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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Quincy, Ill., April 17.—A. J. Hopkins, candidate for the United States Senate, arrived here this morning and received many visitors during the day at the Newcomb. To-night he spoke to a large gathering at Turner Hall. He expressed great confidence in the outcome of the campaign, and said he did not see how he could lose. He will remain over to-morrow and attend the primaries.

One bottle of Burnett's Vanilla Extract is better than three of the doubtful kind. Though costing a few cents more, its purity and strength make it the most economical.

Died From Human Bite.

Kansas City, Mo., April 17.—Martin Tobin died at the hospital here to-day of blood poisoning, the result of his finger being bitten a month ago by John Mc Voy. Mc Voy has been held under bond on a charge of mayhem, which probably will be changed to that of manslaughter.

SPECIALTIES.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST CO.

ACTS AS EXECUTOR, Administrator, GUARDIAN, CURATOR, ASSIGNEE, RECEIVER, TRUSTEE, Etc.

DEATHS.

CAIN—Thursday morning, April 17, 1902, Richard P., dearly beloved and eldest son of Patrick H. and Alice J. Cain, aged 18 years 9 months and 20 days.

Funeral from residence, No. 13 North Spring avenue, Saturday morning, to St. Francis Xavier's Church, Grand and Lindell avenues. Mass at 9:30.

COYNE—On Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 2 a. m., Thomas F. Coyne, after a lingering illness, beloved husband of Regina Coyne (nee Zickel), at the age of 31 years.

Funeral will take place on Saturday, April 19, at 8:30 a. m., from residence, No. 2115 Obear avenue, to Holy Name Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.

DeLISLE—April 16, 1902, at 1:15 p. m., Leon J. DeLisle, aged 65 years 5 months and 10 days.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 1819 Biddle street, Saturday, April 19, at 2 p. m., to St. Lawrence O'Toole's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited.

GUERDAN—On Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 10:10 p. m., George N. Guerdan, son of Nicholas and Caroline Guerdan, aged 28 years and 10 months.

Due notice of funeral later.

JANUARY—April 17, 1902, at 4 a. m., Amelia E. January, beloved wife of Charles J. January and daughter of the late John Hartnett and Eliza Wheeler.

Funeral Saturday, April 19, at 9:30 a. m. from residence, No. 3360 Vernon avenue, to St. Rose's Church, corner Goodfellow and Etzel avenues.

Deceased was a member of Visitation Sodality.

JONES—On Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 4:40 o'clock p. m., after a lingering illness, Mary A., beloved wife of Henry T. Jones, aged 56 years 11 months and 1 day.

Funeral private, Saturday, April 19, at 2 p. m., from family residence, No. 4145 Morgan street. Please omit flowers.

McNICHOLS—On the morning of Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at his late residence, No. 2922 Pine street, Henry McNichols, in the sixty-second year of his age.

Funeral from Church of the Immaculate Conception on Friday, 18th inst., at 9 o'clock a. m., to Calvary Cemetery.

MOLLER—On Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., after illness of seven days, Carl Moller, grand secretary of the Royal Arcanum of Missouri, at his residence, No. 4145 Washington boulevard.

Mr. Moller's illness began with a severe cold, resulting in pneumonia. The deceased's immediate family consists of a wife and one child, a son, who is a cadet at West Point. Mr. Moller had resided in St. Louis over twenty years, during which time he had surrounded himself with a legion of friends, many of whom will be shocked to learn of this sudden death.

Due notice of the time and place of the funeral services will be published later.

Leavenworth, Kas., papers please copy.

MONROE—On Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 7 o'clock p. m., Mrs. Rettie May, beloved wife of C. M. Monroe.

Funeral from family residence, No. 3822 Shaw avenue, Friday, at 2 o'clock p. m.

NORCOM—At his late residence, Selma, Mo., on Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 5:45 a. m., after a lingering illness, Henry T. Norcom, beloved husband of Armantine J. Papin, in the seventieth year of his age.

Funeral Saturday, April 19, at 9 a. m., from St. Francis Xavier's (College) Church, Grand avenue and Lindell boulevard. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

OHEIM—Entered into rest on Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 3 o'clock, Minnie Oheim, the beloved daughter of Christ and Marie Oheim, aged 11 years and 6 months.

Funeral Friday, April 18, at 2 p. m., from family residence, No. 216 Walnut street, to New Picker Cemetery. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

PARKES—Suddenly, Dorothy, youngest daughter of James A. and Irene A., aged 2 years and 26 days.

Funeral from residence, No. 725 Aubert avenue, Saturday, April 19, 1902, at 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

PICKEL—Entered into rest, on Wednesday, April 16, 1902, at 5:30 p. m., after a lingering illness, Peter Pickel, beloved husband of Clara Pickel (nee Platz), beloved father of Catherine Runder (nee Pickel), Cornelius, Peter P., Alexander G., Albert W. and Clara Pickel, and our dear father-in-law and grandfather, aged 72 years.

Funeral will take place Saturday, April 19, at 7:30 a. m., from the family residence, No. 3128 St. Vincent, to St. Henry's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery.

STERLING—Mrs. Emma J. Sterling, beloved sister of Mrs. M. A. Myers, at No. 3527 N. Newstead avenue, passed into the beyond at 3:40 a. m., Thursday morning, April 17, 1902.

Due notice will be given of funeral.

TANNER—On Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 4:30 a. m., Harriet M., widow of James M. Tanner, aged 70 years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 5049 Delmar avenue, on Saturday, April 19, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

Please omit flowers.

VAN DYKE—Suddenly, on Thursday, April 17, 1902, at 6:30 p. m., Edward L. Van Dyke, aged 61 years 9 months and 21 days, dearly beloved husband of Rebeca E. Van Dyke (nee McCurdy) and father of Harry, Charles, Edward, Cornelia, Inaz and Lelia Van Dyke.

Services will be held at residence, No. 2977 Thomas street, on Friday, April 18, at 4 p. m. Interment will take place on Saturday, April 19, at Jerseyville, Ill.

WIPPERN—Suddenly, Charles A. Wippern, beloved husband of Mary F. (nee Milligan), at the age of 52 years.

Funeral Saturday, April 19, at 2 p. m., from residence, No. 1827 Kennett place.

Dubuque, Ia., St. Charles, Mo., Chicago, Ill., and Wilmington, N. C., papers please copy.

BLAMES REGULARS FOR "WATER CURE."

Volunteer Sergeant Davis Describes Torture of the Presidente of Igbaras.

CAPTAIN AND SURGEON THERE.

Timely Threats With Revolvers Render Other Forms of Torture "Unnecessary"—School Teacher Maltreated.

Washington, April 17.—Edward J. Davis of Greenfield, Mass., who was a Sergeant in Company M, Twenty-sixth Volunteer Infantry, was before the Senate Committee on the Philippines to-day. He was present in the convent at Igbaras, November 27, 1900, when the "water cure" was administered to the Presidente of the town of Igbaras, as testified to by Sergeant Riley and Private Smith, and related the incidents connected therewith.

He said that, under orders from Captain Glenn of the regulars, he, with a squad, had taken the Presidente into custody on November 27, and had escorted him to the convent, where the "cure" was administered. He repeated the story of the torture of the Presidente, adding some details.

Th witness also repeated the statement that two police officers of the town of Igbaras had been subjected to the water cure.

"There was," he said, "also a native school teacher there, who was maltreated at the same time, but the water cure was not administered to him. He was taken into one of the back rooms of the convent by Doctor Lyons, who secured the information he wanted from him by placing two revolvers to his head, thus rendering it unnecessary to administer the cure."

He stated in reply to questions that the torture in all the instances mentioned had been conducted by the regular soldiers, and that they had not been participated in by the members of his regiment, the Twenty-sixth Volunteers.

"My orders were," he said, "to treat the natives kindly, and, so far as I observed, the soldiers generally so treated them, with the exceptions I have mentioned."

He added that the Presidente had been a traitor to the American cause, and that the other natives did not generally seem to have any sympathy for him.

GAVE DEATH ORDER WHILE DELIRIOUS

Major Waller Forgot All About Command Which Cost the Life of One Filipino.

Manila, April 17.—The mixed court-martial which tried Major Littleton W. T. Waller of the Marine Corps on the charge of executing natives of Samar without trial today began the trial of Lieutenant John H. A. Day of the Marine Corps, on the same charge. Lieutenant Day testified that the man shot January 19 was a spy, who was shot by Major Waller's orders, and added:

"I ordered Private Kresge to fire at his head and ordered Megee to fire at the center of his back. After the shooting I saw a convulsive shudder of the man's shoulders, placed my own revolver to his forehead and shot him dead. I ordered the police to leave the body on the ground, as an example to the natives."

Major Waller testified that he ordered the shooting of eleven men January 20, but denied ordering the execution of a man January 19. He admitted he was very ill at that time.

Surgeon Love testified that Major Waller's temperature, January 19, was 105. His illness then was such that he was not fitted to command. It was likely he might have given the order and forgot all about it. He thought an officer would have been justified in disobeying the order.

$13.60 TO DALLAS AND RETURN. Via the Iron Mountain Route.

The official line to the Confederate Veterans' reunion at Dallas, April 22 to 25, inclusive. The train containing the local camps and official party will leave St. Louis 8:20 p. m., April 20. Tickets, berths and further information at new city ticket office, southeast corner Sixth and Olive streets.

Hadfield Trial Commenced.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Murphysboro, Ill., April 17.—The jury in the Hadfield murder trial has been chosen and the case taken up to-day before Judge Robarts. No testimony of importance has yet been brought out. State's Attorney John Venable is being assisted by Attorneys Joseph Hartwell of Marion and W. P. Lightfoot of Carbondale. Judge W. Duncan of Marion and John M. Herbet of this city have charge of the defense.

Schedule Changed.

Illinois Central, Paducah Mail and Express and New Orleans Fast Mail, commencing Sunday, April 13, will leave St. Louis Union Station at 7:20 a. m. and 8:12 a. m., respectively.

Coal Miners in Conference.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Centralia, Ill., April 17.—The delegates of the sixth sub-scale district of the United Mine Workers have been in session here all week. Yesterday and to-day the operators have been meeting with him. Until this evening no agreement seemed possible, but now both sides are conceding. All mines in this county are affected.

NEW TICKET OFFICE of Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines is at 7th and Olive sts.

Students Clipped His Whiskers.

Wichita, Kas., April 17.—The officials of Fairmount College have asked those of Friends University, both denominational colleges here, to discipline students who on Monday night last met Professor Gavitt of Fairmount College, escorting a young lady from the Friends College to church, held him up, overpowered him and sheared off the right side of his mustache.

To write with a "Koh-I-Noor" is a positive pleasure.

Aged Farmer Drowned.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Durant, I. T., April 17.—Hiram Hearot, an aged farmer, living ten miles east of here, was drowned late yesterday while crossing Blue River, six miles from here.

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EAST SIDE NEWS.

PRIMARY ELECTION SET FOR APRIL 30.

New Idea in East St. Louis, Designed to Aid Machine Republicans.

At the meeting of the East St. Louis Republican City Central Committee last evening, it was decided to hold the primary election on April 30 for the selection of delegates to attend the City Convention, which is to meet in the City Hall Auditorium on the evening of May 1. Chairman Henry F. Bader presided.

Primary elections are new in East St. Louis politics, and the idea was sprung by the machine element to snow under the "antis," who are believed to be in the minority. Should the machine win the primaries, the convention will be run by the machine. The antis say they will put up one of the stiffest fights the machine men have met.

Only Republicans will be permitted to vote at the primary elections, and, according to a prominent politician of the city, there are so very few straight Republicans in the city, that if only the absolutely straight Republicans vote there will not be enough votes cast to make up a delegation to the City Convention. Under the rules, as understood by this politician, a primary voter must swear that he has voted the Republican ticket at the last two elections. To do this would be farcical for the majority of the Republicans on the East Side. The last election was a general one, and, although it is presumed that a majority of the Republicans voted for McKinley, still the returns showed that a great number did not vote for William A. Rodenberg, who captured a number of Democratic votes. The year prior to this election Beaird was defeated for Sheriff and the returns showed that he was knifed by many East St. Louis Republicans. Beaird and Rodenberg belong to opposing factions, and while both profess friendship, glittering political knives are not hard to see in the belts of their followers.

It is explained that a Republican who did not vote for Beaird for Sheriff could not vote at a primary election and a Republican who did not vote for Rodenberg could not vote either. As the town is almost evenly divided, it is estimated that if the rule is rigidly enforced, as some politicians say they will attempt to have it, out of the 2,500 votes cast for McKinley, only about 500 will be eligible to primaries. As a result of the ludicrous situation in the Republican party, the East Side Democrats are having much amusement.

CULPRIT WAS A DOG.

Express Clerk Thought Burglars Had Ransacked His Office.

A small dog created considerable excitement in the offices of the American Express Company at the Relay Station, East St. Louis, early yesterday morning.

Will Bert, the night clerk at the express office, had gone out to meet an incoming train. When he returned to his office a scene of disorder met his eyes. Clothing was scattered over the floor, the papers he had left on his desk had been disturbed and the office looked as if burglars had made a quick haul. The police were telephoned for, and half a dozen officers were soon at the station, and began a search for thieves. They discovered the small dog half buried in a part of the clothing, which had been taken from a shipment. The policemen concluded that the dog was the culprit who had played havoc with the express packages and the papers on the clerk's desk.

East St. Louis Items.

—The Elks will give an entertainment in their lodge hall this evening.

—Miss Anna Lightburn entertained the G. H. Club of St. Louis yesterday.

—Miss Myrtle Holts is entertaining Mrs. Bedrow of Cairo.

—Mrs. Homer D. Hildebrand of Detroit, Mich., and her cousin, Miss Edith Kaha of Cairo, Ill., spent Tuesday in East St. Louis, the guests of friends on Howe avenue.

—Martin Ehlers and Miss Etta Moore, both of East St. Louis, were married in Belleville yesterday by Justice Wangelin.

—The English Lutheran Trinity Church, on Ohio avenue, near Collinsville avenue, will celebrate its first anniversary Sunday with special services.

—Henry Bolden and Thomas Evans of East St. Louis were found guilty of burglary and larceny and sentenced to the Penitentiary at Chester.

Belleville News Notes.

—Mrs. H. G. Weber and Mrs. Curt Heinfelden entertained friends at a coffee yesterday.

—R. W. Roplequet and George Rauschbolb have been selected delegates to the State Sunday-school Convention to be held at Sterling, Ill., in May.

—Jacob Killian fell into a pond at Milstadt and had a narrow escape from drowning.

—Robert Meyer had his left leg severely injured by a fall of coal at the Rose Hill Mine.

—The Western Brewery Baseball Club and the A. B. C. Club of St. Louis will play ball in West's Park Sunday.

St. Clair County Returns.

Returns received in Belleville yesterday of the elections in various parts of St. Clair County on Tuesday were:

Swansea—Adolph Schnipper, President; Anton Schroder, Clerk; William Althoff, Treasurer; Joseph Scheibel, Christ Peters and John S. Warring, Trustees; Fred Kaase, Constable; Nic Gansmann, Superintendent of Streets. Freeburg—Samuel Blattner, President; Adam Schoen, William Reinhelmer and George Schifferdecker, Trustees; John Sintzel, Clerk. Fayetteville—Stephen Vahlkamp, President; Joseph Bieser, Clerk; Samuel Longeay, George Benz and Hermann Bressler, Trustees. Marissa—Robert Forsythe, President; Ira Keever, Charles Green and George Morgenthaler, Jr., Trustees; E. E. Gibson, Clerk; Robert Green, Marshal; Levi North, Street Commissioner.

M. E. DISTRICT CONFERENCE.

Three Days' Session of Ministers Closes at Ramsey.

A three days' conference of the ministers of the Alton M. E. District closed yesterday at Ramsey. The programme yesterday began with a sunrise prayer meeting at 6 o'clock, conducted by the Reverend Doctor C. B. Besse of Jerseyville. Papers were read on the topic, "What Does God Require of the Church To-day?" by the Reverends E. Barnes of Gillespie, J. A. Large of Shipman and G. W. Randle of Bethalto. The morning sermon was delivered by the Reverend J. P. Keenan of Doliennson.

The afternoon conference was opened at 1:15 o'clock by the Reverend E. L. Carson of Elsah. J. W. Webster, pastor of the First M. E. Church at Fillmore, delivered a sermon.

The Reverend W. H. Hormel, pastor of the First M. E. Church at Colfeen, preached the evening sermon. Among the Alton ministers in attendance yesterday were the Reverends G. W. Shepherd, pastor of the Sixth Street M. E. Church, and the Reverend M. L. Cole, pastor of the First M. E. Church at Upper Alton.

MASS PRIMARY RECALLED.

Committeeman Huskinson Heeds Protest of Walter Faction.

Republican Central Committeeman George Huskinson of Alton yesterday recalled the call issued Monday morning for a mass Republican primary, to be held in the Naval Militia Armory on Saturday afternoon, and in its stead issued a call for a voting primary, to be held on Saturday from 3 o'clock until 7. Three polling places were named, and a list of judges and clerks.

At the primary delegates will be selected to the Madison County Nominating Convention, which will be held at Granite City on Tuesday of next week.

When Huskinson issued his call for a mass primary the Walters faction set up a howl that the primary had been called in the interest of Senator J. J. Brenholt for renomination against his opponent, Representative Louis E. Walter.

An indignation meeting of the three Republican clubs of the city was held in the City Hall on Tuesday evening, at which several ministers were in attendance. Governor Yates was accused of having a hand in the fight, as Huskinson has a job in the State Insurance Department. Governor Yates heard of the meeting and the accusations, and sent Attorney Howard Snapp of Joliet to Alton to look into the situation. After Snapp had been in Alton a few hours Huskinson and Senator Brenholt were called to Springfield and held a long conference with Governor Yates, the result of which was the withdrawal of the call for the mass primary and the substitution of the voting primary call.

Warrants for Two Hostlers.

B. L. Dorsey of the Dorsey Fuel Company at Alton yesterday swore out warrants for Frank Enos and Harry Butler, two hostlers at the stables of the Dorsey company, charging them with grand larceny. The warrants allege that the two men took feed valued at $150 from the fuel company's stables and disposed of it. The men were put under bond of $500 each to appear before the Grand Jury of the Alton City Court.

Alton Notes and Personals.

—The Shurtleff College baseball team will play the Smith Academy in St. Louis on Saturday afternoon.

—Walter Grimmer of the Burlington Railroad at Alton has gone to Hannibal, Mo., called there by the illness of a brother.

—Elias Day, the impersonator, appeared in Chapel Hall last evening before the students of Shurtleff College and the Western Military Academy.

—William Eliot Smith, president of the Illinois Glass Company at Alton, has gone to West Baden, Ind.

—The comedy drama "Lost in New York" was presented at the Temple Theater in Alton last evening.

—The Western Military Academy baseball team of Upper Alton will go to St. Louis on Saturday, where they will play the team from the Manual Training School. The game will be the opening contest for the championship of the Interscholastic League.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Alton will hold a gold medal contest at the Sixth Street M. E. Church on Tuesday evening, April 22.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hamil will entertain the officers and teachers of the First Presbyterian Church at Alton this evening at their home in Grove street.

—President Stanley A. McKay of Shurtleff College returned yesterday from Chicago.

—Postmaster John G. Seitz of Upper Alton, who took charge of his office yesterday, has appointed Doctor H. T. Burnap as his assistant.

—The funeral of Miss Mamie Shay of Alton took place yesterday morning from St. Patrick's Church. The Reverend Father P. J. O'Reilly officiated, and the burial was in Greenwood Cemetery at North Alton.

—John Eastman, a tramp, was brought to Alton yesterday from Brighton, and placed in St. Joseph's Hospital, suffering from injuries sustained by being struck by a Chicago and Alton train. Doctor Waldo Fisher, the company's surgeon at Alton, states that the man is suffering from injuries about the head and body that may prove fatal.

EDWARDSVILLE.

GET MARRIED UNDER DIFFICULTY.

Old Couple Drive Sixty Miles to Have Ceremony Performed.

Joseph Hardy and Mrs. Mary Cruthers, a couple from Sorento, drove sixty miles yesterday to be married. Both have passed the half-century mark. They arrived in Edwardsville at noon and Hardy explained to the County Clerk that his prospective bride had sustained a dislocation of the hip by a fall and was unable to leave the buggy to enter the office.

The license was made out and the wedding took place in the street. Justice George Barraclough performed the ceremony. Hardy is 55 years old and said his wife was ten years his senior. They had brought lunch with them and started immediately on their long drive home.

Court Discharges the Receiver.

The Alton waterworks case was up in the Circuit Court yesterday. The title of the case was the United Waterworks Company vs. the New England Waterworks Company, et al. On application from the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company of New York the receiver who was appointed by the Circuit Court was discharged. The United Waterworks Company and the Boston Water and Light Company thereupon excepted. It is said the case will come up for hearing now in the United States Circuit Court at Springfield.

JERSEYVILLE.

JERSEY COUNTY W. C. T. U. MEETS.

Session Is Enlivened by the Reading of Interesting Papers.

A two days' convention and institute of the Jersey County Woman's Christian Temperance Union began yesterday in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Newbern. At 10 o'clock a devotional and congregation service was conducted, followed by an open parliament, at which Mrs. Martha Thompson of Kemper presided. Following a noon-day prayer service was held.

Yesterday afternoon the opening devotional service was held at 2 o'clock, which was followed by the routine of the institute and the appointment of the various committees. The first paper of the afternoon was read by Mrs. Carrie Trotter of Paradise on "Necessary Tools for Success." This was followed by a paper by Mrs. V. C. Hurbert on "God's Plan of Finance." Miss Helen Hood of Chicago, editor of the Illinois Watch Tower, delivered an address on "City and National Plans," and Doctor Cordelia Enos of Jerseyville followed with an address on "Nonalcoholic Medications." The last paper of the afternoon session was read by Mrs. Matthew Brooks of Newbern on "What Can We Do for the Children?"

Last evening a gold medal contest was conducted before the institute under the direction of Mrs. S. M. James of Nilwood, president of the Sixteenth Illinois District. Following the contest a literary entertainment was given by the workers at Newbern, in which the participants were Misses Dollie Brooks, Fay Noble, and Martha Blackburn and Henry Leach and William Lurton. At to-day's session interesting papers and addresses will be delivered by well known W. C. T. U. workers from various parts of the State.

Edwardsville Notes.

—Marriage licenses were issued yesterday at the county seat to George E. Little, 23, and Gertrude L. Stubbs, 18, both of Edwardsville; William Probst, 21, and Bertha Wilhelm, 18, both of Edwardsville; George O. Crayne, 27, of Ottumwa, Ia., and Luella Anderson, 22, of Granite City; Holden Smith, 21, and Anna Hensley, 18, both of Collinsville; Henry Rohrkasse, 29, and Augusta Wilkenning, 27, both of Hamel; Martin Nojoks, 26, and Emma Sallen, 22, both of Collinsville; Joseph Hardy, 55, and Mary Cruthers, 65, both of Sorento.

—Officer David Jones brought John and William Williams up from Venice yesterday and lodged them in jail. They are brothers and are charged with stealing a stove.

Jerseyville Notes.

—County Clerk J. C. McGrath of Jerseyville yesterday issued a marriage license to Luther B. Hamilton of Granite City, Ill., and Miss Grace A. McDanel of Otterville, Ill.

—Jonathan McGee of Jerseyville, one of the candidates for the nomination for Sheriff at the Democratic primaries last Saturday, was married in Carrollton yesterday to Mrs. Bettie Raines, also of Jerseyville.

—The following real estate transfers in Jersey County have been recorded at Jerseyville: William J. Campbell to Henry C. Dunham, 80 acres of land in section 26, township 8, north range 12, west of the third principal meridian; consideration, $6,000. Grant Thompson to William Hilldred, northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 32, in township 7, north range 13, west of third principal meridian; consideration, $250. Patrick McHale to Mary E. Houghtlin, land in township 8, north range 12, west of third principal meridian; consideration, $750.

—The Reverend Doctor J. J. Porter, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Mexico, Mo., has accepted a call to the First Baptist Church at Joplin, and will take charge of the new field in June. The Reverend Doctor Porter was formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church at Jerseyville.

—News was received at Jerseyville yesterday of the marriage of Morris R. Locke of Jerseyville to Mrs. Louise E. Irwin of Pittsburg, Pa. The ceremony was performed at the St. Charles Hotel in Pittsburg by the Reverend Edward R. Ward, rector of St. Peter's Episcopal Church. Mr. and Mrs. Locke will be in St. Louis to-day on their way to Abilene, Tex. They will be met at St. Louis by a number of their Jerseyville friends.

FUNERAL OF JOHN W. SLOUGH—John W. Slough, the well known butcher who died Monday at Evangelical Hospital, was laid to rest yesterday in Wesleyan Cemetery, the funeral services being conducted by the Reverend A. T. Wolff, assisted by Editor John H. Schofield of the Butchers' and Packers' Gazette.

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American Salad Oil, quart bottle, each....20c
Orange Flavored Fruit Pudding, 2 packages for....15c
Lump Gloss Starch, 7 pounds for....25c
Ironing Beeswax, 3 cakes for....5c
Kentucky Bluegrass Seed, best quality, per pound....10c
Assorted Garden Seeds, 2 packages for....5c
Billet's Finest French Sardines, smallest fish, in best olive oil—large ¼-can....15c
Kansas Sorghum, quart can....12c
Genuine English Porter, Edmund's bottling, Pig brand, per bottle....15c
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Per gallon....$2.00

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VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

—Mrs. A. L. Scott, accompanied by Webster D. and A. L. Scott, Jr., arrived at the Southern yesterday from San Francisco.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Foley of Elsberry, Mo., are guests at the Lindell.

—J. W. Sloss of Birmingham, Ala., who is identified with large iron and steel interests, is at the Planters.

—Martin Gauldin of Beaumont, Tex., was at the Planters yesterday, and gave glowing reports of the present prosperity of the Texas oil fields.

—Doctor L. M. Gray of California, former State Senator, is staying at the Laclede.

—Wilhelm Kratz of Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany, is registered at the Southern Hotel.

—Mrs. J. G. Rolfving and the Misses Rolfving of Thebes, Ill., are staying at the Lindell.

—Mrs. J. C. Phelan, son and maid, from Fort Worth, Tex., came to the Southern yesterday.

—A. R. McComas of Sturgeon, Mo., is a guest of the Hotel Moser.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Craik of Keokuk, Ia., are registered at the St. Nicholas.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Cravens of Dallas, Tex., are among the visitors domiciled at the Planters.

—John B. Quigley of Sedalia, Mo., was among the well-known men in politics registered at the Laclede.

—J. S. Tall of Kahoka, Mo., who was chief clerk of the last House of Representatives, is a guest of the Laclede.

—Dewell Gann of Benton, Ark., has apartments at the Planters.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kerfoot of Jonesboro, Ark., are spending a few days at the Southern Hotel.

—Doctor A. F. Jacobs of South McAlester, I. T., is a guest of the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Williams of Muncie, Ind., are quartered at the Hotel Moser.

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Texarkana, Ark., April 17.—Ten prisoners, recently convicted on the Texas side and given terms ranging from two up to ninety-nine years, were taken to the Texas prison at Rusk to-night. Three of these are white and seven negroes—two women and eight men. One of the women goes up for life for the murder of another woman. One of the white men was formerly a policeman and was convicted of accepting a bribe and given two years.

NEW TICKET OFFICE of Vandalia-Pennsylvania lines is at 7th and Olive sts.

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5. "When the Night in Dusky Shades Is Falling"—F. Abt. Cornet and Barytone.
6. "My Little Zulu Baby" (new)—Linn.

PART II.

7. March—"The Winning Card"—Vit
8. Overture—"Tournament"—Pelter
9. "How Fair Thou Art" (Paraphrase)—Nevaden.
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Kansas City—J. A. Wood, Manhattan; W. H. F. Dorn and Mrs. Dorn, Ashland.

Springfield, Ill.—J. Myers, Victoria.

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