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BIG SUM AWARDED EUROPEAN HEIRS.

Court Finds That $119,780.36 Is Due Representatives of Uranie Cuendet From Son's Estate.

Circuit Judge Hough yesterday ordered a decree that William C. Richardson, representing the heirs of Uranie Cuendet, is entitled to recover from the estate of Eugene J. Cuendet, son of Uranie Cuendet, $119,780.36.

Judge Hough also made an order construing the interests which the parties to the litigation, which resulted in the decree, have in certain real estate.

The litigation, which was begun in 1896, was for an accounting of the interest of Uranie Cuendet in the estate of her brother, Eugene Jaccard, who died September 4, 1871.

He left no children and his wife, Henrietta, and his sister, Uranie Cuendet, inherited his property in equal interests. His nephew, Eugene J. Cuendet, had been his partner in the jewelry business.

Uranie Cuendet lived in Ste. Croix, Switzerland. She assigned her interest in her brother's estate to her son, Eugene J. Cuendet, in trust.

He and Mrs. Jaccard had charge of the estate. Mrs. Jaccard died April 30, 1879. Eugene J. Cuendet visited Ste. Croix and obtained his mother's receipt for 75,000 francs.

After her death her heirs, most of whom reside in Europe, had the proceeding for an accounting begun. Eugene J. Jaccard having died, the litigation was conducted against his estate. Suit was brought in the name of William C. Richardson, who was then Public Administrator.

The matter was referred to a referee. The testimony comprises 990 pages of typewritten matter. The amount found to be due the heirs of Mrs. Cuendet includes interest.

The parties to the suit are William C. Richardson, in charge of the estate of Uranie Cuendet; Helen Montaedon, Louis Cuendet, Gaston Cuendet, Eugene Cuendet, Henrietta Cuendet, Eliza Cuendet; Louisa Jaccard, wife of Paul Jaccard, and Faunie Couleri, wife of Ferdinand Couleri, against Thomas D. Witt, executor under the will of Eugene J. Cuendet; Eugene R. Cuendet, administrator of the estate of his father, Eugene J. Cuendet, for the purpose of the suit; Reid Northrop, guardian and curator of Eugene R. Cuendet and his trustee; Eugene R. Cuendet, Elise Guye, Anne Guye, Alice Guye; Lillie Willing and her husband, J. M. Willing; Adele Riesenberg and her husband, H. Riesenberg; Elisha H. Gregory, Jr., executor under the will of Susanne E. Sells, and Sara Sells Gregory and her husband, Elisha H. Gregory.

The decree in regard to the real estate recites that any title which Sara Sells Gregory, Elisha H. Gregory, Jr., Eugene R. Cuendet, Reid Northrop, Elise Guye, Anne Guye, Alice Guye, Lillie Willing and Adele Riesenberg, hold be divested from them and vested in the Mississippi Valley Trust Company, as trustee for the plaintiffs, and Eugene R. Cuendet, who are heirs at law of Uranie Cuendet.

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DIAMOND FOR POLICE CAPTAIN

Residents Remember Former Chief of the Fifth District.

A surprise reception was tendered to Michael O'Malley, Captain of the Tenth Police District, who was recently transferred from the Fifth District, last night by many residents of his old district at O'Connell Hall, corner of Easton and Marcus avenues. A diamond ring was given to him as a mark of esteem.

When he was called to the hall it was filled by his friends in his former district. Harry B. Hawes, president of the Police Board, made the presentation speech. A vocal and musical programme had been prepared by Edmond C. Crowe.

Among the delegation of residents from the Fifth District were Peter Walsh, Henry Gauff, John Soy, John O'Connor and Henry Lipke.

Woman's Nightmare

No woman's happiness can be complete without children; it is her nature to love and want them as much so as it is to love the beautiful and pure. The critical ordeal through which the expectant mother must pass, however, is so fraught with dread, pain, suffering and danger, that the very thought of it fills her with apprehension and horror. There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either painful or dangerous. The use of **Mother's Friend** so prepares the system for the coming event that it is safely passed without any danger. This great and wonderful remedy is always applied externally, and has carried thousands of women through the trying crisis without suffering.

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COURT OVERRULES RETRIAL MOTION.

Attorneys for Barrett, Dolan and Garrett Sue for Arrest of Sentence.

MURPHY INDICTMENT QUASHED

Trial of North, Charged With Rifling the Mail, to Be Heard in Federal Court.

Judge Adams, in the United States District Court yesterday morning, overruled the motion for a new trial for Thomas E. Barrett, John P. Dolan and Frank Garrett, convicted Saturday of naturalization frauds.

Attorney Thomas J. Rowe then filed a motion in arrest of judgment, which Judge Adams announced would be passed upon this morning. If this motion is decided adversely to defendants, sentence will probably be passed upon Dolan and Garrett.

Their attorneys will then sue out a writ of error to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, and an appeal bond will be required. If given, the defendants will be released until the upper court passes upon the action of the lower court.

Upon the release of Barrett, Dolan and Garrett, on bond, their attorneys agreed to prepare the writ as quickly as possible in order that there should be no delay in presenting the case on appeal to the higher court.

As the United States Circuit Court of Appeals meets in St. Louis December 6, sufficient time will not be had to complete the record for consideration of the court at this term. It will, accordingly, be necessary to hear the case at the May term of the court, which meets in St. Paul.

Judge Adams will probably, at the request of District Attorney Dyer, defer sentencing Thomas E. Barrett until after the trial of the cases in which he is joined as a defendant with Al W. Morrow.

The points in the motion had been argued by attorneys during the trial, and Judge Adams in overruling the motion said that he had followed the law and precedents in his ruling and saw no reason for changing his opinion.

Barrett, Dolan and Garrett were all in court at 10 o'clock, and they were instructed by Judge Adams, after he had overruled the motion for a new trial, to appear in court to-day at 10 o'clock, when the motion in arrest of judgment will be passed upon.

DISMISSES INDICTMENTS.

District Attorney Dyer, during the morning session of court, dismissed the two indictments which the Federal Grand Jury in the early part of the investigation last spring found against John H. Murphy, Clerk of the St. Louis Court of Appeals.

Colonel Dyer stated that the Grand Jury had found false certificates of naturalization with the seal of the court and Murphy's signature attached, and before it was ascertained that they had been taken from Murphy's desk without his knowledge the indictments had been returned.

The jury was satisfied, Colonel Dyer said, that Murphy was innocent of any wrongdoing, and that there was no foundation for the indictment. He accordingly entered a nolle pros in both cases.

Colonel Dyer also entered a nolle pros. in all counts of the indictments against Barrett, Dolan and Garrett upon which the jury disagreed. This does away with the possible contention in the upper court that the case has not been entirely disposed of, and places the issue clearly on the two counts on which the men were found guilty.

The case of Arthur L. North, charged with rifling letters, comes up for trial at 10 o'clock this morning. North was a mail clerk, running between St. Louis and Kansas City, at the time the offense is alleged to have been committed. Letters containing money had been missed for many weeks, and Inspectors Bunson and Martin and Chief Clerk Allmon arrested North for the offense in May.

A dramatic incident occurred in the United States District Court last May, when North was arraigned with the understanding that he would enter a plea of guilty.

When Judge Amidon, who was sitting while Judge Adams was in Hannibal, put the usual question, "Are you guilty or not guilty?" North replied, "My plea is guilty," intimating that the plea was entered because he had been advised to enter it, and that he was not really guilty.

Judge Amidon refused to receive the plea under the circumstances and ordered a plea of not guilty entered. The trial of the case was deferred to this term of the court. North is prominently connected both in the city and State.

MANY PROFESS THEIR FAITH.

Respond to Invitation Extended by Evangelist Yatman.

Interest in the revival meeting being conducted by C. H. Yatman at the Union M. E. Church showed no signs of abatement last night.

The subject of the sermon was "Sunrise From the Roof of the World." Mr. Yatman believes that revival work should not be made an appeal to the emotions. He used the comparative size of the Himalaya Mountains and the foothills to illustrate the vastness of the Christian religion and the greatness of God's mercy and love.

Mr. Yatman told of seeing the sun rise on "the roof of the world" and of seeing Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world. He asked all those in the congregation who desired to do some special work for religion to come forward and stand about the altar. So many responded that the space about the altar and the aisles leading to it were filled.

The subject of the sermon to-night will be "Daniel in the Lion's Den."

The revival will continue during the week.

DIED ON RAILWAY TRAIN.

Kidney Disease Caused Death of Frank W. Sipple.

Frank W. Sipple of St. Joseph Mo., a former resident of St. Louis, died on a Chicago and Alton train near Kansas City, yesterday morning, from acute disease of the kidneys.

Mr. Sipple was a son of W. C. Sipple and a brother of W. C. Sipple, Jr., of this city. He was connected with the Sipple Adjustment Company. At the time of his death he was on his way to a Southern sanitarium.

W. C. Sipple, Jr., departed last night for St. Joseph to attend the funeral, which takes place to-day.

CLAP-TRAP AND SOME FUN IN THE NEW OLYMPIC PLAY.

Through the new Fitch play runs a single streak which is real, and that is the part of the jealous bride, "The Girl With the Green Eyes." The rest of the play is claptrap, a good deal of it amusing, all of it frothy. Clara Bloodgood plays the bride, genuinely. Miss Bloodgood begins her appeal to the audience very shortly after the curtain rises. The wedding has just taken place, and she is surrounded by her bridesmaids and the groom.

The bridesmaids agree to kiss the groom, and the green comes into her eyes; her jealousy is abruptly but subtly revealed. "You must not kiss them," she whispers to him; and he doesn't.

The situations are all built around this bride in such a manner as to evoke her jealousy. At the outset you gather that her brother, Geoffrey, has married clandestinely one of the bridesmaids—and, bald and horrible to relate, that he is a bigamist, having married, during a college spree, a lady's maid. It seems bald enough on the stage—a most audacious piece of Fitchiness.

The playwright, in an inexplicable manner, involves the husband of the girl with the green eyes in an attempt to right matters for his young brother-in-law bigamist. And just as the groom is about to depart on his honeymoon with the jealous bride she observes him in close and confidential conversation with a bridesmaid, who is the brother's second victim—and the jealous bride flashes a green-eyed signal to the audience. Could anything be more absurd?

Act II finds bride and groom at Rome in the Vatican, admiring the Apollo Belvidere. And, by the way, at the expense of digression, here is a claptrap scene that reminds you of some vaudeville sketch of the remotest antiquity. The doting bride admires the statue only relatively—there are other forms she admires more. "I don't quite understand you," says the groom. "I'll explain," she says. "I am reminded of Mrs. Perkins, who was asked how she liked Apollo's figure, and she said: 'Oh, very well, but I prefer Perkins's.'" The modest groom laughed, and so did the audience. The groom's laugh was pardonable, for the playwright exacted it of him.

The marvelous facility with which Mr. Fitch transports a whole troop of characters over the sea in the wake of the bride and groom is worth mention. Somehow they are made to appear in the Vatican. Brother's wretched wife No. 2 comes in—the green-eyed lady has just stepped out and when she returns find husband in earnest conversation with No. 2. More jealousy and a frigidity almost amounting to a quarrel ensues between the women. Quarrels frequently ensue between bride and groom.

From this time on the groom carries on a correspondence with unfortunate No. 2. Mrs. Green-eyes is kept in ignorance of the nature of it and is thus afforded more opportunities for explosive and hysterical jealousies. Be it said to her credit, or, rather, Miss Bloodgood's, she never misses an opportunity. Mr. Husband by this time, it may be well imagined, is feeling insulted and injured by the unhappy woman's openly expressed suspicions and jealousies.

He is playing the hero, trying to get other people out of trouble, and he doesn't like the green pyrotechnics a little bit. And he makes free to say so, with the result always that the woman melts with contrition, confesses her humiliating weakness and pleads for forgiveness, promising never to even feel jealous again.

Act 3 finds bride and groom back again in New York, the bigamist's ridiculous plight having necessitated their sudden return. Mrs. Green-eyes' jealousy flares up outrageously here, because unhappy No. 2, of whom she is principally suspicious, returns likewise suddenly to New York, just as if she had followed Mr. Groom—or Mr. Green-eyes, if you prefer; although he is rather true blue than otherwise and doesn't deserve an ugly title. Naturally the climax follows a tremendous outburst.

Everybody confronts everybody else, the truth is finally explained, the husband is exonerated—and disgusted—and the poor Green-Eyes is humiliated, broken-hearted and bent on suicide. Mr. Husband flings her from him, just as contemptuously as they do it at Havlin's, and she falls against the door, "all out."

Really, when you come to set it on paper this Fitch play grows in absurdity. Nevertheless, to repeat, there is a part of it which is real. The jealous woman's character is developed artfully.

There is consistency in the character; consistency in its inconsistency. And, odd though it may seem, you carry away from the play a tremendous liking for the insane little woman. When she is good she is so very, very good that you try to forget that she was ever "horrid." Perhaps you like her solely because she was played by a wondrously magnetic, winsome, finished actress.

There are numerous clever people in the cast. John Austin gives the husband to perfection. Rose Flynn, a St. Louis girl and former pupil of Guy Lindsley's, played the wife No. 2 with exceeding cleverness. Jessie Busley deserves special mention for the naturalness in which she did her breezy part. Edith Taliaferro's Susie was well done.

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McIntyre and Heath, of Georgia minstrel fame, are appearing in an old but most amusing farce, "Doctor Breakabones," at the Columbia. McIntyre impersonates the forward negro and Heath the credulous, easily imposed-upon "coon." After an opening dialogue in which McIntyre indulges in his favorite pastime of getting the best of his partner, they apply for positions as hospital servants and are employed.

Then the fun begins. Both mokes become confused, mix the patients' medicines and complicate matters generally. These comedians would lend sprightliness to any minstrel organization, and the wonder is that Dockstader has not induced them to forsake vaudeville long ago.

Elizabeth Murray, the singing comedienne, gives new songs and tells some jokes by way of variety. Every feature of her specialty is so original that the audience is moved to an expression of pleasure.

The Melani Trio sings in Italian, to the accompaniment of violin and guitar. Moore and Littlefield offer a novel little comedy called "Change Your Act," in which they get a glimpse of theatrical life from the other side of the footlights. Edward Reynard, the ventriloquist; Alburtus and Millar, cornet soloists; Manley and Rose, jesters; Conners and Conners, coon shouters; Dorothy Kenton, banjoist; the Tanakas, Japanese jugglers, and Merian's dogs round out the programme.

CLARA BLOODGOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Lake had some young girls with them.

Judge and Mrs. Daniel G. Taylor sat with friends in the left parquet.

Charles Pope O'Fallon brought Mrs. William H. Scudder.

Mr. and Mrs. Adiel Sherwood, Miss Byrd Jourdan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Walker were in the parquet.

Mrs. E. Scherck of New Orleans was the guest of her son, Doctor Scherck and Mrs. Scherk. Mrs. Scherck, Jr., wore champagne voile.

Miss Stella Wade, in lavender cloth and fringes, and her guest, Miss McCann, in white, came with Messrs. Logan and Samuel. They arrived late.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dula had Mrs. Sel Edgar with them.

Doctor and Mrs. John Young Brown had parquet seats; Mrs. Brown wearing pastelle blue voile, with wide insertions of white lace.

Mr. and Mrs. Bissell Ware were in the rear parquet near Jerome Schotten.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walton Florsheim were in the left rear circle, near Mr. and Mrs. Ben Griesedieck.

CORONER BEGINS M'DONALD INQUEST

Trend of Testimony Seems to Confirm Furlong's Plea of Self-Defense.

CHORUS GIRLS ON THE STAND.

Henry Ramey, Jr., Admits He Had a Knife Out to Use It When the St. Louis Man Drew His Revolver.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 16.—The inquest on the body of Irving McDonald, the millionaire's son who was killed by Joseph Furlong in the Hotel Metropole Sunday morning, was begun in Circuit Courtroom No. 2 to-night. Nearly a dozen witnesses were examined.

The trend of the testimony was to the effect that the shooting was in self-defense. Several witnesses, among them William Ross, the elevator boy, testified that Henry Ramey, Jr., one of the party with McDonald, had a knife out, and would have cut Furlong had it not been for Furlong's revolver.

Ross said that the Ramey party had Furlong down at one time and were beating and kicking him. Ramey admitted on the stand that he had his knife out, "ready for business," and asserted that he would have liked to use it on Furlong.

Grace Holt and Mrs. Marie Myrick, chorus girls in "The Governor's Son" company, who were with Furlong and William Lynch when Ramey, McDonald and their friends tried to take the women away from them, reiterated the story told last night at 11 o'clock.

The inquest adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow forenoon on account of the absence of one or two minor witnesses.

FURLONG'S STATEMENT.

Furlong consented this evening for the first time to make a statement. He said:

"Mr. Lynch, who travels for the Murphy Varnish Company; Mr. Dugan, who travels for the Valentine Varnish Company, and I had been together during Saturday afternoon and had attended the performance of "The Governor's Son" at the Lyceum.

"After the show, Mr. Lynch and I took Miss Holt and Mrs. Myrick to supper at the Schlitz. I had not been introduced to Mr. McDonald nor any of his companions.

"When Mr. Lynch and I and the ladies left the cafe we went west on Edmond street and were followed by this crowd."

Here young Furlong broke down completely.

"Oh, if I could only live that night over," he moaned. "Why, I would give everything I ever expect to have in this world if it had not occurred. I would rather be dead this minute than where I am."

Continuing he said:

"Mr. McDonald, Mr. Vannatta, Mr. Ramey and whoever was with them jostled Mr. Lynch and me on the street, and also the ladies.

"They succeeded once in getting Miss Holt clear away from Mr. Lynch. Neither Mr. Lynch nor myself was looking for trouble of any kind, and we stood this treatment. All had been drinking.

"At the hotel the crowd went up in the elevator with us. Mr. Lynch left us and went to his room for the night, and I saw him no more until the shooting."

CLASSMATES SHOCKED.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 16.—Classmates of Irving McDonald of St. Joseph, Mo., who was graduated from Yale in the class of 1903, were shocked to receive the news of his tragic death at St. Joseph yesterday. McDonald was a "hale fellow well met," but quiet and popular in college. He was known as "McTurk" among his fellows. He won a place among the junior appointment honor men for his scholarship rank. He was a member of the Zeta Psi fraternity.

Dry Goods.

New York, Nov. 16.—Buying of dry goods has been affected to a considerable extent by the weather, which has been far from inspiriting. A small number of buyers have been in the market, and mail orders, as well as store business, have been conducted on a very conservative basis. Local jobbers report an indifferent business.

Flaxseed Quotations.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 16.—Flaxseed was strong, but without trading. May was 98c bid and Dec. 99c bid; No. 1 Northwestern was $1 bid and No. 1 $2c bid. Receipts were 14 cars here, 94 at Minneapolis and 218 at Duluth.

CULTURED AUDIENCE GREETS CLARA BLOODGOOD.

Society went to see Clara Bloodgood last night at the Olympic in very goodly numbers.

A party of debutantes and their escorts was in the second row, chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Clarkson Potter. Miss Julia Maffit, Miss Ethel Gamble, Miss Nannie Lee, Miss Lily Lambert, Miss Frances Wickham and Messrs. Jim Wear, Arthur Wear, James Reynolds and John Gamble.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Benoist came with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hebard. Mrs. Benoist wore white lace, with a cream-colored cloth cloak.

Charles Wiggins escorted his sister, Mrs. Saunders Foster, and Mrs. Daniel Houser. Mrs. Foster wore gray with strings of coral. Mrs. Houser was in ecru and white. Mr. Houser, Mrs. Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Ashley D. Scott joined the party later.

Mrs. Pierre Chouteau, in black painted chiffon and ecru lace, and Miss Chouteau, in pale blue crepe, with a white ostrich boa, sat in the front circle.

Miss Scanlan and George Weitzel came with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Walker, sitting near Miss Carroll West. Miss Whitaker, Daniel Kirby and Ralph McKittrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Grayson were in the circle.

Louis C. Werner joined the Wiggins party as the curtain rose.

Miss Adele Hart, in ecru velvet, sat with friends in the front parquet, near Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cook and M. B. Miltenberger.

Miss Ruth Spencer, Miss Louise Espenschied, Mrs. John Schroers and Mrs. Harris were in the audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gardner and Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Preetorius came together, sitting near Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rumsey.

Mrs. Updike, Miss Emma Updike and Mr. Updike sat together.

Miss Mildred Stickney and Miss Wickham came with Stewart Stickney and Allen West.

Mr. and Mrs. Stribling were in the left parquet, Mrs. Stribling simply gowned in black. Mr. and Mrs. John McNair were across the aisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson had Mrs. Peter Wilson with them. Mrs. Thompson wore white lace and a blue plumed hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nugent had Mrs. Dan Nugent with them in the front circle.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mesker were in the front circle, Mrs. Mesker wearing pale blue voile and much white and ecru lace.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bond Lambert were in the second row.

RUSSIAN LEGIONS THREATEN CHINA.

Government Still Hurrying Its Fighting Men From Moscow to the Far East.

JAPAN SUSPECTS ENGLAND.

Attitude in Manchuria Leads to Belief That British Government Is Unfaithful to Its Recently Formed Alliance.

Moscow, Nov. 16.—The Russian military reoccupation of Mukden, Manchuria, has caused such tension and has aroused such an aggressive attitude on the part of China that the continued dispatch of troops to the far East is now said to be directed against China, despite the pacific turn of the Russo-Japanese dispute.

Troops totaling 250,000 were ordered to the far East when hostilities appeared imminent, and they are being continually drafted from the Government of Moscow and the nine surrounding Provinces.

With the troops already in the far East this will give Russia an overwhelming force with which to overawe China.

PEKIN DEEPLY STIRRED.

Pekin, Nov. 16.—The foreign diplomats at Pekin are awaiting developments in the Russo-Japanese negotiations with the keenest interest, but are not sanguine of their success because they are unable to see what terms are possible unless one nation distinctly surrenders.

Advices from Japan are to the effect that the Japanese are growing bitter against England because they believe that the latter country is unfaithful to her alliance with Japan. They now think that England entered into the alliance expecting that its proclamation would result in Russia withdrawing from Manchuria, and, therefore, regarding war as a faint possibility, Russia refused to retire, and now England, fearing that she may be drawn into war through the alliance, is exerting her influence as an ally to induce Japan to recognize what Lord Cranborne called "Russia's rather special position in Manchuria."

Premier Balfour's exhortation to Japan to make moderate demands is also considered helpful to Russia in the negotiations by notifying her that England's support of Japan is lukewarm.

It is noticeable that China no longer seeks British assistance regarding Manchuria, but consults only the American and Japanese Ministers instead of all the diplomats, as formerly.

MISSIONARY COMMITTEE CLOSES ITS CONFERENCE

Methodists Appropriate Over Million and a Half for Home and Foreign Work.

Omaha, Neb., Nov. 16.—The General Missionary Committee of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which as been in conference for a week, to-day closed its business, after appropriating sums for the foreign and home work aggregating over a million and a half of dollars.

When all the appropriations were made it was found that the amount available had been overappropriated by the sum of $33,000. That amount was voted out of the incidental and contingent funds to supply the deficiency, those funds to be later reimbursed from last year's balance, which amounted to $41,000.

Boston was chosen as the place for holding the conference next year.

Bishop Stephen M. Merrill to-day stated that the report that he would shortly resign from his position was without foundation.

Appropriations for foreign-speaking missions in the United States were the question this morning. The committee finally appropriated $15,280 for the Pacific Japanese mission. Other appropriations were made as follows:

For French work—Gulf Mission Conference, $300; New England Conference, $1,750; New Hampshire Conference, $1,350; Rock River Conference, $1,200.

For Spanish work—New Mexico Spanish Mission, $16,725; Porto Rico Mission, $20,000; Southern California, $1,200.

For Chinese work—California, $11,000; New York, $1,500; Oregon, $1,200; Southern California, $1,000; New Mexico, $500.

For Bohemian and Hungarian work—Baltimore $1,000; East Ohio, $3,000; North Ohio, $500; Pittsburg, $2,400; Northwest Kansas, $600; Rock River, $4,000; Upper Iowa, $1,200; Nebraska, $600.

For Italian work—California, $1,000; Cincinnati, $400; Erie, $400; Genesee, $600; Gulf Mission, $300; New England, $2,000; New York, $4,750; Philadelphia, $3,000.

For Portuguese work—New England, $400; New England Southern, $1,100.

For Finnish work—California, $500; Detroit, $2,100; Northern Minnesota, $450; New England, $500.

For work among foreigners in the Central Pennsylvania Conference, $2,500.

For work among American Indians—California, $1,050; Central New York, $400; Columbia River, $1,350; Detroit, $450; Genesee, $500; Michigan, $500; Nevada Mission, $1,400; North Montana Mission, $1,000; Northern Minnesota, $600; Northern New York, $500; Oregon, $750; Puget Sound, $600; Wisconsin, $500.

FOOTBALL PLAYER MARRIED.

Arnheiter of Smith Academy's Team Weds Miss Kissack.

Dangers credited to football did not prevent a bridegroom of two days from playing on the Smith Academy team in its game with Blees at Macon last Saturday. Charles Arnheiter of the red-and-white eleven figuring in that contest after a quiet marriage with Miss Mary Kissack the previous Thursday.

Though Arnheiter was wedded Thursday, played in the game Saturday and was seen around his accustomed haunts Sunday, it was not until yesterday that his teammates were informed of his wedding. The news also came as a surprise to the parents of the young couple.

The wedding was a quiet affair, and was celebated at St. Charles last Thursday. Arnheiter failed to appear at school that day, went to the neighboring city with Miss Kissack and was quietly married.

Saturday he appeared for his game with the team. He has been one of the most consistent ground gainers in the back field this year, and alternated with Hoevel at full back Saturday. That he was a recent benedict did not occur to any of his fellow-players.

Yesterday, however, the report was spread through the school, and concealment was no longer possible.

Arnheiter lives at No. 5875 Von Versen avenue, and is 20 years old. He is in the graduating class of Smith Academy. Mrs. Arnheiter lives at No. 5807 Vernon avenue, and is the daughter of Robert Kissack. She is 19 years old.

GIRL AWAKENED AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS' SLEEP.

Berlin, Nov. 16.—Sesine Meyer, the girl who had lain since December 27, 1888, in a trancelike sleep, awoke yesterday in the village of Grambke, near Bremen, during the clanging of fire bells. Her case had long interested physicians and had been the subject of various experiments.

BRITISH MAY FIGHT RUSSIA IN THIBET.

Expedition Ready to Start From India to Lhassa Expects to Meet Resistance.

THIBETANS SEEK ENCOUNTER.

This Year Is Propitious for War, They Assert, and, Anyway, They Feel Sure of Russian Support Against an Invasion.

Karachi, British India, Nov. 16.—The expedition commanded by Colonel Younghusband, which is being prepared in India to support the British mission to Thibet, starts in a few days.

It has been ordered to occupy the Chumbi Valley, the key to Thibet, and to advance on Gyangtse, an important center, 150 miles from Lhassa.

The object of the mission is to discuss with the Thibetan authorities their nonobservance of treaties and consequent injury to the trade of India and Thibet.

The Delai-Lama treated the mission offhandedly and sent subordinates who refused to receive the British unless the latter retired from Khambajong into Indian territory.

Colonel Younghusband refused to do so, fortified the camp occupied by the mission and then himself returned to report to the Viceroy. The result is that the former has been granted a considerable force to support the British demands.

A peaceful settlement of the matter is improbable.

The Lhassa Government declares it is determined to fight. It is distributing large quantities of rifles and is telling the people to prepare for war.

The soldiers throughout the country have been warned to be in readiness.

It is reported in India that the Thibetans expect Russian support against the invasion. A Russian emissary who formerly was in the Chinese customs service has been in Thibet for some time and has acquired great influence over the lamas and priests, who claim to act by divination that the present year is propitious for war.

The Government of Nepal, a native State on the frontier of Thibet, has warned the people of Thibet against the Russians and has given notice that Nepal will not assist the Thibetans against the British.

The Viceroy, Lord Curzon, and party, escorted by four battleships, sailed to-day on a tour of the Persian Gulf.

RIVER NEWS.

Rise and Fall of the Rivers

For 24 hours, ending at 7 a. m.:

St. Louis, Monday, Nov. 16, 1903.

Stations.	Danger.	Gauge.	Change.
Pittsburg	22.0	6.0	0.0
Parkersburg	36.0	3.3	-0.1
Cincinnati	50.0	4.5	0.0
Louisville	28.0	3.3	....
Nashville	40	1.4	0.0
Chattanooga	23.0	1.2	....
Florence	16.0	-0.2	.0.0
Johnsonville	21.0	0.7	-0.1
Evansville	35.0	2.7	0.0
St. Paul	14.0	5.3	-0.1
Dubuque	13.0	6.4	-0.1
Davenport	12.0	6.4	-0.1
Keokuk	15.0	3.8	-0.3
Grafton	23.0	....	....
Omaha	18.0	....	....
Kansas City	21.0	8.3	-0.2
Boonville	30.0	8.1	-0.1
Hermann	24.0	3.0	-0.3
St. Louis	30.0	12.4	-0.4
Chester	30.0	10.6	-0.3
Cairo	45.0	13.2	-0.4
Memphis	33.0	8.1	-0.2
Little Rock	23.0	6.3	-0.2
Vicksburg	43.0	12.2	....
Shreveport	29.0	-0.2	-0.4
New Orleans	16.0	4.3	0.0

*Rise. -Fall.

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River Forecast.

The rivers in the St. Louis district will continue to fall.

River and Business.

Harbor gauges yesterday marked 12.4 feet; indicating a fall of .4 of a foot in 24 hours.

Business along the Levee yesterday was good. Weather cloudy.

To-Day's Weather.

Fair and colder.

Arrived.

Cape Girardeau.....Commerce
Spread Eagle.....Alton
Grey Eagle.....Alton
Peters Lee.....Memphis
Chester.....Cape Girardeau
Lily..... Cairo

Departed.

Spread Eagle.....Alton
Cape Girardeau.....Commerce

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Peters Lee.....Memphis
Chester.....Cape Girardeau
Sidney..... Keokuk
Spread Eagle.....Alton

River Rialto Brevities.

—The steamer Peters Lee arrived yesterday morning from Memphis with a heavy cargo, including 3,000 railroad ties and 2,100 sacks of cotton seed. She departs on the return this afternoon.

—The Cape Girardeau came up from Cairo and departed on the return in the afternoon.

—The trial of the administrators of the estate of John Ledonies and his son, who were killed by Dan Breen on one of the Diamond Jo Line steamers last summer, was closed at Dubuque. A judgment of $1,000 was found against the company.

—The Chester arrived yesterday from Cape Girardeau with a good trip of freight and passengers. She departed on the return in the afternoon.

—Captain John Simmons, master of the Peters Lee, returned yesterday from Dubuque, where he had been to attend a law suit against the Diamond Jo Line.

—The Grey Eagle, which has been being used as a wharfboat at Alton, was brought to St. Louis yesterday.

—It is reported that the Columbia Packet Company has secured an option on the steamer Morning Star at Louisville.

—A report of the channel was received at the harbor rooms yesterday from the officers of the United States steamer Mississippi.

—The Sidney will arrive from Keokuk this morning and departs on her last trip to the upper river in the afternoon. She will be placed in winter quarters at Keokuk.

—The Government steamer Lily arrived from Cairo, where she has been regulating lights.

By Telegraph.

REPUBLIC SPECIALS.

Chester, Ill., Nov. 16.—Gauge 11.5 feet, and falling. Weather cloudy and cold; strong north wind. Peters Lee up at 1 a. m. Chester at 11 p. m. J. M. Richman departed south at 9 a. m.

Burlington, Ia., Nov. 16.—The river fell 5½ inches since last report, the stage now being 5 feet 4 inches above low-water mark. Weather cloudy and cooler. Eloise in and out from Keokuk.

Evansville, Nov. 16.—River 2.5 feet, falling. Cloudy and cooler.

Cincinnati, Nov. 16.—River 4.3 feet, stationary. Threatening and warm.

Pittsburg, Nov. 16.—River 3.8 feet, rising. Rain all day.

Wheeling, Nov. 16.—River 3.1 feet, rising, cloudy and warmer. Down: Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, 11 a. m.

Louisville, Nov. 16.—River stationary; canal, 2.2 feet; falls, 1.1; below locks, 4. Rain.

Grand Tower, Ill., Nov. 16.—Peters Lee up at 7:40 last night. The gauge reads 12.5 feet, and falling. Weather cloudy and cold.

Paducah, Ky., Nov. 16.—The gauge reads 1.9 feet. Weather cloudy; slight showers. Joe Fowler to Cairo on time. Dunbar to Evansville on time. Charleston to Tennessee River at 4 p. m. Local packets in and out on time. Business quiet.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 16.—The river stands 8.1 feet, a fall of .4 of a foot in 48 hours. The Rees Lee arrived at 1 p. m. from St. Louis with 4,650 packages of merchandise for this place, and returned at 8 p. m. The James Lee departed at 5:30 p. m. for Friar's Point. The Robert E. Lee departed at 5:30 p. m. for Arkport. The Kate Adams departed at 6 p. m. for Arkansas City. Receipts by river to-day were 1,820 bales cotton, 79 bags seed cotton and 266 sacks cottonseed.

Warsaw, Ill., Nov. 16.—Gauge reads 9.3, a fall of .2 in 24 hours. Cloudy and cold; strong west wind. Sidney up and down. Silver Crescent in and out.

Cairo, Ill., Nov. 16.—River gauge reads 13.1, showing a fall of .5 during the last 24 hours. Weather threatening and cold. The S. H. H. Clark arrived from New Orleans at 8 a. m. with 5 empty barges. She grounded a barge at the point, and has been working to release it all day. The Fred Hartweg arrived from the Lower Mississippi at 10 a. m., with 3 barges of lumber. The Joe Fowler was in and out on time.

Vicksburg, Miss., Nov. 16.—Gauge 12.3, a rise of .5 of a foot. Cloudy and warm. The Natchez passed down at 8 last night. The Warren for Davis Bend and St. Joseph, and the Cordill for Natchez cleared on time. Rees Pritchard due out of the Yazoo. Wheelhig cleared for Greenville.

WOULD NOT TAKE A DRINK.

Harry Lett Killed for Declining Offer at Hospitality.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Farmington, Mo., Nov. 16.—O. P. McCarver, a saloonkeeper, who shot Harry Lett to death in a saloon here, Saturday, was held for the killing by the Coroner's verdict to-day. The jury found that the shooting was "without cause or provocation."

It developed at the hearing to-day that McCarver shot Lett because the latter refused his offers of sociability and declined to take a drink.

Lett was 20 years old and unmarried. In default of bond McCarver was lodged in jail.

The Metal Markets.

New York, Nov. 16.—Spot tin advanced 15s, closing at £116 2s 6d in London, while futures were £1 higher at £117 10s. Locally tin was steady at 25@25.50c. Copper was a little higher in London, spot advancing 2s 6d to £54 15s, and futures 2s to £55 10s. Locally copper was quiet and more or less nominal. Lake is quoted at 13c, electrolytic at 13c and casting at 12c. Lead was unchanged at £11 1s 3d in London, but was lower here, closing at 4.10c. Spelter also declined in the local market, closing at 5.65c, while London was 7s 6d higher at £20 15s. Iron closed at 48s 9d in Glasgow, and at 42s in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged; No. 1 foundry Northern is quoted at $15