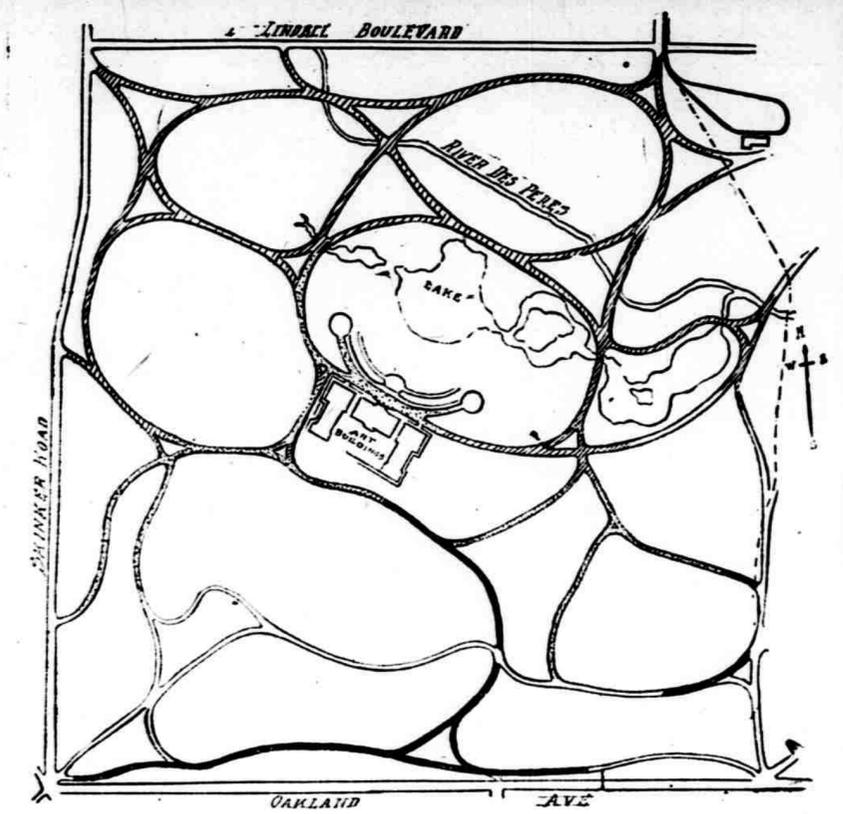


RESTORED FOREST PARK TO PRESERVE SPIRIT OF BEAUTY THAT ANIMATED THE EXPOSITION



SOLID BLACK LINES INDICATE THE PAVED CONNECTIONS TO BE MADE WITH THE OLD DRIVE-WAY SYSTEM AND THE NEW ROADS TO BE CONSTRUCTED IN THE BEDS OF THE INTERURBAN AND BELT RAILWAYS. DOTTED SPACES INCLUDED WITHIN LINES INDICATE THE EXPOSITION PAVED ROADS TO BE RETAINED. SPACES CROSSED WITH BLACK LINES INDICATE THE NEW ROADS TO BE GRADED.

PLANS FOR THE RESTORATION OF FOREST PARK SUBMITTED

Two Committees Representing the World's Fair and George E. Kessler, the Designer, Call on Board of Public Improvements and Explain in Detail What Exposition Proposes to Do—Crowning Feature of the Fair Will Be Retained, With Enlargement of Water Area, Great Lawns for Recreation Purposes and Groves of Shade Trees—With Completion of Work New Will Be More Beautiful Than the Old Park.

MAYOR WELLS AND CITY OFFICIALS PLEASSED WITH SCHEME.

A comprehensive set of plans making "Stations III" the center piece of the restoration of that part of Forest Park used for World's Fair purposes was presented to the Board of Public Improvements yesterday morning by George E. Kessler, Director of Restoration, and members of the Executive and Restoration committees of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

YOU CAN INTEREST HIM.

Any Man Over Fifty.

You can interest any man over fifty years of age in anything that will make him feel better, because while he may not yet have aged, he is beginning to feel that he is no longer the buoyant and vigorous of twenty-five, nor the freedom from care and pain of thirty, nor the vigor of forty, and he very naturally examines with interest any proposition looking to the improvement and preservation of his health.

provisions for an outing place for the public, with plenty of groves and greenward. Mr. Ferriss said: "The directors of the Exposition, who are also citizens of St. Louis, propose to give to the city of St. Louis a restored park in keeping with the character of the Exposition. They desire that the spirit of beauty which animated the Exposition shall be restored to the park. They believe that this new park will be better than the old. They plan to plant a park with streets of verdure, generously planted with trees and shrubs, suitable drives and walks, a lake of greater size and beauty than before—a park not only for the rich, but accessible to all, where the great masses of people may seek health and recreation. The forest has gone—but in its place let us hope to see happy throngs of children frolic in the sun."

SALE OF UNION TRACK APPROVED

Judge Douglas Upholds Vending of Race Course and Preparations for a Meeting Are on Foot.

Following the notice by Judge Douglas that the sale of the Union track property to the original stockholders was approved by the court, Manager P. J. Carmody of the Hot Springs to attend the meeting of the new independent circuit. Captain Carmody stated that he intended to submit the application of his course for racing dates to the authorities of the new circuit, and also announced that the managers of the track would adhere strictly to the racing periods handed down to them.

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HAPPENINGS IN ILLINOIS CITIES AND TOWNS

FIREMAN KILLED; SEVENTEEN HURT

A. G. Chaplin Loses Life by Jumping in Collision at Federal Station.

ENGINEER STICKS TO POST.

Switch Engine Backing Upon Main Line Wrecks Alton and Edwardsville Accommodation Train.

- LIST OF THOSE KILLED AND INJURED IN WRECK. KILLED. A. G. Chaplin, fireman, Upper Alton. THE INJURED. The Reverend E. D. McKenny, pastor of the Cherry Street Baptist Church at Alton, three ribs fractured; serious. John Hardy, plasterer, Upper Alton, two ribs fractured; serious. W. H. Gridley of Springfield, Ill., formerly general manager of the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railroad, bruised about head and face; not serious. C. M. Hodge, bookkeeper Central Union Telephone Company at Alton, cut on head, arms and upper lip. Ferd Volkmann, former Chief of Police at Alton, bruised about head; not serious. M. Rubenstein, iron broker at Alton, cut on face. Charles Klagenstein, son, injured about head. Miss Sarah Ward of Godfrey, Ill., cut on face and arms. Sidney R. Ingiam, Commissioner of Highways of Godfrey Township, cut on face and hands. Doctor H. H. Burnap of Upper Alton, injured about the head; not serious. S. A. Wightman, Town Clerk of Upper Alton, cut about the face. John Henry, coal dealer, Upper Alton, cut about the face and hands. Colonel J. J. Brenholt, lawyer, Alton, leg sprained. W. L. Gehall, traveling salesman, East Liverpool, O., back sprained. L. L. Pilsch of Chicago, traveling salesman, knee sprained. W. A. Batterton of North Alton, Constable, shoulder sprained. Charles Glover of Alton, prisoner in charge of Constable Batterton, bruised about body.

In the wreck of the Alton and Edwardsville accommodation of the Illinois Terminal at Federal Station yesterday morning, A. G. Chaplin, fireman of the accommodation, was killed and seventeen passengers were more or less seriously injured.

GIRL GOES TO SPRINGFIELD IN BEHALF OF PRISONER.

Mrs. Zora Hester Will Intercede for Her Sweetheart, William Vanjura, Alleged Robber.

In the hope that her presence at Springfield may have some influence, Zora Hester, the fiancee of William Vanjura, one of the trio charged with the robbery of a bonded car in East St. Louis of \$2000 worth of silver bullion, departed for that city yesterday.

HIS CYCLONE-CHIPPED LEG HURT.

Michael McGroarty Sustains Injury to Maimed Limb.

Michael McGroarty, 24 years old, of No. 702 Division avenue, East St. Louis, fell off a wagon near the corner of William street and fractured his right leg.

FRANCHISE FOR ELECTRIC LINE.

Alton, Jacksonville and Peoria Road Secures Grants in Jerseyville. The City Council of Jerseyville, at a meeting Monday evening, granted a fifty-year franchise to the Alton, Jacksonville and Peoria Railway Company to construct an electric line on State street from the southern city limits to the northern limits.

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TWO UNDERTAKERS SUBMIT TO RULE

Obeys Recent Order Issued by Coroner and Notify Deputy of Babies' Deaths.

Two inquests were held yesterday by Doctor H. G. Hertel, Deputy Coroner of East St. Louis, the first since the order of Coroner Irwin of St. Clair County that either he or his deputy shall be notified immediately of deaths requiring the attention of the Coroner.

PIONEER WOMAN PARALYZED AT TUB

Mrs. Lizzie Crumpe, East St. Louis Settler, Is Found Unconscious on Wet Floor.

Mrs. Lizzie Crumpe, one of the settlers of the East Side, was paralyzed while stepping over a bathtub in the basement of the home of L. O. Whitely at No. 209 Brighton place, East St. Louis, yesterday afternoon.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY WILL PAY \$1,056,771.62 TAXES.

Collection Will Exceed That of Last Year by \$14,000, Only \$14,000 Being Delinquent.

WOMAN'S DEATH NEVER EXPLAINED

Alleged Chicago Wife Murderer Said to Have Married Here Under Name of Schultz.

The attention of the police has been called to a dispatch from Chicago which states that Johann Cook, the alleged murderer of three wives, had married a Mrs. Becker in this city three years ago and that his wife, the wife of his previous victims, died under mysterious circumstances.

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Handsome Jeweled Rings

Artistic originality of design and extreme care and skill in selecting the purest and most brilliant diamonds and other gems are the distinguishing features of our ring department—features which have resulted in presenting for your choice an incomparable collection. The very beautiful Lady's Ring, illustrated, is a unique design, set with one large Oriental ruby and..... \$190.00. F. W. DROSTEN, PINE AND SEVENTH. Quality considered, our prices are the lowest—always.

Shiver if You Will BUT THE FAMOUS FLORIDA LIMITED. A train with all the comforts and luxuries will continue to run every day. It leaves St. Louis at 4 p. m., arrives at Jacksonville and St. Augustine next day. IT IS SUMMER IN FLORIDA. Ask for rates, booklets, etc. Ticket Office: 206 N. Broadway, St. Louis.

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STATE RACING COMMISSION PROPOSED FOR ARKANSAS.

Governor Davis Announces Appointment of Frank Hall and Dugald McMillan as Trustees.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL. Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 24.—Governor Davis sent a message to the Senate today announcing the appointment of Frank Hall of Fayetteville and Dugald McMillan of Arkadelphia members of the Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas.

He also advised the Senate of the reappointment of Chancellor J. G. Wallace of Knoxville. Two years ago a number of new chapters districts were created and the Governor appointed Judge Wallace in the Ninth District. The Senate refused to confirm Judge Wallace's appointment because confirmation was opposed by the Senator from his district. Governor Davis made Judge Wallace an ad interim appointment and the latter has been serving since.

Senator Amis introduced the bill creating a State racing commission. Senator Amis is from the district in which Captain R. E. Rice lives. The Amis bill was read twice and referred to the Judiciary Committee. Captain Rice was present at the legislative proceedings to date.

The House defeated Senator Gray's bill, the principal object of which was the authorization of North Little Rock to change its name to Argenta.

Among the new bills presented today are: By Senator Harby, providing Confederate soldiers and sailors who have resided in the State for five years with artificial legs or arms.

By Senator Holt, appropriating the sum of \$5000 for the purpose of paying the pension list of ex-Confederate soldiers upon the pension list of the State for the next year.

By Mr. Meade, authorizing the Railroad Commission to fix telephone, telegraph and electric rates for the State.

By Mr. Pindall, authorizing Lincoln and Auburn levee districts to issue bonds in the amount of \$100,000.

The Senate passed Senator Vaught's bill creating Lavee District No. 1 in Franklin County.

SEEKS POSSESSION OF SON.

Writ of Habeas Corpus Granted W. F. Rapp by Judge McDonald.

An application for a writ of habeas corpus to gain possession of his 11-month-old son, Leo Gregory Rapp, was granted to William F. Rapp by Judge McDonald of the Circuit Court yesterday.

The writ was made returnable Friday, January 27, at 10 o'clock a. m. Rapp, who is now in the custody of his mother, Edith E. Rapp, and her mother, Mrs. Maggie Peyton, of North Twenty-fourth street, the Rappes were married February 2, 1904, and separated in January, 1905, when she went to her mother, taking the child with her.

It is further alleged by Rapp that the person who is now in the custody of her mother, taking the child with her. It is further alleged by Rapp that the person who is now in the custody of her mother, taking the child with her.

Charged With Stealing From His Employer. Detectives Murphy and Quinn arrested Walter H. Rapp, an employee of the Gus V. Brecht Butcher Supply Company, at Twelfth street and Cass avenue, as he was leaving the store last night, on suspicion of stealing articles out of the stock.

THE ATTRACTIVE GIRL.

Much has been written about "the American girl" and her reasons for being pre-eminently the most attractive girl in the world.

In bringing up girls mothers can't be too careful. Why should we wonder if their daughters develop all their natural charms to the utmost?

The crucial epoch of a woman's life is the change from childhood to womanhood. It involves the whole body and manifests itself in the nervous disposition at this time.

Nervous or sick women are afforded the opportunity of a lifetime, for the mothers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription need only go forward for women who cannot be cured. Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women is ever attained, the proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay \$500 in legal money of the United States for any case of Leucorrhoea, Female Weakness, Protrusion, or Falling of the Womb, which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

"I cannot praise your medicine highly enough" writes Mrs. Jennie Rippenhauer, of Haverhill, Indiana. "My baby girl, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and took it steadily for six months. I was not once sick at stomach, never wanted one. Took the Favorite Prescription" three times a day and when in severe pain took an extra teaspoonful of medicine which checked the pain. I felt pleasant all the time and did not get nervous as I used to. When my baby girl came last August she was healthy. She is now eleven months old. An thirty-eight years old and never got through so healthy. Why should we wonder if our daughters develop all their natural charms to the utmost when they take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription?"

As a tonic for women who are nervous, sleepless, worn-out and run-down, "Favorite Prescription" is unequalled.

For constipation, the true scientific cure is Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. BILD, harness, get sun. No other pill can compare with it.

THREE WOMEN SEEK DIVORCE. Margaret K. Soyer Alleges Cruelty in Her Petition. A suit for divorce was filed in the Circuit Court yesterday by Margaret K. Soyer against John A. Soyer. The petition alleges marital cruelty and indignities. The couple were married on June 12, 1898, and separated November, 1904. Suit for divorce was filed by Mary J. Hays against Samuel L. Hays. Woman Accidentally Shoots Herself. Mrs. Annie Mims, 29 years old, shot herself in the left hand yesterday afternoon while playing with a .22-caliber revolver which she did not know was loaded. She was sent to the City Dispensary and treated and returned to her home at No. 2124 South Twelfth street.