A STARTLING FACT!

A Prominent Lawyer of This City Says

DYSPEPSIA

Causes Many Divorces and Most Failures

MUNYON'S PAW-PAW CURES

Dyspepsia, Cures Nervousness, Cures Sleeplessness.

A prominent lawyer recently told me that in his opinion "Dyspepsia was the cause of most divorces, as well as most failures." He went on to say that "what is called incompatibility of temperament was nothing but jangled nerves from a disordered stomach. Why," said he, "it is seldom that a perfectly healthy couple, who are physically equal, ever apply for divorce."

Dyspeptics are unconsciously and unintentionally gloomy, erratic, irritable and uncompanionable. What they like to-day they hate to-morrow. What agreed with their stomach at one meal will double them up with colic at another. They are uncertain in all things and as a rule are failures. The world does not like failing people—they like the rising man, whether it be in fortune, popularity or health. We like the vital man, the vigorous man, the man of force and power. He imparts good health, good cheer, wherever he goes. He brightens the home, he gladdens the heart, he makes the world better by his hopeful presence.

Let us then resolve to be healthy. Let us strive to generate and disseminate good cheer. We can do this if we will keep the stomach and the nerves in good order. I claim that there is no excuse for a person to be suffering with dyspepsia or any form of stomach or nerve trouble. My Paw-Paw remedy is just as sure to cure these ailments as water is to quench thirst. There is no "guess it will cure" or "perhaps" it will cure, for we have the positive and unimpeached testimony of thousands of people that it has cured.

Read the following testimonial, which we publish to-day. These statements ought to convince you that Munyon's Paw-Paw is all that it is claimed to be—"A positive specific for all Stomach and Nerve Troubles."

Mr. Hyman Block,

85 years old, a gallant Mexican War veteran, 5183 Raymond place, indorses Munyon's Paw-Paw.

Mr. Block is one of St. Louis's oldest settlers. He enlisted in 1846 under Gen. Kearney and was later transferred to Gen. Donovan's command and belonged to the Clay rangers. Mr. Block is a most entertaining and genial gentleman, and recalls the time when the two forts, then located in what is now the busiest mercantile section of the city, would daily fire off the cannons to hold the Indians in subjection. He says:

"I have been taking Munyon's Paw-Paw as a strengthening tonic, and can honestly say it has indeed proven itself a most wonderful medicine. I have suffered at times from nervous indigestion and dyspepsia and loss of sleep, superinduced through eleven attacks of la grippe, and have tried everything and received no benefit until I tried your Paw-Paw.

"It certainly acts as a nerve tonic and sedative and makes me feel young again. I believe I will live to be one hundred years old, with the help of Paw-Paw.

(Signed) "HYMAN BLOCK,
"5183 Raymond place."

If you have dyspepsia, Try it.
If you are nervous, Try it.
If you are despondent, Try it.
If you are weak and run down, Try it.

Cast away all tonics, all medicines and all stimulants and let Munyon's Paw-Paw make you well. It will lift you into the high altitudes of hope and hold you there. It will give exhilaration without intoxication.

Sold by all druggists. Large bottles, $1. Paw-Paw Laxative Pills, 25c a bottle.

ASKS FOR SEARCH WARRANT.

Captain Hobson's Sister Loses Medal in Sanitarium.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Nov. 9.—Captain Richmond Pearson Hobson, the hero of the Merrimac, appeared in the Jefferson Market Police Court this afternoon to apply for a search warrant for the premises at No. 68 West Thirty-eighth street, which is a sanitarium.

He told Magistrate Mayo that his sister, Margaret Hobson, who has been attending an older sister suffering from nervous prostration, lost a purse containing $68 and a gold medal, studded with thirty-eight diamonds, worth $1,000. Captain Hobson said this medal was presented to him by a Southern society, and he prized it most highly.

Magistrate Mayo issued summonses for a negro maid, a negro butler and for Miss Murden, who conducts the sanitarium.

A WOMAN'S BACK.

The Aches and Pains Will Disappear If the Advice of This St. Louis Citizen Is Followed.

A woman's back has many aches and pains.
Most times 'tis the kidneys' fault.
Backache is really kidney ache.
That's why Doan's Kidney Pills cure it.
Many St. Louis women know this.
Read what one has to say about it:

Mrs. J. H. Heiderman of No. 1728 North Twentieth street says: "I always knew before a change in the weather took place what to predict, for my back ached similar to lumbago or rheumatism, and it had ached for five or six years, not steadily, but far too often to be pleasant. Many a time I have been unable to work, and never was certain when the least overexertion would cause twinges in my loins. I found the greatest relief in the use of Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at 'Wolff-Wilson's,' corner Sixth and Washington avenue. When I notice the slightest sign of a recurrence of kidney complaint I take a dose or two and the attack is warded off."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents per box. Foster-Milburn Company, Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

HAPPENINGS IN EAST SIDE CITIES AND TOWNS.

EAST ST. LOUIS COUNCIL CALLS SPECIAL ELECTION.

Vote Will Decide Whether Assessment Shall Be Levied for Levee-Protection Purposes.

The East St. Louis City Council yesterday afternoon passed an ordinance calling a special election for December 15 for the purpose of voting on a proposition authorizing the city authorities to place an additional assessment on the taxable property of the city for levee-protection purposes.

It has been estimated that about $200,000 will be required as the city's share in the levee-protection work. This money can be raised under the special act of the Legislature which permits the city to vote for this proposition.

The taxes which can be collected under this law will amount to 1 per cent of the general assessment, or about $60,000 a year. This tax can be kept in force for seven years, but as only about $200,000 is needed, it is expected that the assessment will be scaled down and that it will be spread through the seven years, so as to fall as lightly as possible.

The levee plans are those mapped out by City Engineer Helm. They provide for diverting Cahokia Creek, raising the railroad embankments about the city, constructing a dike on the north side and depressing the streets which will run beneath the elevated railroads. This includes the demolishment of the East St. Louis viaduct, which has long been an eyesore to residents of that part of town.

The railroad companies have not yet arrived at any conclusion as to their share in this work, or whether they will do what is asked of them by the city.

To induce them to take immediate action, Mayor Cook has called a special meeting of a citizens' committee, which he recently appointed, for this afternoon. The matter will be laid before them and they will take up the question with the railroads.

It is believed that if the railroads do not reach an agreement with the committee and the city officials ordinances will be passed, as have been done in Chicago, compelling the railroads to elevate their tracks running through the city limits.

There has been much talk among many of the citizens who think that a general ordinance compelling all of the railroads passing through the city to elevate their tracks would be very desirable.

WILL BAR PAUPERS IN FUTURE.

They Can No Longer Be Buried in City Cemetery.

Hereafter there will be no more pauper burials in the old City Cemetery of East St. Louis. On motion by Alderman John F. Dumhoff of the Sixth Ward, the Council passed a resolution notifying the County Board of Supervisors and the East St. Louis undertakers and Coroner R. X. McCracken that no more pauper burials would be permitted in the old City Cemetery.

Several of the old East St. Louis families own lots in the graveyard, and efforts are being made to induce them to remove their dead to other graveyards, so that the place can be converted to other uses.

Alderman Domhoff also introduced a resolution compelling the wire-using companies in East St. Louis to raise the guy wires on their poles to a height of at least ten feet above the sidewalk. It is said that several accidents have occurred of late as a result of the low-hanging guy wires.

The ordinances calling for the improvement of Market avenue and Tenth street south of Broadway with vitrified brick were passed by the City Council.

Fire Caused $3,000 Damage.

Fire damaged the residence of Sol Hammer at No. 576 North Fourteenth street, East St. Louis, to the extent of about $3,000 yesterday morning. The fire was caused by a defective furnace. No one was at home at the time.

East St. Louis Items.

—The Concordia Liederkranz will give a concert at Music Hall, November 26.

—Mrs. Nadine Gibson, who is attending school in Columbia, Mo., visited her parents yesterday.

—Mrs. E. G. Mailack has returned from a visit with her mother in Chester, Ill.

—Miss Estella Meyers is visiting in Louisville, Ky.

—Miss Prudence Moody, who is attending school at Columbia, Mo., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Moody.

—Miss Maude Akins has returned from Nashville.

—The members of the Queen's Daughters will give a ball at the Music Hall Wednesday evening.

McCANN AND STAFFORD IMPROVING

Men Run Over by Train Sustain Severe Internal Injuries.

The condition of Herbert J. McCann and John Stafford, who were run over by a Big Four train at Alton on Sunday night, was reported improved at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday, and the attendants say that both men now have a chance for recovery.

McCann's left arm is cut off and Stafford has lost his right hand. Both men also sustained severe internal injuries.

They were lying asleep on the Big Four tracks in the Alton yards when run down by the Big Four East Alton "plug," in charge of Conductor Charles Miller. Stafford is a plasterer and lives in Alton. McCann lives in East St. Louis and is connected with Nugent's store in St. Louis. McCann had come to Alton on Saturday evening to accept a position with the Boston Store, and was to have started to work yesterday morning.

NEGRO HELD ON MURDER CHARGE.

Coroner's Jury Returns Verdict Against Jacob Love.

The inquest held by Deputy Coroner Streeper yesterday over the body of Sampson Cooper, the Gypsy who was killed in Alton, resulted in Jacob Love being held without bond to answer the charge of having killed Cooper. He will be taken to Edwardsville this morning and placed in jail.

The verdict resulted principally from the testimony of Carl Hall, 17 years old, who said that Cooper had asked him where the Gypsy camp was. According to Hall, Love said, "I will take him there." The boy objected, and he and the gypsy went on together. Two blocks from where this took place Cooper was killed.

DESIRE FOR DRINK COST $100.

Henry Schweickert Fined for Violating Quarantine Law.

Henry Schweickert's thirst, which he could not withstand any longer, cost him a fine of $100 before Justice of the Peace Wangelin at Belleville yesterday on a charge of violating the quarantine law.

Schweickert has been quarantined at his home owing to the illness of his son. Yesterday morning the doctor pronounced the young man well, but forbade any one leaving the house until after the place was fumigated.

Shortly after the doctor departed Schweickert slipped out the rear way while Constable Kaase was guarding the front of the house and hurried to a nearby saloon. As he entered the place there was an exodus, and when Constable Kaase arrived on the scene Schweickert was the sole possessor of the saloon.

Constable Kaase placed the man under arrest, and he was then fumigated, after which he was taken before Justice Wangelin and fined $100 and costs for a violation of the quarantine law.

HARD WORK GETTING JURORS.

Five Murder Cases on Docket in East St. Louis.

Although forty-five talesmen were examined yesterday only three jurors have been selected in the case of the State against Oscar Hall, a negro who is charged with the murder of "Slick" Stewart, also a negro, on July 4 last.

The case was called yesterday morning and after the regular venire was exhausted bailiffs were sent out to bring in business men of the city to serve on the jury. The majority of the jurors were excused because they had conscientious scruples on signing a verdict which carried with it the hanging of the defendant. There are five other murder cases to be tried this week, but it is hardly probable that more than two will be disposed of at the present rate of progress.

ACCEPTS WIFE ON BOND.

Fred Gerhardt Promises Court He Will Reform.

Justice of the Peace James M. Beach yesterday took Mrs. Sophie Gerhardt on the bond of her husband, Fred Gerhardt, whom she had had arrested on a warrant charging wife abandonment. He admitted his guilt to Judge Beach, and the latter held him to the Grand Jury.

Gerhardt pleaded with his wife to drop the case and give him another chance. Finally Mrs. Gerhardt relented and asked Judge Beach to give him another chance. Judge Beach effected this by taking the woman on her husband's bond. It permits her to surrender him at any time should he again act offensively toward her. Judge Beach disposed of the case in this unique manner because of the four children of the couple, who needed the support of a father.

East Side Realty Transfers.

Real estate transfers filed for record in Belleville yesterday were:

Mrs. E. C. McGregor and husband to Mrs. F. A. Long, lot 17, block 2, Kurrus place, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $500.

Mary Darrow and husband to Michael Lipschuetz and wife, lot 75, Bowman subdivision, part block 53, Illinois City, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $562.

Same to same, lot 74, same description; warranty deed, $1,073.

W. T. Effinger to Thomas Price, part lot 61, block D, Security addition, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $300.

James Dauck to George Santhoff, lot 70, Glass & Stookey's addition, Millstadt; warranty deed, $1,600.

Alice A. Jackson to D. B. Webb et al., part mill lot 24, Upper Alton; quitclaim deed, $5.

William Long and wife to L. D. Abbott, lot 13 and part 11, C. D. McCasland's subdivision, block 28, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $1,000.

L. D. Abbott and wife to O. M. & J. A. Clark, same description; warranty deed, $2,000.

Eliz. Boul and husband to Charles Beck, lots 5 and 6, survey of part lot 5 A, survey 273; warranty deed, $325.

William Koebler and wife to G. H. Sauer, part of lot 11, block 2, Dexter's first addition, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $1,550.

Lizzie Powell to Harry Hocker, lot 162, block 16, O'Fallon; warranty deed, $300.

Jacob Schmidt and wife to L. Schwarz, lot 82, Mace's third addition, O'Fallon; warranty deed, $1,000.

J. M. Wilson, by attorney, to S. C. Vandeventer, lots 59 and 60, block 11, Alta Sita subdivision, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $750.

J. C. Jarris and wife to G. A. Blanchard, lot 43½ of Cahokia Common Fields; warranty deed; $1.

Emma E. Ibbotson to J. C. Stoldt, part of lots 2 and 3, block 2, DeHaan & Drum, East St. Louis; warranty deed, $1.

Aug. Thebus to Peter and Gertrude Weidenbach, lot 19, Thorp's subdivision 31, township 1, north range 8 west; warranty deed, $1,160.

William Strauss and wife et al. to C. G. Grossmann, lot 119, Fischer's addition, Smithton; warranty deed; $25.

G. A. Twenhefel and wife to A. E. Krebs, lot 89, First and Highland addition, Belleville; warranty deed, $325.

J. T. Donovan Jr., to W. T. Wuertz, lot 10, block 7, Lansdowne; warranty deed.

Accidentally Shot While Hunting.

While hunting near O'Fallon yesterday Leopold Kitch, a coal miner, was accidentally shot through the leg by a companion, who was shooting at a rabbit. It was feared last evening that the injury might result in the loss of the leg. Doctor F. T. Varney attended the man.

Belleville News Notes.

—The funeral of Mrs. Matilda Eisenmayer will take place to-day.

—Mrs. J. W. Faugh is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harry Sutherland of Grand Rapids, Mich.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Kirkwood fell and broke her arm yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Gust Hartnagel and daughter of Nashville, visited in Belleville yesterday.

—The Horseman's Driving Club will hold their final meet on November 15.

—Mrs. Oscar Liederach of Long Pine, Neb., is the guest of Miss Maude Wangelin.

—George Brandmeyer, a section hand on the L. & N., severely injured his foot while at work yesterday.

—The county jail was fumigated yesterday.

VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS

—Miss Fanny Morgan of Kansas City is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

—W. B. Powell of Utica, Miss., is registered at the Lindell.

—E. R. Nash of Waco, Tex., has rooms at the Planters.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Smith of Kansas City are guests at the Lindell.

—Doctor J. Phillip Knoche of Kansas City is a guest at the Southern.

—W. B. Gano of Dallas, Tex., is registered at the Southern.

—H. H. Page of Nevada, Mo., is a guest at the New St. James.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Carroll of Marine, Ill., have rooms at the Laclede.

—J. C. Cox of San Jose, Cal., is a guest at the New St. James.

—William M. Walker, manager of the Crescent Hotel at Eureka Springs, Ark., is at the Planters for a few days. Mr. Walker was formerly chief clerk at the Planters.

—Mrs. F. W. Lowder of Joplin, Mo., is registered at the Southern.

—Judge John I. Bogy of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., is at the Laclede.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Morrow of West Plains, Mo., are guests at the Laclede.

—Arthur P. Steeger of Kansas City is a guest at the Planters.

—J. W. Osgood of Decatur, Ill., is registered at the Lindell.

—E. E. Lowry of Wellsville, Mo., is at the Laclede.

—C. D. Eby of Hartford, Ark., is a guest at the Planters.

—C. N. Travis of Edwardsville, Ill., is registered at the Moser.

—H. W. Cadle of Sedalia, Mo., is at Horn's Hotel.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hinch of Ste. Genevieve, Mo., are guests at the Laclede.

—F. L. Ferguson of Caruthersville, Mo., is on the guest list at the Laclede.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miller of Leger, Ok., have rooms at the Lindell.

—George A. McFadden of Jefferson City, Mo., is at the St. Nicholas.

—Fred Dutcher of Newton, Kas., is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

—Frank L. Morgan of Decatur, Ill., is at the Madison.

—Fred Spaeth of Dexter, Mo., is at the Moser.

—John H. Wilcox of Mount Vernon, Ill., is a guest at the Madison.

At Chicago Hotels.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 9.—These St. Louis persons registered at hotels here to-day:

Auditorium—J. B. Anderson, D. S. Ball, W. E. Barnes, R. S. Johnson, J. E. Long, R. Milligan, W. A. Swasey, L. T. Tune, C. L. Wilcox.

Palmer House—J. Bruns, Mrs. W. Hayden, E. M. Tate, C. Williams, E. R. Wright.

Saratoga—A. H. Danforth, J. J. Miller, M. C. Tyler.

Sherman House—T. C. Hanson, W. H. Prescott.

Brevoort—D. S. Douglas, C. K. Reifsneider.

Great Northern—C. H. Alexander, H. S. Cantield, J. F. Carroll, R. D. Daniels, H. A. Jeffrey, H. J. Sheridan, S. D. Seaton.

Grand Pacific—J. J. Crowe, B. J. Gleason, J. B. Kelley, M. I. Stuart.

Missourians in New York.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, Nov. 9.—Among the arrivals at the hotels here to-day were the following Missourians:

St. Louis—R. Wells, E. F. Goltra, H. I. Miller and Mrs. Miller, H. O. Fallen and Mrs. Fallen, Waldorf; J. E. Gorman, J. J. Berry, Herald Square; A. Waldheim, G. F. Hartley, Hoffman; S. D. Pierce and Mrs. Pierce, C. Thompson, Imperial; O. J. Matthews, Park Avenue; J. Eggleston, St. Denis; F. Widman, Holland; W. H. Allen, Grand; Miss E. Meyers, Earlington; Mrs. L. E. Gaebler, Cadillac; E. H. Grove, Manhattan; H. Kubbeauss, Union Square; T. Lawson, Continental; A. A. Polany, Broadway Central; J. P. Gruet, Gilsey; Miss C. Forbes, Kensington; L. Toben, Navarre.

Kansas City—H. H. Hudson, Jr., Marlborough; G. E. Nowlen, St. Denis.

St. Joseph—Mrs. J. H. Johnston, Miss M. H. Dinnicutt, Holland.

FOUR SUITS FOR DIVORCE.

Mrs. Bruenings Says Husband Kicked Her Down Stairs.

Lucy C. Bruening, in her suit for divorce, begun in the Circuit Court yesterday, said her husband, George, kicked her down stairs, broke the furniture and dishes and threatened to kill her if she paid the board of their children in a home at Webster Groves. They were married in St. Louis March 6, 1889, and separated November 1, 1901. She asks for the custody of their five children.

Rose C. Cooper, one of three other applicants for divorce yesterday, avers that her husband, James, abused her, failed to support her and wasted his money playing poker. They were married April 7, 1900, and separated October 10, 1901.

Anna M. Overstreet avers that her husband, Lee, drank and was jealous. They were married in St. Louis September 26, 1894, and separated September 11. She asks for the custody of their child and the restoration of her maiden name, Schneider.

Hattie Robinson charges that her husband, William, deserted her and failed to support her. They were married in St. Louis March 21, 1892, and separated in 1894.

Doctor Harris to Lecture.

Doctor D. L. Harris of this city will give a talk under the auspices of the Sanitary Committee of the Civic Improvement League this evening at the North Broadway Social Settlement, No. 1229 North Broadway. The subject will be the care of children.

DESPONDENT PORTRAIT PAINTER ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

James P. Goldsmith Writes Notes to Wife and Father Before Drinking Aconite.

JAMES P. GOLDSMITH.
Portrait painter who attempted suicide by swallowing aconite.

After writing a note to his wife, in which he made the statement that he was a burden to her, James P. Goldsmith, a portrait painter, living at No. 3310 Pine street, swallowed the contents of a small bottle of aconite yesterday afternoon.

The poison was taken in the room where Goldsmith lived with his wife and one small child. Mrs. Goldsmith found her husband lying on the floor in a semiconscious condition shortly after he had swallowed the aconite.

She gave the alarm and neighbors summoned an ambulance. Doctor Blake, who lives close by, was called in and worked with Goldsmith while the ambulance was on the way to the house.

He accompanied the ambulance to the City Hospital and administered antidotes on the way.

When the hospital was reached Goldsmith was barely conscious. The stomach pump was applied and he partly revived. Last night he was in a precarious condition, but the hospital physicians believe he may possibly recover.

Mrs. Mamie Goldsmith, wife of the patient, told the police that her husband had been drinking heavily for two or three weeks and had not on this account been able to work, although he had over $300 worth of work in his studio awaiting completion. She also said that she had remonstrated with him about his conduct and that this was probably the cause of an allusion in one of the notes he wrote regarding his being a burden to her.

Before taking the aconite Goldsmith wrote two notes. One of them read:

Dear Father, Maurice and Willie—This is the end of James. For God's sake take care of my baby. I have told them good-by. Mamie can tell you the rest of the story. My life is ended. God bless you all.

The other note was addressed to his wife. It read:

Dear Mamie—This is all I can do. You say I am a burden on you, and we will have to make some change. I make the change. Pray to God for my soul. If you ever want anything, write Maurice or Willie. God bless you. It's all my fault, I expect. I have tried hard to do what I thought right. Send me to the morgue and notify Maurice and Willie. JAMES.

Goldsmith had talent as a portrait painter, and the work in his studio showed unusual ability. According to those who knew him he seemed unable to refrain from drinking or of ending the protracted spree that he had been on for three weeks.

MITCHELL DENIES RUMOR OF POSITION IN CABINET.

Labor Leader Knows Nothing About Cut-and-Dried Report That He Will Succeed Cortelyou.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 9.—The dispatch from Pittsburg, Pa., which said that John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers' Union, will not be a candidate for re-election to that office, but will instead become a member of the Cabinet of President Roosevelt in the event of his election, to succeed George B. Cortelyou, who will resume his former position as private secretary to the President, was shown Mr. Mitchell at the Revere House to-day.

"I saw this clipping this morning," said he, "but it is all news to me. I know absolutely nothing about it. Whoever is responsible for the story has got it all cut and dried down to the last detail, hasn't he? There is not a bit of truth in it, so far as I am concerned, and that is all I can say."

None of the other labor leaders at the Revere House placed much faith in the report, although each expressed his belief that Mr. Mitchell would honor any Cabinet position.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY TO PROBE BRIBERY CHARGE.

Inquisitorial Body to Take Up Allegation Nebraska Senator Sold Postmastership for $1,500

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 9.—The Federal Grand Jury, which convened here to-day, will investigate the charge that a certain Senator sold a certain postmastership in Nebraska for $1,500.

Both the Senator and the Postmaster emphatically deny that a money consideration was involved in the appointment and insist that they are glad the Grand Jury is to investigate the charge, since it will not only establish the Senator's innocence, but will reveal the source and cause of the charge. The preceding Postmaster, who prefers the charge against the Senator, declines to discuss the matter for publication, saying he will reserve his statement before the Grand Jury.

OFFICIAL WORLD'S FAIR TUNE

Author of "Hiawatha" Dedicates New Piece to Charles H. Huttig.

Charles N. Daniels, the composer of "Hiawatha," has written a new march, entitled "A Deed of the Pen," which is to be the official music composition of the World's Fair.

"A Deed of the Pen" was so named at the suggestion of James J. Hannerty of the Century Theater, and it is commemorative of the Louisiana Purchase. The piece has been dedicated to Charles H. Huttig, president of the Third National Bank, and one of the Vice Presidents of the World's Fair. Mr. Daniels met Mr. Huttig and Mr. Hannerty at the Southern Hotel last night and played the new march for them.

KEPT THEIR WEDDING SECRET.

Cairo Couple Were Married at Union City, October 21.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 9.—It leaked out to-day through a friend that Miss Mae Steagala and Mr. Charles Hodge of this city had eloped to Union City, Tenn., on October 21. The young couple returned to Cairo, went to their respective homes and succeeded in keeping their marriage a secret from their parents until to-day, when it became known through a girl friend of Miss Steagala's.

Northern Securities Directors.

New York, Nov. 9.—The shareholders of the Northern Securities Company held their annual meeting in Hoboken to-day and re-elected five directors for a term of three years. Those re-elected are: Samuel Thorne, Jacob H. Schiff, James Stillman, W. P. Clough and George C. Clark. No other business was transacted.

Vice President Weaver Resigns.

It is reported that Henry E. Weaver, founder and vice president of the Weaver Coal and Coke Company, with offices both here and in Chicago, has resigned. C. S. Bickett is said to be his successor. John W. Gates is understood to have gained the controlling interest in the company about two months ago. The change will not affect the local offices.

Six Converts During Revival.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Grayville, Ill., Nov. 9.—The revival meetings at the Christian Church closed last night. Six persons joined the church during the meetings, which were conducted by Pastor Eller C. Smith.

Tribesmen Invade Cape Colony.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—The German Consul at Cape Town telegraphs that the Bondelzwarts tribesmen have invaded Cape Colony and have had an encounter with the Cape police.

Lynched for Attempted Assault.

Ragland, Ala., Nov. 9.—A report has reached here from Coal City that a negro named Charles Young was lynched near there Saturday for attempted assault on Mrs. Barbour, a white woman.

TASTE OF PRISON LIFE.

Spend Hour in "Cage" for Refusing to Answer Questions.

George Harris and Frank Cables, employes of the Donovan Commission Company, spent an hour in the cage of the City Jail yesterday afternoon by order of Judge Daniel G. Taylor, because they had refused to answer questions put them in the Grand Jury room.

The witnesses were let out of the cage at 5 o'clock and taken before Judge Taylor. When asked for their reasons for not answering the questions, the witnesses replied that it was on the ground of self incrimination.

Judge Taylor advised the witnesses that they had no right to refuse to answer questions if their answers would tend to incriminate others, but told them that they might decline to answer if by doing so they would lay themselves liable to prosecution.

The court then excused the witnesses until 2 o'clock this afternoon, instructing them to think well over the matter and come back to-day prepared to answer one way or the other.

Other witnesses called to testify in relation to the Donovan Commission Company's affairs were Frank Fletcher, John Watson and Joseph Holly. They will also appear again this afternoon. All are employed by the Donovan Commission Company.

THE WEATHER.

Official Forecast Announced for To-Day and To-Morrow.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday:

Missouri—Fair Tuesday, with colder in western and southern portions. Probably rain on Wednesday.

Illinois—Fair and colder Tuesday. Wednesday, rain; high to brisk north winds.

Eastern Texas—Cooler Tuesday, with fair in northern and showers in southern portions. Wednesday, fair; fresh north winds.

Western Texas, Oklahoma and Indian Territory—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Arkansas—Partly cloudy and cooler Tuesday. Wednesday, fair and warmer.

Nebraska and Kansas—Fair Tuesday. Rain and colder Wednesday.

Iowa—Fair Tuesday. Rain Wednesday.

Local Report.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 9, 1903.

	7 a. m.	7 p. m.
Barometer, inches	30.06	30.1
Temperature, degrees	46	52
Humidity, per cent	75	72
Direction of wind	S	NW
Velocity of wind	10	15
Precipitation, inches	..	*

Weather at 7 a. m., clear; at 7 p. m., clear. Maximum temperature, 66; minimum temperature, 45. Stage of river 7 a. m., 15.2.

EDWARD H. BOWIE,
Local Forecaster.

Government Report.

Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.—Meteorological observations received at St. Louis, November 9, 1903, at 8:30 p. m. local time and 8 p. m. seventy-fifth meridian time. Observations made at the same moment of time at all stations.

Stations.	Dir.	Tp.	Mx.	Rain.	Weather.
Abilene	N	60	64	....	Cloudy
Amarillo	SE	44	56	....	Clear
Atlanta	SE	54	62	....	Clear
Bismack	S	34	44	....	Cloudy
Buffalo	S	54	56	....	Clear
Charlotte	S	50	56	....	Clear
Chattanooga	S	50	60	....	Clear
Cincinnati	SE	54	64	....	Clear
Cleveland	SE	50	60	....	Clear
Columbus	SW	52	62	....	Clear
Cairo	S	64	64	....	Cloudy
Calgary	SW	22	42	....	Pt.cloudy
Cheyenne	W	34	40	....	Clear
Concordia	S	40	52	....	Clear
Duluth	NW	32	46	.12	Snow
Dubuque	S	38	56	*	Cloudy
Davenport	W	40	58	....	Clear
Des Moines	W	38	54	*	Clear
Denver	SW	46	50	....	Clear
Dodge City	SE	42	54	....	Clear
El Paso	W	44	72	....	Cloudy
Fort Smith	NW	60	62	....	Cloudy
Galveston	SE	68	74	....	Clear
Grand Junction	NW	42	48	....	Pt.cloudy
Huron	W	34	40	.08	Clear
Havre	SW	44	48	....	Pt.cloudy
Helena	SW	32	38	*	Snow
Indianapolis	S	58	64	.10	Clear
Jacksonville	N	60	68	.10	Clear
Kansas City	NW	46	58	....	Clear
Little Rock	W	66	72	....	C.cloudy
Louisville	S	56	54	....	Clear
Moontgomery	W	58	64	....	Clear
Memphis	S	64	68	....	Clear
Marquette	S	50	56	....	Clear
Moodena	SW	46	56	....	Clear
New York	SW	52	58	....	Clear
Norfolk	SE	50	60	....	Clear
New Orleans	SE	64	70	....	Clear
Nashville	S	54	62	....	Clear
North Platte	S	40	50	....	Clear
Omaha	W	42	46	....	Clear
Oklahoma	N	50	58	....	Clear
Philadelphia	S	48	58	....	Clear
Pastline	S	68	72	....	Cloudy
Pittsburg	W	50	64	....	Clear
Parkersburg	S	46	60	....	Clear
Pueblo	W	40	48	....	Clear
Q'Appelle	SE	30	38	.02	Snow
Rapid City	S	48	50	....	Cloudy
St. Paul	NW	34	48	.14	Cloudy
Shreveport	SW	70	76	....	Clear
Springfield, Ill.	SW	48	64	....	Clear
St. Louis	NW	52	66	*	Clear
Springfield, Mo.	NW	50	58	....	Clear
Salt Lake	SE	42	52	....	Clear
Santa Fe	SE	42	52	....	Clear
San Antonio	E	72	78	....	Clear
Vicksburg	W	66	72	....	Clear
Valentine	S	36	46	....	Clear
Washington	SE	44	58	....	Clear
Wichita	N	48	54	....	Clear

*Precipitation inappreciable.

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DENIES JOINS'S PETITION.

Supreme Court Renders Decision in Citizenship Case.

Washington, Nov. 9.—The Supreme Court of the United States to-day denied the petition of U. S. Joins for a writ of prohibition forbidding the Citizenship Court of Indian Territory to review the decrees of the United States courts of that Territory granting citizenship to applicants for that privilege in the Choctaw and Chickasaw Nation.

The case was a test one, and the result affects several thousand persons who have been granted citizenship by the Federal courts.

No Attempt at Train Hold-Up.

Chicago, Nov. 9.—General Manager C. Goodnow of the Chicago and Alton Railway denied that there had been any attempt to hold up a passenger train near Roodhouse, Ill. He said the report of an attempted robbery is entirely without foundation.

CRANE'S "THE SPENDERS" MAKES GOOD ENTERTAINMENT.

MISS LUCILLE FLAVEN.
Who plays the chief feminine part in "The Spenders."

Mr. Crane was seen last night in E. E. Rose's "adaptation" of Harry Leon Wilson's breezy, clever and fairly popular novel, "The Spenders." It is the story of how numerous and large bales of Western money were spent in the East, not inartistically, and with results.

The spenders were an old grandfather, impersonated by Mr. Crane, and the old grandfather's grandson, who, in the natural order of events, of course, was young.

It came to pass that this young man, the heir of many millions and several mines, and the idol of his grandfather, was in New York at a time when a very beautiful girl, acted to the very life by the beautiful Miss Lucille Flaven, was thrown from—not out of—a hansom cab. As luck and the novelist would have it she was thrown into the young man's arms; and, as she afterwards explained to her aunt, she liked it.

Needless to say he fell straightway in love with his lovely burden, and she with him. But, perverse as it may seem, he returned to the West without even learning her name and address.

All this had taken place before the play opens. The curtain rises upon Skipalap Mountain, where the mines are located, and the old grandfather is discovered returning to his rich diggings from a spring prospecting tour. He loves the mountains—and as Crane portrays him he is a sentimental, buoyant, breezy old chap, living in a gale of boyish enthusiasm. His grandson soon appears, and so does the girl; the latter quite by accident, having "happened" there with a party of tourists.

The girl and the grandson make love, and he follows her to the East, thereby breaking his promise to his doting grandfather, who despises the stuffy atmosphere of that effete section, and wishes the grandson to stay with him in the West and "make something out of himself."

Old Peter Bines is quite broken-hearted when he finds that young Peter has broken his word, and old Peter follows young Peter to Long Island, where they meet at a house party, in the second act. Numerous love complications ensue.

There is a rather villainous rival in the person of Rulon Shepler, played by John Flood. And there is a very obdurate father of the sweet girl—he is an Eastern type, directly contrasting with old Peter, and always clashing with him.

This old Easterner is excellently done by George Devere. The old Easterner is allied with the villainous rival against the two Peters, grandfather and grandson. And there you have the central motive of the play.

A tremendous deal in stocks evolves out of the situation, in which deal the two Peters, however, are pitted against each other. It is the old man's plan to break the young one, so that the broken youth may be induced to return to the West and settle down; and the old man so contrives it that he shall win what the young one loses; intending, of course, to restore the young one's losses. Here's where some of the spending comes in; millions change hands in less time than it takes to relate it, and old Peter gains his point and the young man's money.

At the conclusion of the third act the young man appears to have a very slim chance of winning the girl. Old Peter has been playing at cross purposes with himself; he didn't know that when he beat the young man on Wall street he had ruined the young man's chances in love as well—at least ruined them temporarily. The old man's remorse over his stumbling folly here is most pathetic. How he rights matters, in the fourth act, before returning home with his grandson, is the best of the play. The villain and the old Yankee are foiled with neatness and dispatch.

It is a good, moving play, nothing wonderful from the standpoint of technique, but with plenty of life and interest for the audience and a number of genuine little thrills. As a vehicle for Crane, it is exceptionally well chosen, affording him an opportunity for every shade of comedy and for rare little passages of pathos. Now he is the devilish, mischievous old boy; again he is the shrewd, common-sense, witty Westerner, and again he is the dear old doting fellow.

The author and playwright have given him much good material in the shape of homely phil