

DANBURY EVENING NEWS

DANBURY, CONN., AUG. 14, 1920.

WEATHER FORECAST.

New Haven, Aug. 14.—Forecast for Connecticut: **THUNDER SHOWERS THIS AFTERNOON OR TO-NIGHT. NOT QUITE SO WARM TO-NIGHT. SUNDAY PARTLY CLOUDY;** moderate southwest winds.

WEATHER NOTES.

The disturbance which was central over the southern portion of the Lake region is now passing out the St. Lawrence valley. It is causing considerable cloudy weather this morning in the eastern districts but not much precipitation. Pleasant weather prevails generally in western sections. Areas of high pressure are central over Kansas and North Carolina. The temperature is about normal in the eastern and slightly below normal in the western districts. Conditions favor for this vicinity generally fair weather with cool nights and warm days.

THE TIDE TO-DAY.

High tide, 12.33 p. m.
Low tide, 6:34 p. m.

City and Vicinity

The estate of Frances A. Hagen, late of Danbury, has been admitted to probate and F. T. Austin has been appointed administrator.

The annual clambake and outing of Danbury lodge, H. P. O. Elks, will be held at Backer's grove, Mill Plain district, August 22.

The girls' choir of St. James' church will meet for rehearsal in the choir room to-morrow morning at 9:45 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Winthrop Connell, of New York city, are the host and guests of Miss Marion S. Tramm, of 147 White street. Mr. Connell is prominently identified with New York politics, being the democratic captain in the Tenth Assembly district in New York city.

The fourth registered tournament of the Connecticut Trapshooters' association is being held in Danbury today at the traps of the Panguogue gun club. Owing to a shoot being held in Boston to-day the attendance is not as large as was expected and is not up to the mark of previous years, although many of the old cracks who have been competing in the previous tournaments this year are well represented. The day's

4,000 WOMEN
MAY VOTE HEREMuch Work Necessary if Suffrage Becomes Effective
This Fall.

If woman suffrage becomes universal in this country this fall, as seems likely from the present outlook in Tennessee, it is probable that about 4,000 women in Danbury will be able to vote in the next presidential election if they so desire. The exact number of prospective women voters here is, of course, entirely problematical, but it is thought that the figure of 4,000 is approximately correct. It is not probable, of course, that all those who are eligible will qualify as voters, but it is considered quite likely that a large majority will do so, especially as the political parties will make strong efforts to secure the registration of those that they believe to be favorable to their respective interests.

A great amount of preliminary work will be necessary in order to enable the women to qualify as voters. Their applications "to be made" will have to be filed in the usual form and they will take the oath of office at the prescribed time. If suffrage in this state becomes an actuality it will be followed by the greatest activity ever witnessed in the franchise boards in every town in the state.

Another question of importance will arise when it comes to providing means for voting on election day. It will be necessary to instruct the new voters in the method of operating the voting machines and some lively work will have to be done on election day if the entire vote is registered. It is probable that the town's eight voting machines will be sufficient to record the vote, but that is a problem that it will be necessary to work out when the time arrives.

program includes 150 targets, with a special distance handicap of 25 targets to follow.

It is expected that Rev. Ellis Gilbert, pastor of the Baptist church, will return to-day from Elmira, N. Y., where he has been since the death of his father and mother, which occurred during the past month, and that he will conduct the union services of the Baptist and Methodist churches to-morrow.

CONCERT AT BROOKFIELD HOSPITAL

Summer Music School Students to Appear Wednesday.

The concert which is to be given by the Brookfield Summer School of Music on Wednesday evening, at Hillcrest hall, Brookfield Center, promises several unique features which are quite different from the usual run of concerts. The concert will commence, it is announced, at 8:30 o'clock, daylight saving time.

It was said to-day that the committee in charge has not only succeeded in obtaining excellent artists for the occasion, but has arranged a program which will employ the talent in most varied and distinctive style. One part of the program will consist of an old plantation setting with scenery and costumes providing the appropriate atmosphere for the old negro songs.

Another division will depict a Colonial ball room scene, involving characters and songs of quaint, old-fashioned charm, while a number of modern arias and part songs will constitute the third part of the program.

Most of the singers appearing in this concert are known to those who have attended the concerts in the past as they have appeared in Brookfield for several years past. The concert is to be given for the benefit of the organ fund of the Brookfield Congregational church. A nominal amount will be charged for admission.

BROOKFIELD.

Death of Miss Wilhelmine Skidmore Saddens Town.

The death of Miss Wilhelmine Skidmore, of Brookfield Center, which occurred at the Danbury Hospital early Friday morning, cast a shadow over the entire community, where she was so well known and beloved.

Miss Skidmore returned from Newark, N. J., about three weeks since to her summer home in Brookfield Center. She was at the time in a critical condition, having been ill all through the winter season.

On Sunday, at the advice of her physician, she was removed to the Danbury Hospital for treatment, where it was discovered that she was suffering from an incurable ailment. Miss Skidmore was the elder of the two daughters of the late William H. and Julia W. Skidmore, of Brookfield Center. She was born here in the home of her grandfather, Dr. Amos L. Williams, on September 26, 1869. On both sides she came of old New England ancestry, prominent in the early history of Connecticut.

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The grand total of the recent offering of a mill-largement at Danbury Hospital was just turned in by George E. Mallory, president of the fund.

The following general subscriptions as reported by Manufacturers, Employers of Merchants, Schools, etc., received from Danbury:

Allied towns. The following contributions by the four factories as units:

Amer. Hatter
Furriers Co.
Clark Box Co.
Cuff Hat Co.
Daniels & Trim
Danbury Hat
Fur Co. ...
A. S. Davenport
Davis-Hine Co.
Delohery Hat
Diamond Hat
Doran Bros.
Ball & Ro
Bearing Co.
Fillow Auto Co.
J. W. Green & Son
Hill & Loper
Hoyt - Messing
Corp.
W. S. Holman
Imperial Silk W
F. H. Lee Co.
D. E. Loewe &
Mallory Hat Co.
G. McLachlan
H. McLachlan
Meeker Bros.
Murphy-Gorman
Peck Fur Co.
C. J. Robinson &
Gorman & Tom
Rogers S. P.
Short Hat Co.
Turner Mch.
Targett Laund
F. D. Tweedy &
Tweedy Silk M
vonGal Hat Co.

Lead