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COMPANY L ELECTS OFFICERS.

Samuel Rosenfeld, Formerly of Texas Guards, Chosen Captain.

At a meeting of Company L, First Regiment, N. M. G., Tuesday night, the following officers were elected: Captain, Samuel Rosenfeld; First Lieutenant, Philo B. Buck; Second Lieutenant, J. M. Fisher.

Captain Rosenfeld served in the Spanish-American war as Captain of Company D, Second Texas Volunteers, in General Fitzhugh Lee's Seventh Army Corps. He was Judge Advocate of the First Division and served part of the time as Major. He was for several years in the National Guard of Texas and received two medals for being the best drilled soldier in the State.

Lieutenant Buck is English instructor at the High School. He was formerly Second Lieutenant. Lieutenant Fisher was formerly First Sergeant of the company.

SPECIALTIES.

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY TRUST CO.

ACTS AS

TRUSTEE UNDER MORTGAGES MADE BY RAILROAD AND OTHER CORPORATIONS.

DEATHS.

CELLA—At San Antonio, Tex., on Monday, February 3, 1903, Nicholas Cella, beloved brother of Alexander Cella and Mrs. Mary Badgracco (nee Celia), aged 42 years.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

EDWARDS—On Tuesday, February 24, 1903, at Lawton, Ok., Walter Edwards, beloved brother of Mrs. Alice E. Davis and Ernest Edwards.
Services February 26 at Bellefontaine Cemetery.

FAHEY—Entered into rest, on Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 2 p. m., after a short illness, Ellen Fahey (nee Rooney), beloved wife of Martin Fahey, dear mother of Richard, Martin, John, Edward, Luke, William, Alice Fahey and Delia Johnson (nee Fahey).
Funeral will take place Sunday, March 1, at 1:30 p. m., from the family residence, No. 6312 Cheltenham avenue, to St. James's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends invited to attend.
Parkersburg, Pa., Cincinnati, O., and Natchez, Miss., papers please copy.

GAVIN—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 11:30 o'clock a. m., Ellen Gavin (nee Henry), beloved wife of Patrick Gavin, mother of the Reverend J. W. Gavin, Stephan J., Kate A. and Julia E. Gavin.
The funeral will take place Friday, 27th inst., at 9:30 o'clock a. m., from family residence, No. 4572 Duncan avenue, to new Cathedral Chapel, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Please omit flowers.

GOETZ—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 2 a. m., Augusta Goetz, beloved granddaughter of Louisa Goetz and our dear niece, after a lingering illness, aged 20 years.
Funeral Friday, February 27, at 2 p. m., from residence, No. 2142 Victor street, to St. Francis de Sale's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

GRAPEVINE—Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 8 p. m., Mary D. Grapevine, wife of Captain Fred Grapevine, at the age of 71 years, at their residence, No. 2632 Cook.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

LANGE—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 10:30 a. m., Joanna Lange (nee Brinkmann), widow of the late Henry Lange, dearly beloved mother of Wm. H. Lange, Henry Lange, Minnie Wendt (nee Lange), Ida Meyer (nee Lange), Mary Koken (nee Lange), and our dear mother-in-law, grandmother and sister, after a lingering illness, aged 82 years 10 months and 1 day.
Funeral Saturday, February 28, at 2 p. m., from family residence, No. 2207 South Grand avenue. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

LEWIS—On Monday night, February 23, 1903, at 12 o'clock, Edwin, dearly beloved husband of Helena Lewis (nee Pundt), and father of Edwin and Florence and brother of Frank, Henry and George Lewis and Mrs. Mary Ann Urwin, after a short illness, aged 35 years 9 months and 12 days.
Funeral Friday at 2 o'clock p. m., from residence, No. 825 Rutger street, to St. Vincent de Paul's Church, thence to SS. Peter and Paul's Cemetery.
Deceased was a member of Walnut Lodge, No. 288, K. of P.; also Local No. 43, International Stationary Engineers, and No. 2, N. A. F. E.

McNAMARA—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 6 o'clock a. m., Mary, relict of the late John McNamara, mother of Katie McNamara, Mrs. A. Powers and Mrs. J. H. Born.
The funeral will take place Friday, 27th inst., at 1 o'clock p. m., from residence of her son-in-law, J. H. Born, Maple boulevard, Maplewood, to Church of the Holy Redeemer, Webster Groves, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

NEUDORF—Entered into rest, on February 25, 1903, at 11:30 a. m., D. Ind. Neudorf, beloved husband of Minnie Neudorf (nee Koons), and father of Maidy Neudorf, in his thirty-ninth year.
Funeral will take place Friday at 2 p. m. from family residence, No. 2147 South Jefferson avenue, to Missouri Crematory.

ROBBEN—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 8 o'clock, Adelheid Robben (nee Winkler), beloved mother of Mary, John and George Robben, aged 82 years.
Due notice of funeral will be given.

SACHS—On Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 9:30 a. m., Solomon Sachs, aged 54 years, beloved husband of Minnie Sachs (nee Epstein).
Funeral Friday, February 27, at 1:30 p. m., from residence, No. 4054 McPherson avenue.

SILVERS—At Mullanphy Hospital, Wednesday, February 25, 1903, at 12:30 a. m., Miss M. Silvers.
Funeral Thursday, February 26, at 10 o'clock a. m., from undertaking rooms of Watkins Livery and Undertaking Company, Nos. 1024 and 1026 Pendleton avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. Interment private.

TRUESDALE—On Tuesday, February 24, 1903, at 4:10 p. m., George W. Truesdale, beloved husband of Caroline M. Truesdale, aged 63 years.
Funeral from residence, No. 1145 Euclid avenue, on Thursday, February 26, at 2 p. m., to Bellefontaine Cemetery.
Deceased was a member of St. Aldemar Commandery, Bellefontaine Chapter, Aurora Lodge, A. F. & A. M., and Stella Council, Legion of Honor.

MEMBERS of Congregation Shaare Emeth are respectfully invited to attend the funeral of our late member, Mr. Solomon Sachs, from late residence, No. 4054 McPherson avenue, Friday, February 27, at 1:30 p. m. LOUIS STRAUSS, President.

TAKEN FROM BRIDE'S HOME BY POLICE

Two Wives of Albert A. Knapp Have Mysterious Disappearances.

A THIRD WAS FOUND DEAD.

Coroner Investigated, but Was Unable to Reach Definite Conclusion—Peculiar Case Under Investigation.

Indianapolis, Feb. 25.—Albert A. Knapp, formerly of Hamilton, O., was taken by the police to-day from the home of his bride on a charge of murder.

The police say that the wife at whose home Knapp was arrested, and whose maiden name was Anna May Gamble, is Knapp's fourth wife, and that the others have disappeared in a manner which warrants investigation.

Knapp, it is said, married the following women in the order given: Emma Stubbs, Jennie Connors, Hannah Goddard and May Gamble.

Knapp formerly lived in Hamilton, where Miss Connors and later Miss Goddard were married to him. Miss Goddard, according to a complaint made to the police at Hamilton by an uncle, disappeared December 22 last. About two weeks ago Knapp was married to Miss Gamble in Indianapolis.

An investigation at Hamilton showed that Miss Goddard, or Mrs. Knapp No. 3, really disappeared December 21, and that the following day Knapp was seen to take from the house a large box and carry it away in a wagon rented from a livery stable.

Further investigation showed that Jennie Connors, wife No. 2, was found dead a few years ago in a canal at Hamilton. The Coroner investigated at the time, but arrived at no definite conclusion regarding the manner of her death.

At police headquarters Knapp was questioned concerning the whereabouts of his third wife. He said she disappeared from her home December 2, and that he did not know what had become of her.

When asked what he had in the box which he carted from his home the day after his wife was last seen, Knapp seemed confused, but finally explained that he disposed of a box of old clothes.

In his confession he said he had thrown the box away about two miles from his home. The police say Knapp has served eight years in the Penitentiary.

WRECK NARROWLY AVERTED.

Four Men Stole Engine and Abandoned It in Dangerous Place.

Lebanon, Mo., Feb. 25.—About 1 a. m. today, while Engineer Jim Amelia and his fireman were eating at the St. Louis and San Francisco lunchroom here, four men detached their engine from an extra through freight westbound, ran it about two miles west and abandoned it on the main track.

Passenger train No. 6 was stopped by a telegram to Conway, and a posse started in pursuit on a hand car.

It is believed the purpose of the men was to wreck train No. 6, their ignorance of the fact that there was a night operator at Conway frustrating their plans.

BOUND ROBBER WHO SHOT HIM.

Minnesota Farmer Probably Will Die From Wounds.

Lesueur, Minn., Feb. 25.—William Ratliff, aged 22, for whom a reward of $50 was offered for housebreaking, appeared last night at the home of Lewis Ballman, a farmer, and demanded money.

Ballman gave him $10, all he had. Ratliff, enraged at getting so little, shot Ballman in the eye and breast.

The farmer then knocked his assailant down with an ax, and, with the help of his wife and hired man, bound him. Ballman can live but a few hours. Raliff is in jail here.

SOLDIERS KILL MASQUERADERS

Conflict at Vigo, Spain, Mars the Carnival.

Vigo, Spain, Feb. 5.—Two persons were killed and four were wounded here yesterday in a conflict between the municipal guards and people taking part in the carnival.

The trouble grew out of the ill treatment of a masquerader by some of the guards. A detachment of soldiers fired on the people, whereupon the crowd fled, leaving the dead and wounded.

Title and Trust Company.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Muscogee, I. T., Feb. 25.—To-day the Title and Trust Company of Muscogee completed its organization and asked for a charter. The company is capitalized at $250,000, and will do a general loan, trust and title business. The stockholders are all Muscogee parties and the officers are: J. L. Blakemore, president; F. C. Hubbard, vice president; J. Lee Dabbs, treasurer; N. A. Gibson, secretary. The directors are: Tams Bixby, chairman of the Dawes Commission; D. H. Middleton, president of the Commercial National Bank, Muscogee; A. C. Trombo of the First National Bank, Boynton, I. T., and Bank of Muscogee; J. Lee Dabbs, president First National Bank, Muscogee; Joseph Sondheimer, capitalist and exporter of furs, Muscogee, E. A. Evans, capitalist and live-stock dealer, Muscogee; Leo E. Bennett, United States Marshal.

Texas Hotel Men Organize.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 25.—Hotel men from fifteen cities of Texas met here in State convention to-day and organized "The Texas Hotelkeepers' Association." Delegates present were enthusiastic, and say that by the next annual meeting from 100 to 150 hotels will be members of the association. Mutual benefit and protection is stated to be the object of the association.

Proceedings were in executive session. The following officers were elected: President, T. H. Glancey, of Waco; vice presidents, S. E. McIlhenny of Dallas; W. L. Bickham of Greenville, J. A. Huckins of Texarkana; secretary, Q. B. Love of Cleburne.

The association will hold another meeting at the Hotel Worth, in Fort Worth, on June 10.

Burglars Cracked Safe.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 25.—Burglars cracked the safe in the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railroad depot at Benton, Ky., about 2 o'clock this morning, and escaped to Paducah on a handcar. They were scared away from their job before getting to the inside.

Judge Wright a Candidate.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Oran, Mo., Feb. 25.—Judge Wright, Probate Judge of Scott County, will be a candidate for the appointment by Governor Dockery of Game Warden, to succeed the late Game Warden Burford.

A TEXAS WONDER.

HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY.

One bottle of The Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists. Office, 2631 Olive street.

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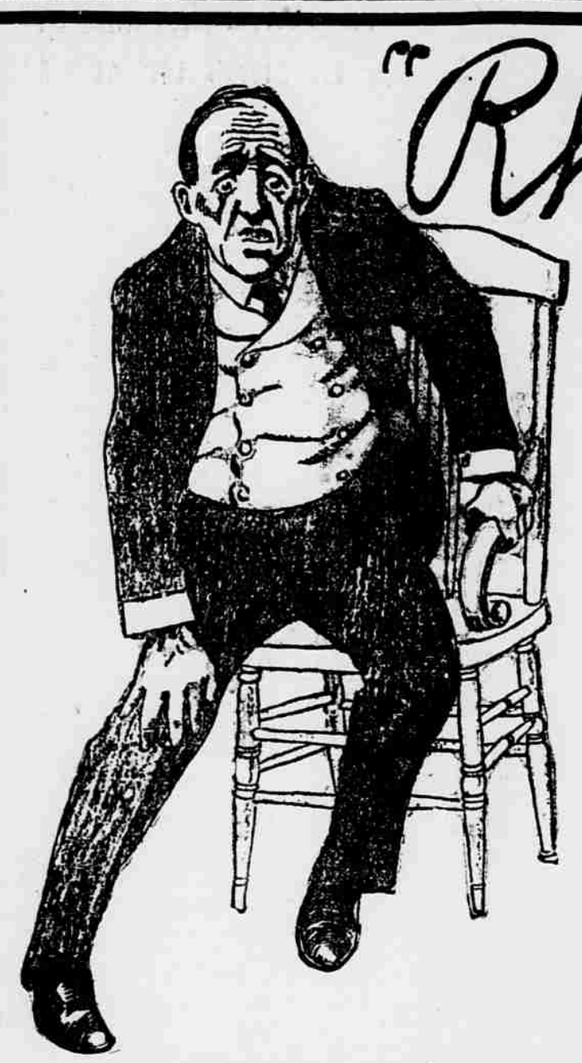
"Rheumatiz"



WHEN you feel that grinding pain in your joints you can appreciate the feelings of a man burned at the stake or having his bones broken and twisted on the rack. It is merciless, sleep-destroying, agonizing. It lets up at times for an hour or two, only to turn loose again more pitilessly than ever. It leaves one joint and moves to another with doubled intensity. It eats up all your vitality, exhausts your patience and unless you conquer it by using Electricity, which is the only remedy on earth that will cure it, it may reduce you to a chronic Rheumatic cripple, with joints enlarged, twisted and deformed, and strength enough only to limp around.

Rheumatism gives many warnings and it is easy to cure it if you take it in time. When you feel the first stiffness in your knee joints, shoulders or back, the first pain in your back or shoulders, if you attack it then you can easily drive it out of your body. But if you let these "come-and-go" pains come often they will settle down and stay with you. Cure them at first and you will be saved many years of needless suffering. I have cured many thousands of Rheumatics with the

Dr. McLaughlin Electric Belt.

Stomach Trouble.

Salem, Ill.
Dr. McLaughlin:
Dear Sir:—I wish to inform you that I am pleased with your Electric Belt. It helped me wonderfully, and I am satisfied with it. It has cured my stomach trouble completely, and I can eat almost anything now and it does not hurt me. I am in much better general health than I was when I commenced wearing the Belt. Last season my weight was 125. This season I weigh 155. Yours very respectfully,
GEORGE W. LECKSONE.

Best Thing Invented.

Ionia, Mich., Sept. 6, 1902.
Dr. McLaughlin:
Dear Sir:—I received your letter asking for a statement from me in regard to the benefit derived from the use of your Belt, and I will say [illegible] sider your Belt a magnificent appliance. The regulator is a valuable feature of your Belt, and I believe the McLaughlin Belt is the best on earth. Yours very truly,
FRED CARMERS.

Weak Back.

Minneapolis, Minn., Aug. 25, 1902.
Dr. McLaughlin:
Dear Sir:—I am constantly recommending your Belt to my frends, because it has given me entire relief from my weak back. The pains have entirely disappeared and I have gained several pounds in weight. Very truly yours, F. W. KRANZ.
2902 James Ave.

Rheumatism.

Bluffton, Ind.
Dr. McLaughlin:
Dear Sir:—In answer to yours of Oct. 4th, I will state that I feel very much satisfied with the results I have obtained from the use of your Belt. My rheumatism has disappeared and I enjoy excellent health, for which I am thankful. Yours very respectfully,
M. J. NEWHARD.

It does not matter where Rheumatism is located, it cannot get away from Electricity intelligently applied. Electricity will follow it to the most secret recess in the human body, and will so charge the tissues with vibrating life as to render the spot uninhabitable to disease. Rheumatism cannot exist where my Belt is applied according to my instructions.

Twenty years of combating this obstinate disease have taught me its ways and habits, just as an experienced fisherman knows the habits of a trout, and I have so far perfected my appliances that I am able to go direct to the spot in which the trouble rests, and, by the dissolving influence of the current properly applied, to destroy the uric acid, while the impulse given to the circulation by the same action cleanses the tissues of congestion, washes them out and drives the impurity through the circulation out of the body. This is death to Rheumatism and its cousins, Lumbago and Gout.

The Kidneys are responsible for nearly every case of Rheumatism. Lacking vitality, they fail in their duties and allow the uric acid to get into the blood, where it becomes a burden to the circulation. It roams about, up and down the vast system of arteries and veins, and finally settles down in some secluded spot to rest.

Here's where the trouble begins. So long as it keeps on the move it causes no great damage, but when it settles down it gets in the way of the blood of life. There is an immediate interruption to the circulation, the blood coagulates when it is checked in its course, congestion forms about the spot and the nerves immediately carry the message to the brain, shouting loudly for help.

The pain is most aggravating, nerve-racking and peace-destroying; the surrounding tissues, which are suffering because their blood supply has been shut off, become irritated and inflamed, and that part of the body, until relief comes in some form, is the sorest, most painful spot imaginable.

Sometimes a hot application will boil out the congestion and warm up the blood so as to drive the disease out of its resting place. It starts on its rounds again, seeking another comfortable spot, while nature proceeds to soothe the feverish and overwrought tissues that have been afflicted, and finally restores them to a healthy state. And the treacherous urates are wandering about, a continual menace to health, only awaiting an opportunity to inflict themselves again upon the unfortunate victim and render him helpless.

No internal remedy and no external application, except Electricity, has ever been known to entirely destroy this disease. The reasons are evident. Internal medicines are effective only through their action upon the stomach. The disease may be in the ankle. There is no remedy so universal in its influence as to carry just the right ingredients into the blood, conduct them to the ankle, and pour them upon the enemy. Nothing has ever succeeded in reaching near so far as that.

An external application will dislodge the trouble and send it through the blood again, only to find a resting place somewhere else. Only Electricity will destroy it, dissolve it, and follow it, inch by inch, through the veins until it is driven forever out of the body.

Electricity is an external application, but it goes into the body, directly to the spot where the trouble rests, pours its decomposing influence into the congestion, separates it, dissolves the urates and drives them out into the circulation, renders the blood uninhabitable to them, carrying them back to the kidneys, which, in the meantime, are being strengthened, and thus resumes the healthy course of nature by taking them out of the body through the bladder.

This is my cure for Rheumatism, for Gout and for Lumbago, and these names cover the origin of all pains in the muscles and joints of the body. By my system of treatment, adapting the current closely to the individual case under my charge and using attachments to reach the seat of the disease, I can assure a permanent cure of any pain or ache with which a human being may be afflicted.

Send me a description of your case, and full advice will be given, explaining the proper method of application and advising the power of appliance necessary to cure, as well as the time required to complete the cure.

Now, what does this mean to you, dear reader? If you are not what you ought to be, can you ask any better proof to make you try it? Is there a remedy which is as simple, as easy to use, as sure to cure and as cheap as Dr. McLaughlin's Electric Belt? I have not seen one. You must try it. In justice to yourself and to those who look to you for their future happiness, try it now. Act this minute. Such a matter ought not to be delayed.

It is as good for women as for men. Worn while you sleep, it causes no trouble. You feel the gentle, glowing heat from it constantly, but no sting, no burning, as in old-style belts. I take other belts in exchange.

Send for my beautiful book, full of the things which a man likes to read if he wants to be a strong man. I send it sealed, free. Cut out this ad. and send it to me.

DR. M. I. McLAUGHLIN, 162 STATE STREET, CHICAGO, ILL.

WOMAN PLEADS HER OWN CASE IN SUPREME COURT.

Miss Rebecca Taylor Asks That War Department Be Compelled to Reinstate Her in Her Position.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Feb. 25.—An unusual scene was presented to-day in Circuit Court No. 1 of the Supreme Court of the District. A woman appeared before Chief Justice Bingham to plead her own cause. She was Rebecca J. Taylor, former clerk in the War Department, dismissed because of her criticism of the President's policy in the Philippines.

It was the first time since the organization of the Supreme Court of the District that a woman not a member of the bar appeared in her own behalf, and this fact attracted a large attendance.

Miss Taylor did not seem perturbed when Chief Justice Bingham announced that the court was ready to hear the case. There was a slight tremor in her voice as she read the pleadings, but aside from this there was nothing which indicated her feelings.

Miss Taylor, when she entered the courtroom, wore a white hat, which she removed before she addressed the court.

Soon after she commenced to read her petition to the court her voice became a little husky. A glass of water was given her, and from time to time, as she continued reading, she moistened her lips.

The reading of her petition and other papers occupied about three-quarters of an hour. Miss Taylor appeared quite relieved when this part of her task was finished.

Miss Taylor read the article which she wrote and which was published in a local newspaper under the title, "The Flag Shall Stay Put." In this article Miss Taylor criticised the President and the actions of the American soldiers in the Philippine Islands.

In her petition asking for a writ of mandamus to compel the Secretary of War to reinstate her Miss Taylor contends that her rights as an American citizen entitling her to free speech have been infringed, and that the rules of the civil service were violated in her dismissal.

WEDDING AT JOURNEY'S END.

Olin Ragsdale Came From Nicaragua for His Bride.

Olin H. Ragsdale, who departed yesterday for Cuba on his wedding tour, came to St. Louis, all the way from Nicaragua, to wed Miss Nora P. Nash of No. 2903 Washington boulevard.

Tuesday morning the couple were married in the parlors of the Planters' Hotel upon the young man's arrival. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend T. C. Ragsdale of Nashville, Tenn., a brother of the groom.

The couple met in St. Louis two years ago. Ragsdale went to Blue Fields, Nicaragua, where he was interested in a business venture. His enterprise was successful and he returned to St. Louis to claim his bride.

Machinery for the Victor Mines.

W. H. Baldwin & Co., Albany, N. Y., report that two carloads of machinery for the Victor Mines at Lavelock were delivered late in January, and that four more carloads were in transit. It is expected that the completion of the Victor Mill will be made before the 1st of April. The Arizona Mill, which is also owned by the California and Nevada Mining Company, is claimed to be in operation now. This company believe they have the best equipped plants in the State of Nevada.

Business Section Burned.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Feb. 25.—Redfield, this county, twenty miles north of Pine Bluff, was the scene of a most disastrous fire early this morning. Every business house in the only business block in town was destroyed. Losses were: General merchants, butchers, jewelers, druggists, etc. The fire originated in the drug store of S. L. Cobb. Losses aggregate over $15,000. Insurance about $5,000.

WORK ON ST. CHARLES BRIDGE ENJOINED BY M., K. & T. CO.

Encroachment of Electric Line on Railroad Right-of-Way at Missouri River Crossing Is Opposed.

Judge Thayer of the United States Circuit Court yesterday issued a temporary injunction against the St. Charles and St. Louis County Bridge Company, restraining it from building a bridge over the Missouri River at St. Charles. The application was made by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad Company.

The Midland Street Railway Company, which operates a line of cars from Wellston to St. Charles, is back of the projected bridge across the Missouri at St. Charles. At present the terminus of the line is on the south bank of the river, opposite St. Charles, and that city is reached by means of a ferry. The street railway interests desire more rapid transit between the terminus of the line and St. Charles, and have projected the new bridge to that end.

As the proposed approaches of the new bridge will encroach on the right-of-way of the M., K. & T., the management of that road seeks to enjoin the building of it.

Considerable friction has been engendered, and a few days ago an open clash between employes of the M., K. & T. and workmen on the grades for the approach to the new bridge was barely averted by the presence of police and the Sheriff's officers, when an attempt was made to dump several carloads of dirt into the excavation made by the bridge workmen.

The writ of temporary injunction issued yesterday is made returnable March 5.

MISSOURI COUPLE ELOPED.

William E. Gant and Miss Mary J. Owen Married at Mexico.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Mexico, Mo., Feb. 25.—After escaping from the vigilance of the girl's parents about 10 o'clock last night, William E. Gant of Thompson and Miss Mary J. Owen of Centralia, bent on eloping to this city, were compelled to wait until 3 o'clock this morning to catch a train they missing an earlier train by a moment. Arriving in this city soon after 3 o'clock they secured a license and were made man and wife by the Reverend A. W. Kokendoffer, at the Ringo Hotel. The bridegroom is a stock trader and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Owen of Centralia. Mr. Owen is a lumberman.

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Freight Depot Burned.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 25.—The extensive freight depot of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway at Fourteenth and Hickory streets, in the West Bottoms, and ninety freight cars with contents, were destroyed by fire early to-day. The damage is estimated at over $100,000. Many of the cars were loaded with merchandise, on which it is difficult to place the loss.

H. A. Hesse, Tailor,

617 Pine street, says: "It's in the make."

Limited Derailed Near Sibley, Mo.

Sibley, Mo., Feb. 25.—Eastbound limited Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe passenger train, due in Chicago to-night, was derailed near here to-day, eight cars and the engine leaving the tracks. The cars remained upright and no one was hurt. The train continued north late this afternoon.

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ORMOND, Ormond-on-the-Halifax, ANDERSON & PRICE, Managers.	Now Open.
THE BREAKERS, Palm Beach, FRED STERRY, Manager.	Now Open.
ROYAL POINCIANA, Palm Beach, FRED STERRY, Manager.	Now Open.
ROYAL PALM, Miami, H. W. MERRILL, Manager.	Now Open.
COLONIAL, Nassau, N. P. H. E. BEMIS, Manager.	Now Open.
ROYAL VICTORIA, Nassau, N. P. H. E. BEMIS, Manager.	Opening date will be decided later.

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RESPITE FOR J. L. GARTRELL.

J. G. Taylor and Charles May Also Get Stay of Sentence.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 25.—Governor Dockery to-day granted the following respites:

John Taylor, alias "Bud" Taylor, Jackson County; sentenced to be hanged on March 6, 1903; respited until April 17, 1903.

James L. Gartrell, Bates County; sentenced to be hanged on March 6, 1903; respited until April 17, 1903.

Charles May Buchanan County; sentenced to be hanged on March 6, 1903; respited until April 17, 1903.

Catarrh of nose or throat immediately relieved and ultimately cured by use of "Boro-Formalin." (Elmer & Amend.)

To Nominate Long's Successor.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Hutchinson, Kas., Feb. 25.—Frank Harlow of Kingman, chairman of the Seventh District Republican Congressional Committee, has issued a call for a meeting at Hutchinson, Saturday, March 7, at 8 o'clock. The committee will decide on the time and place of holding the Congressional Convention to nominate a successor to Chester I. Long. There are thirty-seven counties in the district and there will be about 190 delegates. Eighteen candidates are now formally in the race.

All of the Medicinal preparations and pharmaceutical specialties of Wyeth & Bro., Ely, Lilly & Co., Searle & Hereth, Parke, Davis & Co., Schieffelin & Co., McKesson & Robbins, Wm. R. Warner & Co., and many others at the Lowest Cut Prices.

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W. A. JONES, Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR.

By virtue of the authority vested by law in the undersigned, Rolla Wells, Mayor of St. Louis, a special election is hereby called to be held in all election precincts in the City of St. Louis on Tuesday, the 7th day of April, 1902, said special election being called to fill the vacancy in the office of Inspector of Weights and Measures for the unexpired term ending first Tuesday in April, 1905.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of St. Louis to be hereto attached, this 24th day of February, 1903.

[Seal.] ROLLA WELLS, Mayor.
Attest: JAMES G. McCONKEY, Register.

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