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[Mr. J. F. Rutherford, whose portrait appears on another page of this issue, (notes on page 272) is the official court reporter in the First Judicial Circuit of Missouri, located at Boonville. He received his shorthand education at the Normal Shorthand Institute, Carbondale, Ill. Mr. Rutherford is one of the foremost writers of the Sloan-Duployan system of shorthand; is young in the profession, but, having followed Legal work exclusively since finishing his shorthand course at the above-named school, and having been a law student previous to that time, he is gradually, but surely, maaching toward the top of his profession. Mr. Rutherford has aeported some noted cases, among which are the Turlington murder case, Otterville train robbers, trial of Ex-treasurer E. T. Noland, and has reported several prominent speakers, including Roger R. Mills and others; all of which speaks well for his ability.—MELTON.]