

WEATHER.—RAIN TONIGHT AND SUNDAY. WARMER TONIGHT AND SUNDAY. INCREASING NORTHEAST AND EAST WINDS.

NEWS FORECAST COMING WEEK IS GIVEN OUT

FIGHT FOR CONTROL OF REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION ABOUT TO BEGIN

PRESIDENT TO ATTEND DINNER

PROVINCIAL DELEGATION TO TAKE PART IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Washington, D. C., March 22.—The year contest for control of the Republican national convention at Chicago next June is about to begin in earnest. There are now two delegates have been selected from territories while the Republican party is a legitimate factor in elections. But during the coming week there will be numerous competitions in widely separated sections of the country very close to a real Republican party and while the election of delegates counts for something substantial.

Chief interest will center in the primaries in New York State for the selection of electric delegates to the national convention and also delegates to the State convention which in time will name the delegates-at-large to the Chicago gathering. In Indiana the Republicans will hold their State convention to name delegates-at-large. A number of the electric delegates in the same State also will be held during the week. In Colorado the State convention will hold the election of delegates-at-large. The contest in these three States will be the most interesting of the week, or, perhaps, important, will include the State convention in Minnesota and the territorial convention in Alaska.

A race in the United States Senate and the appointment of a permanent delegation to be held in Kansas on Wednesday Senator Joe Doyle is a candidate for re-election and is opposed by former Congressman Joseph of Blue Springs. The gubernatorial contest in Iowa between Governor Danaher, who is a candidate for a third term, and Congressman Joseph T. Robinson.

Two-day manufacturers and business men of Philadelphia are making arrangements for a mass-meeting in that city Saturday night with President Wood as the principal speaker. The President will be in Philadelphia to attend the dinner of the Pennsylvania Secretary of War, William D. Taft.

On Wednesday, a distinguished delegation from Canada will be held in opposition to the application of the Chicago Delegation Commission to increase the size of the Chicago delegate and Canadian objections are based on the fact that the works will lower the level of the Great Lakes, and also, that the withdrawal of the water will lower the temperature of Lake Michigan in such a way as to affect cultivation along its shores.

A conference between representatives of the Canadian and West Indian governments, looking toward freer commercial intercourse between Canada and the islands, will begin in Ottawa Wednesday. The conference will be watched with keen interest by the manufacturers of the United States, as a reciprocal agreement between Canada and the West Indies might naturally be expected to interfere seriously with American exports to the islands.

The Provincial elections in British Columbia will take place Thursday. National extension and a policy of expansion of territories on the part of the province are the chief points of the platform on which the British Columbia is returning to power. The Liberals are advocating the new Government to take the same liberal interpretation of the boundaries of the province, the extension of a Provincial Government to the entire territory of the United States.

HUNNING CASE DOCKET FOR TRIAL MONDAY

REPORTED MOVE WILL BE MADE FOR A CHANGE OF VENUE

SEIDIE MAKES A CONFESSION

IT WAS STATED MRS. HUNNING HAS CONFESSED AS A PARTICIPANT

St. Louis, Mo., March 22.—The trial of Mrs. Annie Hunning and Joseph Seidel, for the alleged murder of Martin Hunning, Mrs. Hunning's husband, the night of December 24th, at his home near the town of St. Louis, is docketed for next Monday in the Jefferson County Circuit court at Hillsboro. It is reported the defense will move for a change of venue on the ground that it would be impossible to secure an impartial jury in the county in which the alleged murder occurred.

All of the principals in the case were well known residents of Jefferson county and as a consequence the killing of Hunning and the arrest of his widow and Seidel, her alleged lover, attracted wide attention.

According to the Jefferson county authorities, Seidel made a complete confession of his part in the alleged murder soon after he was lodged in jail. He is said to have admitted that he and Mrs. Hunning planned the murder for six weeks before he secured a suitable opportunity to slay Martin Hunning, according to Seidel's confession, told him that he was to have with Mrs. Hunning, who would supply the gun, and that she had her husband's services.

The alleged confession of Seidel was given out by the Jefferson county authorities, reads in part as follows: "On the night of December 24, 1923, at about 7 o'clock, I met my brother-in-law, Martin Hunning, who was coming down the road to Martin Hunning's home. I went to the yard and hid behind the east window. Mrs. Hunning was seated in a rocking chair near the window of the kitchen and his wife, Annie Hunning, was near him at the telephone. While I was looking in the east window Mrs. Annie Hunning left the telephone and Martin her husband, went to the telephone. I then walked around to the corner of the house to the south window. I saw Martin standing at the telephone with the receiver in his hand and his back to me. I raised the gun to his shoulder, cocked it, and then I took deliberate aim at his head and pulled the trigger. The gun was discharged. I heard the crash of the gun and then turned and walked away to my home. My brother-in-law, Martin Hunning, was lying on the ground, and I saw the official who had conferred the following confession from her: "I am innocent of the crime, but Joe is not. I went to St. Louis several months ago and saw a fortune teller. She told me my husband was going to be killed. My husband had threatened to kill my brother because of trouble they had had. I told Seidel of what had been told to me and told him I was afraid Martin would kill him and me. Seidel told me he would not take any chances on it, but that he would put Martin out of the way. As we were eating dinner together on the day of the killing, in our house, Joe Seidel told my husband, his brother, Louis Hunning and myself, that his parents were going to St. Louis that day. I knew then that he was preparing to kill my husband, and I felt uneasy and was afraid he would kill my husband that night."

Fanny Crosby's 62nd Birthday.

Bridgport, Conn., March 22.—Fanny Crosby, writer of Gospel hymns, which she knows the world over, will be ninety-two years old tomorrow. She lives with a niece in this city at whose home her birthday anniversary is to be fittingly recognized. Mrs. Crosby has been totally blind ever since she was six months old. She has written more than 2,000 hymns in all. She was married in 1852 to Alonzo Thayer, who died two years ago. Her husband and she come to his story's best known verses to

NOT MUCH VARIETY NOWADAYS



SERVICES ONE OF INTEREST TOMORROW

It is proposed to make the services of the First Methodist church tomorrow of special interest. The subject of the pastor's discourse for the following hour will be "God's All-Beneficial Grace." At night the subject of the sermon will be "The New Year's Resolutions." The pastor is the second of the young people. The music for Sunday night will be a feature. The choir at this church, now under the directorship of Prof. Smith, is making rapid strides in their musical training.

I'LL LOOK IN THE NEWS

This is the first impulse of the average person who finds a lost article in Washington. The finder knows from past experience that the article was to find the "How" side of the owner in The News. The lover knows that The News is the best medium through which to find the spider. News "Wants" are an common ground. There's no dispute about their being the best way to get back a "loss." One-cent a line.

OLD MITCHELL HOME BURNS THURS. NIGHT

The old Napoleonic Mitchell home, about three miles from the city, leading out from Market street and owned by Mr. R. E. Hodges, was consumed by fire Thursday night between 11 and 12 o'clock. It is said the blaze originated in the kitchen. Several people were occupying the residence at the time and most of their furniture, wearing apparel, etc., was burned. There is quite a loss to Mr. Hodges.

REV. J. N. COLE TELLS OF VISIT TO WASHINGTON

Mr. Cole, pastor of the First Baptist church here, who was recently called to the city to see the president, has returned home and will deliver a sermon on the subject of "The Future of the Church in America" at 7 o'clock this evening.

CONFER ROYAL ARCH DEGREE

Mr. W. W. Jones of Boye Church, No. 53, Royal Arch Chapter, No. 1082, of the Grand Lodge of the State, will confer the degree of the Royal Arch on the members of the chapter at 7 o'clock on Monday night.

BAPTIST PASTOR'S BRIGHT FUTURE

Rev. Mr. Dixon, pastor of the First Baptist church here, was recently called to the city to see the president, has returned home and will deliver a sermon on the subject of "The Future of the Church in America" at 7 o'clock this evening.

NOTED COMPANY WILL APPEAR HERE MONDAY

SEATS SELLING RAPIDLY FOR THE APPEARANCE OF ROSS CRANE AND COMPANY.

The sale of seats for the appearance of Ross Crane and his company at the Public School auditorium on Monday night, opened this morning at 10 o'clock at the drug store of Worthy & Etheredge and have been selling rapidly all day. This attraction comes to Washington as one of the numbers in the Lyceum course. The Wausau (Wis.) Daily in speaking of the attraction says: "Ross Crane was here last night. He was advertised as a cartoonist and a molded-in-clay. The program promised an 'Art Recital,' and the prospect of a good entertainment filled the auditorium. What is he? He made pictures with a few strokes of the crayon that caused roars of laughter. Is that being a cartoonist? He mixed clay with his hands and threw it with a reckless abandon upon an easel, and lo! the form of a man, the types of nationalities and the features of well-known characters appeared. Is that being a 'molder in clay'? He sat at the piano and ranged it will between the ridiculous and the sublime, between the hilarious and the pathetic. Did that entitle him to take part in an 'Art Recital'?"

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS FOR PAST WEEK

QUITE A NUMBER OF DEEDS RECORDED IN REGISTER'S OFFICE.

The following deeds have been recorded in the Register of Deeds office for the past week: E. T. Hooker and wife to W. J. McWilliam. W. B. Walling and wife to Ernest Zoegler. Ernest Zoegler to Washington Lumber and Milling Co. H. T. Lewis and wife to S. R. Fowle and Son. Elmwood Realty Co. to George Hackney, Jr., and wife. A. F. Lewis to Eureka Lumber Co. David T. Hodges to Penelope Hodges. Thos. Satchwell and wife to A. Chatman and wife. J. B. Peed to Robert C. Bogart. Geo. E. Ricks, sheriff, to N. L. Stinson. J. B. Whitehurst and wife to S. H. Harrell and Company. George W. Bowen and wife to Nerva Tate. Elmwood Realty Co. to George Hackney Jr., and wife. W. Springer and wife to H. E. Phillips. James Wilkinson to John Gray Blount. George Hackney Jr., and wife to Elmwood Realty Co. Annie E. Linton to W. A. Winfield. Elmwood Realty Co. to W. W. Lovell. F. W. Hagbee and wife to J. A. and S. W. Whitman. Elmwood Realty Co. to Augustus Dillon.

WASHINGTON WINS BY SCORE 8 TO 9

Washington won the game of ball yesterday afternoon in New Bern by a score of 9 to 8. This was the sixth at the end of the seventh inning with Washington at the bat, one out and two men on bases. The game had to be called at this time due to rain. The boys from here greatly enjoyed their trip and speak in the highest terms of New Bern. (By F. C. Bryan.)

On a rough diamond and amid a hard rain Washington defeated New Bern on her grounds in loosely played game of ball yesterday. The rain began in the second inning and a drizzle continued until the sixth inning. A steady downpour in and in the final half of the evening the spectators had dwindled from 250 to barely a dozen. The game was called off at the end of the sixth inning. Washington, by New Bern freebase but some bases running kept down the field. Washington for Washington was in the third but the runners had to be called out in the bottom and New Bern could not locate him.

The features of the game, were the home run of Gibbs, the fielding of Beckman, the catching of Fowle, and the work of Moore at first.

The boys were pleasantly entertained while in New Bern and all report a good time.

Woodrow Wilson to Speak.

East Orange, N. J., March 22.—Governor Woodrow Wilson has consented to open the annual meeting of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Correction at the Woman's Club here tomorrow afternoon with an address on "Education for Citizenship." The conference, which will continue in session three days, has selected as the general subject for discussion "The Relation of Our Schools to Pauperism, Delinquency and Crime."

Boston's New Subway Opened.

Boston, Mass., March 22.—The new subway system for the handling of the heavy passenger traffic between Boston and Cambridge, was formally opened today. The tunnel, which is three and a half miles in length, starts at the Park Street station of the old subway and passes under Boston Common, Beacon Hill and the Charles River to Harvard Square in Cambridge.

Public Education.

Good news in that some of the public schools in Boston are now being operated on a basis of public education. The schools are now being operated on a basis of public education.

SONG SERVICE 1st PRES. CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

The subject of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church for Sunday evening will be "The Face of Jesus." On Sunday night Rev. Mr. Seagriff will begin a series of discourses on the "Seven Days." Subject for the first sermon will be "Evangelism in the Life of Cain." At the evening service there will be a song service in connection with the services, at which time an offering will be taken for the organ fund. The members of the congregation are requested to install an electric motor in the choir loft to operate the organ. It is to be hoped that a large congregation will be present and that a generous offering will be made. The music arranged for tomorrow night promises to be of high order and to be of interest to all.

ADDISCO BOOK CLUB MEETS

The Addison Book Club met for their regular meeting yesterday afternoon with Miss Sadie Wiswall. In spite of the very inclement weather, a goodly number of the members were present.

As the last meeting was omitted, the literary program for this afternoon was unusually full, there being three papers. "Poets of the Golden Age," Mrs. F. H. Rollins; "The Stuart Kings," Miss Bette Harvey; "The Cathedral," Mrs. Joe. Charles; each of which sustained the reputation of the Club and was thoroughly interesting to the hearers.

The last paper was illustrated by photographs of the most noted Cathedrals of England. As the next meeting would fall on Good Friday, it was unanimously decided that it should be omitted.

GIVEN LOT.

Master Augustus Dillon Wins the Lot at the Second Day Sale of the Gold Property.

Master Augustus Dillon seems to be Washington's lucky boy and he is receiving congratulations from all sides upon his good fortune. This afternoon upon his good fortune this afternoon. At the first day sale of the Gold property on Wednesday, he held the lucky card for the handsome \$10,000 ring, and on Thursday he drew the lot for the day by the owner. Master Augustus has been awarded by the Gold and Copper Mining Co. by which the mine was sold to the State. The mine was sold to the State by the Gold and Copper Mining Co. by which the mine was sold to the State.