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BURLEY ELECTED A VICE-PRESIDENT

William V. Burley, a director of National Lead Company and manager of the St. Louis branch, was elected a vice-president of the Company at the board of directors' meeting on May 25.

Mr. Burley joined the Company in 1922 as a member of the auditing staff, formerly having been with Price, Waterhouse & Co., accountants. In 1925, he was placed in charge of the Mueller Brass Foundry Co., St. Louis, with the title of secretary and treasurer. In 1934, he became comptroller of the Magnus Metal Co., and later was appointed assistant general manager of the Magnus Metal Division continuing as comptroller. He was appointed manager of the St. Louis branch in 1939, succeeding the late James A. Caselton and became a director of the Company in the following year.

ST. LOUIS MAGNUS SUPERINTENDENT DIES

Arthur A. Hall, superintendent of the Clayton Ave. plant of the Magnus Metal Division in St. Louis, passed away in St. Louis on April 27. He was 56 years old. His successor as superintendent of the Clayton Ave. plant is Ervin Strauss.

Mr. Hall, who is survived by a widow, son and daughter, entered the employ of the former Hewitt Manufacturing Co. in 1907 as pattern maker. He was appointed superintendent of the Clayton Ave. plant in 1936.

Mr. Strauss joined the Mueller Brass Foundry as machinist in 1923, continuing when that concern was taken over by the Magnus Metal Division in 1935. He was appointed foreman of the machine shop in 1936 and later engineer in charge of construction of new plants.

MADE DIRECTOR OF FINANCING INSTITUTION

J. G. C. McNair, manager of the Atlantic branch, recently was elected a director of the Bankers Federal Savings and Loan Association, New York City.