last night.

TEST "5-DROPS" FREE. A HOUSEHOLD REMEDY WHICH YOU MAY TEST WITHOUT ANY EXPENSE. A POSITIVE CURE FOR Sleeplessness, Kidney and Liver Troubles, Nervousness, Rheumatism, Catarrh, Gout, Asthma, La Grippe, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Heart Weakness, Dyspepsia, Toothache, Earache, Backache, Headache and all other Diseases of the Blood, Nerves and Muscles.

Swanson's "5-DROPS" purifies the blood, cleanses the system of all impure matter, and builds up your strength and vitality. It quiets the nerves, gives refreshing sleep to the nervous, tired and overworked. "5-DROPS" is the only medicine in the world which will cure Rheumatism in any of its forms or stages of development. Rheumatism is a blood disease, and is caused by poisonous matter (lactic acid and uric acid) being retained in the blood. "5-DROPS" cures this dreadful malady by eliminating from the blood, these poisons and any other impurities which may prevent perfect circulation. This is the only way in which a permanent cure may be obtained. With the blood pure, perfect circulation is assured, and disease is an impossibility. Polluted blood is the source of almost all diseases, effecting every organ of the body and causing endless suffering. The fact that "5-DROPS" will cure Rheumatism, proves it to be the most effectual blood purifier ever discovered. It is perfectly harmless, contains no opiates, no alcohol, no salicylates to ruin the stomach or any other injurious drug.

TESTIMONIALS FROM PEOPLE WHO HAVE BEEN CURED BY "5-DROPS." Mrs. S. J. Taylor, La Porte, Ind., writes: "I received the bottle of '5-DROPS' some time ago and I think it is the best medicine in the world for Neuralgia, Stomach and Bronchitis. I gladly recommend '5-DROPS' to all sufferers from these terrible diseases. I think it is a positive cure. I am seventy years old and thank God and you for my relief, as I feel better than I have for over twenty years."

Mrs. C. Carbaugh, Black Cap, Pa., writes: "It affords me great pleasure to tell you of the benefit your '5-DROPS' has given me. I was suffering from kidney trouble but it has restored me to perfect health. All my friends were surprised at my getting better so soon after taking your remedy."

P. A. Matteson, Shafsbury Depot, Vt., writes: "Many bottles of your '5-DROPS' have been sold through my recommendation and every person has received great benefit from its use. I took it for sleeplessness and nervous trouble and have been cured. My son's wife had rheumatism and was obliged to use two crates in walking. I sent them a bottle of '5-DROPS' and now she can walk nearly as well as ever."

D. D. Bollinger, Castor, Mo., writes: "I want to tell you what '5-DROPS' has done for me. I had Rheumatism so bad for four weeks that I could not get out of the house. I could not sleep and had to sit up in bed. I got a bottle of your '5-DROPS' and at the time was taking medicine from a doctor here and asked him if I could use your remedy. He said I could after I got through with his medicine. I was no better when I got through with his medicine, but I commenced to use your '5-DROPS' on Wednesday morning, starting with three drops and then coming up to five drops, and went to bed and slept well Thursday night and have not been troubled any more with sleeplessness. I have been doing my work ever since. I would not be without your remedy in my house. I think it is worth its weight in gold. I could give you the names of many others who have used your remedy and have been cured by its use."

SENT FREE TO ALL. A trial bottle will be mailed free of charge to every reader of this paper who is a sufferer from any of the above named diseases. All that we ask in return is that you take it as directed and you will find it all that we claim. It costs you nothing, and you need feel under no obligations whatever in securing the trial treatment which we offer. Here is an opportunity to test a remedy without any expense to you. Certainly nothing can be fairer than this. Cut out the Coupon and send to us with your name and address.

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