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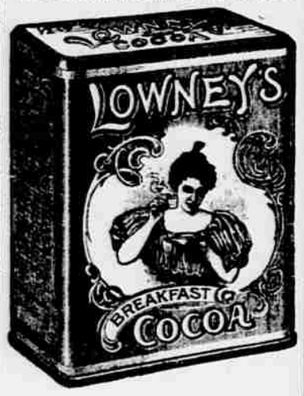

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CITY ITEMS.

SHOW yourselves in CRAWFORD'S Great Store to-day and notice the pretty Furniture and Carpets now opened up on their Third floor; it will be an education to you!!

FUNERAL OF LOUIS RICHTER.

Member of St. Clair County Board of Supervisors Is Buried.

The funeral of Louis Richter, member of the St. Clair County Board of Supervisors from Mascoutah, was held yesterday afternoon and was attended by almost all of the members of the County Board.

In the death of Mr. Richter there is a strange coincidence. Just one year ago to the day, his father, Fred E. Richter, also a member of the Board of Supervisors, died. Their deaths were similar and unusual.

Mr. Richter, apparently, was in excellent health up to the time of his death. He was a farmer and was busy with his farm implements on Tuesday. He retired at his usual hour and early Wednesday morning Mrs. Richter was awakened by her husband, who was breathing hard. She summoned assistance, but before the arrival of a physician Mr. Richter died. One year ago Mr. Richter's father died in precisely the same manner.

Coroner McCracken held the inquest both times and a verdict of death due to heart failure was returned in each case.

Mr. Richter was 52 years old and leaves a widow and four grown children.

Jerseyville Notes.

—The Reverend Doctor Jay A. Ford, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Jerseyville, preached yesterday morning on "The Riches of Christ."

—The Reverend J. G. Klene, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Jerseyville, preached yesterday morning on "The Rich Man and Lazarus." Last evening the Reverend Mr. Klene preached at the union services at the First Baptist Church on "No cross, No Crown."

—W. E. Welbery of Peoria, Ill., has been appointed agent for the Chicago, Peoria and St. Louis Railroad at Dow to succeed D. E. Rowe of Hillsboro, Ill. August Thompson of Springfield, Ill., has also been appointed night operator at the same place to succeed Walter Harris of Hettick, Ill.

—The Reverend J. W. Stowell of Waverly, Ill., occupied the pulpit of the Episcopal Church at Jerseyville yesterday.

—Nacy McGee Waters, the lecturer, will appear at Fern's Opera-house this evening under the auspices of the alumni association of the New Jerseyville High School.

—J. D. Rowe has sold his interest in the White Hall Register to Doctor G. C. McFarland, who will assume entire editorial control.

"Kah-I-Noor" lead pencils outlast all other pencils.

WINFREY—BERGER.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Paducah, Ky., Feb. 16.—Albert Winfrey, a popular baseball player, and Miss Lena Berger were married at the residence of the bride in this city to-night.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
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ACTIVE MERCHANT IN ALTON IS NINETY-TWO YEARS OLD.

—Photographed by Wiseman.

CHARLES PHINNEY,
Alton's nonagenarian merchant, with his great-grandson, Charles Phinney Forbes, one year old.

Charles Phinney is Alton's one nonagenarian merchant. Mr. Phinney is exceptionally vigorous. He is president and founder of the Charles Phinney Grocery Company, and although in his ninety-second year, is almost daily at his office on West Second street. He enjoys also the distinction of being one of the pioneer wholesale grocers of Southern Illinois, having been engaged in business at Alton continuously for the last sixty-three years.

Born in Massachusetts, Mr. Phinney came to Alton in 1838, embarking at once in the wholesale grocery business. Later the business was taken up by the firm of Phinney & Debow, and still later by the firm of Phinney & Barr, which was absorbed by the Charles Phinney Grocery Company, of which Mr. Phinney became president.

The illustration shows Mr. Phinney with his great-grandson, Charles Phinney Forbes, son of Robert M. Forbes of St. Louis.

EAST SIDE NEWS.

CALHOUN COUNTY TO GET RAILROAD.

Board of Supervisors Will Hold Special Meeting To-Day to Consider Franchise.

William Fulkerson, chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Calhoun County, has called a special meeting of that organization, which will convene at Hardin to-day for the purpose of considering the question of granting a franchise to the Quincy and Southeastern Electric Railway Company. The meeting will be held in the office of County Clerk Charles Flamm. At the meeting representatives of the company will present a petition for a franchise to equip and operate an electric railway along the public roads of the county for a period of twenty years.

At present Calhoun County has no railroad nor telegraph office, and the present company is the first to seek a franchise to construct a railway in that section of Illinois known as the "Kingdom of Calhoun." For many years the residents have offered inducements of more or less value to railroads to build lines into their county, but heretofore the roads have not given the matter serious consideration on account of the necessity of bridging both the Illinois and Missouri Rivers in constructing such a line.

The present company proposes to construct an electric line from Quincy, southeast through Adams, Schuyler, Hancock, Brown and Pike counties, entering Calhoun County from the north, connecting the towns of Barry, Hardin, Rushville and Nauvoo with Quincy. No waterway of any consequence would have to be spanned by the proposed road until the Illinois River was reached at Hardin. The latter place, however, according to the best information obtainable, will be the southern terminus of the road for some months, with a strong probability then of crossing the Illinois and running south through Jersey and Madison counties for St. Louis.

The Quincy and Southeastern Electric Railway Company is composed principally of Quincy stockholders. George Wells is president and Major James E. Adams is the secretary. Both officers are residents of Quincy. The company has a nominal capitalization of $5,000. The proposed line will be 130 miles in length, and will cost $1,000,000.

KILLED BY A FREIGHT TRAIN.

James Carson Run Down Near the Donk Mine.

James Carson, 45 years old, holding a card in the East St. Louis Carpenters' Union, was run over and killed by a train on the St. Louis, Troy and Eastern Railroad near the Donk mine, between East St. Louis and Collinsville yesterday afternoon. His body was taken to East St. Louis. The inquest will be held this morning.

Several officials of the East St. Louis Carpenters' Union were seen yesterday, but they were unacquainted with Carson.

Carson had nothing of value on his person. The railroad men say he was attempting to cross the tracks in front of the locomotive when he was run down. His body was badly mangled.

Planning Portable Schools.

President Al Keechler of the East St. Louis School Board is at work on a plan for the construction of portable school buildings to relieve the congested conditions in several of the schools of the city. Plans of the St. Louis portable schools have been secured by President Keechler and it is thought that this will be the only solution of the present problem of overcrowded schools. Mr. Keechler will lay the matter before the Board of Education at its next meeting.

East St. Louis Items.

—Mrs. P. F. Seavers of No. 332 North Eighth street will entertain the members of the Salmagundi Club Tuesday afternoon.

—A surprise paryt was tendered Mr. and Mrs. John Kay Saturday evening in honor of their twentieth marriage anniversary.

—Mrs. P. Cramer will entertain the members of the Jean Ingelow Club Thursday afternoon at her home, No. 626 North Sixth street.

—Miss Mary Forman of St. Louis avenue is entertaining Miss Alice Murphy of Joliet, Ill.

—Mmes. H. Ahren and H. Wilson of St. Louis are the guests of Mrs. J. Canty of No. 710 Ohio avenue.

—Mrs. A. B. Caudle will entertain the Ladies' Literary Circle Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred Harding, in Chartrand avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Baker and son Harold of Chartrand avenue, who have been spending two weeks in Washington, D. C., returned home Friday evening.

Alton Notes and Personals.

—The Reverend George R. Gebauer, pastor of the First Unitarian Church, at Alton, preached yesterday morning on "The Education of the Soul."

—The funeral of Frank Willert of Alton took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Preston Atkinson, at No. 412 East Second street. The Reverend J. H. J. Rice, pastor of the First Congregational Church, officiated, and the burial was in the city cemetery.

—The Shakespeare Club of Alton Conservatory of Music will meet this evening at the Conservatory rooms on East Second street, for the study of Julius Caesar.

—Miss Alice Marsh sang "Closer Walk" yesterday at the morning service of the First Presbyterian Church in Upper Alton.

—Professor D. G. Ray of Shurtleff College went to Springfield, Ill., yesterday, where he occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. Church at Upper Alton will give a Washington tea on Saturday afternoon.

—The Reverend J. H. Barton, pastor of the Union Baptist Church at Alton, preached yesterday morning on "A Prepared Kingdom," and last evening on "His Train Filled the Temple."

—"The True Church and Its Character" was the theme yesterday morning of the Reverend G. W. Shepherd, pastor of the Sixth Street M. E. Church, at Alton. Last evening the evangelistic services were continued, the theme of the meeting being, "Is It Time to Seek the Lord?"

—The Reverend E. E. Hendrick, an avangelist of Union City, Tenn., will begin a series of evangelistic meetings this evening at the Twelfth Street Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Alton. He will be assisted by the pastor, the Reverend A. H. Kelso.

—Constable John A. Bradley of Upper Alton is seriously ill at his home on College avenue.

—The funeral of Eugene E. Bozza of Alton took place yesterday afternoon from the Bozza home at No. 412 West Fourth street. The body was taken to Lebanon, Ill., for burial.

—The White Hussar Band of Alton will give its annual banquet this evening at the Turner Hall on Ridge street.

—Mayor Joshua Dixon of North Alton has announced himself as a candidate for re-election.

—Yesterday was observed as "Recognition Day" with the Sunday school of the First Presbyterian Church at Alton. Diplomas showing perfect records were awarded to twenty-eight members of the school.

—Yesterday was observed as the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Congregational Church at Melville. Special services were conducted in honor of the event by the Reverend J. D. Allworth, pastor of the First Congregational Church at Godfrey.

—The senior class of Shurtleff Academy has elected T. Jacobs president, and Miss Lacey Stifler secretary. The annual exhibition of the class will be held in Chapel Hall on Tuesday evening.

BELLEVILLE.

INQUEST ON BODY OF HARRY KERR.

Coroner McCracken's Jury Finds That Death Was Due to Drowning.

Coroner McCracken yesterday afternoon held an inquest at Bux's undertaking establishment in Belleville on the body of Harry Kerr, whose body was found Saturday evening in a cistern in the rear of Peter J. Kaercher's saloon on Main street, Belleville, into which he had fallen almost eleven months ago. A verdict of accidental drowning was returned by the Coroner's jury. The funeral will be held this morning.

Harry was just 16 years old and was graduated from the Belleville High School when he was employed by Mr. Kaercher as an apprentice bartender. He worked half a day and then mysteriously disappeared. The police of various cities were enlisted in an effort to find the young man and the case was placed along with other others of mysterious disappearances until Saturday night, when the body was found in the abandoned cistern. A metal card in the lad's coat pocket and his shoes were the only means whereby an identification was made.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr are heartbroken over the loss of their son, as they had hoped that he had probably taken a foolish notion to enlist in the army and had not written and would not write until the terms of his enlistment had expired.

PREPARE FOR SAENGERFEST.

Arrangement Committees of Two Societies Combine.

Arrangement committees of the Belleville Kronthal Liedertafel and Liederkranz societies for the saengerfest, have organized and selected a joint committee and subcommittees to take charge of all of the arrangements for the coming saengerfest in June.

The joint committee has organized with Adam Ehret, president; Charles Rhein, secretary; George A. Bieser, corresponding secretary; C. A. Grossort, treasurer. Subcommittees have been selected as follows:

Music—F. J. Schrader and G. A. Bieser.

Printing—Conrad Geil, Phillip Knapp, William Bocker, G. A. Bieser and Charles Rhein.

Railroads—Henry Hohm, Charles Grossart and Ernst Rheinhardt.

Privileges—Walter Gintz, Ernst Reinhardt, Henry Hohm, Philip Knapp.

Organizations Elect Officers.

Officers elected by Belleville organizations during the past week were:

The ladies' section of the Belleville Turnverein: President, Loretta Seifert; vice president, Eugenia Knoebel; secretary, August Neuhaus; treasurer, Ida Schmidt.

The ladies' section of the Kronthal-Liedertafel Society of Belleville: President, Miss Emily Grischy; vice president, Miss Alma Ehret; secretary, Miss Barbara Ehret; treasurer, Miss Mina Nebgen. The president announced the following standing committees: Arrangements—Misses Alma Ehret, Pauline Weingaertner, Katherine Keller, Amanda Samstag. Constitution—Misses Tina Bunn, Elisa Schott, Lulu Roth. Music Distributors—Misses Amanda Samstag and Freda Kolb.

The Junior Epworth League of the German M. E. Church: President, Miss Anna Pustmueller; vice president, Mrs. F. Mahle; secretary, George Mahle; treasurer, Miss Laverna Rauschkolb; organist, Mrs. Mahle; librarians, Edwin Deichmann and Harold Winker.

Revival Services.

Liederkranz Hall, Belleville, was crowded yesterday afternoon and last night, the attraction being the revival services which were transferred from the Presbyterian Church. A men's meeting was held in the afternoon and a big union meeting was held at night at which a chorus of 100 voices rendered an elaborate programme.

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HOTEL PROJECTS FOR WORLD'S FAIR.

Cause of Delay Attributed to Rumors About Exposition's Probable Postponement.

MANY CAPITALISTS INTERESTED

Syndicates Forming for Erection of Buildings in Different Parts of City—Real Estate Gossip.

Several large hotels are projected for the World's Fair. Many cheaper structures will be rushed up at the last moment.

Real estate dealers say that the principal cause of the delay in building operations has been the persistency of rumors that the World's Fair would not be held until 1904. This, they say, has made promoters chary of investing capital, lest it lie idle a year before the influx of sightseers.

Yet that ample accommodation will be furnished before the opening of the Fair no doubt is expressed. It is said that the necessary hotels will occupy in their construction less time than the World's Fair buildings. As soon as the latter are under way the hotels can be begun, and opened before the Exposition.

Both local and outside capitalists are known to be making ready for investment in great hostleries for the accommodation of the guests of the city during the life of the World's Fair. Probably $2,000,000 will be invested in structures of the first class. It is the great outlay that makes investors cautious.

Already syndicates have been formed for the erection of hotels in different parts of the city. Several plans contemplate the building of immense family hotels on Grand avenue, additions to downtown hotels are assured, and a great variety of building will be done about the World's Fair site.

One of the most elaborate projects in that of Count de Penaloza, who intends building a palatial hotel on the corner of Grand and Washington avenue. This structure will cost several hundred thousand dollars, be permanent in construction, and intended for a family hotel after the close of the Exposition. It is the intention to arrange the interior of the building after the manner of a Roman palace, and it will be one of the most elegant hostelries in the United States, containing more than 200 rooms.

The Lincoln Trust Company, for a syndicate, is planning the building of an immense six-story hotel in the same neighborhood. This, too, will be erected with the idea of permanency, and be converted into a family hotel as soon as the World's Fair rush is over with. This project also contemplates a 200-room hostelry, modern in every detail.

Mrs. Beers is arranging to build a substantial addition to her hotel at Grand avenue and Olive street, the structure to be erected just west of her present building. In all appointments the addition will be harmonious with the main building.

Probably the Planters Hotel also will be added to across the alley on the west. Negotiations were on foot for purchase of the Western Union building last year, and though it is said that these fell through, the fact that the Western Union will move within a few months has given credence to the earlier report that the Planters would acquire the property.

Among the temporary structures in prospect, that of the Travelers' Protective Association at Berthold avenue and the Clayton road, is the most elaborate so far announced. This is intended to furnish accomodation for members of the society with their families visiting the Exposition, and it will probably be sold for department store purposes after the Fair has closed. It will be five stories in height, and contain 150 rooms.

I. B. Rosenthal and A. Baer, the purchasers of the old Washington University building, at Seventeenth street and Washington avenue, contemplate also converting this structure into a World's Fair hotel before tearing it down to erect a modern mercantile structure on the site.

Across the street from this building a Buffalo promoter will build a large World's Fair hotel, with the idea, however, of making it a permanent structure for the use of transients, as it will be convenient to Union Station. The plans contemplate the erection of either a four or a five story building.

Possibly some part of the building to be erected by the Mercantile Trust Company on the O'Niel property at Seventh street and Washington avenue may be leased to the Lindell Hotel during the World's Fair. The first floor of this building has been let to the Model Clothing Company. The upper stories will be arranged to suit a tenant. To the south and west of the World's Fair site, many temporary hotels will be run up at a cost of from $10,000 to $25,000, in the hope that they will pay for themselves in the one season. After the fair, these will be disposed of in any way possible, many probably for stores.

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Conductor Killed in a Wreck.

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Hoxie Ark., Feb. 16.—This morning in a head-end collision with two freight trains on the Frisco at Ravenden Conductor McFall was killed.

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WIRELESS MESSAGES ARE BADLY TANGLED.

Three-Cornered Conversation in Three Languages Between Ships at New York.

INTERRUPTION IN GERMAN.

Hohenzollern Tries to Extend Invitation to Vessel Which Is Bidding Good-By to Departing Lucania.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Feb. 16.—There was a three-cornered conversation by wireless telegraphy, in two languages, in the North River yesterday. While George Kroncke, the wireless telegraph operator on board the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, was talking to the departing steamship Lucania, the operator of the wireless telegraph outfit on board the imperial yacht Hohenzollern joined in the conversation, the German messages causing a veritable confusion of tongues until matters were straightened out.

The Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse was lying at her pier at the foot of West Twelfth street, while the Lucania left the pier below to start on her voyage to Liverpool. The imperial yacht lay in her dock in Hoboken, almost opposite the big German liner.

"We are off the Battery. Everything doing well," was the first message received by Mr. Kroncke from Mr. Hepworth, the operator aboard the Lucania. Then after a lull of several minutes came the words:

"We are off Staten Island. I can see the cruisers of the United States Navy."

Mr. Hepworth then began telling the operator aboard the German steamship that he was going to try to break the wireless telegraph record, made by the steamship Philadelphia, which talked to the Lizard while 150 miles distant. Strange and obscure words began at this time to creep into the messages.

Mr. Kroncke shut off the connection and turned it on again, but all he could make out was several German phrases, among which the words, "Sehen sie" and "vier Uhr" were invariably repeated. Then there came a complaint from the Lucania:

"What are you talking about, anyhow? I can't speak German."

"Who is this?" was the message flashed out to the wind by the operator aboard the German vessel.

"The yacht Hohenzollern," was the reply.

"All right, Hohenzollern, keep quiet a moment," replied Mr. Kroncke. He continued to talk with the Lucania, whose messages grew weaker and weaker.

"We're out at sea, now," said the operator of the Lucania. "I can scarcely make you out. I'm hungry and going to get dinner, so I'll say good-by."

"Good-by. Bon voyage," was sent back, and then the conversation ceased.

Mr. Kroncke then communicated with the imperial yacht and learned that the operator on the latter had been trying to send to him the invitation in German: "Come over to see me at 4 o'clock."

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For February, set with "Amethyst," meaning "Contentment," $2.50 to $15, and with diamonds and amethyst up to $300. Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust.

Mrs. Alice J. Howard Dead.

Mrs. Alice J. Howard of Ferguson, Mo., wife of Hosea Howard, died at her home on Clay avenue, Friday afternoon, at 3:45 p. m. Mrs. Howard was the mother of Charles, Lydia, Mary and Emily. Mr. Howard is a brother of D. B. Howard, auditor of the Wabash Railroad. The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon at 2 p. m. Services were held at the Methodist Church, the Reverend Mr. Boggess officiating. The body was interred in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

SUNKEN TRANSPORT IS RAISED.

Arrives at Cavite and Will Be Placed in Dry Dock.

Manila, Feb. 16.—The United States Transport Wright, which sank in fifteen feet of water November 28 last, by striking an uncharted rock at the entrance of San Jacinto Harbor, and which was successfully raised this month, has arrived at Cavite in tow of the gunboat Wompatuck.

The Wright has six holes in her bottom, which have been temporarily patched. She will be dry docked immediately.

Magic.

The way Salva-cea cures Piles.

BREWERY STRIKE IS EXPECTED.

Unions Quarrel Over a Question of Jurisdiction.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 16.—The brewers of Cincinnati, Covington and Newport News say that their workmen are expected to strike next Saturday. About 2,500 workmen are involved. Last night a few men were dropped and a conference to-day of interested parties failed to reach an agreement.

National officers of the respective unions have been here working in vain with the local auxiliaries of the different bodies involved. The trouble comes from the dispute with the United Brewery Workers and the Stationary Engineers' unions, as to which of them shall have control and jurisdiction over the engineers and the firemen who are employed in the various breweries of the three cities.

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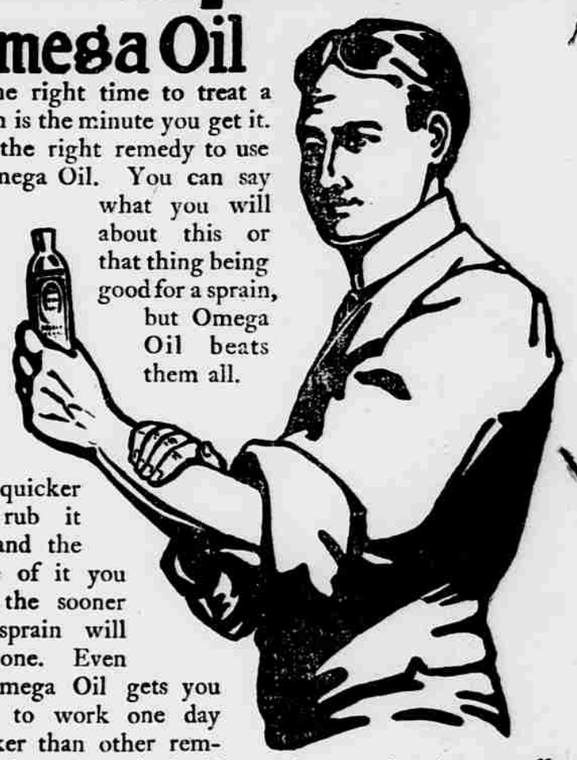

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CORONER WAS NOTIFIED OF LIPSCOMB'S DEATH.

After Consultation With Physicians and Attorneys, He Decided Not to Hold an Inquest.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Sedalia, Mo., Feb. 16.—Samuel L. Lipscomb, formerly circulator for the Sedalia Sentinel and a well-known citizen, died last night at his home in this city. Lipscomb's family physician says that the immediate cause of his death was due to uraemic poisoning.

On January 29 last Lipscomb and his brother-in-law, John W. Baldwin, who is a prominent citizen and a leading local politician, had an altercation at Baldwin's home in the country. During the fight Baldwin beat Lipscomb over the head with a chair. Lipscomb remained unconscious, it is said, for several hours and was brought to this city for medical attention. He apparently recovered, and two or three days afterwards was on the streets. He again became ill, however, and gradually grew worse until his death.

Coroner T. P. McCluney was notified of the death of Lipscomb and the facts in connection with the case. After a consultation with W. D. Steele, Baldwin's attorney, County Attorney John Cashman and the physicians who attended Lipscomb, he decided not to hold an autopsy or an inquest. Lipscomb was a married man and leaves a widow and four children.

The funeral will be held at Lamonte tomorrow under the direction of the Modern Woodmen of America, of which order Lipscomb was a member and in which he carried $2,000 insurance.

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Have them examined free of charge by Dr. Bond, expert optician at Mermod & Jaccard's, Broadway and Locust. Proper fit guaranteed if glasses are needed. Steel frames, $1 and up; gold, $5 and up.

VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kirth of New York are at the St. Nicholas.

—Samuel Brackstone of Corinth, Miss., is registered at the Moser.

—W. Sanford of Eagle Pass, Tex., is at the Lindell.

—William J. Cead of Rapid City, S. D., has rooms at the Planters.

—W. C. Hasty of Paragould, Ark., spent yesterday at the Southern.

—D. A. McMillan of Mexico, Mo., is stopping at the Laclede.

—F. R. Smitte of Brownwood, Tex., is a guest at the Moser.

—R. M. Rae of Graceville, Mo., arrived at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

—A. K. Pannell of Oklahoma City, Ok., is registered at the Lindell.

—D. C. Good of Atchison, Kas., was at the Planters yesterday.

—Thomas N. Boyle of Pittsburg, Pa., is stopping at the Southern.

—P. L. Langenburg of Peoria, Ill., was among yesterday's arrivals at the Laclede.

—W. N. Clair of Centralia, Mo., has rooms at the Moser.

—Misses Fannie Smith and Clara Kinney of Chanute, Kas., are at the St. Nicholas.

—S. G. Taylor of Memphis, Tenn., is registered at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Anderson of Macon, Ga., are at the Planters.

—W. D. Denton of Leavenworth, Kas., spent yesterday at the Southern.

—W. J. Payne of Denver, Colo., has rooms at the Laclede.

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—D. C. Benjamin of Montgomery, Ala., is registered at the Planters.

—Mr. and Mrs. George D. Marcy of Portsmouth, N. H., are at the Southern.

—C. P. Barnes of Memphis, Tenn., is at the Laclede with Mrs. Barnes.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sutton of Toledo, O., are at the Moser.

—H. Hirt of Cincinnati, O., is stopping at the St. Nicholas.

—J. Kranskoff of Milwaukee, Wis., has rooms at the Lindell.

—W. B. Rodgers of Springfield, O., is registered at the Planters.

—William M. Bartlett of Rock Island, Ill., was at the Southern yesterday.

—F. P. Ake of Ironton, Mo., was among yesterday's arrivals at the Laclede.

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