

SOCIETY

By Miss Marie Rose. Phone 611.

I have heard so many people talking recently about the folks who have automobiles and how lovely they were to their friends, the lesser fortunate. Why we just get "ridden around" until we are fairly giddy. I rarely have to walk anywhere, no matter how short or long a distance I am going. Someone always rolls up in their machine and very kindly asks me to ride! Isn't it lovely of them? Haven't you noticed me riding luxuriously around? No! How strange! I heard one young lady say she had to walk out to the College only three times one day. Queer, wasn't it? If there is anything one loves to see in one's friends, it is unselfishness.

Now, just notice where you will, and you will never see a five or seven passenger car near you on the street unless it is full. Haven't you observed how the drivers always give you a lift? And, really, owners of automobiles frequently call up and ask if you are going to a certain party and if they can't take you in their machine. Now, aren't they thoughtful? I wonder if people in other towns are as considerate of their friends as they are in Mexico. What do you think?

Mrs. James Jesse, who is director of the Lyric Orchestra, entertained the members of the Orchestra at the Gem Wednesday where she ate and chatted and enjoyed life like folk of lesser talent. The members of the Orchestra of which Mexico is quite proud is composed of Mrs. Jesse, Miss Edna Armstrong, Kenneth Smith, Gus Sumner, Wm. Armstrong and Will Williams. The other guests who enjoyed the lunch with Mrs. Jesse were Mesdames Smith and Sumner, Mr. Jesse and Ralph.

Mrs. W. W. Bland of Vandalla was here this week on a visit to Mrs. J. W. Gallaher.

Mrs. Lapp Strode of New London is here visiting her son, Dr. R. C. Strode and family.

Mrs. E. R. Street was hostess this week for the Young Married Ladies Club. Seventeen ladies were present. Guests other than Club members were Misses L. B. Hawthorne, W. G. Wilkins, Joe Wilkins, Ab. White, W. G. Burke, T. J. Williams and Mrs. Coll of Perry; Miss Bess Conn of New London. The hostess served an appetizing salad course lunch.

Mrs. Wallace Fry gave a one o'clock luncheon on Wednesday complimentary to Miss Frances Guthrie. Two dainty kewpies dressed as a bride and groom at the altar with candles and tulle formed a very attractive centerpiece. Tidy hallows' kettles formed the place-cards and held the mints. A delicious seven-course lunch was served. Covers were laid for the following guests: Misses Guthrie, Gertrude Fry, Lena Johnson, Frances Mason, Mary Buckner, Lelia Wines, Ruth Jenkins, Gladys VanNess, Margaret Cave and Marie Rose and Mrs. X. P. Wilfley.

Miss Lena Johnson gave a kitchen shower on Monday afternoon for Miss Frances Guthrie, the bride-elect. Twenty-five friends of Miss Guthrie brought her many useful kitchen utensils, and valuable recipes to say nothing of the original poetry accompanying each gift. The hostess served a dainty lunch from the dining table in true kitchen style—off or oilcloth, out of aluminum pans and kettles. Each guest ate out of tin pan.

Miss Marie Rose invited in twenty young people to spend the afternoon Tuesday with Misses Frances Guthrie and Bess Conn of New London. After a guessing game of a lover's menu the guests were invited to the dining room where Mesdames Fred Llewellyn and X. P. Wilfley of St. Louis presided. The room was decorated in cosmos and a huge basket of pink cosmos rested in the center of the table. Coffee was served in the living room by Miss Tris Plunkett. Other guests were Misses Lena Johnson, Gertrude Fry, Lelia Wines, Mayme Binge, Gladys VanNess, Alta Ritchie, Willie Robinson, Bernice Smith, Elizabeth Parker, Edna Armstrong, Eva Miller and Ruth Jenkins of Platte City; Mesdames Wallace Fry, E. B. Street, Roy Mills, Voorhis Coons and R. C. Strode.

The Wednesday Club met this week in the Library. Mrs. Deuring read some of Goethe's short poems; Mrs. Gregory told of Goethe's correspondence. Mrs. Bots led the lesson, Act 3 of Richard III. Mrs. C. E. Leeper and Mrs. S. W. Hayne were elected new members.

Mrs. C. C. Caldwell and Crete Gus Caldwell of Vandalla were here to attend the Pageant and visit Mrs. W. W. Bots.

Mrs. Charles Claybrook entertained four tables at Auction on Tuesday afternoon. After an interesting game the hostess served a palatable two-course lunch.

The Chautauque Circle recently organized met Tuesday at the Library. Mrs. J. E. Darke is the president and leader. The Club is studying Tennyson this year and current events.

Mrs. Sam Cook of Jefferson City was here the guest of Mrs. F. R. Sanford this week and attended the Pageant.

Mrs. Maggie Graham of Hannibal is the guest of her sister, Mrs. N. F. Beam.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Key of Carrollton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Mc. Gambell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rowland had Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dillard and children as dinner guests Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Redding and daughter, Miss Isabel, had as dinner guests Tuesday, Mrs. Amelia Beckley, Mrs. Nan Moore, Miss Mary Bickley and Mr. Charles Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dillard of Kansas City and two children spent the week here visiting relatives.

Mrs. Chas. Claybrook is in Platte to spend the week end.

Mrs. Curtis Cauthorn has returned from a visit with Mrs. Lewis McBride in Moberly.

Mrs. Redding and daughter, Miss Isabel, spent the week end in Curryville with relatives.

Mrs. J. T. Johnson invited in a few ladies Monday to have lunch with Dr. Anna Howard Shaw. The table was artistically decorated in yellow 'mums'—yellow and black are the Suffrage colors. A five course menu was served to the following guests: Mesdames C. E. Leeper, Elizabeth McMillan, R. M. White, J. W. Million, Misses Mary V. Houston and Harriet Dean.

Mrs. Lucy Moore and Miss Anna Moore are in Clayton visiting relatives.

Miss Lottie Vaughan has returned to her home in Montgomery County, after a fortnight's visit with friends in Mexico.

Mesdames Tom Gill and J. F. Llewellyn gave an Orpheus party Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Lydia Brooks. Other guests were Mesdames P. E. Locke, J. C. Ringo, Amelia Bickley, Nan Moore, Alice Armstrong, Mayme Craig, Mary Brooks, Daisy Mattia, J. W. Mason, Virgil Williams, Al. Brown and guest, Mrs. Joe Kirkland of Hannibal. After the matinee the party enjoyed at two course lunch at Llewellyn's.

The A. B. C. girls gave a Lyric party Wednesday evening in honor of Miss Edna Morris who has left for her new home in Quincy. After the movies the party went to the Corbett home where most delicious refreshments were served. Those in the crowd were Misses Bernice Smith, Cornett, Irene Roden, Ruth Hoxsey, Louise Willard, Mildred Wallace and Edna Morris.

Mrs. F. A. Morris spent the week in St. Louis visiting friends.

Miss Louise Willard invited a number of young ladies to the Lyric Friday evening complimentary to Miss Edna Morris. After the pictures Miss Willard took her guests to the Gem Shop for refreshments. Those who accepted Miss Willard's hospitality were Misses Bernice Smith, Ruth Hoxsey, Edna Morris, Lottie Cornett, Irene Roden, Anna Williams, Elizabeth McClure, Maurine Heizer, Mesdames W. C. Smith and O. C. Willard.

Mrs. Joe Kirkland of Hannibal was the guest this week of Mrs. J. A. Brown.

The alumnae chapter of Beta Sigma Omicron gave a Lyric party Friday evening in honor of Miss Frances Guthrie. Misses Lelia Wines, Marie Rose, Lena Johnson, Frances Mason, Mary Buckner, Mesdames Rella McIntire, Fred Llewellyn, George Will Robertson, Wallace Fry and Earl Brown composed the alumnae chapter. Other guests were Mesdames X. P. Wilfley of St. Louis, Paul Schmitz of Jefferson City and Miss Ruth Jenkins of Platte City. The crowd enjoyed a two course lunch at Llewellyn's.

The Doll Parade will be the Red Letter performance during Round Up Week. The following is a partial list of those who will push a decorated doll buggy: Mildred Buffington, Valley Bush, Dorrance and Junior Edmonston, Kathryn Myers, George Taulson, Constance Barre, Margaret Clark, Elizabeth Clark, Mary Elizabeth Willis, Jane Isabelle White, John Anthony Badaracco, John Edward Thompson, Louise Lackland Ironough, Mary Ellen Pilcher, Rowena Rusk, Eleanor Cass, Genevieve Johnson, Mary Heizer, Helen Brown, Mary Virginia Nelson, Mary Ellen Wilfley, Belle Buckner Biggs, Fantella Hamilton.

Everyone in Mexico remembers Glenn H. Morris, a very bright school boy but few people will recognize him as an editor. Well, he is, and he is proving a very good one. He is editor-in-chief of a monthly publication called "The Pacific Coast Tennis Review." It is a small magazine published in Los Angeles, Calif., devoted exclusively to tennis, containing news of the foremost players and articles of benefit to beginners. It has the distinction of being the only magazine of its kind in the West, and the second one in the entire U. S. Mr. Morris has been much interested in tennis for several years, being secretary of a country club and is quite capable of giving the subscribers just what they want. Local tennis enthusiasts would doubtless enjoy the magazine a great deal.

Mrs. Howard and daughter, Miss Allie, of Slater, are here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brown.

Mrs. Paul Schmitz of Jefferson City is here the guest of Miss Frances Guthrie.

A wedding of much interest next week will be that of Miss Frances Polson Guthrie and Mr. Jean Pierre Causase of Roswell N. M., which will be solemnized on Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Guthrie. This is the third of Mexico's fairest daughters who will make her home in New Mexico.

Mr. Wm. Stueck of St. Louis is here to spend Sunday with his wife and baby who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Whitney.

Mrs. W. J. Morris and daughters have moved to Quincy, Ill., to reside. Mr. Morris has been there several months. The Morris' many friends in Mexico regret to have them leave here.

Mrs. Sam B. Cook has returned to her home in Jefferson City after a short visit with Mrs. F. R. Sanford.

L. M. GREER TO OPEN

I, M. Greer announced, Saturday, that he would open a furniture store in his new building which occupies the lot where his old store was burned. Mr. Greer expects to open about the fifteenth of November and will have his usual large and complete stock.

He will occupy the large store room on the south side of the building, the immense room in the second story formerly used for dancing and the remodeled basement. Mr. Greer says he intends carrying the same class of stock he has in the past. We are glad to welcome Mr. Greer back to Mexico business circles.

Why Missouri Men Should Give Missouri Women The Vote

BY Equal Suffrage League Mexico, Mo.

Because they are proud of their women and are willing that they shall stand beside them in the management of the government of the town and the state as well as in the management of the home and schools.

Because they recognize that times have changed, and that today women are educated equally with men; that they are in business; that they pay taxes and have the same reasons for needing the franchise that a man has.

Because the Missouri women have aided in civic work and have shown the value of a woman's idea in civic housekeeping.

Because there are 40,000 wage-earning women in the state.

Because it will double the home vote of those people who work for the permanent betterment of the state.

Because the women who move into Missouri from Kansas and Illinois are disfranchised, as are also the women who move from Colorado or California, Wyoming, Washington, Oregon, Utah, Idaho or Arizona. Suppose a man's wife objected to moving into a state where she would lose her vote just because she is a woman?

Because the women of the state have shown that they want it by endorsing the movement through the various women's organizations of the state.

Because statistics prove that women use the votes when they have them for the improvement of conditions and the purification of politics.

Because it is fair and there is no good reason for not granting it.

Therefore, men of Missouri, vote "Yes" on amendment No. 13.

OPINIONS OF EMINENT PERSONS ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

"I ask no political right for myself I am not willing to grant to my wife."—William Jennings Bryan.

"Woman suffrage is as inevitable as the rising of the sun. Whenever the subject comes up for Missouri, I am going to vote for Woman's Suffrage."—Champ Clark.

"Not I, but my opposition to Woman Suffrage is silenced."—Senator William J. Stone.

"I would like to see the ballot in the hands of every woman."—Mark Twain.

"I go for all sharing the privilege of the government who assist in bearing its burdens, by no means excluding women."—Abraham Lincoln.

"Without qualification or equivocation I am for Woman Suffrage, and I believe within a dozen years we shall have no one in the United States against it."—Theodore Roosevelt.

"If I were a woman I would give my first and best effort to this thought, that politics is nothing more or less than public housekeeping—the mere expression of the common will in matters that pertain for the common good."—Judge Ben Lindsey.

PAUL STRAIN TO MARRY

A marriage license was issued Saturday afternoon to Paul E. Strain, of this city, and Miss Leona Crawford, of Higbee. Mr. Strain has gone to Higbee to marry, it is supposed, although he said nothing to his father about it when he left. All he told Mr. Strain was that he would return next week. The bridegroom-to-be is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Strain, and is associated with his father in the poultry business. Miss Crawford is a very charming and talented young woman. The Ledger joins in extending best wishes to this happy couple in advance.

Proposed to Miss Wilson Arrested.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 24.—A man giving his name as David A. Wilson was held under arrest by federal authorities here today on a charge of having written to the only unmarried daughter of President Wilson, proposing marriage. He will be examined as to his sanity.

John Dwyer Dead.

John Dwyer, formerly of this city, who was raised by Dr. and Mrs. B. W. Berrey, of this city, and is well known here, died in St. Louis Friday, Dr. Berrey went to St. Louis to attend the funeral. His many friends here will be sorry to learn of his death.

Miss Pauline Abbott of Columbia was in Mexico Wednesday.

Wright-Purdum Wedding.

Joe Wright and Miss Edith Purdum were married Thursday noon, at the Benton City Presbyterian church by the Rev. S. W. Hayne, of Mexico. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Purdum. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wright are well known in Mexico as they have lived here. They will make their home in Ogden, Kan., where Mr. Wright is agent for the Union Pacific Railroad. The Ledger joins in extending best wishes.

To The Public.

"I used a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy last winter for a severe bronchial cough and can conscientiously say that I never took a medicine that did me so much good," writes Mrs. G. W. Andrews, Andrews, Ind. For sale by all dealers.

BACK TAXES SUITS

Seven suits for back taxes have been filed in the Circuit Court by County Collector, S. A. Pallas. The defendants in the cases are as follows: Mrs. E. G. Walker, A. C. Albert, Josie Quisenberry, 2 cases, Albert Barnes et al., W. H. Upham et al., Warren Bell (col.), Mr. Pallas is going to file a number of other suits against those in arrears with their taxes, it is said.

ROUND UP JACK

OTLANTER PARADE

The Jack O'Lantern parade, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock of Round Up Week promises to be one of the most interesting features of the week. There will be two first prizes of \$2.50, for the best lantern carried by a boy and one for girls and also eight 50-cent prizes, four for boys and four for girls. The parade will form in front of the high school at 6:30 Tuesday evening and there will be a line of march through the business section before the prizes are awarded. Children fifteen years old or under will be eligible to enter.

Col. Fred Gardner, of St. Louis, who has just returned from Europe, where he made a study of rural credits, has accepted the invitation to speak here, according to a letter received by President Pilcher of the Commercial Club Thursday morning. He will be on the program Friday evening.

The Wabash and Chicago & Alton are going to print bills advertising the Round Up Week and distribute them along their lines in this part of the state. The prospect for good attendance is most encouraging.

The Audrain County Equal Suffrage League will open headquarters in a few days in the room in the Ringo Hotel block, formerly occupied by the Ringo saloon. It will be kept open until after the election.

J. C. KING FIRED TWICE

FIIGHTENING BURGLAR

J. C. King knows how to get rid of burglars. When he awoke Monday morning, about 3 o'clock and found a man in his room at his home on S. Clark Ave., he turned on the light and brought forth his trusty artillery. The intruder was athletically inclined, however, and before Mr. King could act with the "gat" he had jumped through the open window and escaped. J. C. took two shots but missed. He called the police and they went in search — in vain, however. They found a man, answering the description, at the Wabash stock yards, but when taken to the King home and made to stand, the burglar was last seen standing at the Ringo Hotel. Mr. King was alone Monday morning when his visitor called. He was awakened by the wind blowing in on him and heard the floor creak. It was then that he jumped from his bed and turned on the light.

Mr. King thinks the murderer, who is a white man, lives in Mexico and is an amateur at house-breaking. Mr. King saw a man at the house Sunday morning about 1 o'clock, but the dog ran him away before Mr. King could catch him. Mrs. King was with her sister, Mrs. Isaac Taylor, Sunday night, so Mr. King loaded his pistol for the first time in fifteen years and put it under his pillow, never thinking he might have to use it. The visit of the man Sunday morning made him somewhat nervous, he said, especially as his better half was away.

Near Neighbors Had Not Seen Each Other for Months.

Because Mrs. McPherson had been very busy raising fancy chickens, and Mrs. Holloway had been absent on a visit, they had not seen each other for several months.

On arriving home, Mrs. Holloway called on her neighbor and was surprised as well as delighted at the nice new dresser, rug and fine sewing machine Mrs. McPherson had.

"Now, neighbor," she said, "I know you have no surplus money. How did you get them?"

"Well, well," said Mrs. McPherson, "don't you know Sam Morris, in Mexico, carries one of the best stocks of everything for the home that you can find anywhere?"

"You will be surprised to visit his furniture and home outfitting place. Two floors filled with the nicest things you ever saw. And he sells far cheaper than any catalog house I know of."

"How can he sell cheaper? Well, he tells me he buys everything he carries direct from the factory, pays cash for his discount and by owning his own building does not have the extra expense of paying rent. The best of it all, is that he delivers the goods to your home and while you are paying for it you have the use of it just as though you already owned the goods. I find that the little I pay on the goods goes anyway and that I do not miss the money I pay him."

"Do you think he would sell me anything?" asked Mrs. Holloway.

"Certainly," replied Mrs. McPherson, "he sells to everyone, by paying a small amount down and a little every week or month."

"Well," said Mrs. Holloway, with a smile, "I'll go to see him at once. Such a plan is what I have been looking for for a long time!" dw

FROM MEXICO, MISSOURI

(Minneapolis Tribune)

Mexico is in the United States. It's a fact.

"Let's have a story off the hotel run today for a change," suggested the city editor as the reporter left the editorial sanctum. "You haven't had a yarn off your run in a month."

The reporter left the office determined to find a "story." At the Hotel, Raddison, the clerk, was fairly radiating with prospects of a scoop. "See that," he said, pointing to a name on the register. The reporter read, "J. A. Glandon, MEXICO."

"That was the chance he wanted. Surely Mr. Glandon would be loath to the guards with hot stuff. Perhaps he was a personal friend of Villa or Carranza. Anyway, here was a "story."

Mr. Glandon was a little white-haired man. He was cordial in his welcome. "I see that you're registered from Mexico. Perhaps you can tell me something about the troubles between Villa and Carranza."

"I'm sorry to disappoint you, young man," came the reply. "But you see, we don't have any fighting down where I live. My home is in Mexico, Missouri!"

Mrs. J. H. Lane is home from Columbia where she attended the State Baptist Association.

Corn Comes Off as Easy as You Please!

"Gets-It" Being Used by Millions!

Find the Lady Who Uses the Wonderful Gets-It.

MONROE JURY HUNG

The jury hung in the case of Dr. T. M. Monroe against the Chicago & Alton Railroad which was tried at Fayette last week before Judge Walker. Dr. Monroe who lives at Ladonia, sued the Alton for \$25,000 in moral damages, sustained in July, 1913, when his automobile was run over by a train. His legs were broken in the accident. The plaintiff was represented by Kenna & Kenna and Sam Major and the defendant by Charles Miller, A. C. Whitson and A. W. Waler.

The case was taken from Audrain County on change of venue.

John Barry Dead.

Mrs. Howard Bailey of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. L. B. Hawthorne.

Nelson Miller of Excelsior Springs who has been seriously ill, is a great deal better and able to be out.

Where a Dollar Goes Farthest

HAVE you discovered the advantage of cash buying yet? Those who patronize my market have already discovered they are saving money on their meat and grocery bills? Are you helping your husband to save by buying where the dollar goes the farthest?

Being an experienced grocer, I am buying the best of goods at prices that make it possible for me to sell you lower than anyone else. The best of everything to be had.

Buy Your Next Meat or Grocery Bill From Me

E. T. STARK

Northwest Corner Sq.) (M. L. Argo Stand

COUNTY NEWS

Mrs. X. P. Wilfley of St. Louis is visiting her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Guthrie.

Mrs. William Kemper is in St. Louis to undergo another operation on her hand.

R. E. Arnold, sr., and wife are home from a visit to Excelsior Springs and Kansas City.

Mrs. F. W. Crews and daughter, Miss Myrtle, have returned to their home in Illinois after visiting the former's sister, Mrs. A. E. Egan.

Miss Lillian Woolery, teacher of Beaver Dam school, has gone to Kirkville to attend a teachers conference.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ned Turner, Friday morning, a fine son.

Dr. J. W. Millon, J. A. Guthrie and C. A. Witherspoon are home from Columbia where they attended the State Baptist Association.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Beall are home from Columbia where they attended the State Baptist Association.

The Hardin College Board of Directors has ordered that the fence around the campus of Hardin be torn down. It is planned to otherwise improve the appearance of the campus, also. The movement to take the fence away was started some years ago, but met with opposition. Herbert Morris drove home from St. Louis Friday in his automobile. He left the car in St. Louis several weeks ago on account of the muddy roads.

Mesdames A. S. Houston and C. E. Gibbs have returned from Columbia after attending the State Baptist Association. Their sister, Mrs. F. V. Ragsdale of Paris accompanied them.

William Van Deventer is going to after his first week of illness from typhoid. All symptoms are thus far in his favor. We miss him from our Sunday morning services where for a year he has assisted in singing—Christian News-Letter.

M. R. Kennedy, owner of the Auxvase telephone system, disappeared from his home last week, with his family was in Fulton and nothing is known of his whereabouts. Mr. Kennedy found a letter waiting for him in the Auxvase postoffice, when he returned, telling her to get her parents.

P. H. Gantt is quite ill at his home on South Calhoun street.

Major Struck and Col. E. Y. Burton were initiated into the R. P. O. E. L. Friday evening. After the initiation a light lunch was served.

Tom Bruce, local agent for the New York Life Insurance Co., is on the honor roll of the company for amount of business during September.

Standards 24th in the list including all of the agents for number of applications and 35th for volume of business.

Mrs. H. E. Trues, member of the south central field committee, gave a talk at the Y. W. C. A. meeting at Columbia this week. Mrs. Trues spoke of what this committee is doing. The work lies in seven states, of which Missouri is one. The committee is a branch of the national board of Y. W. C. A. and has its headquarters at St. Louis. Mrs. Trues was formerly Miss Irma Johnson, of this city.

Read This Before You Vote

You are entitled to know the facts regarding proposition No. 9, so that you may vote intelligently next Tuesday.

Proposition No. 9 concerns the law requiring an extra trainman on freight trains, of forty cars or over, and on passenger trains of six cars or over.

At present, through and local freights are manned by an engineer, a fireman, a conductor and two trainmen, one stationed on the forward half of the train—the other on the rear half. In case of unexpected stops one of these trainmen goes forward of the train to act as a flagman, the other goes to the rear for the same purpose.

These men do not apply brakes to a moving train. All trains, regardless of length or number of cars, are controlled by air brakes operated from either the engine or caboose of a freight, and from the engine or any car of a passenger.

The work of these two trainmen is no harder, or more dangerous one as a long train than on a short one. As a matter of fact, from all statistics available, there have actually been fewer accidents on long trains than on short ones.

There is absolutely no necessary or useful work a third trainman could do. It is not even claimed that he is of any use on a passenger train, yet the law, if passed, will require him to be there.

All trains are carefully inspected by expert inspectors before they start out on their run, and at numerous points along the line. An extra man on the train would not add any safeguard to the inspection.

An extra man would in no way lessen the number of accidents to trainmen, as seventy-four per cent of all accidents are due to the employees own carelessness.

The more employees there are the greater the chance for injury.

If an extra trainman is necessary, the Public Service Commission has full power to enforce the employment. Why not leave the matter to them? They are intelligent men who are paid by the State to investigate such matters, and enforce their rulings.

This same law has been defeated in Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, in Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Texas as either unjust or unnecessary.

To pass this law would add \$500,000 a year additional taxes burden on the railroads, which is borne by the end user of the railroads.

If you were asked to vote on appropriation to support in legislative or in useless labor, would you vote overwhelmingly No?

Gentlemen, that's proposition No. 9. Will you Scratch YES and vote NO?

All trains are carefully inspected