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Carpenters, iron workers and numerous other "alterers" are with us, overhead and underfoot, vying with each other in an endeavor to hammer quietly—the improvements will outweigh the present inconvencence.

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50 pairs of Children's Low Shoes, of white canvas and leather, sizes 2 to 8. Some of them brought \$2.00—the price, per pair, is—

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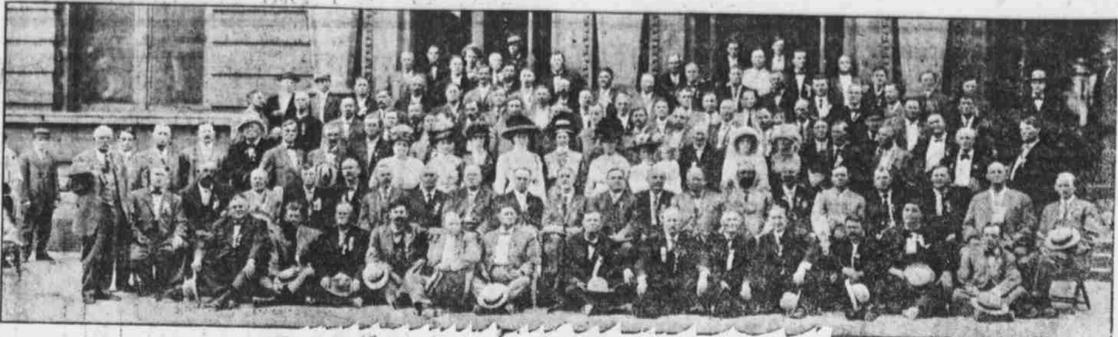
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Several times the patient was reported to be at the point of death, but with the aid of powerful stimulants rallied. The pneumonia and kidney troubles had ameliorated somewhat Monday, but early Tuesday morning there was a recurrence of the congestion of the kidneys which was followed by a further attack Tuesday noon.

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The city railway company today filed an answer in court in the strike injunction case alleging the order of court terminating the strike is in violation of the federal constitution.

Rock Island Gets Road. The formal transfer of the St. Paul & Des Moines railroad property to the St. Paul & Kansas City Railroad company, a subsidiary of the Rock Island, was made today when the shareholders of the former met and approved the sale of the road.

Robert Walker of New York, chairman of the executive committee of the Rock Island, on behalf of that company was present and voted the proxies of all shareholders, none of whom was personally present. Vice President Fred C. MacMillan of the St. Paul & Des Moines attended the meeting as the representative of the dissolving corporation.

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COMMISSION TO MAKE INQUIRY

Railroads Operating Between Missouri and Mississippi Want to Charge Same Rate on All Classes of Cattle.

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The proposed rates were filed with the commission, by the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad and the Iowa Central railway, effective August 15, and by the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad effective September 1. It is probable that others will file similar rates, which will be suspended if they reach the commission.

For many years freight tariffs filed by the railroads between the Missouri and Mississippi rivers have provided that "feeding cattle" or "stock cattle" might be shipped at 75 per cent of the rate charged on "fat cattle," the reason for the difference being that the "feeders" are concentrated during certain seasons at cattle markets for sale to stock raisers and then reshipped to the ranges to be fattened.

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