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WATCH OUR WINDOWS.

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EDUCATIONAL BODY WILL MEET SOON

Preparations Are Being Made For the Annual Event To Be in Washington.

ROOSEVELT WILL SPEAK.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—Preparations for the fifth general convention of the Religious Education association at Washington, D. C., February 11th to 13th, 1908, give promise of an exceptionally well arranged program. The indications are that this convention will be easily the best ever held by the association. The general theme will be "The Relation of Moral and Religious Education to the Life of the Nation." This theme is divided into the following topics for the general sessions: "How Can the Educational Agencies Be Made More Effective as Moral and Religious Forces?" "How Can the Moral and Religious Agencies in the Nation be Made More Effective as Educational Forces?" Educating the Conscience of the Nation." A fourth general session is devoted to reviews of work and the annual survey of progress by Dean George Hodges, President Roosevelt has promised to receive the delegates in the east room at the white house, and to address them there. The local committee in Washington is making preparations which will insure to all attending the convention, proper entertainment.

best wishes of all go with him.

Ed Findlay imagines he can play professional pool. Well, it amuses the boys and Ed can pay the bills.

The best crowd of the season was at the rooms last night. Everybody came up.

James M. Lewis was in Indianapolis yesterday, visiting his house and incidentally looking upon "fishing tackle" ready for next summer.

W. H. Q.

REMARKABLE DEAL BY WEATHER MAN

Has Not Played His Cards in The Usual Fashion the Past Few Days.

SENDS AN APRIL STORM.

HEAVY RAINFALL OF LAST SUNDAY WAS SOMEWHAT OUT OF THE ORDINARY—COLD WAVE NOW IN PROSPECT.

The past week has furnished some remarkable weather for this season of the year. There were April thunder and lightning storms accompanied by heavy rainfall and in the middle of the week there was clear, fresh fall weather, which reminded the residents of Indian summer.

A heavy rainfall in midwinter is something that does not often happen even in this changeable climate, but last Sunday evening over a half inch of rain fell. The following day there was .36 of an inch, making the total precipitation for the two days over one inch.

The advance guard, of what promises to be a robust cold wave, straight from Medicine Hat, arrived in the city last night. Weather predictions throughout the middle west are for a continued cold spell. The following table shows the conditions of the past week:

	High.	Low.	Rain.
Sunday, Dec. 29.....	45	27	.65
Monday, Dec. 30.....	55	35	.36
Tuesday, Dec. 31.....	37	21	
Wednesday, Jan. 1.....	45	29	
Thursday, Jan. 2.....	42	19	
Friday, Jan. 3.....	37	22	
Saturday, Jan. 4.....	41	32	.19

INDIANA FROG KILLED A MAN

While Drinking From Spring He Swallowed Animal.

Lincoln, Neb., January 4.—Logan Suddith, seventy-six years old, and a civil war veteran, is dead here from having a live frog in his stomach. Suddith swallowed the frog while drinking from a spring during a visit in Indiana last summer, since which date he has suffered untold agony. Yesterday Suddith expelled the frog by vomiting, but died during the night from shock.

BANKS CALL IN CLEARING CERTIFICATES

Kansas City, January 4.—The Kansas City Clearing house association adopted a resolution calling in all clearing house certificates and clearing house checks by January 18.

ADMIRAL EVANS TO BE REIMBURSED

Treasury Department Makes Arrangement to Pay Traveling Expenses.

SOME APPREHENSION.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—Arrangements have been made with the treasury department by which Rear-Admiral Evans, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet, and the officers who are associated with him, may be reimbursed for their expenses in discharging official courtesies which may devolve upon them at the various ports they will visit. This decision is received with considerable satisfaction by those officers who have been apprehensive that they would be put to considerable expense on account of the cruise of the vessels, especially as the trip may be extended so as to return to the Atlantic Coast by way of Suez. That would mean a call at the various European ports. The decision of the treasury department has to do only with certain travelling expenses in the way of providing the means of transportation, and does not take into account any reimbursement for the outlay in the way of dining or winning on shipboard in return for similar courtesies extended to our naval officers on shore.

CLUBS ARE NOT CAUSE OF DIVORCE

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that we have been together we have never had a divorce case in our club. We have studied art, literature, the questions of the day, given flower exhibits, and for the last seven years have worked hard to improve the civic beauty of our home districts. Instead of disrupting homes we have helped to make them beautiful.

Mrs. Guy Duvall of the Criterion, was equally pronounced in her opinion. She said: "Culture is the first fruit of women's clubs. By contact we get a broadening of the mind which we would not get otherwise. The club has placed the American woman ahead of all the other women of the world in the race for intelligence. No, I do not believe one word of the report that our organizations are the cause of the divorce evil. They do not make excessive calls upon our time as has been so often alleged by unthinking men. If the men stayed at home as closely as the women do, there would be less heard about the divorce suit."

Mrs. L. P. Trueblood, a prominent member of the Tourist club, expressed herself thus: "Whatever the cause, I am sure that the club has nothing to do with it. I sometimes think that the men's clubs are a contributing cause, for they take their members away from home in the evening. Besides, men clubs are not all good; I understand there are many good and some bad. I think the women's club a good thing, but I think the very best kind of club for married people is one founded upon the principles of the Tourist, to which both men and women can belong."

Mrs. W. J. Hlatt of the Athanæa, differentiated between the kinds of club to which a woman may belong. She said: "The clubs have nothing to do with the divorce. There are not many divorced women in the clubs—not nearly so many as there are outside of them. There is a difference in the kind of club to which one can belong. The literary club is the very best kind, I think. It is very sad indeed that the divorce evil is so prevalent, but I am sure that the right kind of women's club is not a contributing cause. Some clubs have higher ideals and give more good development to those who belong to them than do other clubs. The club that makes excessive demands upon the time of a lady who has a home to care for, is not the kind of a club to which one should belong."

The question will continue to be a live topic in the meetings of the various organizations for some time to come.



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