## As an Act of Humanity

I ask you to tell me a friend who needs help. That is all—just the cost of a penny. Tell me to-day the name of some sick one.

### Tell Me the Book to Send

Then I will do this: I will arrange with a druggist near him so that he may take six bottles Dr. Shoop's Restorative. He may take it a month to prove what it can do. If it succeeds, the cost is $5.50. If it fails, I will pay the druggist myself. And the sick one's mere word shall decide it.

It is but a trifle I ask of you—just a minute's time—a penny postal. And I ask it to aid a sick friend.

It is a remarkable thing that I do in return—something that no other physician ever offered. And I do it for a stranger.

Won't you do that little—and to-day—if I will do the rest?

You ask what good it will do.

That month's test will tell. It is true that my Restorative may fail. There is sometimes a cause—like cancer—which medicine cannot cure. But the very fact of my offer must prove that failures are rare, for if they were common the offer would ruin me.

In the past twelve years I have supplied my Restorative to hundreds of thousands on just those terms, and 39 out of 40 have paid gladly, because they got well. I have found that the cured ones are fair—and not a penny is wanted from the rest.

A sick one who neglects such an offer is unfitted to plead for success means health, and 39 in 40 of such 40 secure it. Failure means nothing lost.

My boundless faith in this remedy is born of a lifetime's experience. I have tested it in hundreds of the most difficult cases that physicians ever meet. I have watched it succeed countless times—when the best of other treatments failed.

I know what it will do.

My success comes from strengthening the inable nerves. I bring back the nerve power which alone operates all the vital organs.

I don't dose the organs, for the best results of that method are only temporary. I give those weak organs strength to do their duty by restoring the only power that makes them act.

There is no other way. You cannot restore a weak engine by doctoring the machine. You must give it more steam—and inside nerve power is the steam of the body.

Tell me a friend who needs this help. The test will harm no one under any condition. And it may be that the sick one can otherwise never get well.

Simply state which book you want and address Dr. Shoop, Box 836, Racine, Wis.

Book 1 on Dyspepsia.
Book 2 on the Heart.
Book 3 on the Kidneys.
Book 4 for Women.
Book 5 for Men (sealed).
Book 6 on Rheumatism.

Mild cases, not chronic, are often cured with one or two bottles. All druggists.


## WEST POINTERS TO VISIT FAIR.

### Secretary of War Telegraphs That Cadet Battalion Will Be Here Two Weeks.

Visitors to the World's Fair are to have an opportunity to see the largest body of West Point cadets that has ever attended an exposition.

John Schroers received a telegram from Secretary of War Root yesterday, which stated that 450 cadets, the entire enrollment at the academy, would come, providing the Exposition Company agreed to pay for their subsistence, a matter of $4,500.

Mr. Schroers telegraphed to President David R. Francis, who is now on his way to Washington, suggesting that he call on Secretary Root and assure him that the cadets would be properly cared for. They are to be in St. Louis during the last week of May and the first week of June.

About a year ago negotiations were opened with the Government authorities at Washington. At that time the War Department agreed to allow the cadets to come, providing the transportation was paid by the Exposition Company. This amounted to $16,000, and the Exposition officials felt that they could not afford to spend that sum.

Mr. Schroers, who has a son at West Point, had promised the cadets that they would come to the Fair. He asked President Francis if he might open negotiations on the West Point matter and received permission. When the St. Louis committee was in Washington to secure the Democratic National Convention Schroers saw President Roosevelt, General Chaffee and Secretary of War Root, and secured their promise that they would do all in their power to secure the attendance of the cadets at the Fair, the Government paying the transportation.

Secretary Root's telegram stated that it had been decided to charge the railroad fare to the appropriation for the transportation of the army.

**Canada's Exhibit Being Loaded.**

William Hutchison, Canada's Commissioner General to the World's Fair, reports that five carloads of exhibits are now ready for shipment and will start for St. Louis from Ottawa early in February. The exhibits represent the agricultural, mineral and forest wealth of the Dominion. Canada's resources of nickel, corundum, chrome iron, peat and asbestos are to be featured. Pyramids of asbestos, nica and nickel will be shown in prominent positions, and the processes for treating ore will be illustrated. The nickel pyramid will be twenty feet high.

**World's Fair Notes.**

—William H. Bryan, president of the Washington University Alumni Association, has made application to the World's Fair for a special day to be known as "Washington University Alumni Day."

—George N. McLean, president of the Iowa State University, suggests a grand rally of the alumni of all State universities of the United States at the Fair on a special day, to be known as "State University Day."

—The Ohio Associated Dailies, of which John T. Mack, of Columbus, is president, have accepted the invitation to meet in St. Louis during the week of the World's Press Parliament in May.

—The Bricklayers' Company of Philadelphia has had reproduced the house in which Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence, which stood at Seventh and Market streets, Philadelphia, until 1883. The company has offered to loan the reproduction to the Exposition.

## FRANKFORT GETS CAPITOL.

### Former Rival Aids in Obtaining $1,000,000 Appropriation.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 28.—The passage through the Senate to-day by unanimous vote of the House bill appropriating a million dollars for a new capitol at Frankfort marked the end of a fight which had been waged for the removal of the seat of government since the days when Henry Clay came to the Legislature as a representative from Lexington, and started the discussion.

At the present session Lexington, Louisville and other towns joined in and aided Frankfort for the present bill.


## 4 or 5 Days Without COFFEE

May show you exactly *what causes your trouble.*

It's worth more than a ton of Coffee to feel well and comfortable again.

It's easy to quit coffee when you have a good, rich, steaming cup of **Postum Coffee** in its place, and the Postum puts one a long ways ahead on the road to Wellville, because it supplies the food elements that rebuild the system coffee has broken down.

These are eternal facts proven by trial.

**It pays to be well and happy. Try it.**


## OFFER TO EXHIBIT PORTRAITS AT FAIR.

### "Associated Photographers" Approach St. Louis Business Men and Society Women.

### SAY SPACE IS AVAILABLE.

### Circulars Sent to Prominent Persons to Interest Them in Project Which Causes Comment Among Picture Makers.

Representative business men and society women of St. Louis have been asked to have portraits made of themselves for exhibition with a collection of photographs of celebrities at the World's Fair, the group to embrace likenesses of notable persons from all parts of the United States.

The name of George Grantham Bain of Washington, D. C., a correspondent, who has supplied pictures to prominent magazines, has been mentioned in connection with the project.

Letters to the men are typewritten on the letterheads of the Associated Photographers and are signed by H. W. Sierichs as secretary. J. Edward Rosch, a St. Louis photographer, is named as one of the members of the association.

The letters sent to women bear the heading "The American Woman, World's Fair, St. Louis, 1904," are dated from the office of the secretary, at No. 228 Fifth avenue, and are signed by Mr. Sierichs.

In the letters to the men it is set forth that the Associated Photographers, composed of the "leading photographers" in the United States, have decided to make a special series of portraits of about forty of the leaders of commerce and industry in the United States.

Through the secretary, the Associated Photographers express the belief that "nothing could better exemplify their art than studies of the typical faces of the makers of the wonderful commercial history of this country. The center of the St. Louis group will be the portrait of the President of the Louisiana Exposition, the Honorable D. R. Francis. Will you kindly consent to the use of your portrait in this exhibition, and give to us a special sitting for this purpose?"

Communications to women are of like tenor. "Mrs. Blank" is "respectfully invited to participate in an exhibition of the portraits of American women at the great World's Fair of 1904 at St. Louis." The epistle goes on to say that space has been reserved in the Women's building at the World's Fair by the Board of Lady Managers "for the exhibition of the portraits of a selected number of representative women. The list of those to be chosen has been selected with the greatest care, so that the subjects will be representative socially as well as for personal qualities as types of American womanhood."

Inclosed is an order on J. Edward Rosch requesting him to make a protrait for the American woman series, and to charge it to the account of "The American Woman," H. W. Sierichs, secretary. The letter specially states that the expense will be borne by "this company."

A card also is inclosed giving the name of the "patronesses" of the American Woman series, and contains the names of Mrs. Astor, Mrs. Charles M. Oelrichs, Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, Jr.; Mrs. Peter D. Martin, Mrs. W. Rogers Morgan, Mrs. Joseph Widener and seventeen other well-known society women.

At his studio in the Odeon yesterday Mr. Rosch stated that he was "the commissioner" in St. Louis for the Associated Photographers and "The American Woman" series.

MAKING THE PORTRAITS.

"I have been asked to make the portraits for the Associated Photographers and already have made several of the more prominent men and women of St. Louis. The men's photographs will be placed on exhibition in the regular photographic display in the Liberal Arts building, while the portraits of the women will be placed in the Women's building. The object is to make the display representative and creditable to the photographers making the pictures.

"I would not like to say at this time just how many portraits I expect to get, but I regard it as a matter of pride to get as many as I can, so that St. Louis can make as good a showing as any other city in the country, if not better.

"Of course, I may secure 200 sittings, but out of this number possibly I can't use more than seventy-five portraits. The work will be done at the expense of the photographers. Of course, if the pictures should please the sitters and they should want a dozen or more like it, I should be glad to get the order, but, you understand, the object is to get a representative collection of the portraits of the prominent business men and society women to exhibit at the World's Fair."

Mr. Rosch exhibited the portraits of several men and women of St. Louis who had given him a sitting for the Associated Photographers and the American Woman.

J. C. Strauss, the photographer, said that last October he received a letter from Mr. Sierichs setting forth the details of the scheme, and inclosing a blank contract. This contract stipulated that 50 per cent of the gross proceeds accruing from the sale of portraits, like the ones made for the collection, should go to The Associated Photographers and The American Woman, with a reservation, stated in unmistakable terms, that the pictures furnished to The Associated Photographers and American Woman could be used for any purpose the promoters saw fit.

Mr. Strauss wrote that he was not interested and got a reply dater October 22 saying the contracts had been sent to him through a clerical error and asking him to return them. He did not, and two days later received another communication from Mr. Sierichs asking him to return the blank contracts. He did.

Frederick J. V. Skiff, Director of Exhibits of the World's Fair, said that George Grantham Bain had seen him about the portrait collection some months ago. As the exhibition was not to be in the nature of a strict photographic display, Mr. Bain did not get a concession to exhibit a collection in the Liberal Arts building. Mr. Skiff said he believed, but did not wish to say it authoritatively, that Mr. Bain secured permission from the Board of Lady Managers to place the collection in the Woman's building.

**SAYS HOSTESS WILL BE NAMED.**

**J. H. Hawthorne Declares Selection Is Probable at Next Meeting.**

J. H. Hawthorne, acting for the Missouri World's Fair Commission, with headquarters at the Southern Hotel, says that a hostess for the Missouri building will be chosen at the meeting of the commission to be held next Wednesday.

Mr. Hawthorne declares that the number of applicants for the position has been overestimated and instead of hundreds there will be less than forty.

The applications and indorsements of the various candidates have been indexed, so as to facilitate matters when the board meets next week to take action.

"I think that the members of the board have settled in their minds that the position of hostess will be salaried," said Mr. Hawthorne.

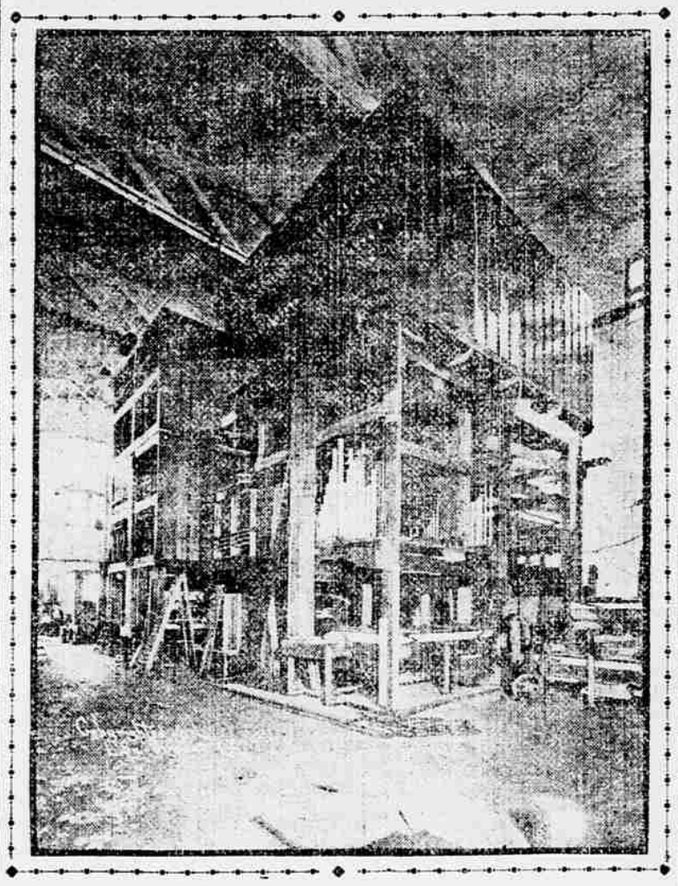
"Mrs. John Nuckols, Mrs. R. P. Bland, Mrs. John R. Walker, Mrs. Bartholow and Miss Iola Harwood have a large number of indorsements. The latter is the only unmarried applicant."

**Unconscious Man on Train.**

When the Baltimore and Ohio train arrived at Union Station last night the police were informed that an unconscious passenger was aboard. An ambulance was called and the man taken to the City Hospital, where it was stated he was suffering from an epileptic fit. On a slip of paper in his possession was the address, "W. J. Bonner, Sand Run, W. Va." The police do not believe this to be the name of the man. At a late hour last night he had not recovered consciousness.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA—The disturbances over the election contests culminated in a fight between the adherents of the rival political leaders and ended in a riot in which one man was killed and several men were wounded.

## BIG WORLD'S FAIR ORGAN NOW READY FOR SHIPMENT.



FESTIVAL HALL ORGAN, AS IT APPEARED RECENTLY IN THE LOS ANGELES SHOPS, WHERE IT WAS SET UP FOR TESTING.

The great organ, on which the most famous organists of the United States and Europe will give recitals in Festival Hall at the World's Fair, has been completed, tested and packed, ready for shipment.

Sections of the huge instrument are now in cases in the shops of the builders, the Murray M. Harris Organ Company, Los Angeles, Cal. E. T. Howe, representing the company, is in St. Louis to arrange for installation and look after the organ case, which is being built here.

Recently the organ was put together in the shops and thoroughly tested. The trial was satisfactory in every detail. It developed the fact that the instrument possesses a splendid, rich tone, and every portion of its complicated mechanism moves with the precision of clockwork.

While the tests were being made more than 15,000 persons visited the shops and heard the performance. Among these were many musicians and organ experts, all of whom were more than pleased with the results obtained.

The organ is the largest in the world, being as big as an office building. It is 60 feet long, 36 feet high and has a depth of 25 feet. It has 10,269 pipes, 130 speaking stops, 4 manuals, or tiers of keyboards, and 2 consoles. It will require fifteen large furniture cars to transport it from California to the World's Fair grounds. While being used for concerts, the organ will be a regular exhibit of the Department of Liberal Arts.

## TO USE STEAMERS FOR FAIR HOTELS.

### Clubs and Individuals Plan to Bring Their Own Sleeping and Eating Accommodations.

### WILL MAKE BLANKET RATES.

### Excursion Vessels Will Remain at St. Louis While Their Passengers Visit the Exposition Grounds.

Advices received recently at World's Fair headquarters indicate that extensive preparations are being made along the Mississippi River and its tributaries, by clubs, individuals and corporations, to use the waterways as a means of coming to the Exposition.

All the available passenger steamers of the upper and lower river will be put into the St. Louis trade, and they will bring thousands of visitors to the city. Many of the boats will do a regular packet business, while others will be in the excursion trade, bringing passengers here and remaining several days while they visit the Fair.

It is the plan of many of the owners of the excursion steamers to allow their patrons to use the boats for living quarters while they are in this port. A rate will be made covering the round trip and the cost of living while in St. Louis. Organizations and parties will frequently charter steamboats to carry them to the World's Fair city.

Persons owning pleasure craft on the Mississippi River from New Orleans to St. Paul will make cruises in them to St. Louis during the Exposition period. Word has been received from yacht and launch owners in Chicago and other cities on the Great Lakes that they intend coming here this year by way of the Chicago canal, the Illinois and the Mississippi rivers.

By taking advantage of the waterways leading to St. Louis it will be possible to avoid the rush on the railroads, besides enjoying the pleasures of a river voyage. Numerous applications have been received by Wharf Commissioner Wagle for definite places for the visiting craft to dock during their stay at St. Louis.

Word was received at the Administration building yesterday that the Pastime Launch Club of Winona, Minn., will depart from that city, May 22, for St. Louis. The trip down the river will be made by easy stages, and a stay of several weeks will be made in this city.

The club will bring its gasoline launch, "Pastime," and its barge, "The Gopher," fitted up with staterooms, so that the members can stop on board during their stay here. It is the intention to travel only in the daytime. Other citizens of Winona will accompany the club in their pleasure craft.

The Exposition Transportation Company of Winona, which is similar to corporations organized in other cities on the Mississippi River, has completed arrangements to bring passengers down the river and furnish them hotel accommodations on its boats during their stay.

Its equipment consists of several large steamers, each accompanied by a consort on which staterooms, and a cuisine to accommodate several hundred passengers are installed. For one week after arriving in St. Louis the boats will be moored at a private pier, convenient to car lines leading to the World's Fair.

The purpose of these transportation companies is to furnish persons living in towns along the rivers an opportunity of visiting the Exposition under comfortable conditions and at reasonable cost.

## PROCESSES OF SHOE MAKING TO BE SHOWN AT FAIR.

### St. Louis Manufacturers Complete Plans for a Live Exhibit in Exposition Palace.

The live shoe manufacturing exhibit at the World's Fair will be conducted by the Roberts, Johnson & Rand, the Peters and the Brown shoe companies of St. Louis. It will be in the Manufactures building, and will have a capacity of 300 pairs of shoes a day.

Recently the local shoe manufacturers' association took up the matter of exhibiting at the World's Fair. It was decided to appoint a committee of three, whose duty it would be to look over the field and decide what the exhibit should consist of.

J. C. Roberts, H. W. Peters and G. W. Brown were appointed on the committee. They canvassed the field, with the result that they decided upon their own concerns as being the best fitted to supply the live exhibit. A company was organized to make this exhibit, with a capital of $30,000, and known as the World's Fair Exhibit Shoe Factory.

The incorporators are G. W. Brown, H. W. Peters, C. D. P. Hamilton, J. C. Roberts, F. W. Peters and Tom Bennett. Each owns fifty shares. The balance of the boot and shoe exhibit in the Manufactures building will be dead exhibits; that is, displays of finished products.

## NOW FAVORS IMPROVEMENTS.

### Stoops Will Move to Reconsider Lindell Boulevard Bill.

Delegate Thomas S. Stoops of the Ninth Ward said yesterday that he would move to reconsider the vote by which the major part of the Lindell avenue street improvement has been killed.

"I voted against this improvement," said Mr. Stoops, "but I have been over Lindell avenue recently, and if there is another street that needs improvement worse than that does, I'd like to see it.

"I voted against the bill through ignorance, and I shall be glad to vote for it now that I know what is needed. The part from Spring avenue to King's highway is a sight, and visitors to the Fair would think that St. Louis was a back number if they had Lindell avenue pointed out to them as the home of the rich. They would think we had a fine lot of rich if they couldn't get a better street than that one."

## COUNTY'S OLDEST SETTLER BURIED.

### John Enge's Grandfather Came to St. Louis With Laclede, the City's Founder.

John Enge, the oldest settler in St. Louis County, who died at his home near Bobringville Tuesday afternoon, was buried yesterday. The funeral services were conducted by his son-in-law, Judge A. J. Shores of Clayton. The body was buried in the Mount Olive Cemetery, just south of the city limits.

R. E. Smith and Andrew K. Shores, great grandsons; Alex. Barada, grand nephew, and Leo Perry Mueller, a nephew of the second Mrs. Enge, were the pallbearers.

Enge was in good health until the day before he died, and was sick less than an hour. He sat down to dinner with his family as usual on Tuesday. After finishing the meal he turned pale and was assisted to his bed. Within thirty minutes he was dead.

Enge was a grandson of Dominick Enge, who came to St. Louis with Laclede in 1764. He was born April 4, 1808. In his early life he was employed on a steamboat, making trips from St. Louis to Pittsburg on the Ohio River, to New Orleans on the Mississippi and to the Yellowstone regions on the Missouri River. He was married in January, 1835, to Miss Cecelia Schulz, and began farming in Carondelet Township, where he remained the rest of his life.

But one child was born of the union. She is at present Mrs. A. J. Shores of Clayton, and recently celebrated her golden wedding. The first Mrs. Enge died October 6, 1854. Four years later Enge married Miss Sarah Deiore, who is still living. In addition, he left three grandchildren and seven great-great grandchildren.

Enge witnessed the building of the first brick house in St. Louis, and witnessed the growth of the town from a village to a metropolitan city.

Three years ago the Old Settlers' Association, at their annual reunion, awarded the gold medal of the association to Enge as the patriarch of the organization. It is said that he was the oldest man in St. Louis County.

FOSTER, IA.—John Stevens and Alexander Carlson, shot firemen, were instantly killed, and several men were seriously injured in a mine explosion caused by a windy shot.

PALESTINE, TEX.—The residence of W. C. Gorman, valued at $5,000, was completely destroyed by fire. Mr. Gorman also lost all his books and accounts having within the last month retired from business.

NEW YORK—Professor J. Leon Magnes, professor of Hebrew in Union College, Cincinnati, has been called to the pastorate of Temple Israel, Brooklyn. He is a native of Oakland, Cal., and a graduate of the University of Heidelberg.


# Thousands of Women Have Kidney Trouble and Never Suspect It.

*Almost every one, from personal experience, knows that the effects of any kind of severe physical strain are felt, first of all, in the small of the back—in other words, in those Vital Organs, the Kidneys. This is as true in the case of the very powerful as it is with one of less strength, and it is especially true whenever the kidneys are weak or out of order.*

*The Great Kidney Remedy, Swamp-Root, strengthens the kidneys and through them helps all the other organs.*

WOMEN suffer untold misery because the nature of their disease is not always correctly understood; in many cases when distressing, they are led to believe that womb trouble or female weakness of some sort is responsible for their ills, when in fact disordered Kidneys are the cause of their distressing troubles. Perhaps you suffer almost continually with pain in the back, bearing-down feelings, headache and utter exhaustion.

**YOUR** poor health makes you nervous, irritable and at times despondent; but thousands of just such suffering or broken-down women are being restored to health and strength every day by the use of that wonderful discovery, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

**NOT** only does Swamp-Root bring new life and activity to the kidneys, the cause of the trouble, but by strengthening the kidneys it acts as a general tonic and food for the entire constitution.

### Didn't Know I Had Kidney Trouble.

I had tried so many remedies without their having benefited me that I was about discouraged, but in a few days after taking your wonderful Swamp-Root I began to feel better. I was out of health and run down generally; had no appetite, was dizzy and suffered with headache most of the time. I did not know that my kidneys were the cause of my trouble, but somehow felt they might be, and I began taking Swamp-Root, as above stated. There is such a pleasant taste to Swamp-Root, and it goes right to the spot and drives disease out of the system. It has cured me, and I cheerfully recommend it to all sufferers.

Gratefully yours,
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### To-day I am in Splendid Health

About 18 months ago I had a very severe attack of grip. I was extremely sick for three weeks, and when I finally was able to leave my bed I was left with excruciating pains in my back, which convinced me that I had a severe kidney trouble. My physical condition was such that I had no strength and was all run down.

My sister, Mrs. C. E. Littlefield of Lynn, advised me to give Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root a trial.

I procured a bottle, and inside of three days commenced to get relief. I followed up that bottle with another, and at the completion of this one found I was completely cured. My strength returned and to-day I am as well as ever.

My business is that of canvasser. I am on my feet a great deal of the time, and have to use much energy in getting around. My cure is therefore all the more remarkable, and is exceedingly gratifying to me. Swamp-Root is pleasant to take.

Sincerely yours,
MRS. H. N. WHEELER,
59 Prospect St., Lynn, Mass.

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**THE MILD** and extraordinary effect of the world-famous kidney and bladder remedy, Swamp-Root, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases. A trial will convince any one—and you may have a sample bottle sent free by mail.

In taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root you afford natural help to Nature, for Swamp-Root is the most perfect healer and gentle aid to the kidneys that has ever been discovered. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

### Swamp-Root a Blessing to Women

My kidneys and bladder gave me great trouble for over two months, and I suffered untold misery. I became weak, emaciated and very much run down. I had great difficulty in retaining my urine, and was obliged to pass water very often night and day. After I had used a sample bottle of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, sent me on my request, I experienced relief and I immediately bought of my druggist two large bottles and continued taking it regularly. I am pleased to say that Swamp-Root cured me entirely. I can now stand on my feet all day without any bad symptoms whatever. Swamp-Root has proved a blessing to me.

Gratefully yours,
MRS. E. AUSTIN,
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## DEMURRER RAISES INTERESTING POINT

### Butler's Counsel Will Contend That Nineteen Men Cannot Be Bribed at One Time.

Circuit Attorney Folk was engaged yesterday at the law library preparing for the trial.

Attorneys who are informed of the preparations being made by counsel on both sides expect that the case will result in one of the most famous criminal trials in the history of American jurisprudence.

Both sides have announced themselves ready for trial. The State will be represented by Circuit Attorney Folk, C. O. Bishop, A. C. Maroney and J. H. Murry. The defendant's attorneys are Chester H. Krum, Thomas J. Rowe and Charles P. Johnson. David H. Harris, the Prosecuting Attorney of Callaway County of which Fulton is the county seat, has been employed by the defendant.

When the case of Edward Butler, who is to be tried on a charge of bribery, is called at Fulton Monday, the first step of the defense will be the presentation of a demurrer to the indictment, in which the point is raised that the defendant is charged with bribing nineteen men at one time.

The State will contend that that was what Butler did when he agreed to pay $47,500 for the votes of nineteen House of Delegates members, as charged in the indictment. The arguments on this demurrer probably will take up the greater part of the first day.

In replying to the demurrer Circuit Attorney Folk and his assistants will contend that this transaction was a single act of bribery, just as would be that of a man firing into a crowd and wounding a dozen persons could be charged in one count with assault on all; that the defendant is properly accused in one count of bribing the House of Delegates combine by a single act.

Judge W. W. Graves of Butler, Mo., who will try the case, was in St. Louis yesterday and stated that he would be on hand Monday morning at Fulton.

## MEXICAN GUIDE FINED $50.

### Kratz's Conductor Chased Men With Butcher Knife.

Bonafacio Ortega, who claims the distinction of having been the guide in his native country, Mexico, for such men as William J. Bryan, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Charles Kratz, was fined $50 by Judge Tracy yesterday morning for disturbing the peace. He has filed an appeal to the Court of Criminal Correction.

Policemen Kelleher and O'Leary say they arrested Ortega for chasing three men with a butcher knife early last Saturday morning near Union Station.

Ortega declares the three men had assaulted him and he had procured the butcher knife to protect himself; that after his arrest he had discovered that he had been robbed of a diamond ring, watch and $80.

He declared that he had called upon a policeman and a private watchman to protect him, but that they told him to keep still or they would arrest him. The police denied this statement.

## FAIR AND COLDER WEATHER THE FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

### Temperature Has Fallen in New England States and Along Rocky Mountains.

Fair and colder weather is predicted by the local forecaster for to-day. Fresh northerly winds will prevail. The minimum temperature last night was about 10 degrees above zero.

Much warmer weather prevailed yesterday than on any day since the storm. The lowest temperature reached was at 8 a. m., when the thermometer recorded 13 degrees above zero. The temperature was 26 degrees above zero at 3 p. m. It then began to fall, and at midnight was about 13 degrees above zero.

Snow was reported from the Lake region, the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the east slope of the Rocky Mountains, and rain and snow from the Gulf States, Tennessee and North Carolina. The unsettled weather in the South is caused by the development of an area of low pressure over the Gulf.

Warmer weather is reported in the British Northwest, the Mississippi Valley, Lake region and the South. The temperature has fallen decidedly in the New England States, New York, and on the Rocky Mountains. Low temperatures continue in the Missouri and Upper Mississippi valleys.

Zero temperatures were reported last night at Duluth, Minn., Des Moines, Ia., Huron, Wis., and St. Paul, Minn.

Hourly thermometer readings from 6 a. m. yesterday morning to last midnight were as follows:

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| 6 a. m. | 17 | 4 p. m. | 26 |
| 7 a. m. | 15 | 5 p. m. | 23 |
| 8 a. m. | 14 | 6 p. m. | 18 |
| 9 a. m. | 13 | 7 p. m. | 16 |
| 10 a. m. | 14 | 8 p. m. | 16 |
| 11 a. m. | 19 | 9 p. m. | 14 |
| Noon | 23 | 10 p. m. | 13 |
| 1 p. m. | 25 | 11 p. m. | 14 |
| 2 p. m. | 25 | Midnight | 13 |
| 3 p. m. | 26 | | |

**Highway Robbery Reported.**

Alexander M. Nurre of No. 1818 Wash street, yesterday evening reported to the police of the Fourth District that he had been held up and robbed by two young men at the mouth of an alley on Sixth street, between Franklin avenue and Wash street. He said the footpads had taken 45 cents from his pockets. The police discredit his story, and explain that they found 46 cents in the pockets from which he claimed the money was taken.

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## JOHN VAUGHN UNDER ARREST.

### Miss Kavanaugh Identifies Him as Her Assailant.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Carbondale, Ill., Jan. 28.—Chief of Police Robutson of this city to-day arrested John Vaughn, who is charged with the assault on Miss Eva Kavanaugh, one week ago.

The lady positively identified him and charged him with the crime. Immediately after the identification he was taken to the county jail. He stoutly denies his guilt.

He came to this city last May from Fulton, Ky., and is married. He endeavored to describe his movements on that night and claimed that it took him over an hour to walk a mile and a quarter.

Miss Kavanaugh had been a sudent of the State University and was a popular young lady.

The culprit admits knowing her habits in walking the railroad to and from her school.

Miss Kavanaugh formerly resided for years on Cabanne avenue, St. Louis.

**Wyman Called to Washington.**

Postmaster Wyman expects to depart for Washington in a few days. He has been summoned by the Postmaster General to discuss plans for the World's Fair service. The establishment of several new substations has been planned for some time. The Merchants' Exchange and Cupples' stations are to be moved to more desirable locations in the near future.


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