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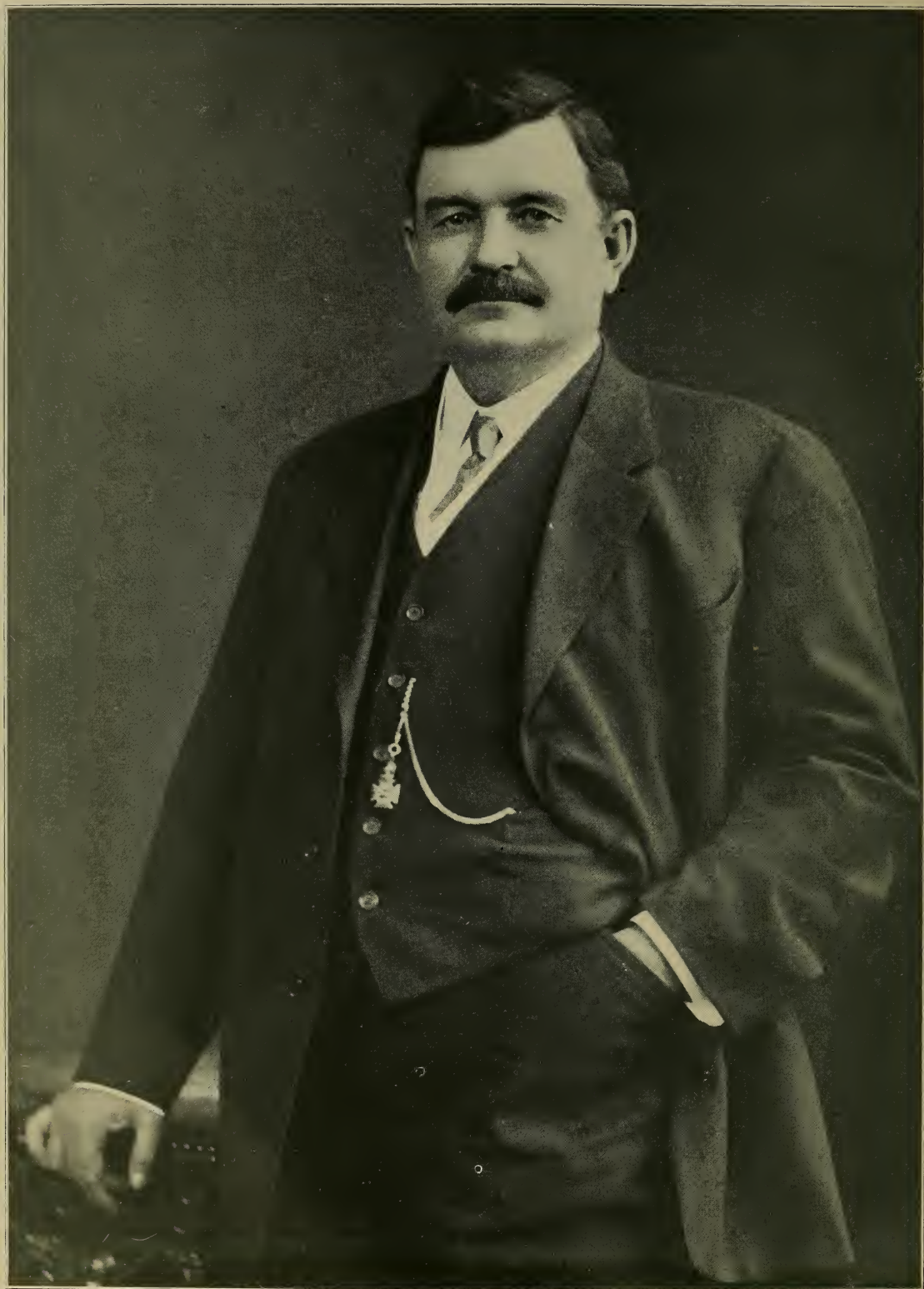


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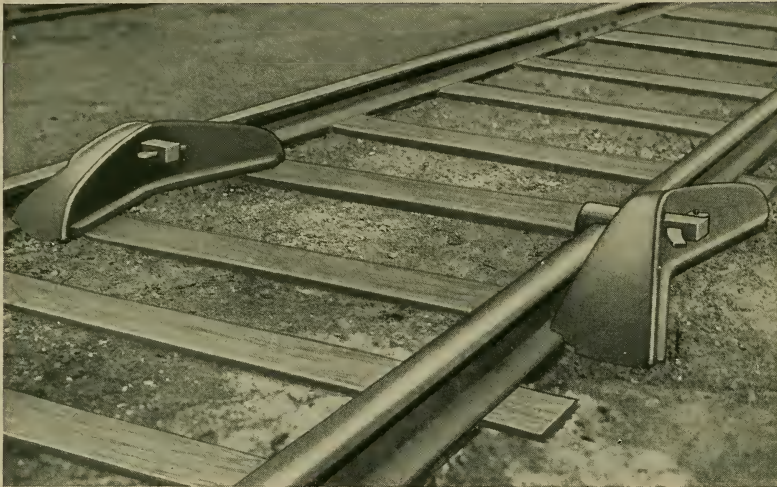
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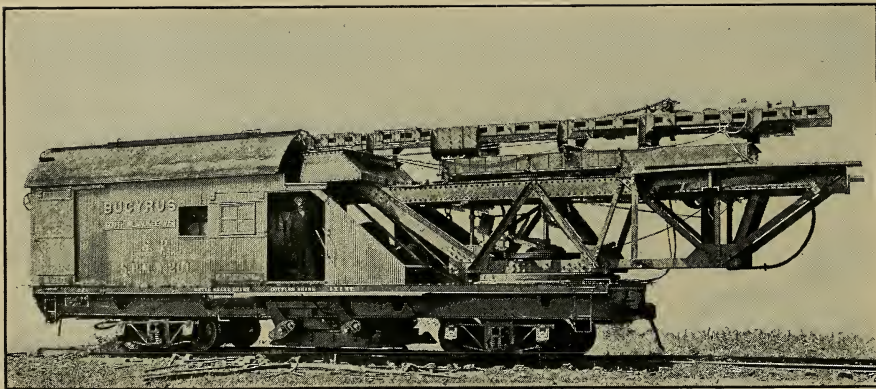
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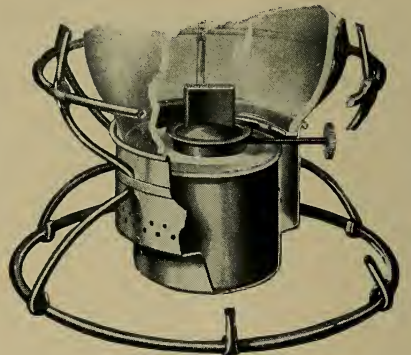
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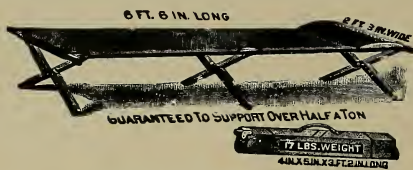
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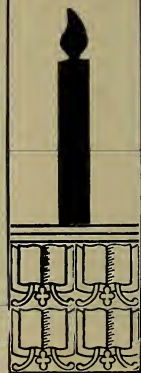
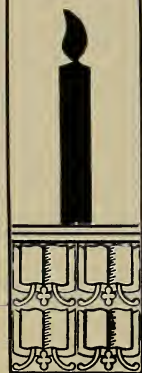
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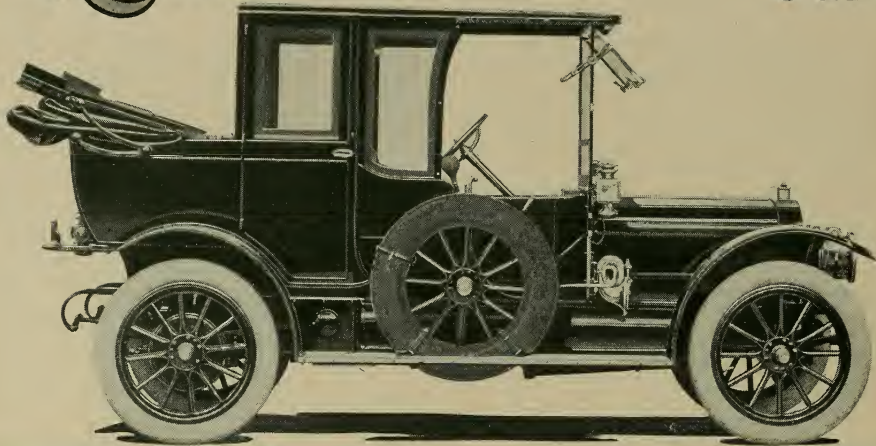


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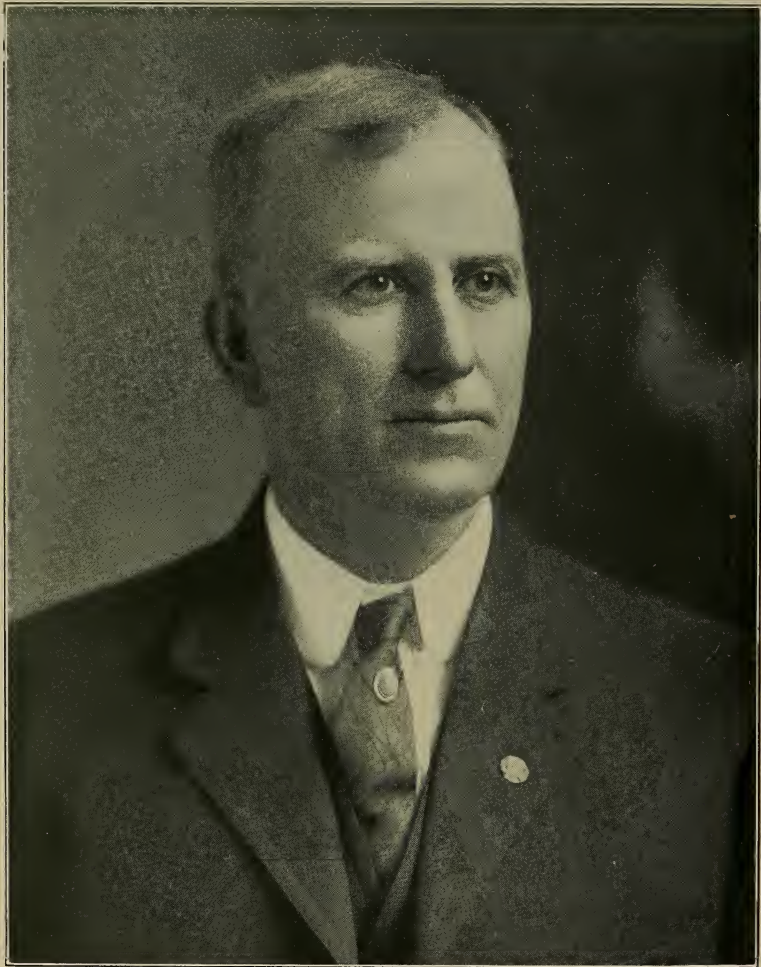
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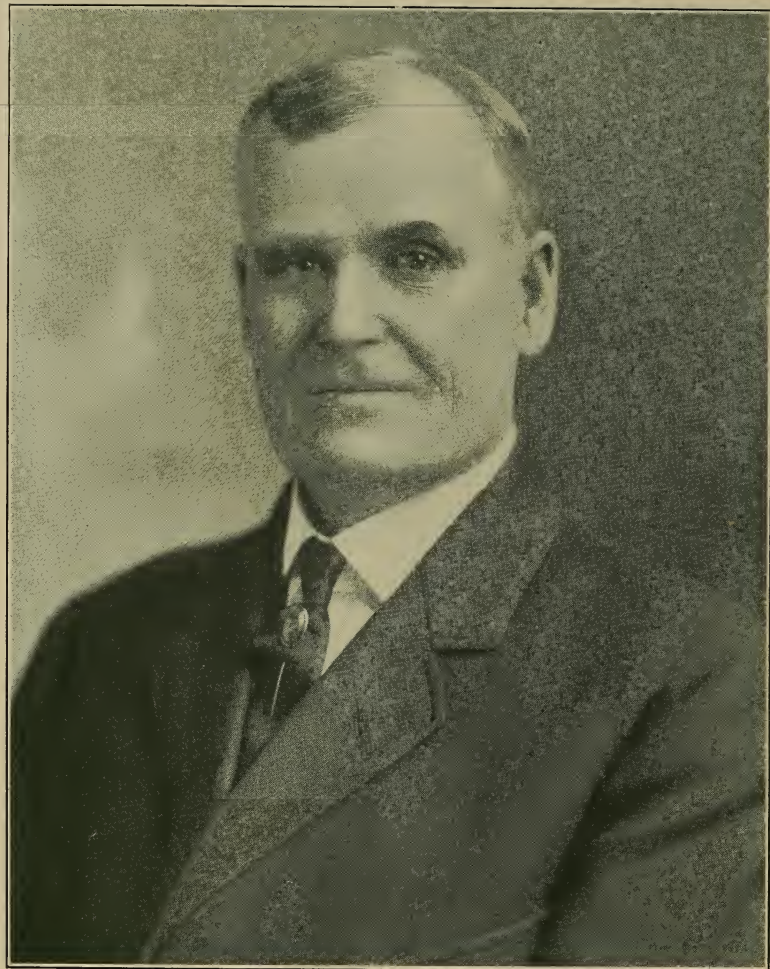


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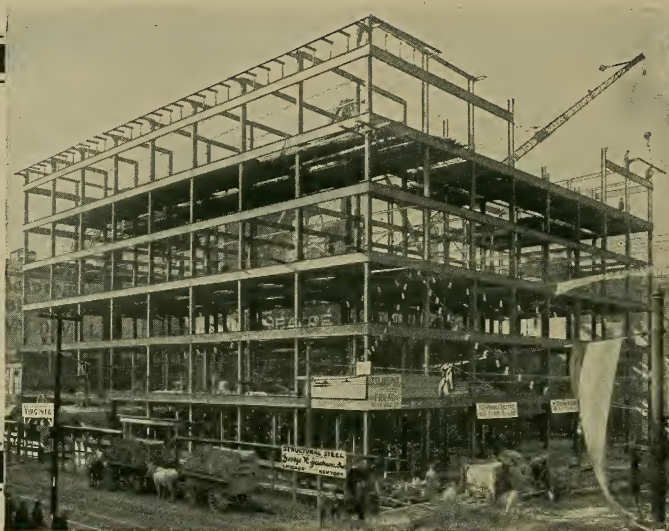
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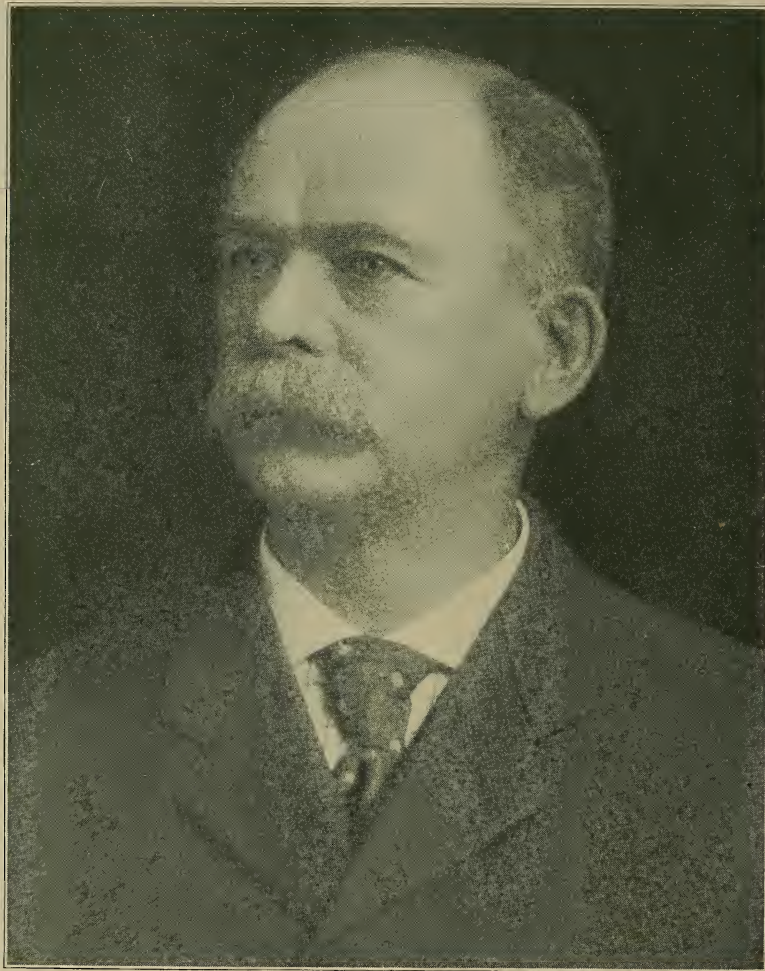
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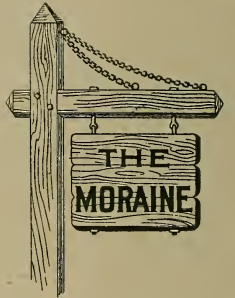
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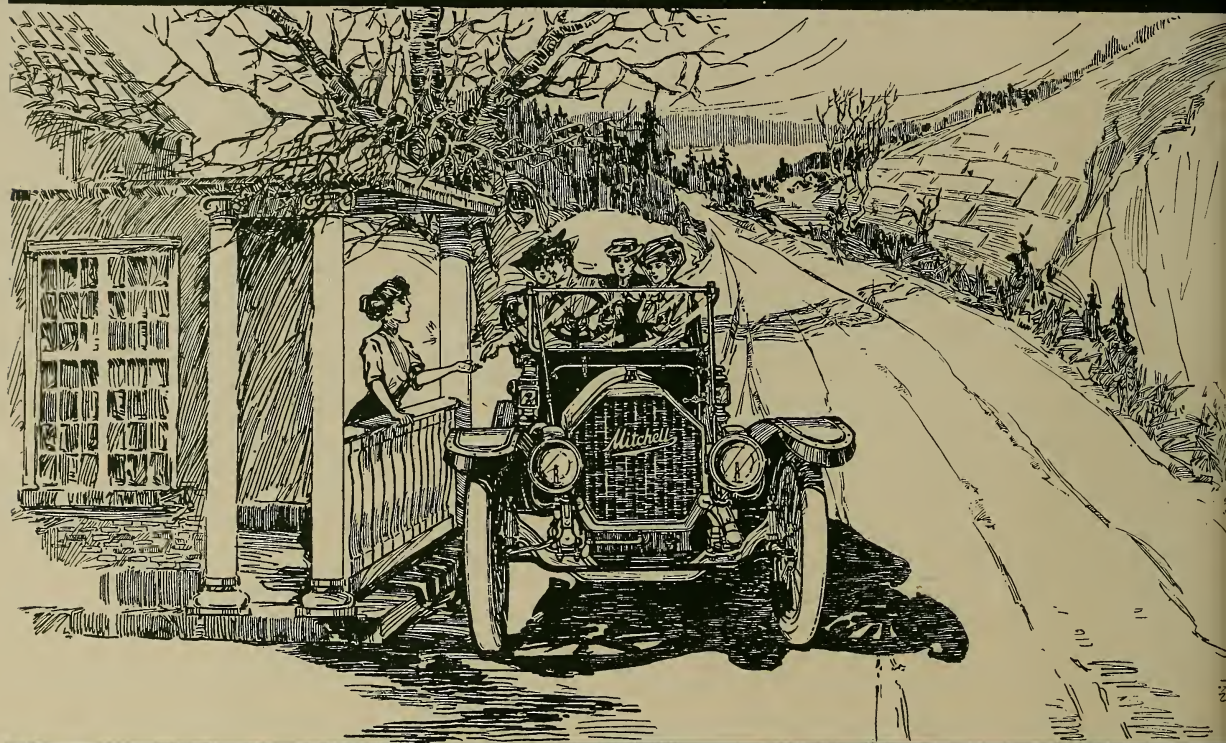
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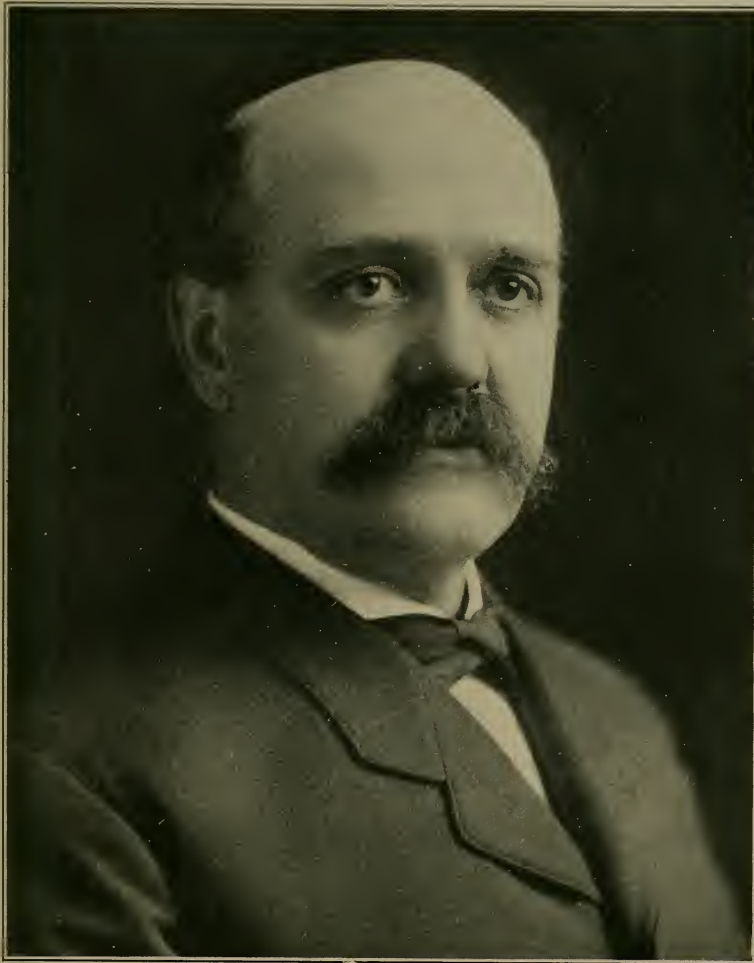
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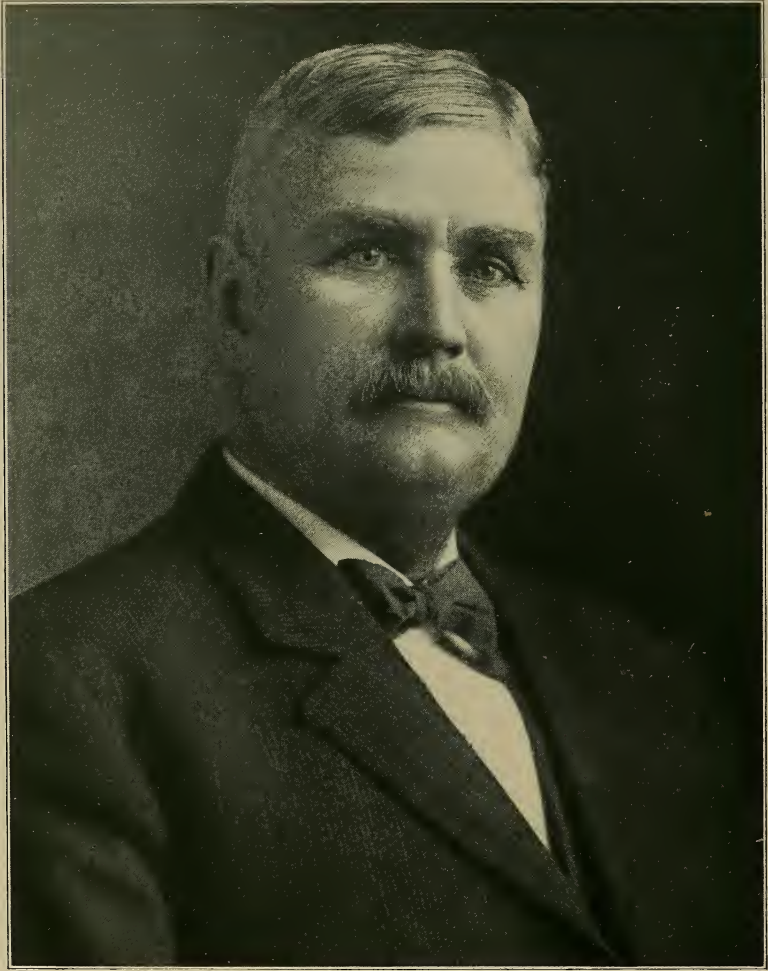
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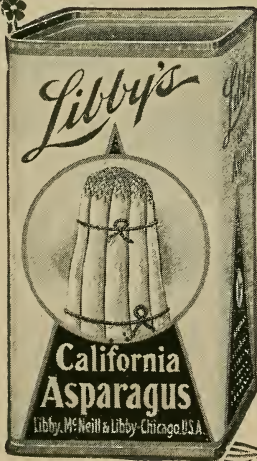
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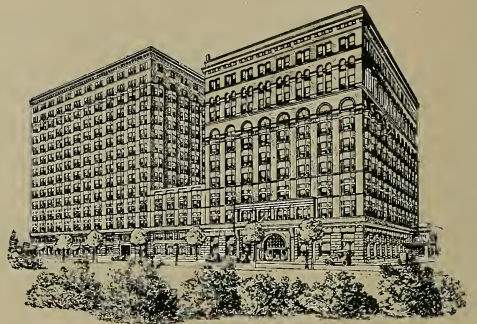
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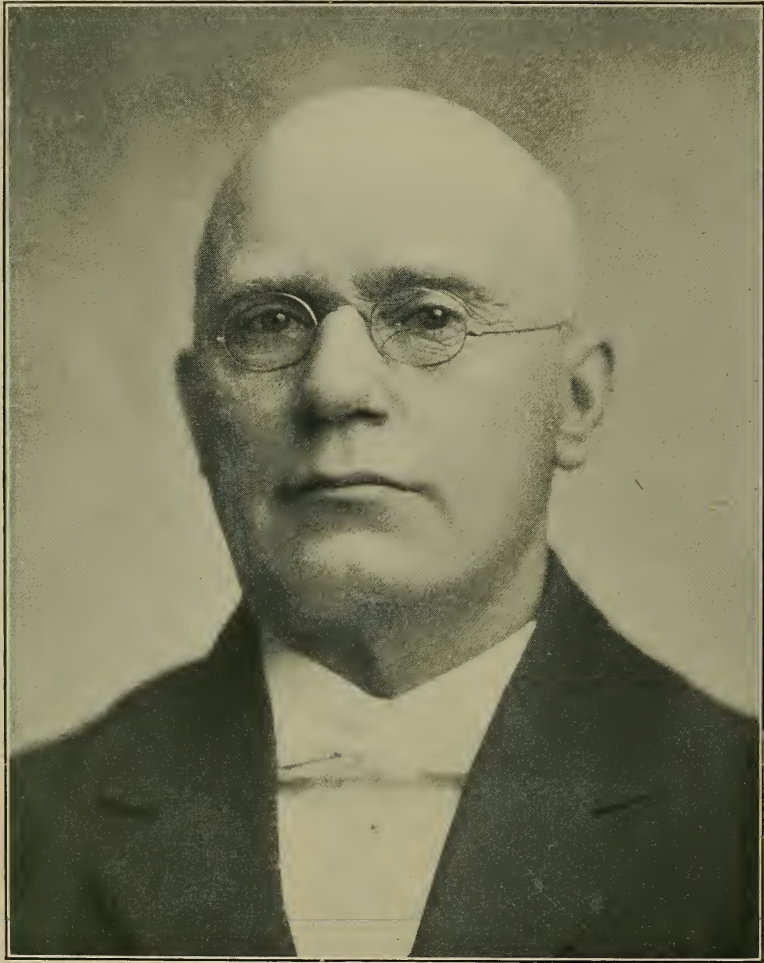
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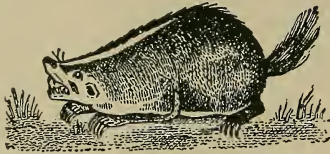
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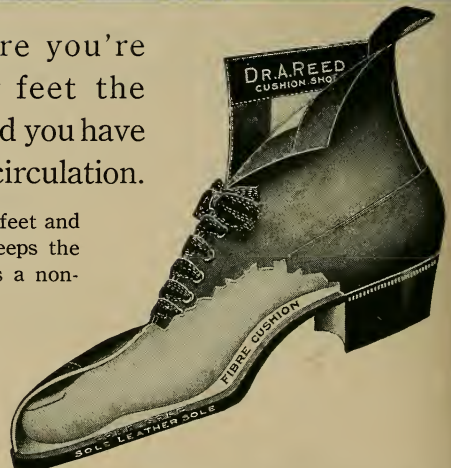
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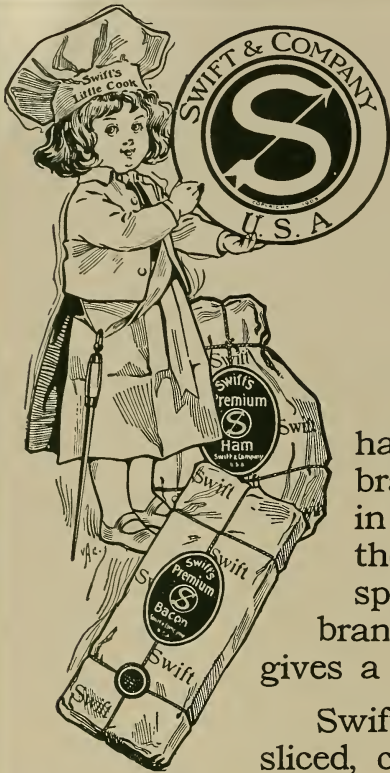


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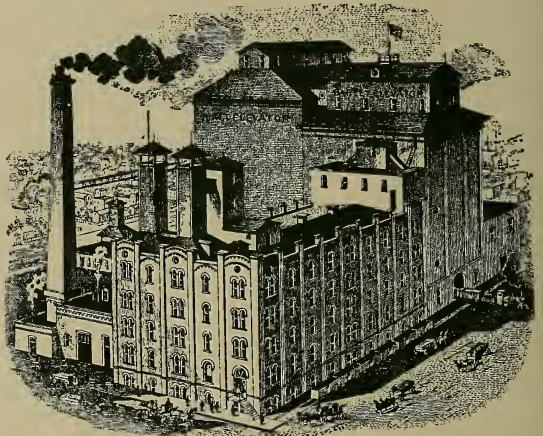
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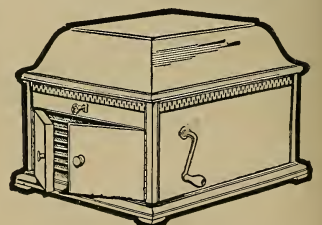
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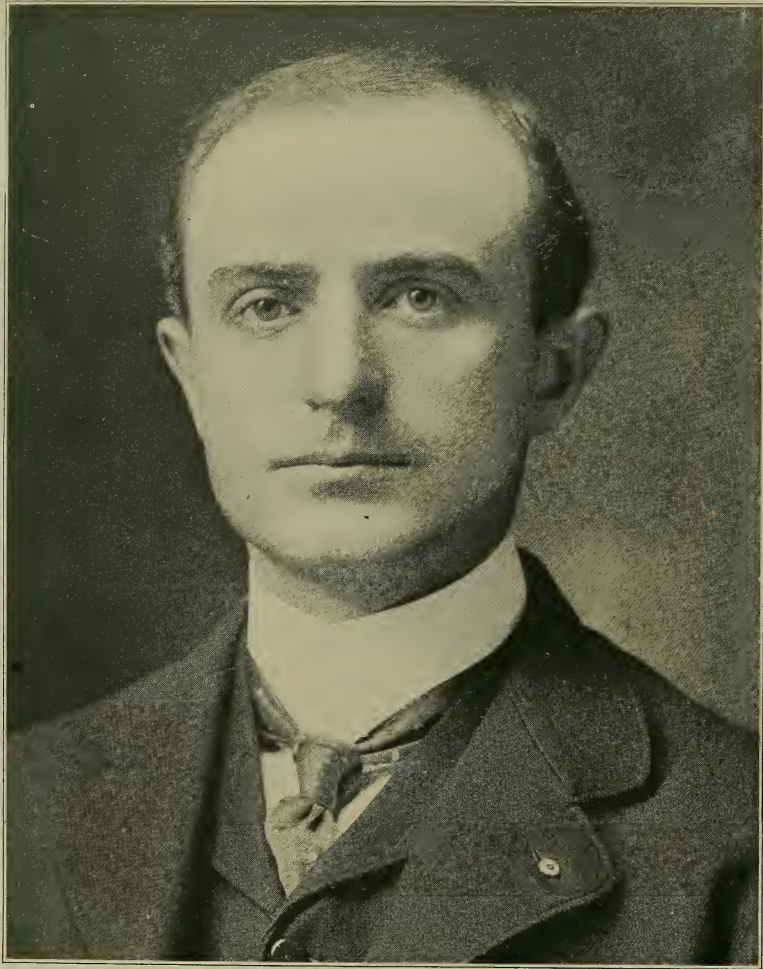


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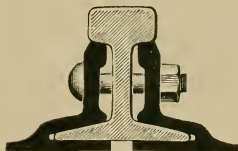
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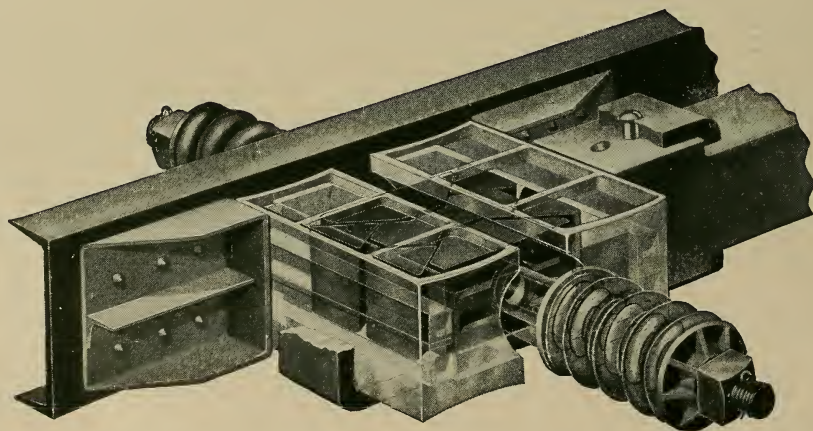
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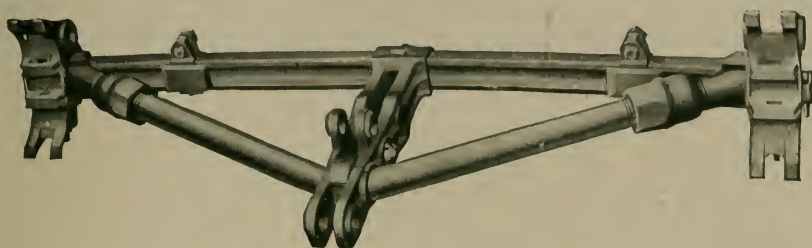


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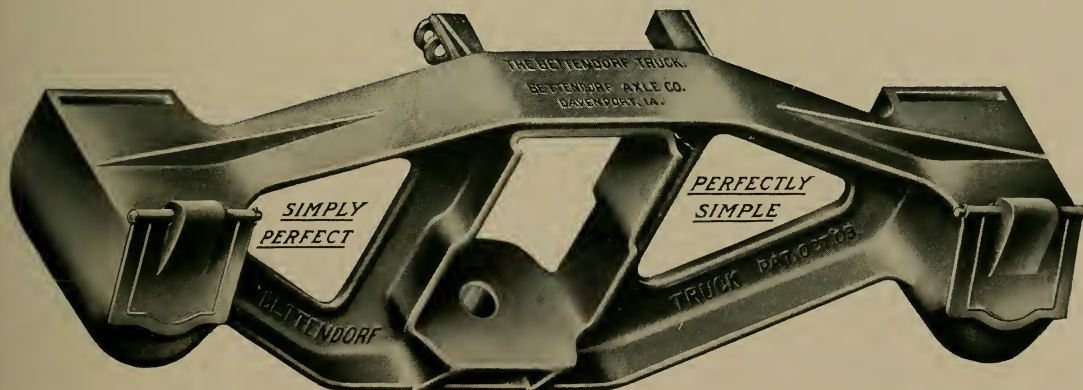
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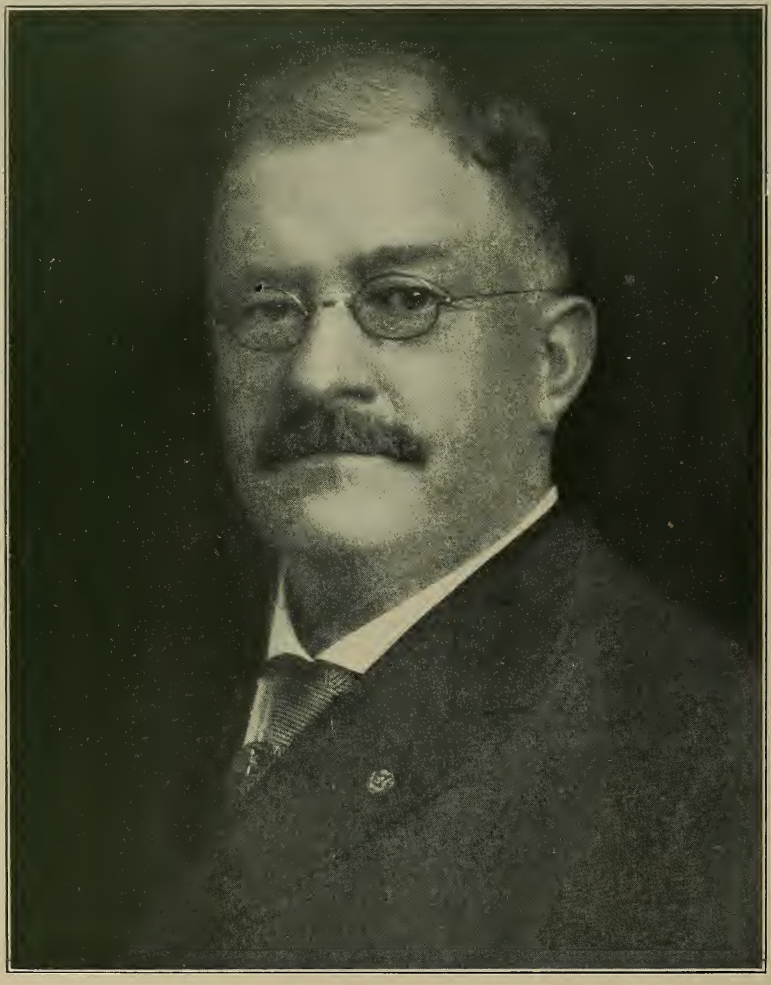
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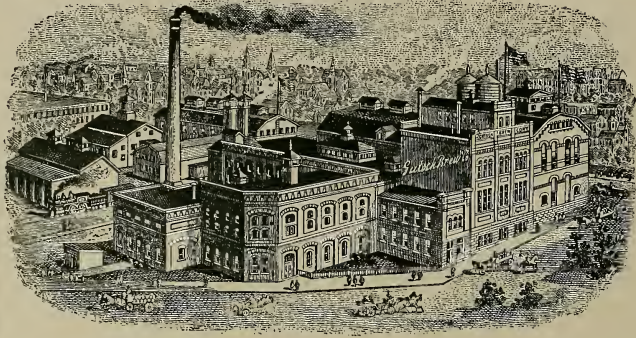
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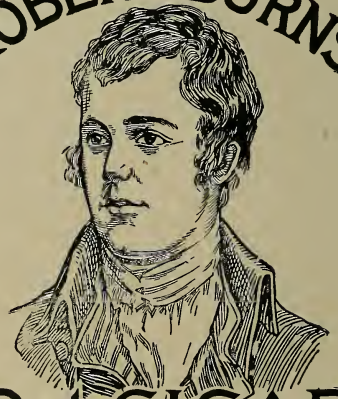
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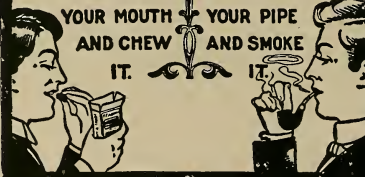
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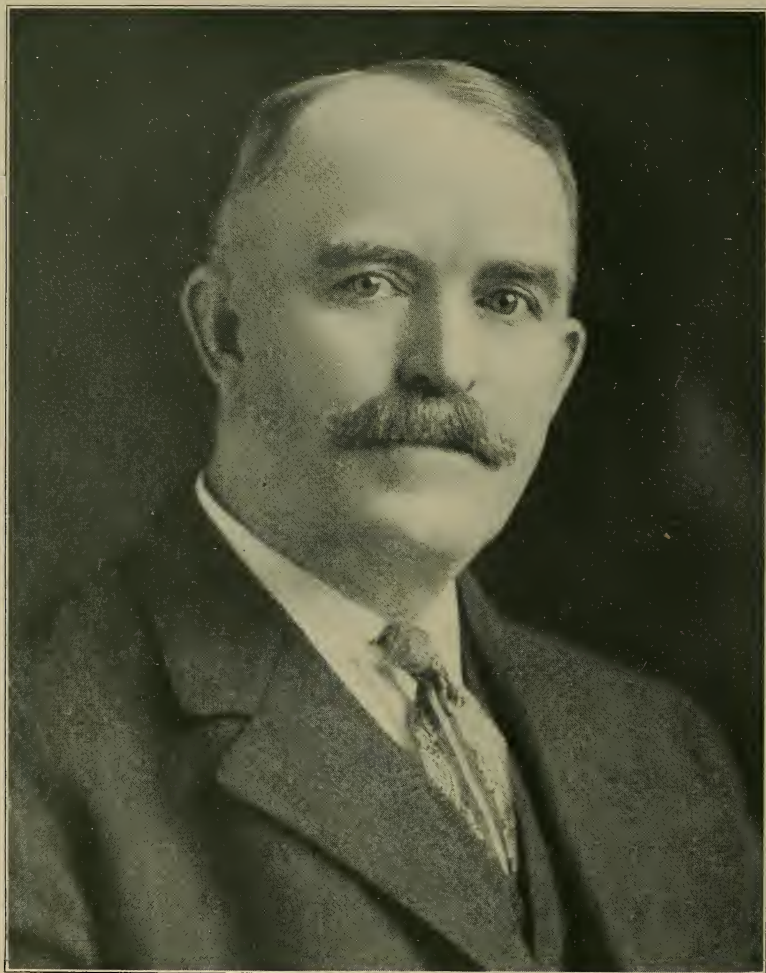


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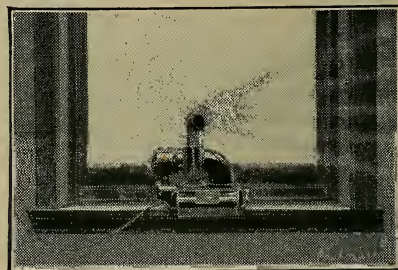
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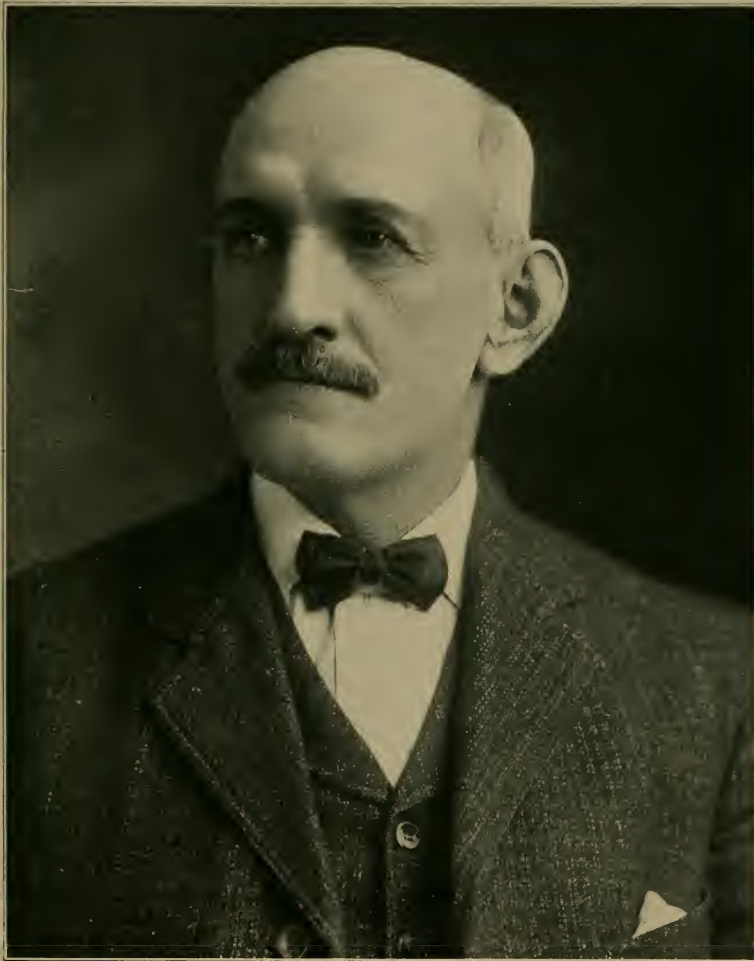
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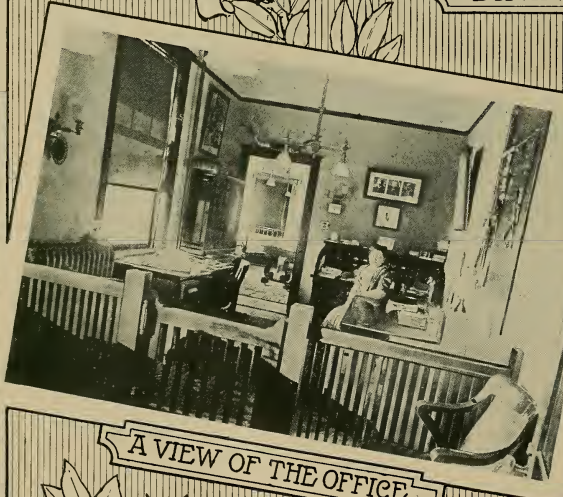
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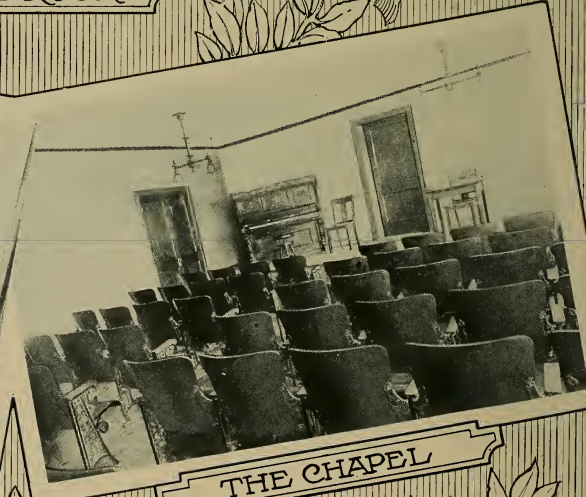
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An Historical Sketch

of the New Home for the Aged and Disabled Railroad Employees of America

THE buildings were erected upon the property occupied by the Home originally, consisting of about five acres of land at the intersection of St. John and Beech streets, Highland Park, twenty-three miles north of Chicago, on the Chicago & North Western Railway. The buildings are surrounded by a very fine grove of hard maple, elm, oak and hickory trees, and face the main-line track of the Chicago & North Western Railway and the Chicago & Milwaukee Electric Railway.

Lake Michigan is only three blocks from the Home, and the shore at this point has a ninety-foot bluff, from which a grand view of the lake and the passing boats is obtained.

The Home consists of two buildings, the Administration and Home, occupying one building, the other containing the power plant and laundry.

The main building is three stories and a high basement, practically all above the ground, built in the form of the letter "T," the front part being 150 feet long by 42 feet wide, the center extension being 40 feet wide by 62 feet long.

The building is of a strictly modern style of architecture, the construction of which is fireproof throughout, with a porch or balcony for each floor 10 feet wide by 50 feet long, easily accessible by all of the men.

The color-scheme of the exterior of the buildings harmonizes, and the effect is very pleasing to the eye. The walls from the grade line to the first-story window sills are of chocolate-colored brick; from the first-story window-sill line to the third-story window sills they are of light-red brick; the third-story is of rough-cast cement on rough brick; the trimmings around the first and second-story windows are of chocolate-colored brick, and the roof is of red tile. All the window sills and belt courses are of stone or terra cotta.

All interior partitions are of hollow-tile blocks, plastered each side with cement plaster. Floors and ceilings are of hollow tile and reinforced concrete. The floors of all corridors, toilet-rooms, hospital and kitchen are of composition and cement mosaic. The room floors are of maple. The interior woodwork is of birch, finished in dull mahogany; toilet-rooms, bath-rooms and hospital finished in white enamel. All stairs have iron frames with cement or slate treads, iron newel posts and balusters with birch hand-rails.

The electric elevator carries the men from any floor to the recreation and card rooms in the basement in less than one minute; the elevator has a separate entrance on one side on the ground level for the accommodation of those who are obliged to use wheel chairs.

The main building has a capacity of eighty-six beds besides the hospital, which will accommodate sixteen beds easily and rooms for six men and six women attendants, the superintendent's quarters, kitchen, dining-rooms, chapel, entertainment rooms, etc., each floor having a recreation and reading room; each man has his own individual clothes chest and the double rooms easily accommodate two beds.

The following is a short historical sketch of the Home project, from its inception up to the present time :

The Home, which is known officially as "The Home for Aged and Disabled Railroad Employes of America," was started in Chicago by Dr. Frank M. Ingalls, a member of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, in the year 1890. In the discharge of his duties as a physician, he found a member of the Brotherhood in the Poor House of Cook County, Illinois. Inspired by a desire to benefit his brother who was sick and in need of assistance, and appreciating the stigma cast upon his Brotherhood by having one of its members an inmate in a public poorhouse, he conceived the idea of establishing a Home, where



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Brotherhood men might find the comfort and care of a home when no longer able to withstand the hardships and exposure incident to their work.

In pursuance of this philanthropic idea, he established such a home in his own house, first on Walnut Street, second on Washtenaw Avenue, third at Wilmette, for a short period during the summer of 1891, and lastly at its present location in Highland Park, Illinois.

In order to support a home of this kind it was necessary to have financial assistance, and to enable him to carry on the work he appealed to the various divisions and lodges of the different brotherhoods throughout the country, but with only partial success. The railroad men were not lacking in charitable instinct but they did not know the conditions.

Shortly after the inception of this Home project, the Hon. L. S. Coffin, of Iowa, familiarly known to the railroad men in the United States, Canada and Mexico as "Father Coffin," was induced to lend his assistance to the Home movement, and was elected President of the Home Society, which position he still holds.



Shortly after 1891, there came into the work Mr. Lewis Ziegenfus, a member of Division 125 of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. Although actively employed as an engineer on the Chicago & North Western Railway, he has devoted a great deal of his time and energy to the welfare of the Home. Mr. Ziegenfus' name first appears as a mem-

ber of the Board of Trustees in April, 1896, which is conclusive evidence that he became interested in it at a much earlier date.

In January, 1895, Mr. P. H. Morrissey, then Grand Master of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, was elected a member of the Home Society, and the Home is indebted for much of its prosperity to his indefatigable labor, and more especially for the projection and completion of this magnificent building.

Mr. George Goding, of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen, No. 499, of Chicago, became interested early in the work of the Home, and throughout its vicissitudes he has been a tower of strength in the furthering of its interests.

Mr. Kilpatrick's connection with the Home dates from January 14th, 1895, when he was elected a member of the Home Society to succeed Mr. R. C. Oakes of Lodge 479, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, and shortly afterwards, on April 12th, 1895, he was elected a member of the Board of Trustees and Secretary of the Board, as a result of repeated inquiries about the Home made to Chicago Division No. 1, of the Order of Railway Conductors, and of which he was Chief Conductor at that time. At one of the meetings of that Division Brother A. W. Connors and Mr. Kilpatrick were appointed as a Committee to investigate the work of the Home, so as to make intelligent replies to the numerous questions asked, and after the report was submitted he was selected to represent Division No. 1 in the Home Society. Since that time he has been continuously a member of the Board of Trustees, having as his associates Mr. R. B. Roberts, of Waukegan, a passenger conductor on the North Western Railway, recently deceased, and Dr. J. C. Valentine, a physician of Chicago, Mr. Ziegenfus and Mr. Morrissey.

The first superintendent or manager of the Home was Dr. Frank M. Ingalls. He was succeeded by Mrs. T. B. Watson, a member of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors; who in turn on November 1, 1903, was succeeded by Mr. John O'Keefe, a member of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. To the persistent and insistent methods of Mr. O'Keefe is due in a large measure the success of the Home. When he took charge, with practically an empty treasury, the contributions to its support were barely sufficient to defray the monthly bills, and at the meeting in 1909, there was a cash balance of \$25,248.57, which has been used to help construct the new building.

The ladies early became interested in this work, realizing the importance of it through personal experience and knowledge, and they have contributed largely to its interests.

That a building has been erected which is a credit to every one engaged in its construction will be conceded on even a superficial examination, and the combined efforts of the four railway brotherhoods, together with the earnest assistance of the noble women who compose their auxiliaries, have erected an imposing monument, dedicated to the care and comfort of their unfortunate brothers, and which will compare favorably with similar institutions in this or any other country.

Since the institution was started, the Home has provided for 133 brotherhood men.

The Board of Trustees is content to leave the future needs of the Home in the hands of the noble men and women who constitute these brotherhoods and their auxiliaries, feeling confident that they will provide ways and means for the perpetuation of this most worthy duty to unfortunate railway men.

Record of Inmates at the "Home" During the Year 1910

Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers

Name	Lodge.	Location	Age.	When Admitted	Disability
Jefferson J. Newell	3	Collinwood, Ohio	89	December 27, 1905	Old Age.
Chas. B. Lumsden	5	Los Angeles, Cal.	54	May 30, 1905	Locomotor Ataxia.
Frank Durlin	6	Boone, Iowa	57	June 25, 1895	Partial Paralysis.
M. M. Zumbum	29	Pueblo, Colo.	56	March 22, 1895	Locomotor Ataxia.
Harry J. Ryan	33	Battle Creek, Mich.	60	December 6, 1900	Loss of Both Hands.
William F. Murphy	88	North Platte, Neb.	62	December 6, 1908	General Debility.
Isaac H. Meeker	157	Jersey City, N. J.	61	December 21, 1901	Partial Paralysis.
Myron L. Ware	183	Omaha, Neb.	54	January 18, 1909	General Debility.
Chas. Whitehouse	186	Denver, Colo.	64	April 16, 1895	Locomotor Ataxia.
Chas. C. Dean	290	Superior, Wis.	59	February 10, 1910	General Debility.
Michael M. Vail	380	Sayre, Pa.	50	January 28, 1909	Locomotor Ataxia.
Andrew W. Crawford	94	Marquette, Mich.	53	September 21, 1910	Chronic Rheumatism.
John S. Hitchcock	164	Atchison, Kan.	79	November 3, 1910	Old Age.
L. R. Bretz	257	Mauch Chunk, Pa.	44	December 12, 1910	Locomotor Ataxia.

Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen

Name	Lodge.	Location	Age.	When Admitted	Disability
Fred Kraul	16	Terre Haute, Ind.	64	September 29, 1902	Partial Paralysis.
Joe J. Bellaire	26	Baraboo, Wis.	69	September 25, 1896	Loss of Both Hands.
Frank Alspaugh	27	Cedar Rapids, Iowa	45	October 16, 1903	Locomotor Ataxia.
Wm. McPherson	59	Pueblo, Colo.	44	October 1, 1907	Loss of Both Hands & Eyes.
Edmund Burke	59	Pueblo, Colo.	72	March 27, 1909	General Debility.
Martin McManus	64	Sioux City, Iowa	35	September 4, 1910	Spinal Disease.
Ellsworth Compton	75	Philadelphia, Pa.	47	June 20, 1907	Muscular Atrophy.
George A. Walker	138	Freeport, Ill.	52	August 24, 1910	Total Collapse of Muscles and Nerves, Loss of Hand.
Nat J. Eby	374	Hemington, Kan.	45	October 30, 1905	General Debility.
Robert Templeton	379	Sayre, Pa.	37	May 18, 1909	Locomotor Ataxia.
Robert McKinley	388	Milwaukee, Wis.	51	June 29, 1905	Partial Paralysis.
Harry J. Lenfesty	407	Seattle, Wash.	30	September 12, 1910	Total Blindness.
Chas. W. Tice	463	Elmira, N. Y.	40	June 26, 1902	Curvature of Spine.
William J. Webster	503	Basalt, Colo.	47	July 15, 1904	Paralysis.
W. B. Thomas	188	Chicago, Ill.	58	December 19, 1910	Locomotor Ataxia.

Order of Railway Conductors

Name	Lodge.	Location	Age.	When Admitted	Disability
Chas. H. Gardner	44	Denver, Colo.	60	July 12, 1902	Locomotor Ataxia.
John Hancock	44	Denver, Colo.	56	October 19, 1910	Partial Paralysis.
Chas. W. Tyler	95	McCook, Neb.	53	June 25, 1908	Loss of Right Arm.
Chas. H. Harvey	95	McCook, Neb.	59	August 13, 1909	Sensory Aphasia.
Wm. H. Shipley	151	Wichita, Kan.	52	April 19, 1910	Extreme Nervousness.
James B. Cunningham	159	City of Mexico, Mexico	59	November 1, 1910	Partial Paralysis.
Oliver E. Burk	227	Lincoln, Neb.	61	April 21, 1907	General Debility.

Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen

Name	Lodge.	Location	Age.	When Admitted	Disability
Jerry Van Buskirk	12	Ottumwa, Iowa	46	October 15, 1893	Partial Paralysis.
Edward Burkholder	31	Pueblo, Colo.	46	March 9, 1910	Loss of Leg.
William M. Madison	45	St. Louis, Mo.	60	March 22, 1903	General Debility.
Lawrence C. Duffee	68	Ogden, Utah	52	September 5, 1904	Locomotor Ataxia.
Joseph Messinger	100	Mauch Chunk, Pa.	52	August 3, 1904	General Debility.
Fred Fogg	185	Clinton, Iowa	53	August 4, 1908	Locomotor Ataxia.
Fred F. Finney	225	Plittsburg, Pa.	47	May 29, 1907	Locomotor Ataxia.
James E. Smithers	444	Williamsport, Pa.	58	September 15, 1910	General Debility.
William Delaney	479	Chicago, Ill.	42	June 14, 1910	Locomotor Ataxia.
William Pfenning	520	Council Bluffs, Iowa	46	November 4, 1909	Loss of Both Legs.
Frederick M. Coombs	545	East St. Louis, Ill.	40	May 5, 1910	General Debility.
Edward L. Boyd	555	Detroit, Mich.	—	October 14, 1910	Partial Paralysis.

Applications for Admission to the Home Have Been Sent by the Following Lodges and Divisions During the Year 1910

Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen

Lodge No. 97.....Boston, Mass.	Lodge No. 200.....Lima, Ohio	Lodge No. 307.....Spokane, Wash.
Lodge No. 198....San Francisco, Cal.	Lodge No. 271.....Champaign, Ill.	Lodge No. 487.....McCook, Neb.
	Lodge No. 564.....Manistee, Mich.	

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Lodge No. 3.....Jersey City, N. J.	Lodge No. 563.....Merrick, Mass.
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Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers

Division No. 20....Logansport, Ind.	Division No. 223.....Selma, Ala.	Division No. 556...New Franklin, Mo.
Division No. 80....Abbotsford, Wis.	Division No. 254....Salamanca, N. Y.	Division No. 595.....Chaffee, Mo.
Division No. 159....Cedar Rapids, Ia.	Division No. 257...Mauch Chunk, Pa.	

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Division No. 1.....Chicago, Ill.	Division No. 104...Middletown, N. Y.	Division No. 282.....Needles, Cal.
Division No. 18.....Temple, Texas	Division No. 117...Minneapolis, Minn.	Division No. 395.....Salt Lake, Utah



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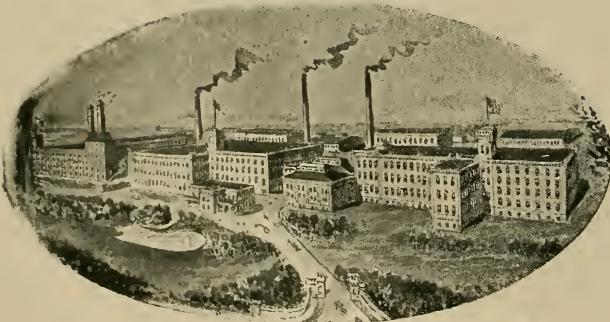
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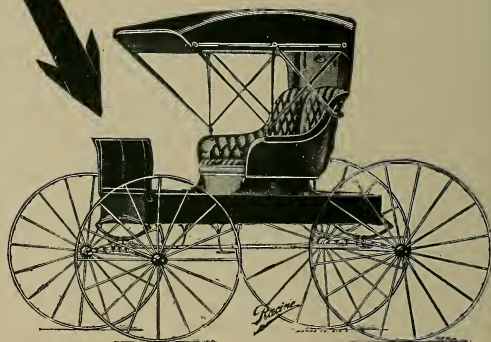
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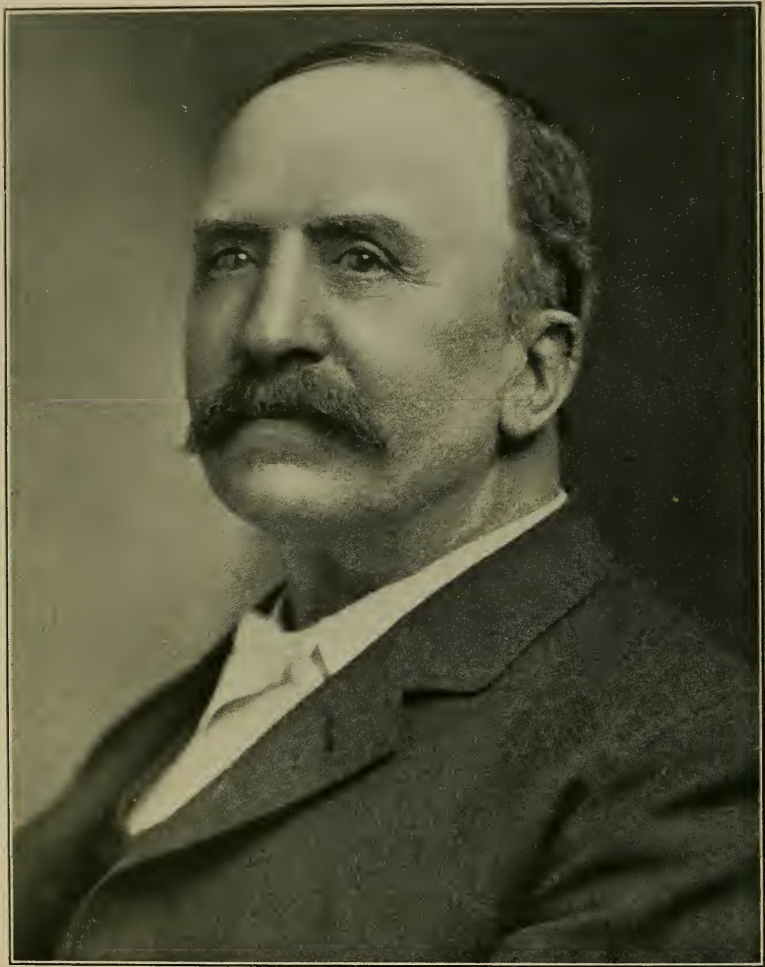


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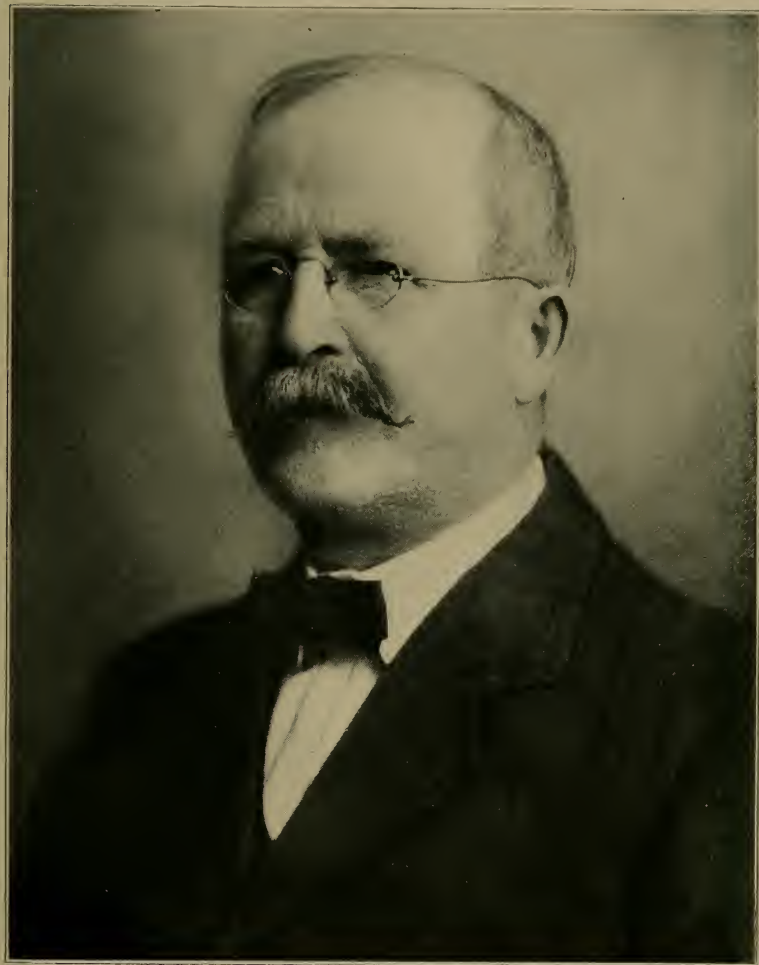
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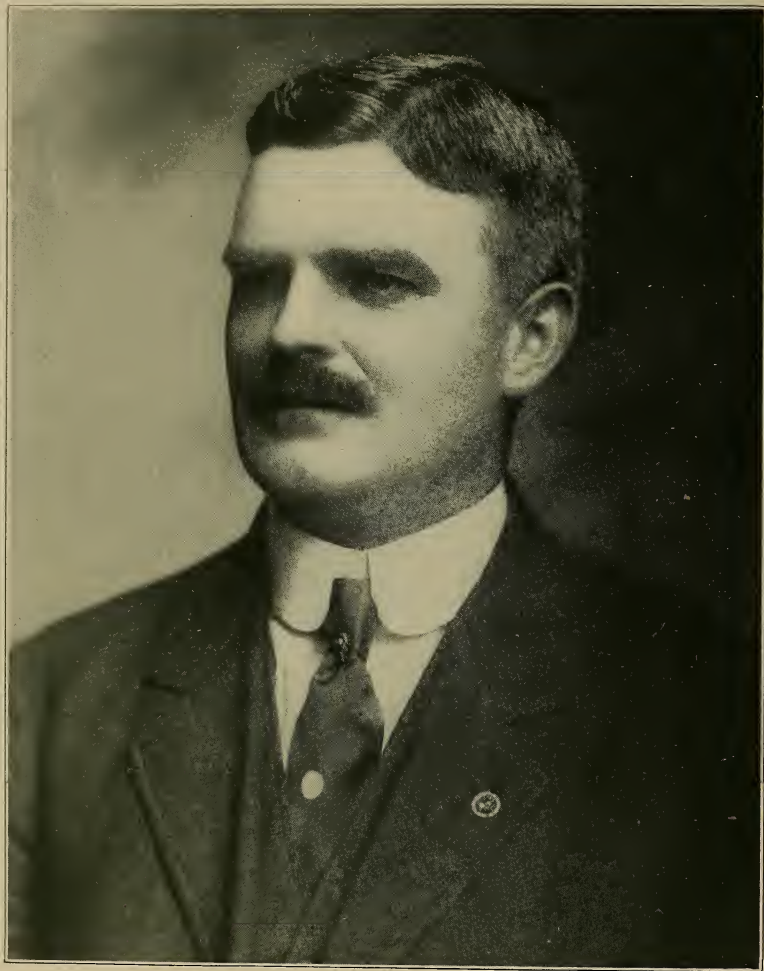
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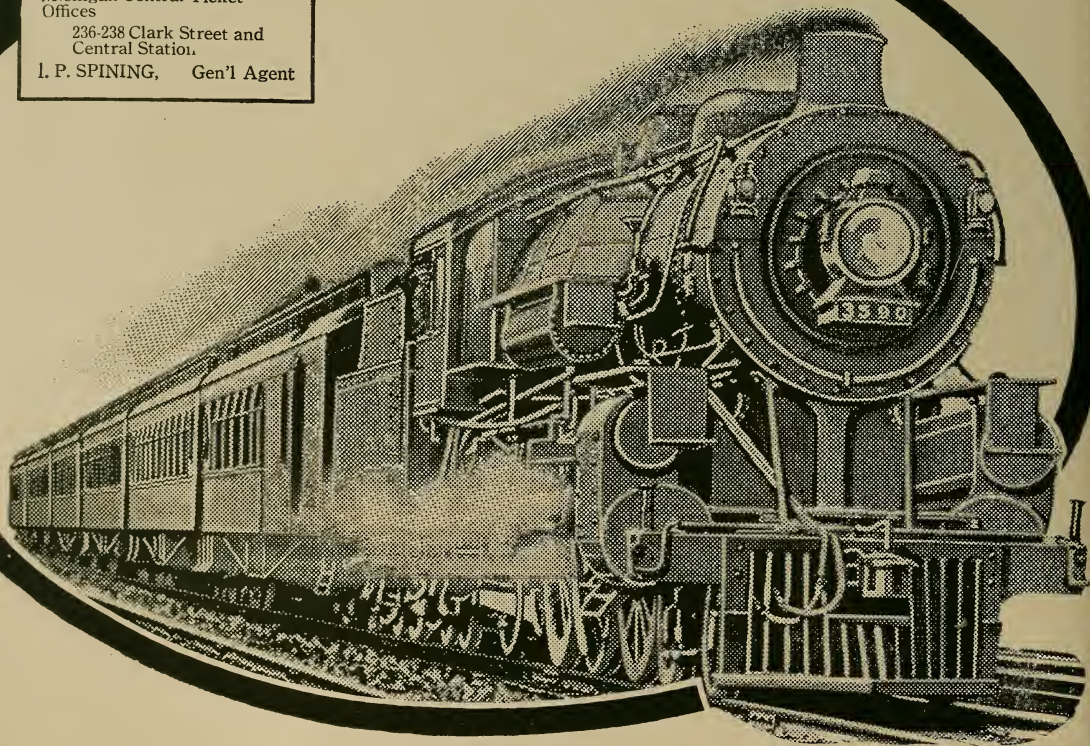
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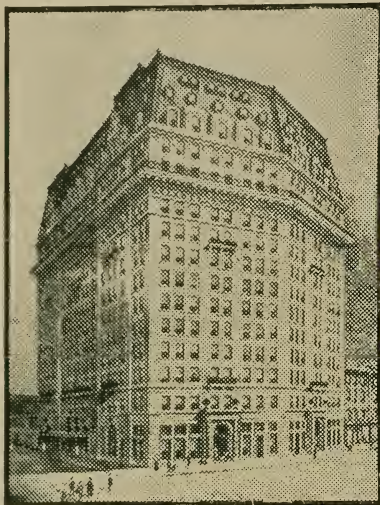
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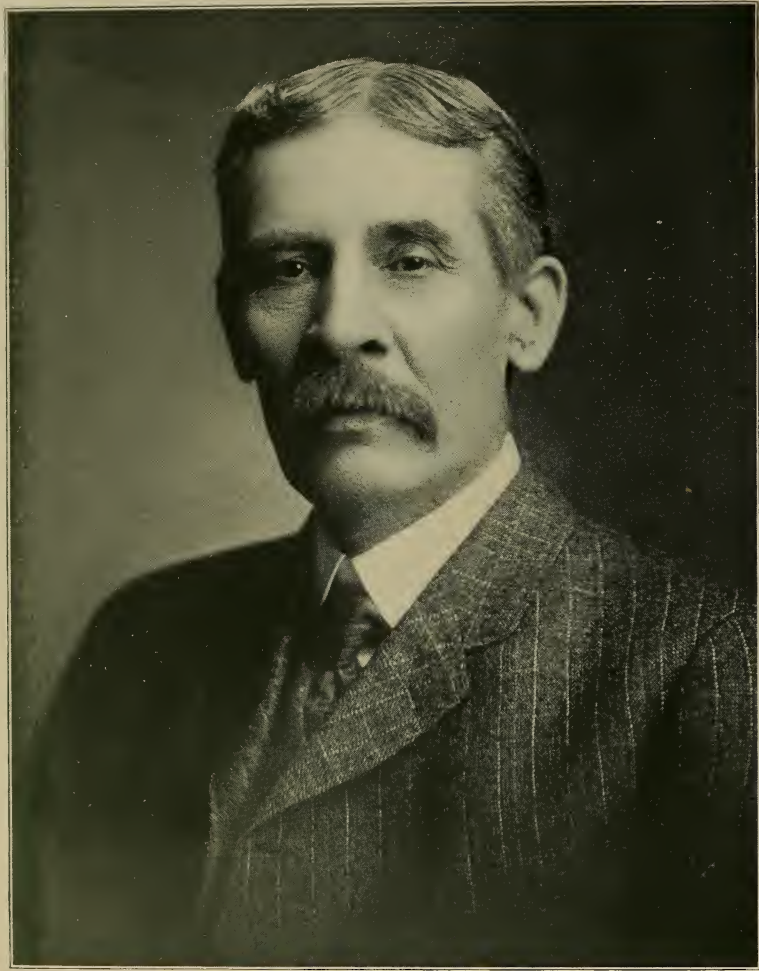
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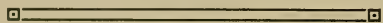
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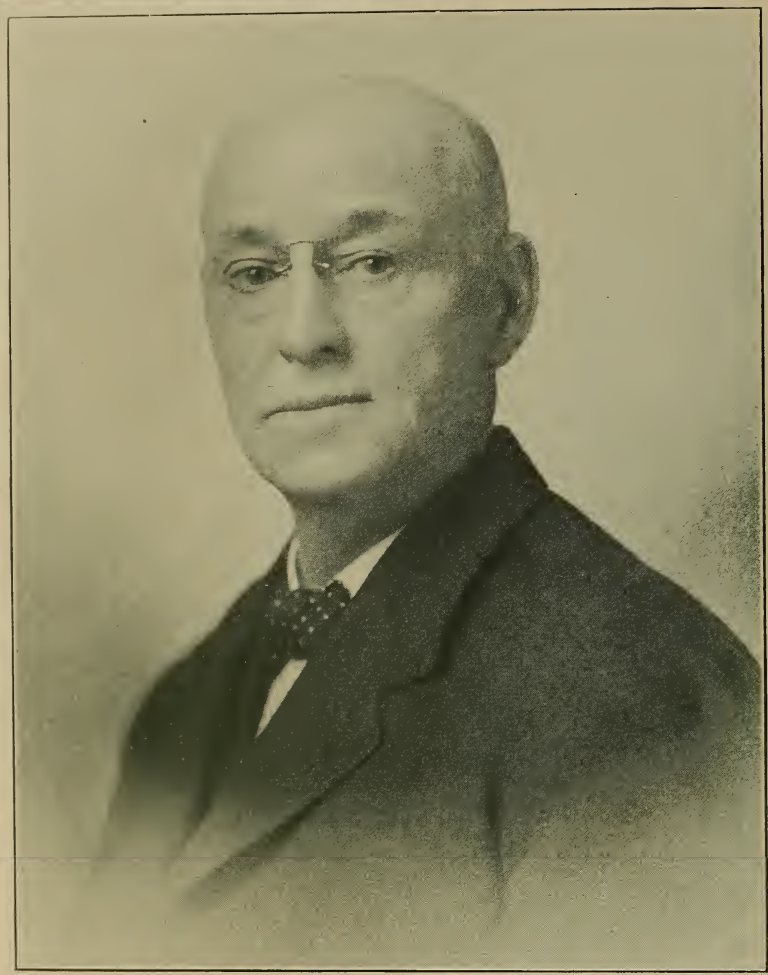
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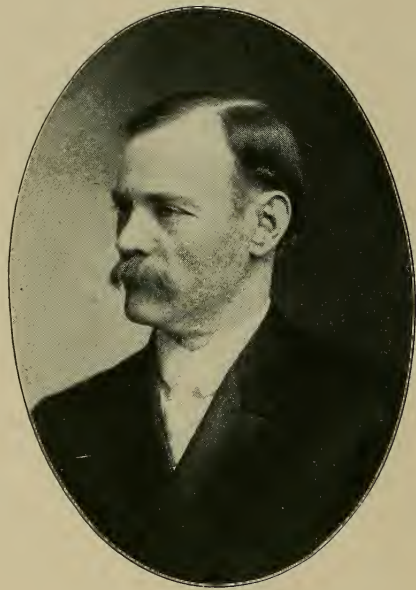
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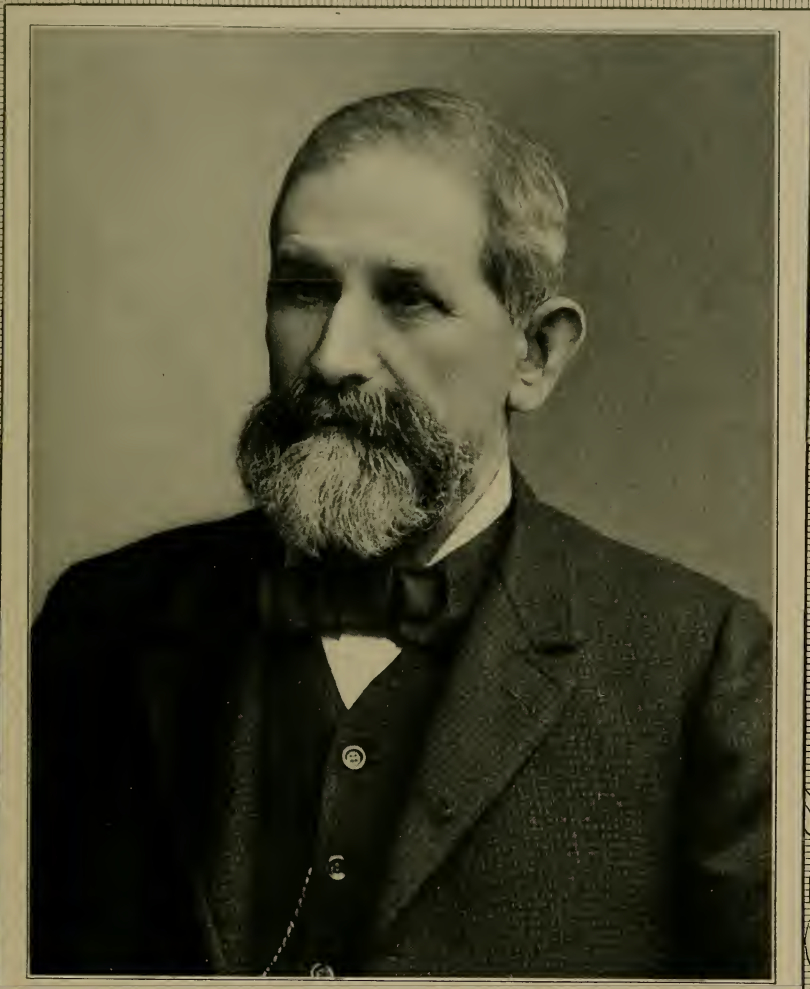
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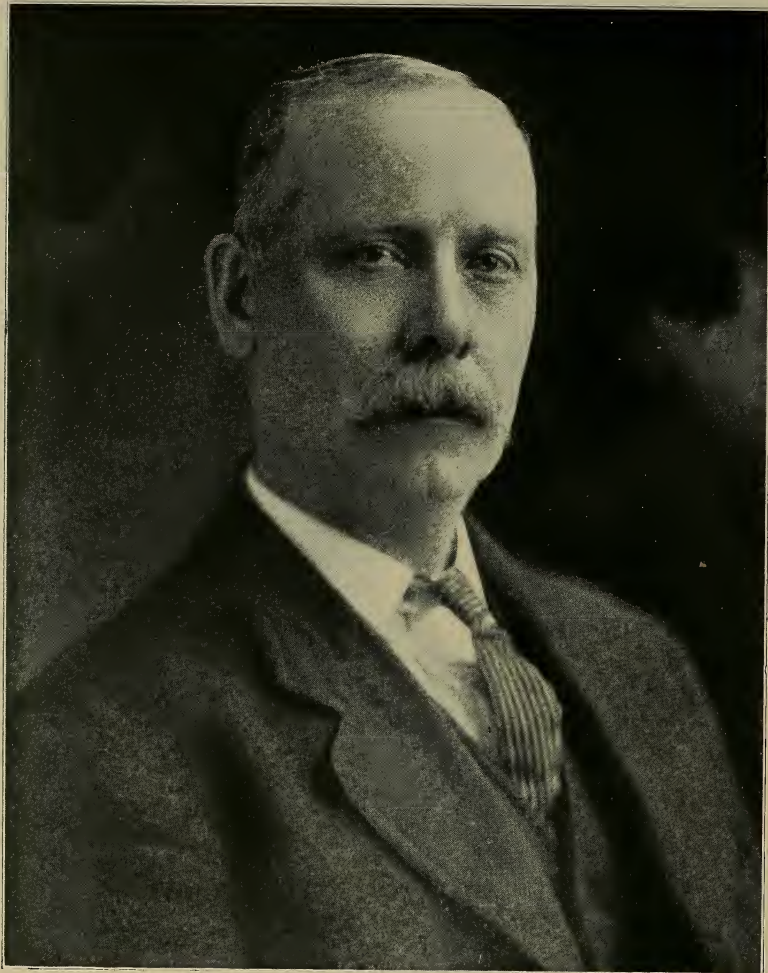
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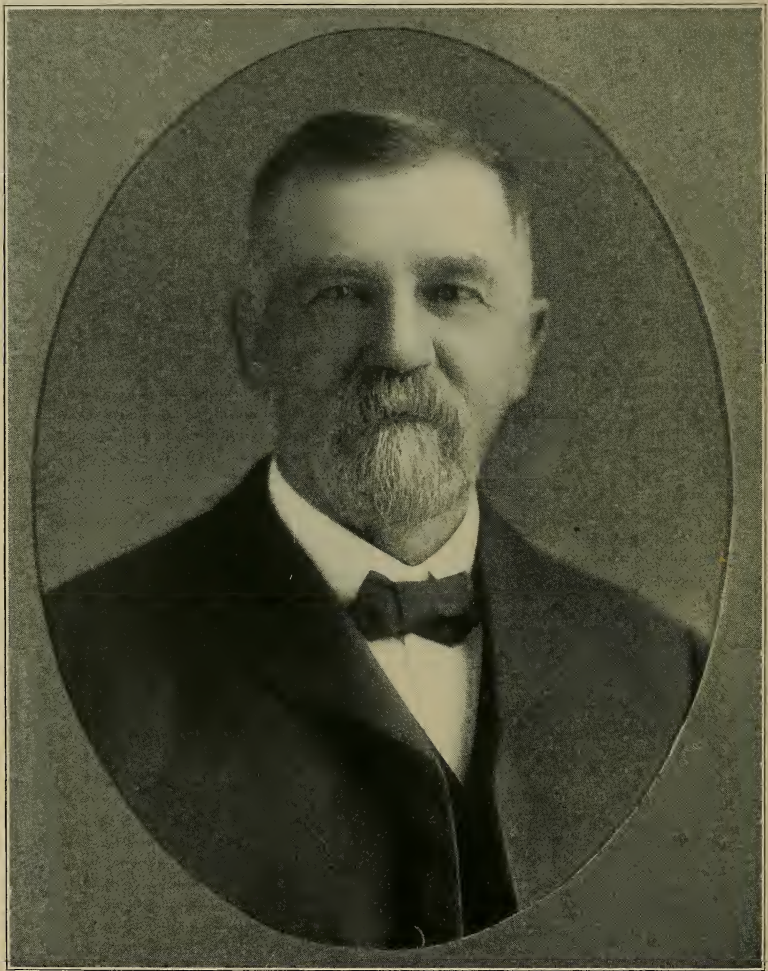
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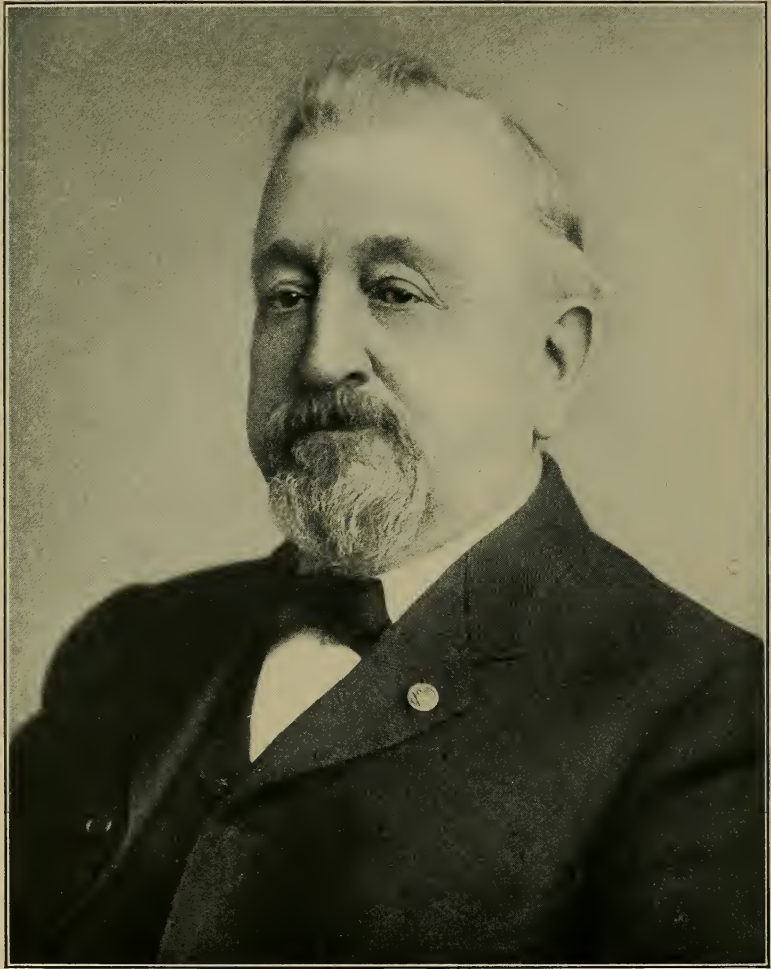
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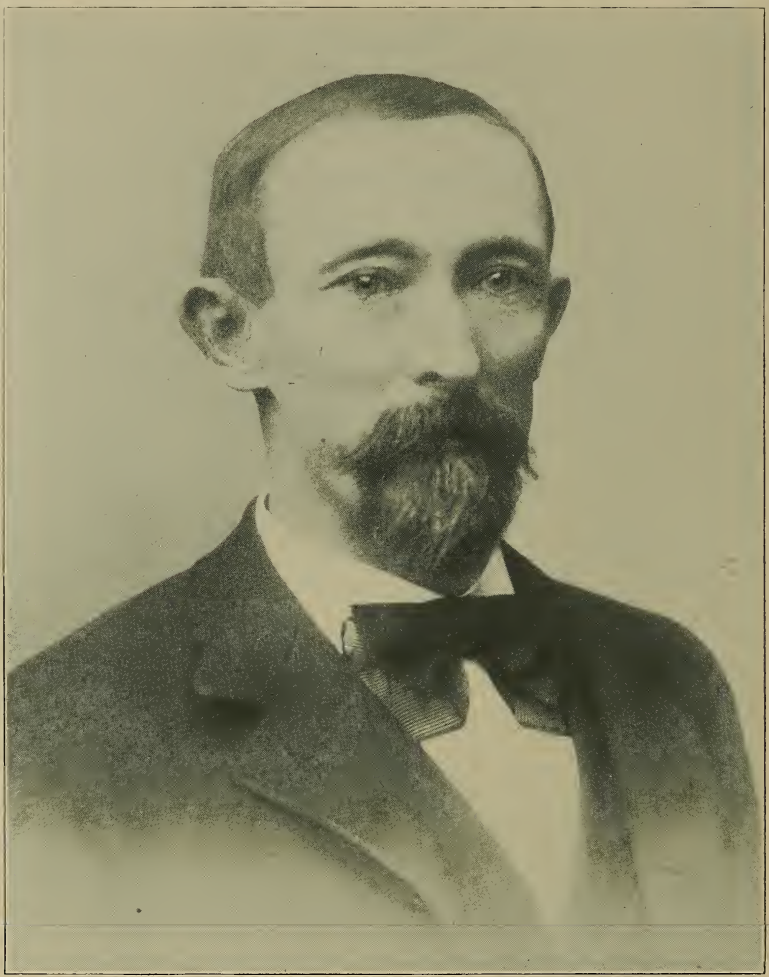
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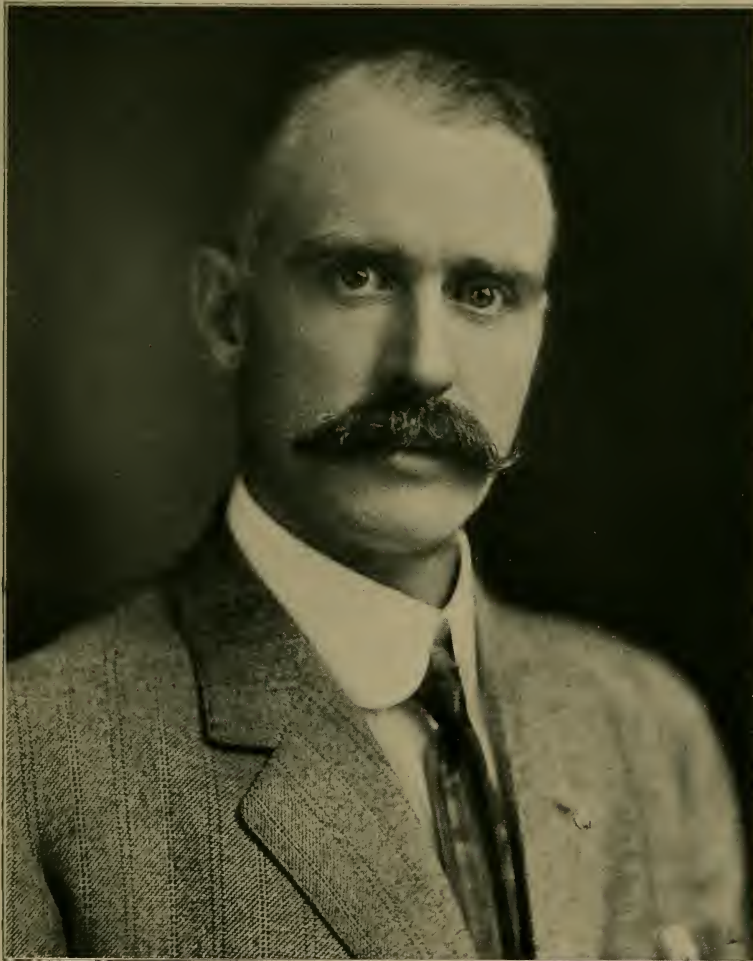


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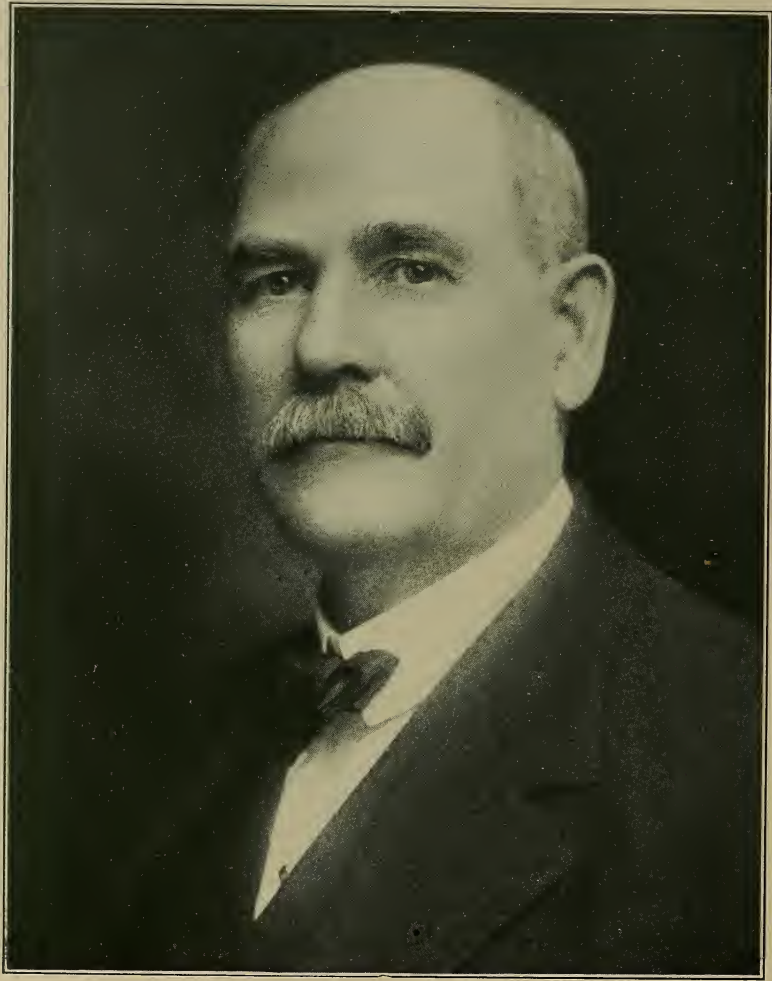


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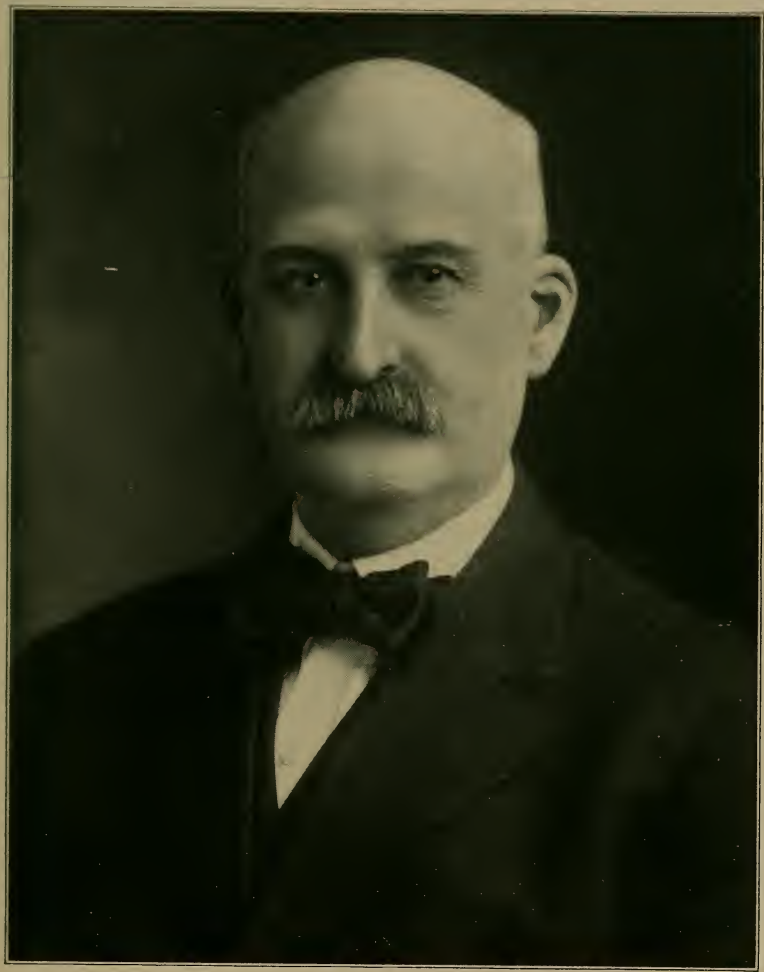


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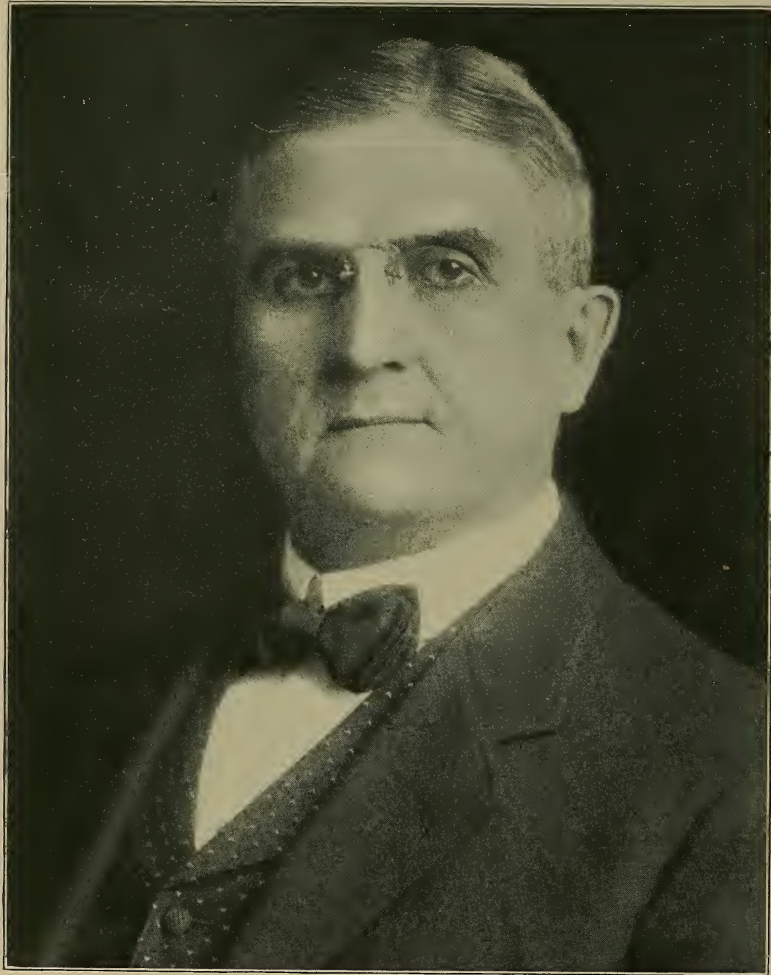


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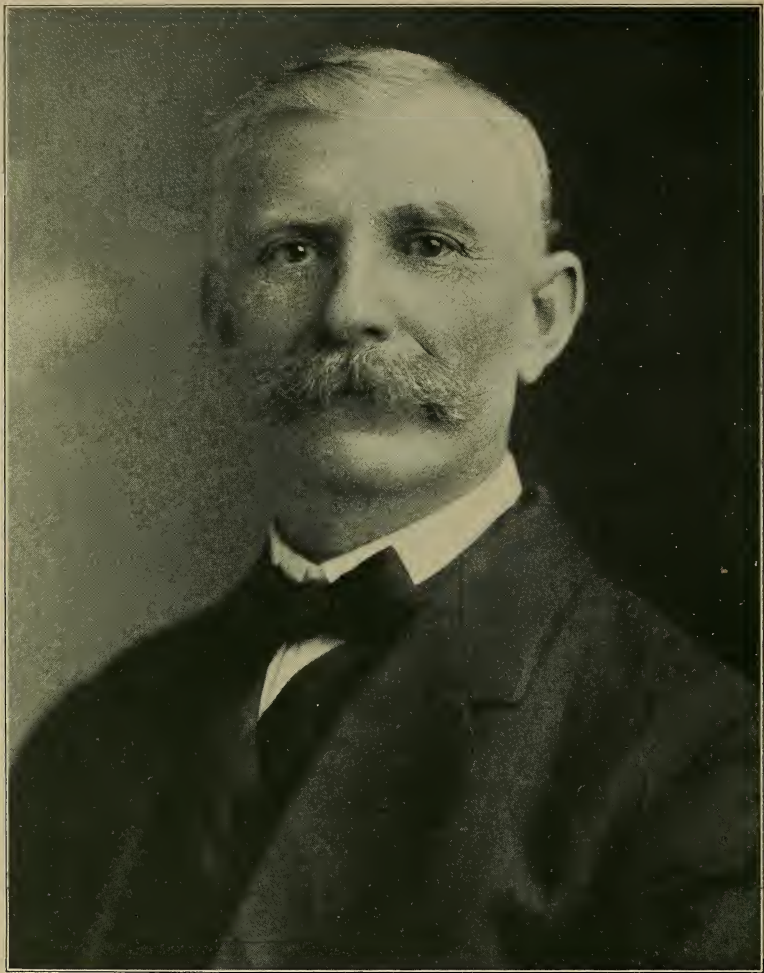
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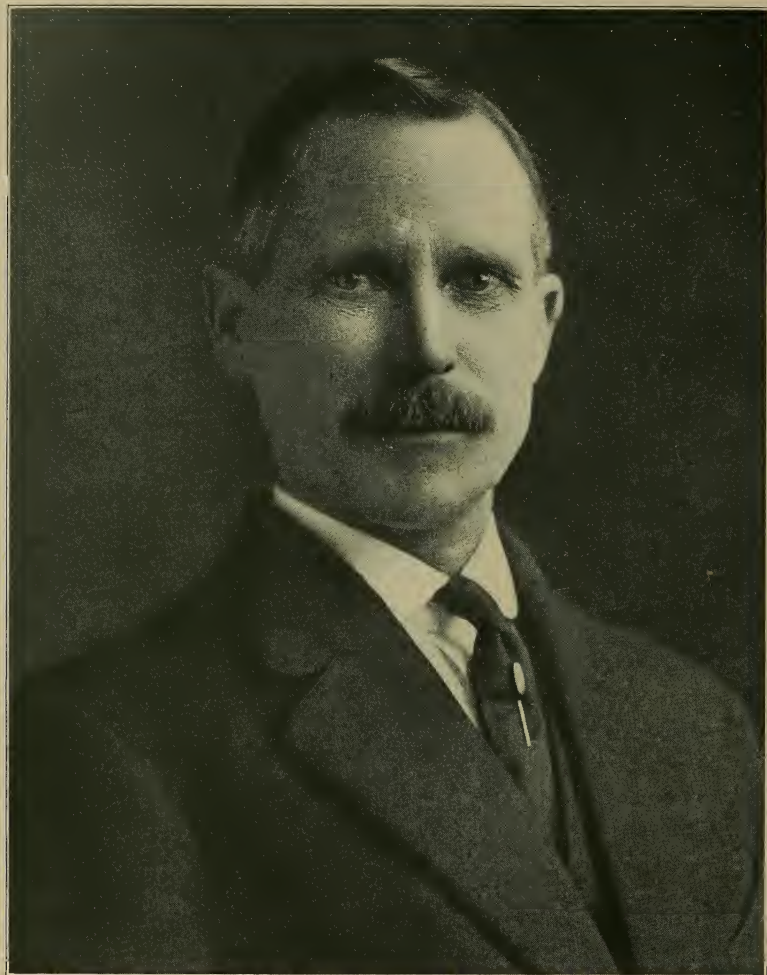


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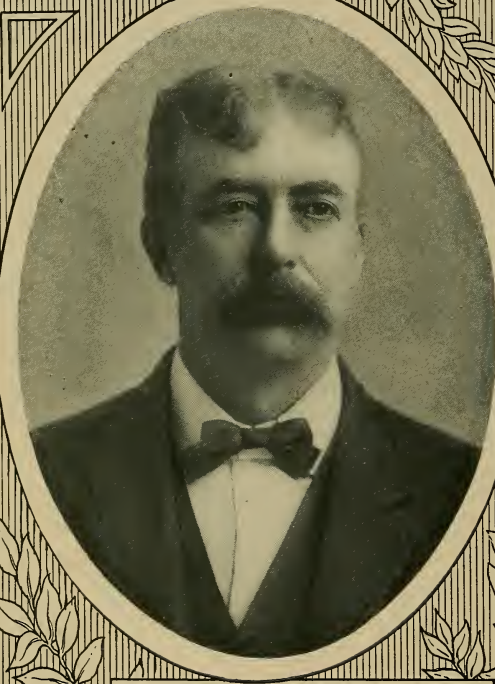
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