

WEATHER
Cloudy and colder, preceded by rain in east Thursday. Friday fair and colder.

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KANSAS CITY AWARDED REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

SENATE REFUSES TO ALLOW SMITH TAKE OATH OF OFFICE

Twenty Ballots Taken Before National Body Picks Meeting Place

San Francisco Was Principal Opponent And At One Time Led Field

TUESDAY, JUNE 12 IS DATE FOR OPENING

Seven Cities Figured In Numerous Votes As Convention City Considered

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—The 1928 Republican National convention will be held in Kansas City, beginning Tuesday, June 12.

Deadlocked for hours, the National committee made the choice here today on the 20th ballot. Seven cities figured in the voting, but for the most part it was a fight between San Francisco and Kansas City.

At the start the Pacific coast city, which had announced it was ready to offer \$250,000 to defray expenses of the convention, was in the lead and on the fourth ballot was within four votes of a majority.

On a 9th ballot, Kansas City, supported among others by Chairman Butler of the National committee, forged into the lead. At one time Detroit showed a spurt but it didn't get far. Other cities receiving votes, at no time enough to put them in the race as serious contenders were Chicago, Cleveland, Philadelphia and San Antonio.

Believes Husband Of Woman Should Suffer

GREENSBORO, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Expressing the belief that the husband was responsible and should receive punishment, Judge Johnston J. Hayes in Federal court today declined to pass sentence on Mrs. Petè Simms of Rockingham county who had entered a plea of guilty to selling whiskey to a federal prohibition agent. Judge Hayes ordered judgment continued and said he would give the man until next term of court to come forward. "If he does not I will make up my mind as to what shall be done then."

FORESTRY BODY WILL MEET HERE

Forestry Association of North Carolina Plans New Ideas For Convention

The North Carolina Forestry Association will stage its 1928 convention in Goldsboro, it was announced yesterday at the local Chamber of Commerce. Date for the annual meeting has yet to be set. The past year the convention was in High Point the latter or part of July.

The Goldsboro convention is expected to be on a much larger scale than any previous convention of the association. It was said, and principal of the innovation to be staged will be a large forestry exhibit. There is a possibility it was said that there may be a large demonstration of wood working machinery in connection with the meeting.

The Forestry Association numbers a membership of 300 and includes most of the forward thinking men of the state who are interested in matters pertaining to forest preservation and reforestation. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill, is the director of the association.

Delegates to the convention from each city were last year named by mayors upon request of Dr. Pratt. Governor McLean also named a list of delegates to the High Point convention and it is expected that this will be done in the case of the Goldsboro convention in 1928.

Negress Given 30 Yrs. For Killing Husband

sided in Kadistown, was yesterday sentenced to 30 years in the State prison after she had entered a submission to second degree murder in slaying her husband, James Blount, here several Sundays ago. Judge Grady gave the woman the full limit of the law.

The Negress hit her husband in the head with a long handled hatchet as he lay across the bed splitting his head and killing him almost instantly. She said at the coroner's inquest that he had threatened her.

The Blount negress had spent sometime as a patient in the hospital for the negro insane here and a few days before she killed her husband, police had been called to protect members of her family from her maniacal ravings and to keep her from doing injury to herself.

JURY IS GIVEN N. JERSEY CASE

Most of Yesterday Taken Up In Charge to Lillendahl Jury By Judge

MAY'S LANDING, N. J., Dec. 7.—(AP)—The fate of Mrs. Margaret Lillendahl and her reputed paramours Willis Beach, charged with murder of the woman's husband was in hands of a jury today. The jury got the case at 5:35 p. m. and deliberations were begun immediately by the seven men and five women, headed by a woman foreman, Mrs. Garris Calkins, a silver haired housewife from Atlantic City. The entire day was taken up with the charge of the court.

Beach's defense was an alibi and the woman's story was that two negroes forced her to drive up the lane and there attacked her and robbed and killed her husband.

In his charge the judge, told the jury that verdicts might be brought in declaring either or both defendants innocent of any degree of crime or guilty of first degree murder, second degree murder or manslaughter. Even murder in the first degree does not carry a mandatory sentence of death in this state.

PERSHING GETS GREAT OVATION

Farm Bureau Convention Hails Him As Possible Presidential Candidate

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—(AP)—A spontaneous outburst of enthusiasm for General John J. Pershing who was hailed as a candidate for president of the United States and adoption of a legislative initiative policy for the coming year marked the close of the American Farm Bureau federation meeting here today.

General Pershing addressed the farmers on the place of agriculture in a national defense program, recommending development of a merchant marine and a larger navy.

The conclusion of his speech, a farmer jumped up on his chair and called for three cheers for General Pershing "as candidate for president of the United States. The response was tremendous and as the general left the hall he was surrounded by enthusiastic farmers.

HILLMAN BUYS A PLANT HERE

Former Florida Bottler Purchases Local Pepsi Cola Bottling Works

T. B. Hillman, of Lakeland, Florida, has purchased the Goldsboro Branch of the Raleigh Pepsi Cola Bottling Company, it was announced yesterday. He has assumed direction of the business and plans a campaign looking to the extension of the business. P. G. Middleton, who has been manager of the company here for the past three years, will remain with the new management, for a time at least and assist Mr. Hillman, in becoming acquainted with the local trade.

The territory served by the Goldsboro branch extends from Smithfield on the west to LaGrange on the east and from Fremont on the north to Mt. Olive on the south and embraces a territory of about 60,000 population.

Mr. Hillman is an experienced bottler and comes to this section of North Carolina after careful investigation of the opportunities here. With thirty years of experience in the business as the basis for his convictions, he believes that there is a real opportunity in the Pepsi Cola and general soda water manufacturing business here. He will move his family here in the spring.

Brands of drinks made by the firm—whose name will remain the same for the present at least—are: Pepsi-Cola, Orange Crush, NuGrape, gingerale, and the usual soda waters.

Three trucks are now in operation serving the territory with Pepsi Cola brands and the number will be increased as the business grows.

Emotional Attack Delays Remus Case

CINCINNATI, Dec. 7.—(AP)—An emotional attack from which he recovered only after four hours, swept George Remus today and spreading to his daughter at his side and his sister previously seated among spectators, created the wildest scene of the more than three weeks of his murder trial. The forenoon court session was exactly an hour old when Remus' outburst, the ninth since the trial started eighteen court days ago, forced an adjournment. At 2 p. m. the time set for resumption, Remus was writhing in spasms on his jail bunk. After a 30 minute wait court was adjourned until tomorrow morning.

You Can Get Your Pension Before Long

RALEIGH, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Christmas gifts in the form of semi-annual pension checks aggregating \$450,000 will be mailed by the state auditor this week to Confederate veterans, veterans widows and negro body servants throughout North Carolina.

Between 7,500 and 8,000 persons are to receive the checks through Superior court clerks in time for distribution on December 15.

Do you shop early?
SHOPPING EARLY
ONLY 14 MORE DAYS

Will You Play Santa Claus To Some Unfortunate in County This Season?

The effort of The News in cooperation with R. H. Edwards, county welfare superintendent, to see that no child in Wayne county goes without Christmas cheer took a spurt forward yesterday when "Anonymous" wrote to The News saying, "I will play Santa to opportunity, Number 1." At the same time a number of reports received told of plans of others to take other cases as they are presented. The Cathrell Philathea Class of the First Baptist church and the business and Professional Woman's Club were among those showing interest. Reports from Mt. Olive and Fremont were that some of the opportunities might be taken by organizations or people of these towns.

The opportunities are lists of actual cases on file in the office of Mr. Edwards, and as fast as a case is provided for it is withdrawn from publication. Those agreeing to take cases will be expected to make the purchases and to deliver them at the office of Mr. Edwards several days before Christmas. The gifts will be distributed by Mr. Edwards and a corps of helpers.

The description of the cases cannot be as full as some might desire and Mrs. Howell in the office of Mr. Edwards will be glad to supply additional information about each.

Here are opportunity numbers 2 and 3. Call 813 at once and report which of the two you will play Santa to.

Opportunity No. 2

A widow woman with three small children, two boys ages twelve and eight, and a little girl, age four.

This woman's husband was sick for a long time with T. B. and the family has had a struggle for a long time. The widow is now under the doctor's care, and some of the kind neighbors have been bringing her to Goldsboro to the doctor for six weeks.

The little girl needs a coat and stockings and the little boys need anything suitable to wear to school and Sunday School. \$10.00 would provide for this family.

Opportunity No. 3

A widow woman, Princeton, R. F. D. No. 1, Wayne County. Seven children, two girls fourteen and five years old, five boys ages 12, 10, 8, 6, 3.

The oldest boy has been in hospital three weeks with broken leg. Was leading a cow on the highway and a car struck the cow and knocked the boy down and broke his leg. The widow lives on rented land, and has not made a fair crop this year. All of these children but one are in the school age, and she is having a hard time sending them.

\$10.00 or \$15.00 will help this family very much, in food and clothes.

GOLDSBORO MAN TO BE SPEAKER

Kenneth Royall Will Deliver Address Before Secretaries in Wilson Tonight

Kenneth Royall, Goldsboro Attorney, will deliver the principal address at the annual banquet of the North Carolina Secretaries Association at the Hotel Cherry, Wilson, this evening the occasion being in connection with the yearly convention of the secretaries of chambers of commerce in North Carolina. Appearing on the program with Mr. Royall will be Clarence Kuester, secretary of the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce, who has announced as his topic "Fellows, Don't get Discouraged if you Can't do it in a Day."

Walter Denmark, secretary of the Goldsboro chamber, is a member of the program committee for the convention. The convention will be started this morning at 9 o'clock and will continue through Friday. Twenty or thirty business organizations in the State are expected to be represented at the meeting.

RABBI MARRIED

RALEIGH, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Reports of the marriage of Rabbi Howard Fineberg, of Temple Bethor, Raleigh, and Miss Evelyn Bronstein, Louisville, Ky., at Chicago this week were followed today by word that the couple had obtained a license to wed at that place. Rabbi Fineberg is widely known in North Carolina.

NET STAR REFORMS

Mlle. Suzanne Lenglen, French tennis star, who turned professional in 1926 is said to be negotiating for reinstatement as an amateur.

Similar Action As To Vare Is Expected To Be Taken Sometime Today

Winter Entrenches Throughout The West

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Aided by a mighty blizzard and sub-zero temperatures, winter entrenched itself over a great central area of the country today with effort of the offensive noted from the Canadian Border to the Gulf of Mexico. Loss of several lives was attributed indirectly to the storm and traffic of all kinds was delayed.

Borne from the Rocky Mountain region by a stinging northwest wind, the cold wave sent thermometers scurrying downward from balmy temperature of 60 that prevailed in some midwest sections yesterday. More than a dozen states were gripped and in Texas freezing temperatures and gales were predicted for the coast.

LEGION WANTS NEW MEMBERS

Bulletin Extending Invitation Issued Yesterday By Local Post

Announcement that Col. George K. Freeman will be the speaker at the next meeting and an invitation to all ex-service men to become members of the post are contained in a bulletin issued yesterday by the Wayne Post Number 11.

Greetings to our Buddies in Goldsboro and Wayne county: The American Legion is your organization. A membership in it cannot be bought. Only service such as you have rendered to your State and County makes you eligible to membership.

We desire to continue to be service men whenever and wherever needed. The American Legion is a service organization. We need you—You need us. Come in and join us.

Be sure to attend the public meeting of Wayne Post No. 11 Thursday December 15th at eight o'clock in the auditorium of the Community Memorial Building, Goldsboro, N. C. A good program is being prepared for the occasion and Col. Geo. K. Freeman will address us on the Paris Convention of the American Legion. Other short addresses will be made. The general public is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

YOUTH DENIES PLACING BOMB

Had Been Charged With Attempting To Kill Girl To Keep From Marriage

OTTAWA, Ill., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Hiram Reed, young farmer who denied today several months ago an enlargement of his house stove to kill his sweetheart, today denied placing a bomb in a story to a special grand jury Friday.

Through his attorney he repudiated his confession, he was supposed to have made to state's attorney in which he admitted an attempt to kill the school teacher because he did not wish to marry her. The girl, Lola Bradford, 23, had insisted on a marriage because she was to become a mother.

Although her condition was reported serious today, physicians said they believed she would recover. Her face and body were badly cut by flying bits of the stove when it burst. She has declined to discuss the bombing or to indicate whether she will marry young Reed.

Smith Refused Oath of Office By Vote of 53 to 29 in Upper House

SENATE INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE IS GIVEN OVERWHELMING VOTE APPROVAL

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(AP)—With dramatic suddenness the Senate today refused the oath of office to Senator Elect Frank L. Smith of Illinois, 53 to 29, but agreed to give him a full hearing both in committee and on the floor before finally closing the door upon him.

Tomorrow it expects to take similar action with respect to senator elect Wm. Vare of Pennsylvania, although perhaps not quite so decisive a majority. Then it will perfect its own organization and get down to legislative work while awaiting reports on the two controversies from special campaign funds committee.

Incidentally to its action in the Smith case the Senate twice and by overwhelming majorities gave expression to its view that the Senate investigation committee, over which there was such a controversy during the last days of the last session, is a legally constituted body whose powers it ever had.

FALLS OFF WOOLWORTH BUILDING

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—An unidentified man, about 50 years old, leaped or fell to his death from the twenty-seventh floor of the Woolworth building today. The body landed on Broadway in the midst of many pedestrians. No one was struck.

COUNCIL HOLDS A DINNER MEET

Sixty-Eight Teachers and Officers of First Baptist Sunday School Present

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church plans to send some twenty-five delegates to the annual Sunday school convention of the Southern Baptist Church in Greenville, S. C., in January. Superintendent S. F. Teague revealed last evening at the dinner of the Sunday school council. Present plans are for the delegates to go from Goldsboro to Greenville by auto. Mrs. A. J. Smith, one of the officers of the Sunday school, will appear on the program at Greenville.

Sixty-eight teachers and officers of the Sunday school were present for the dinner in the basement of the church last night and listened to a program planned with the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the Sunday school. Much enthusiasm was displayed for the purpose at hand and the type of the addresses presented by those on the program indicated a deep and sincere regard for the time at hand.

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