fall at all times being unable to score in the first half because she was held for downs on Amherst's five-yard line, and then played to a standstill.

After hard fighting, Harvard scored twice in the second half, the first touchdown being made by a series of line plunges, and the second resulting from two long runs. Harvard's fresh backs later advanced the ball seven yards just as time was called.

CHICAGO UNIVERSITY WON.

Chicago, Oct. 9.—Chicago University defeated Illinois Wesleyan at football to-day by the score of 22 to 0. Chicago scored five in the first half and seventeen in the second.

Football Player a Suicide.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 9.—Ray Story, aged 21 years, of Whitesboro, N. Y., who has played on the local football team for the last two years, committed suicide this morning by shooting himself with a shotgun. At the time he played with the University of Buffalo team. His home was at Utica. No cause is assigned for the deed.

Sporting and Football Notes.

—Captain John Jackson of the St. Louis Rowing Club has announced that the first series of boxing bouts before the club will be given November 2.

—The West End football team has arranged a game with the local St. Louis High school eleven, to be played at Hamlin's Park next Sunday.

—The first game to be played by the Smith Academy football eleven will be next Saturday at the Fairfax grounds when the team will meet the eleven of the Soldiers' Home.

—Football enthusiasts have been showing a good deal of interest in the possible contest between the Yale freshmen team, Graham Wilson, H. L. Anderson and James Wear.

—Ralph T. Wheeler, son of H. H. Wheeler of this city, is manager of the Amherst College team, which was defeated yesterday by Harvard 11 to 0.

—St. Louis University will play the Manual Training School team at Hamlin's Park on Saturday. On the 26th St. Louis University will play the Kirksville team.

—Owing to wet grounds, the tennis tournament of the inter-collegiate League, scheduled for yesterday, was postponed. It will probably commence to-morrow.

McALEER'S BRIEF CALL.

He Will Manage St. Louis American League Team.

Jimmy McAleer, the suave and versatile ex-manager of the Cleveland American League club, was in and out yesterday. Since his last visit here McAleer has lost off the mask which he then wore, and now declares that he is to be manager of the club which the American League proposes to place in St. Louis.

Mr. McAleer is full of mystery. He is verbose, but at that he doesn't say so much. Beyond the declaration that he intends to place a first-class team in St. Louis he is wary in his speech. He considers that the time is hardly ripe to show his hand, but promises that when he does there will be a few surprises. Yesterday he was in consultation the better part of the day with Jesse Burkett, the erstwhile Cardinal, who is resting easy just at present on his batting laurels. He made Burkett an offer, and Jesse says it was a juicy one. Burkett declared last night that he turned down the offer for the present, at least. While the indisposition to sign was a good one, Burkett says he has nothing to lose by holding off.

Burkett is not altogether satisfied with his relations with the local management, although there were no open ruptures between him and his employers of the past season. McAleer would like to put Burkett in as captain of the new team and does not conceal this wish. His offer, therefore, was a most tempting one.

Burkett insists that he has a few years of good play in him yet, and while he is in the baseball arena he will try to corral all the team he can. Lajoie, and he doesn't care much where it comes from, Heidrick and Wallace, on the other hand, are comparatively young men in the business and are going slow for a different reason. These players have no objection to good salaries, but before making the jump wish to append their signatures to a three-year contract that they may not get the worst of it after the first year. Powell has a two-year contract with the Robisons, which the latter figure will keep him in the National fold.

McAleer says that the American League has all but closed a deal for a location in Vandeventer avenue. Just where he does not state, but it is known that an offer has been made for the field between Vandeventer avenue and Sarah street, Laclede avenue and West Pine street. The location is well adapted to baseball purposes, and is, moreover, accessible by several car lines. McAleer is not the only American League representative who has been in the city lately. Ban Johnson came down from Chicago a few days ago. He stopped at the Planters Hotel, but took the pains to register under a nom de plume. McAleer departed for Chicago late last night, but will be a more or less regular visitor to St. Louis from this time on. He says that American League active operations in this city will begin late in the winter, at which time, he declares, the work of laying our grounds will be begun. He states that some players have already been signed, but the list as yet includes none of the ex-Cardinals.

A line-up of the team has been presented on paper, and includes several of the Milwaukee players. The intent, as contemplated, is a strong one, or will be, providing Wallace and Padden are landed. Anderson of Milwaukee is mentioned for first base. Heidrick and Burkett would be two-thirds of a good outfield. The twirling staff is said to include some Milwaukee talent, but does not look strong. Reidy and Husting of Milwaukee are mentioned for places among the twirlers, and "Noodles" Hahn is added for good measure. Hahn is well satisfied to stay in Cincinnati if a good team is collected to support him, and is said to be holding off until he knows what kind of material this team will be composed of next year. Herman Long of Boston may be signed as shortstop.

PRESIDENT MEYER ARRESTED.

Charged With Having Embezzled Forfeit Money of Western Association.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 9.—William Meyer, Jr., president of the Western Baseball Association, was arrested here this afternoon on the charge of embezzling $500 belonging to the Columbus, O., Baseball Club, which was deposited with him as forfeit money. Meyer's alleged shortage of funds belonging to the various clubs and the association is said to exceed $5,000.

The arrest was made at the instigation of the owners of the Columbus club. What action other members of the association will take is not yet known. A meeting of the association is in session here. The pennant for the championship of 1901 was to-day awarded to Dayton. Since the close of the season it has been claimed by the Grand Rapids club.

NEW ORGANIZATION OF PLAYERS.

Object Said to Be the Maintenance and Increase of Good Salaries.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 9.—A movement entirely independent of the Players' Protective Association has been inaugurated by members of the National League teams against club owners for the purpose of compelling an increase of salaries.

Contracts for 1902, it is said, will not be signed until demands of players are acceded to.

Amateur Baseball Games.

The Nordens wound up a successful season Sunday and added another scalp to their already full belt by defeating the Ellisons. The score by innings:

	R.	H.	E.
Nordens	0 2 0 0 3 0 1 0 ...	7	5
Ellisons	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	4	1

Batteries: Nordens—Donohue and Mohenger; Ellisons—Ellison and Alexander.

Inquirer—The rules provide that "any motion made by the pitcher to deceive the ball to the bat or to first base without delivering it" shall be called a balk.

Minor Games.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Brookfield, Mo., Oct. 9.—The three days' baseball tournament between Brookfield and Chillicothe came to a close after playing two games to-day. Brookfield won three of the four games. The tournament proved to be the best ball ever played in North Missouri. The batteries of the morning game: Chillicothe—Millsap and Ritter. Brookfield—Steele and Stoine. The afternoon game: Chillicothe—Millsap and Ritter. Brookfield—Watts, Steine.

Mr. Cortelyou Returns to Canton.

Washington, Oct. 9.—Secretary Cortelyou left here for Canton to attend to some business in connection with the settlement of the estate of the late President McKinley. He will be gone several days.

McKinley's Cousin as Moderator.

Dayton, O., Oct. 9.—Doctor Russell McKinley of Steubenville, O., a cousin of the late President, was to-day elected moderator of the State Presbyterian Synod, in session here, with upwards of 300 delegates in attendance.

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FLANAGAN BROKE TWO WORLD'S RECORDS

Won New Laurels in Discus and Weight Throwing at Fair Grounds.

DUFFY WON 100-YARD DASH.

Good Performances in Most of the Events—Finals to Be Held To-Morrow.

Two world's records were broken by John Flanagan, the champion hammer-thrower, in the athletic events at the Fair Grounds yesterday. He threw the discus 122 feet 7 inches and the 56-pound weight 38 feet 8 inches, breaking the former records by 2 feet 1¾ inches and 9½ inches, respectively.

Whether the records will be accepted by the A. A. U. depends upon the testimony furnished to the director of yesterday's meeting. If they make affidavits that all the conditions of the A. A. U. were complied with in the events, the records will stand. The point on which the question will arise is whether the ground was absolutely level or not.

Arthur Duffy, the crack Georgetown sprinter, also appeared in the events and won the 100-yard dash. His win was not so impressive as when he appeared here four weeks ago in the St. James Parish games, and he only beat William O'Flynn, a local man, about two feet in a hard finish. O'Flynn had a handicap of four yards.

Race Was a Pretty Event.

The race itself was one of the prettiest events of the day. The 100-yard straightaway was laid out on the north side of the arena, and four men started. For the first fifty yards of the straightaway there was a slight dip in the center, while the next fifty was slightly uphill, the banking of the arena track causing the inequality. The ground was rolled just before the contest, but as horses were exhibited on the track for three days, the soil was uneven and lumpy, in spite of all efforts.

Contestants in the race proved to be George Heideman, William O'Flynn, a St. Louis University student, and Duffy. When the pistol cracked, O'Flynn and Heideman got off their marks like a flash and were in motion as quickly as Duffy. O'Flynn shot to the front at once, and for the first fifty yards held his four yards' revantage over Duffy. Forty yards from the finish the Georgetown man sprinted, but, try as he would, O'Flynn held gamely on, even when Duffy had reached him. Duffy put forth his final efforts in the last few strides, and in a hard finish won by two feet. The time was announced as 9 4-5 seconds, but this may be accepted with reservations, as many several of the time announcements. Duffy himself was noncommittal when asked about his opinion of the time in which the race had been run, but said that the track seemed springy. Springy or not, it was noticeable that the Georgetown wonder labored in his stride over the slight inequalities of the track, and a second added to the time would not be far out of the way.

John Flanagan won the 56-pound weight event easily, throwing the weight 38 feet 8 inches. This breaks the record by 9½ inches, but the general impression prevailed that the ground was slightly downhill where the contest took place. The same applied to the discus throw, where Flanagan made three throws in succession of 120 feet, 122 feet 1 inch, and 122 feet 7 inches, all breaking the record.

Flanagan threw the discus 120 feet 11 inches at the St. James Parish games a month ago, but this same question of the ground being level has prevented the record from being recognized as yet by the A. A. U. The existing record is that made by Flanagan at Louisville last Saturday, when he threw the discus 119 feet 7¼ inches.

Preliminaries in the other contests were run off in good order, except the mile foot race, which was run in slow time, and the bicycle race, which proved a farce.

Summaries of the Events.

The summaries of yesterday's events follow:

One hundred yard dash, handicap—Arthur Duffy, scratch, first; W. O. Flynn, four yards, second; George Heideman, four yards, third. Time announced as 9 4-5.

Two hundred and twenty yard dash, handicap—First heat, John A. King, five yards, first; G. H. Stadel, five yards, second; C. W. Hunt, six yards, third. Time, 24 2-5.

Second heat—W. O. Flynn, eight yards, first; George Heideman, eight yards, second; W. S. Hoffman, five yards, third. Time of first heat, 24 1-5; second heat, 24 4-5.

Four hundred and forty yards run, handicap—First heat, A. F. Reynolds, fifteen yards, first; John A. King, scratch, second. Time, 54 1-5. Second heat, A. Elder, ten yards, first; W. O. Flynn, nine yards, second. Time, [illegible].

Eight hundred and eighty yards run—First heat, Harvey Lamb, twenty-five yards, first; G. H. Stade, fifteen yards, second; time, 2:09. Second heat, G. B. Rudolph, thirty yards, first; A. Elder, twenty yards, second. Time, 2:10.

One mile run—G. B. Rudolph, forty-five yards, first; A. F. Reynolds, forty yards, second; L. W. Moss, thirty-five yards, third. Time, 4:26.

One hundred and twenty yards hurdle—John A. King, four yards, first; George Heideman, six yards, second. Time, 17.

Two hundred and twenty yards hurdle—Same men as in the first and second; time, 25 1-5.

Running high jump—W. Schildman, E. Freymark and G. Heideman qualified for finals on Friday with jumps of five feet six inches.

Pole vault—L. Elders, John C. Meyers and W. Schildman qualified for finals Friday, with vaults of eight feet.

Running broad jump—W. Schildman, two feet, first; twenty-one feet three and one-half inches; Emil Freymark, eight feet, second; nineteen feet nine and one-half inches; John A. King, four inches, third; nineteen feet nine inches.

Putting sixteen-pound shot—John Flanagan, scratch, thirty-eight feet six inches; P. Mahoney, three feet, second; thirty-eight feet nine inches; W. Rick, two feet, third; thirty-seven feet ten inches.

Throwing fifty-six-pound weight—John Flanagan, scratch, first, thirty-six feet eight inches; Herman Wolmecke, eight feet, second; thirty-three feet ten inches; Fred Wagner, ten feet, third; thirty-two feet nine inches.

Throwing sixteen-pound hammer—John Flanagan, scratch, first, 152 feet 3 inches; Herman Wolmecke, forty feet, second, 132 feet 1 inch; P. Mahoney, forty feet, third, 128 feet 7 inches.

Throwing the discus—John Flanagan, scratch, first, 122 feet 7 inches; P. Mahoney, twenty feet, second, 112 feet 8 inches; Fred Wagner, twenty feet, third, 99 feet 4 inches.

Three-mile bicycle race—Tony Bliggs, first; Weber Minges, second; Simon Bejach, third. Race was a long and hard two-men dropped out before finish, riding in late. No time taken.

Finals of all contests will be held Friday afternoon. Those named in above list qualify for the finals.

BIG THURSDAY AT THE FAIR.

Special Attractions Arranged for the Feature Day of the Week.

To-day is Big Thursday at the St. Louis Fair, and Mayor Wells has declared a holiday. Special features have been arranged for the occasion at the Fair Grounds, chief among which is the automobile contest scheduled for the arena.

It will be an obstacle race for gasoline, steam or electric vehicles, where the automobiles will be driven between obstacles placed on the track. The vehicle making a given distance in the shortest time and touching the fewest impediments will be declared the winner.

The automobile-braking contest, postponed from Tuesday, will also be held in the arena to-day. The automobiles will be required to run at a certain rate of speed and to stop upon a given signal. The vehicle stopping in the shortest space will be declared the winner.

Horse classes for the arena include contests for roadsters in harness, combined harness and gaited saddle horses, tandem teams, run-a-bout classes and four-in-hand teams. A hurdle race for mules will be the concluding feature. The performing elephants will appear twice daily, and the usual gymnastic exhibitions will be given in the arena.

As an attraction for Sunday, when the gates will remain open to give visitors a chance to see the exhibits as they are being moved away, Colonel Zach Mulhall has brought his band of Rough Riders and cowboys to the city, and will give exhibitions in the arena. The cowboys will include Tom Privett, Bruce Norton, Bob Miller and other winners in the roping and riding contests held here two years ago. Frank Schramm of East St. Louis will also appear in the riding events. He got third prize in the rough riding contest at the Fair Grounds two years ago.

AQUEDUCT FOR CITY OF PANAMA

American Capital Will Be Asked to Back the Enterprise.

Colon, Colombia, Oct. 9.—General H. G. Jeffries, who recently resigned a position in the service of the Colombian Government, has obtained from General Alban the sole right to construct a long-needed aqueduct for the city of Panama. He will soon sail for the United States to secure the necessary capital.

The Colombian gunboat General Pinzon is still at anchor in Colon Harbor.

ONE FAMILY CELEBRATES THREE IMPORTANT EVENTS.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK BUNSE.
Of Jerseyville, who celebrated their golden wedding yesterday.

A wedding, a golden wedding anniversary and a birthday celebration, all in one family, took place yesterday at St. Mary's Church in English Township, west of Jerseyville.

Henry Bunse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunse, was married to Miss Mary Blaeser, also of English Township. The ceremony was performed in the church yesterday morning by the Reverend Father F. A. Marks, pastor of the Church of the Holy Ghost at Jerseyville.

When the ceremony was completed, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunse, the parents of the bridegroom, stepped to the altar, and the Reverend Father Marks recelebrated the marriage ceremony that had united them fifty years ago in Westphalia, Germany.

After the two ceremonies it was announced that the day was the twelfth anniversary of the birth of Hugo Hubert Drainer, son of Peter and Annie Drainer, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunse.

Extensive preparations had been made for the occasion, and the little church was filled with the friends and relatives from the surrounding country. After the ceremonies, together with the Reverend Father Marks and the large concourse of friends, the principals repaired to the Bunse homestead, where a wedding feast was spread.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bunse are both natives of Westphalia, Germany, and came to America in the spring following their wedding. They came direct to Alton, where Bunse was engaged for a number of years at the cooper's trade. After amassing a comfortable fortune, he removed to Jersey County and purchased a farm in English Township. Here he has continued to reside. Ten children were born to the union, six of whom are living. Mr. Bunse is 75 years old and his wife 72.

Miss Blaeser, the bride of Henry Bunse, is the daughter of the late Fred B. Blaeser, and is well known in Western Jersey County. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bunse will live at the Bunse homestead.

MISS MARY BLAESER,
Of Jerseyville, who married Henry Bunse yesterday.

HENRY BUNSE,
Of Jerseyville, who married Miss Mary Blaeser yesterday.

PILGRIMS READY FOR TRIP TO MONTICELLO.

Arrivals From Out of Town Necessitate Additional Coaches for the Party.

So many out-of-town Democrats announced their intention yesterday of joining the Monticello pilgrimage that arrangements were made for an additional Pullman, making in all a train of eleven cars. The plan of the train has been arranged, giving the State, city and Jefferson Club officials a car together. The other berths will be assigned in the order of application, making the distribution as democratic as possible.

The commissary car will be located in the middle of the train, making it easy of access to all. It will be in charge of the steward and bartenders of the Jefferson Club. The club will be closed during the pilgrimage, the employes going in their various capacities to look after the comfort and convenience of the pilgrims. A baggage car will be attached to accommodate those who carry luggage and to carry supplies.

The special train will be made up at 6 o'clock this evening, alongside of the baggage-room at Union Station. It will be open at 6:30 o'clock, when the distribution of transportation and sleeping berths will be in order. The Jefferson Club banner will designate transportation headquarters. Those not members of the club and those who reside outside of the city will be identified by the secretary's receipt for the payment of the $25 charge made to each pilgrim.

The club will take a photographer, a historian and a drum corps of thirty men picked from the Jefferson Club Drum Corps. The train and party will be photographed en route and at Monticello, and a picture of the banquet will also be taken. These are to be used in illustrating a booklet history of the pilgrimage, to be published by the Jefferson Club.

Several out-of-town pilgrims arrived last night. Among those visiting the club were Doctor T. F. Frazer, R. C. Moore and E. S. Wyley of Commerce, Mo. They came early, in order to put in a day at the St. Louis Fair.

A large number of arrivals are expected this morning, among them Congressmen Benton and Cochran and Mayor Reed of Kansas City.

A message from Charlottesville, Va., informed the officials in charge of the pilgrimage that everything was in readiness there and that preparations were going forward for the entertainment of an immense throng. Besides the large number of prominent Virginians who will be present, prominent Democrats from Washington, D. C., New York and other Eastern cities have accepted invitations.

It is the desire of the committee in charge that every pilgrim will be on time at Union Station this evening. The train, an unusually heavy one, will run on a special schedule, and it is planned to have it depart from the city in good season before any outgoing regular night train. This desire has been given special emphasis by the Big Four Railroad management.

METHODIST CONFERENCE.

Many Changes Anticipated by the Meeting at Knoxville.

Knoxville, Tenn., Oct. 9.—Holston annual conference, Methodist Episcopal Church, South, convened here to-day with Bishop E. R. Hendrix of Kansas City presiding. About 350 ministers are in attendance.

The matters of greatest interest are the probable changes in the largest churches in the conference. The Reverend Alonzo Monk of this city, it is said, will be sent to Trinity Church, Los Angeles, Cal.; the Reverend J. A. Duncan of Chattanooga will, it is said, to go Lynchburg, Va.; the Reverend C. O. Jones of Bristol, formerly of Louisville, will, it is believed, come to this city; the Reverend I. S. Hopkins of St. Louis, Mo., is expected either in this city or Chattanooga.

In the City.

DIES AT ST. MARY'S INFIRMARY—John Gannon of No. 1708 Poplar street, who was run down by a Burlington freight train in the Fifteenth street yards Tuesday morning, died yesterday at St. Mary's Infirmary.

ANNIE CHISMAR MISSING—The police of the Fourth District were asked yesterday to assist in locating Annie Chismar, 16 years old, who disappeared Monday from her home in the Ashley building, Third and O'Fallon streets.

DEATH FROM NATURAL CAUSE—Deputy Coroner Fitzsimmons conducted an inquest yesterday on the body of Mrs. Edward Ryan, who was found dead on the kitchen floor in her home at No. 328 South Fifteenth street, Tuesday morning. He found that she died of kidney disease.

KNOCKED DOWN BY ENGINE—James Quinn of No. 1816 Gratiot street was knocked down by a Frisco switch engine while he was crossing the twenty-first street Terminal Railway yards yesterday morning. He sustained minor bruises, which were attended at the City Dispensary.

CITATION ISSUED—A citation was issued in the Probate Court yesterday at the instance of Margaret A. Doherty, citing William Bickel and his wife, Laura, to appear in court October 18 and give information, if they possess it, as to the whereabouts of certain money and evidences of debt belonging to the estate of Hugh Brennan.

ROBBED ON MORGAN STREET—While passing in front of 1968 Morgan street about 9 o'clock Tuesday night, Maurice Hall of No. 1225 Temple place was drawn into a stairway by an unknown negro and, after being struck on the head, was robbed of his gold watch and 50 cents. Then the negro kicked his victim and ran away. There is no clew to the perpetrator of the robbery.

INCORPORATED—The Fair Building Company, capitalized at $10,000, filed articles of incorporation yesterday with the recorder of deeds. The stock consists of 100 shares, valued at $100 each. William Hambley holds 50 shares, Addie Hambley 49 and August Peterson 1. The Fulton Game and Produce Company has a capital of $5,000, divided into 50 shares, valued at $100 each. David Ungar holds 24 shares, Arthur J. Ratz 25, and Arthur Townsend 1.

DIED FROM HIS INJURIES—Henry Kass, a laborer, 45 years old, who lived with his family at No. 2707 South Twelfth street, died at the Jefferson Hospital yesterday from injuries sustained at work in the Schultz belting factory at No. 842 Barton street last Saturday. While at work at a stretch machine his left arm was caught and he was drawn up against the machinery with such violence that he was injured internally.

NO WARRANT AGAINST STACK—Acting Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Pickelsen decided yesterday not to issue the warrant for assault and battery against Lieutenant Michael Stack of the Second Police District, on the complaint of Frank Burford of No. 2618 Locust street. Mr. Burford claimed that Stack caused his arrest Monday night while he was returning home from the South Broadway Merchants' Street Fair, simply because he blew a horn in the street. Buford was released ten minutes after reaching the Wyoming street station.

"FRENCH FRANK'S" BODY IDENTIFIED—The body of the man who was found dead in a shed at No. 116 South Sventh street last Saturday night was identified yesterday as that of Frank Poundwehr, better known as "French Frank." Mrs. Louise Carmack of No. 409 South Seventh street, who made the identification, said that Poundwehr was a descendant of a well-to-do French family at Florissant. Death was due to heart disease. He leaves three daughters. One of them is a Mrs. Vaun, who is said to live in the neighborhood of Eleventh and Dock streets.

EPISCOPAL BISHOPS ADOPT RADICAL CANON ON DIVORCE.

Amendment Prohibits the Marriage of Persons Legally Separated for Any Cause "Not Existing Before Marriage"—House of Deputies Will at Once Consider the Proposition.

CANON ON MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE ADOPTED BY THE EPISCOPAL HOUSE OF BISHOPS.

San Francisco, Oct. 9.—Following is the text of the amended canon on the solemnization of marriage, as adopted to-day by the Episcopal House of Bishops:

I.—The solemnization of matrimony in this church, in which the mutual consent of each party entering into this state of life is given in the presence of a minister, who, having pronounced them in the name of the Holy Trinity to be man and wife, invokes the divine blessing upon their union.

II.—The requirements of the law of the State regarding the conditions for the civil contract of marriage shall in all cases be carefully observed before the marriage is solemnized.

III.—No minister shall solemnize the marriage of any person who is a minor under the law of the place of marriage, unless the parent or guardian of such minor is present and consenting, or shall have given consent to the marriage, or is permanently resident in a foreign country. No minister shall solemnize a marriage except in the presence of at least two witnesses, the minister or the witnesses being personally acquainted with the parties. Every minister shall without delay formally record in the proper register the name, age and residence of each party. Such record shall be signed by the minister who performs the ceremony, and, if practicable, by the married parties and by at least two witnesses of the marriage.

IV.—No minister shall solemnize a marriage between any two persons unless he has satisfied himself that neither has been or is the husband or the wife of any other person then living, unless the former marriage was annulled by a decree of some civil court of competent jurisdiction for causes existing before such marriage.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 9.—The action of the greatest importance taken to-day by the Triennial Episcopal Convention was the adoption by the House of Bishops, by a vote of 37 to 21, of canon 36, which relates to the solemnization of marriage. All of its provisions had previously been agreed except those contained in section four, which forbade the marriage of persons divorced for any cause not existing before marriage.

"For any cause not existing before marriage" is understood to refer to such causes as insanity, inability to execute a contract, the existence of a living wife or husband or like reasons which practically render the marriage null and void.

This section has been a bone of contention, a strong element in the church holding that the remarriage of the innocent party to a divorce, granted on the ground of infidelity, should not be forbidden. The Bishops have refused to accept this view of the matter.

Question Goes to Deputies.

The question is by no means settled, as the whole subject is now to come up in the House of Deputies, where it is said to have caused a protracted debate.

The Bishops have yet to consider canon 37, providing for the discipline of persons marrying after having been divorced. This will also cause lively discussion.

Another important feature of the work of the House of Bishops to-day was the appointment of a committee of five to act with similar committees of priests and laymen, constituting a joint committee of fifteen, in considering the proposed change in the name of the church. The committee has no power to act, but is to report its findings at the next general conference, to be held in Boston in 1904.

The House of Deputies adopted the report of the Joint Committee on Marginal Readings, after agreeing to an amendment eliminating those readings, which are original with the committee. The vote on the main proposition as amended is as follows: Clerical—aye, 52 dioceses; nay, 6 dioceses; divided, 1 diocese. Lay—aye, 45 dioceses; nay, 6 dioceses; divided, 2 dioceses.

The report as amended will now go back to the House of Bishops for action on the amendment.

The House of Deputies will to-morrow take up the canon on marriage and divorce.

Both houses unanimously selected Boston as the place for holding the next triennial convention.

A general reception to the delegation was held to-night at the Mark Hopkins Institute of Art. It was largely attended and was one of the most brilliant social functions ever held in this city.

The headquarters of the women's auxiliary was thronged all day with strangers, as well as residents of the city, many of whom were attracted by the fine display of work exhibited by the missions of all lands.

The first sessions of the Girls' Friendly Society were held to-day at St. Luke's Church.

At the morning session of the House of Deputies, J. Pierpont Morgan of the Joint Committee on Place of Meeting of the next General Conference reported that, after a consideration of all invitations received, it was decided to recommend the selection of the city of Boston, and so moved; the House of Bishops concurring. The motion was unanimously adopted by the deputies.

The Special Committee submitted resolutions in regard to the death of President McKinley, which were unanimously adopted by a standing vote.

BALTIMORE AND OHIO DAY.

Well-Known Railroad Has Its Inning at the Ex.

The Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railway has the titulary call at the Exposition to-day. In honor of the event Bandmaster Seymour has arranged one of his best programmes, and at the second evening concert introduces Miss Ida Fitzhugh Shepard, a distinguished concert artist from Chicago, whose pure soprano has entranced many listeners in the lakeside metropolis.

The United Singing Societies of St. Louis have a fine programme of songs of the Vaterland, and no special knowledge of their tongue is required to identify the soulfulness of their tones.

The Trovatore Anvil Chorus, as given by Seymour's men, has transformed them into a sort of idealized "knockers' club" much to the delight of the friends of that tuneful aggregation.

Colonel Sinclair has examined the possibilities of the Coliseum for all sorts of military evolutions by his First Regiment, and has about concluded that it is, among other things, an ideal place for a sham battle. Indoor contests of this kind, at which real ammunition is used, are somewhat rare. To-night there will be a sham battle in the Coliseum. In addition there is to be an award of a prize of $10 for the best drilled and smartest-appearing orderly and other military features calculated to stir the blood of the spectator.

An invitation to all the dancing masters in St. Louis to bring their classes to the Coliseum floor is under consideration, and, as a result, there may be some very fine exhibitions of the terpsichorean art by the young folks.

An event in which about 600 public school pupils are very much interested takes place on Saturday night at 8:30. At that hour the prizes in the essay contest that closed Wednesday noon will be awarded. The prize winners will be notified at the various schools on Friday and a committee of principals will also be in attendance. As none of the essays contain more than 450 words—about one-fourth of a column of newspaper space—the best efforts of the big prize winners may be read from the stage.

The attendance in the closing hours of the eighteenth Exposition is increasing, and giving exhibitors and belated visitors the regret is of frequent expression that the plan for an extension of the season has not been fruitful of results.

Several hundred G. A. R. veterans were at the Ex. last night, and the military airs by Seymour's band pleased them greatly.

MRS. MARY FOSBURGH IS HERE.

Visit Recalls the Sensational Pittsfield, Mass., Murder.

Mrs. Mary Fosburgh of Pittsfield, Mass., mother of Robert Stewart Fosburgh, whose trial on a charge of murdering his sister, May Fosburgh, recently attracted such widespread attention to the family, is in St. Louis on a brief visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart of No. 4019 West Belle place.

The trial of young Fosburgh, succeeding the sensational and mysterious murder of his sister, was one of the sensations of the year. Miss May Fosburgh was shot and killed at midnight in her father's home in Pittsfield, the family declares, by burglars. The Chief of Police attempted to fasten the crime upon her brother Robert, and a long and notable trial ensued, resulting in the acquittal of Robert. He was defended by Seneca N. Taylor of the this city, a lifelong friend of the Fosburgh family.

Mrs. Fosburgh has recovered much of her usual health, which was undermined by the strain of the tragedy and the terrible charge against her son. She and her family decided that a short trip away from the scene of so much unhappiness would prove beneficial, and she accordingly determined to pay a brief visit to her parents.

Her son is now engaged with his father supervising the erection of a large cotton mill in Maynard, Mass. They have other similar contracts which will keep them busy for a year. Robert has fully recovered from the strain imposed on him by the accusation and trial.

AMERICAN MISSION BOARD.

Reports on the Progress of Work in Foreign Lands.

Hartford, Conn., Oct. 9.—The Reverend Lyman Abbott, D. D., of New York conducted the devotional exercises which preceded the opening of this morning's meeting of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

The forenoon was devoted to addresses by officers of the board and missionaries. The report of the secretary and the sermon by the Reverend Henry Hopkins, D. D., of Kansas City, Mo., vice president of the board, were the most notable features of the session.

Doctor Judson Smith stated that in the eleven missions under his supervision there are 238 missionaries, of whom 13 have gone out for the first time, and 2,092 native laborers, of whom 82 are pastors of the mission churches.

The number of missionaries in the missions under the Reverend Doctor James L. Barton, foreign secretary, is 246, of whom ten have gone out this year for the first time. The number of native laborers is 1,391, an increase over last year of 158.

The forward movement report was presented by Lucien M. Warner, M. D., of New York, chairman of the Advisory Committee. He said:

"The purpose of the forward movement is to develop interest in foreign missions among the churches, and especially to secure the adoption of missionaries by particular churches, individuals and families. The active work of the committee covers about two and one-half years. In this time missionary salaries have been assured by eighty-two churches and three individuals.

"In the year preceding the committee's appeal to these eighty-nine churches, they gave to the board $23,000. The total pledges secured through the agency of the committee were $5,000, an increase of 179 per cent. Fifty-four churches were interested in the forward movement prior to the close of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1900."

At this evening's session an address on missionary work in India was delivered by the Reverend S. P. Jones. Reverend William S. Ament of Pekin delivered an address on the present and prospective situation in China.

CHALLENGE WILL BE IGNORED.

Record of Priest Who Would Debate With Archbishop Corrigan.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 9.—The Reverend T. McGrady of Bellevue, Ky., who has challenged Archbishop Corrigan to debate on Socialism, does not stand very well with either clergy or laity in this vicinity. The prominent among the clergy ignore him and even some of his parishioners pay no attention to him. He is considered by the better element as pestiferous and always seeking notoriety.

About a year ago he wrote and had published a book on Socialism which was erratic a the extreme, some portions even being ramblingly anarchistic. His challenge is simply a desire for further notoriety. Archbishop Corrigan knows of his character and would ignore his challenge for this reason, leaving out the fact that it comes from a common priest in a small parish and hence beneath his dignity as a high prelate. So little is McGrady thought of by his fellow-priests and others of the cloth that he will not even be reprimanded for his seeming audacity.

DETECTIVES ARE KEPT BUSY.

Chief Kiely's Dragnet Causes Many Arrests.

Several men have been arrested by detectives on suspicion of attempting to fleece the visitors who have come to St. Louis to see the sights.

"Skippy" Rohan was arrested on a crowded street car at Eighteenth and Locust streets.

Charles Gee was arrested at Twenty-second and Pine streets.

Edward, alias "Kid," Russell was arrested while talking to a stranger at Twenty-third and Pine streets.

John Hardy was taken in custody at Eighteenth and Market streets.

Frank Woodson, a negro, was arrested at Thirteenth street and Lucas avenue on suspicion of attempting to work a "confidence game."

Albert, alias "Butch," Harris and Charles, alias "Apples," Carroll were arrested at Third street and Washington avenue on suspicion of attempting to pick pockets in the crowd.

If cases cannot be made against them they will be sent to the police court on charges of idling.

BUTLER REOPENS THEATER.

Old Lessees Had Trouble and the House Had Been Closed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Kansas City, Oct. 9.—Colonel Butler of St. Louis is having trouble with his new Kansas City theater. He opened it last night with the aid of a Deputy Sheriff, who had a restraining order in his pocket ready to serve it upon the old lessees if they should interfere.

"This is carnival week," said Mr. Butler, "and I don't propose to lose the revenue. The show opens to-night. Constable or no Constable."

The trouble is that a Mrs. Winchester Reese, widow of a restaurant man, who fell heir to some money, leased the house from Butler and established a stock opera company. She had a business partner and the two quarreled, and a Constable came down on the box office for the receipts one night a week ago. Since then the house has been dark.

WATER COMMISSIONER'S APPOINTMENTS—Water Commissioner Flad made the following appointments yesterday: Charles Gates, Edward Wuest and Albert H. Dieckmeyer, laborers, and Philip Techmacher, Samuel Field and Hugh O'Reilly, coal passers.

WISLIZENUS'S COURT UNDER INVESTIGATION

Special Committee of the House of Delegates Begins the Work.

JUDGE DECLINES TO APPEAR.

City Counselor Schnurmacher Says House Has Power to Make Inquiry—Justice Writes Letter.

Investigation of the conduct of the Second District Police Court, over which Justice Wislizenus presides, was started yesterday by the special Investigation Committee of the House of Delegates, Speaker pro tem. Sweeney is chairman of the committee.

Mr. Sweeney, as is generally known, is one of the important chiefs of what is known as the House of Delegates' combine. He was appointed April 19 by Speaker Cronin to investigate the methods pursued in the Second District Police Court. After five months and a half delay this committee began its inquiry yesterday afternoon.

Speaker Cronin and Delegates Sweeney, Hannigan, Buckley and Burke were present yesterday afternoon. Justice Wislizenus failed to appear, having declared that the House has no legal authority to investigate his court. However, Chairman Sweeney, pursuant to an opinion from City Counselor Schnurmacher rendered by request, instructed Sergeant-at-Arms Howard to subpoena the Justice to respond at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon.

According to Mr. Sweeney yesterday's session was "preliminary." He convened the committee and propounded several questions to Deputy Marshals J. I. Kiely and John McAuliffe. This "preliminary" session lasted about five minutes. It took place in the chamber of the House of Delegates and was so informal that Mr. Sweeney disdained to preside from the Speaker's or clerk's chair, as is customary.

At the request of Clerk Judge, City Counselor Schnurmacher submitted a typewritten opinion stating that the House has power to conduct investigations, but has no power to apply punishment or penalty if an official be found guilty. The committee of the House may summon witnesses and may impose a penalty if the witnesses fail to appear or decline to answer relevant questions.

A portion of Mr. Schnurmacher's opinion follows:

"The House cannot remove an officer of the city government," Mr. Schnurmacher stated, "and, therefore, cannot try an official on charges; but I am bound to assume that the investigation of the Justice of the Second District Police Court, covered by the resolution to which you refer in your communication, is being made to inform the Delegates in the House of the manner in which the police courts are being conducted, in order that they may the more properly perform their legislative duties and apply the remedies, if any should be found necessary."

Judge Wislizenus's Letter.

Justice Wislizenus sent a communication yesterday to Speaker Cronin stating that the House has no authority to make an official investigation, but, nevertheless, inviting Mr. Cronin's associates to make an unofficial inquiry. The letter follows:

"I am in receipt of a notice signed by yourself to appear