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U. S. WEATHER BUREAU REPORT

WEEK ENDING MARCH 31, 1909.

Daily mean temperature 32°. Normal temperature 35°. Highest temperature 64° on 25th. Lowest temperature 17° on 30th. Range of temperature 47°. Precipitation for week .00 of an inch. Average for 21 years .33 of an inch. Precipitation March 1st to date 1.14 inches. Average for 21 years 1.15 of an inch.
JOHN J. McLEAN, Observer.

W. N. Bliss, of near Kilgore, was in Valentine on business Tuesday.

John Shelbourne, jr., of near Sparks, had business in town Tuesday.

John Neiss is down from the reservation attending the thoroughbred stock sales.

Born to Julius Schrom and wife Sunday morning, March 28, 1909, a nine pound girl.

Some thoughtless boys who broke up the park seats, filled up the spring and committed other depredations should take warning. It means 30 days in jail and a fine of double the amount of damages. Do you want to go up against it?

Cherry Valley Cracklings.

Mrs. Wm. Klingaman returned recently from a six weeks' visit in Chadron.

Mrs. T. Hoefs returned recently from a month's visit with relatives in Texas.

Bert and Roy Klingaman have quit school and are feeding cattle on Goose creek.

Some of the Cherry Valley school boys received 100 in the last examination.

Miss Vera Latta of Simeon was visiting Mrs. Edythe Latta and Miss Myrtle Klingaman last week.

The CVS and the PVS boys played their first baseball game Sunday, the latter winning; score 17 to 14.

Mrs. Edythe Latta is making preparations to move onto her homestead which joins the berg of Woodlake.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Schleuter departed from Woodlake Thursday for a short visit with their daughter, Mrs. Clark, in Colorado.

We understand that Cherry Valley was well represented at the band concert on St. Patrick's Day. Five of our boys belong to the band.

Mrs. Victor Bird and children have returned from Norfolk where the children were attending school. Harry's health became so poor he had to give up school work.

A surprise party was given at Wm. Klingaman's March 21, in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Roy Klingaman and Vera Latta. It is reported that everybody enjoyed themselves to the utmost. A guessing contest was one of the leading features. A prize was given to the young lady who could guess the most correct answers, and it was awarded to Miss Ruth Ward.

AUNT MARIA.

South Lake.

Dan Barnes went to Cody on business this week.

Mrs. E. J. Russell has been very ill but is improving.

Mrs. Dan Truax visited in this neighborhood Sunday.

E. R. Barnes, who has been quite ill, is recovering.

Elmer Barnes was in Cody this week to bring out a load of freight.

Harry Beauchamp has been spending a few days visiting home folks.

Rev. Hunt conducted services at the Barnes school house last Sunday.

Robert Hines has moved his cattle from C. R. Wolfiden's to his home ranch.

Wilbur Kirk and Zan Gillaspie were in Cody last week to bring out lumber to repair the school house.

E. Burgett and wife of Valentine came out to the T O ranch recently. Mrs. Burgett will be housekeeper.

A Sunday school will be organized at Barnes school house next Sunday. Everybody is cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Bauersach has moved on the property he recently purchased from Jap Wallingford and will bring his family soon.

Mrs. A. E. Barnes, who has been very ill, at the home of her daughter near Ainsworth, is improving and will soon be able to return to her home.

The school house in district No 91, having outgrown, the enterprising citizens of this neighborhood, with Zan Gillaspie and Geo. Teller as boss carpenters, proceeded to take out one side of the building and build on an addition 10x16 feet. After about ten days arduous labor we have a fine building 16x24. School began Monday with an enrollment of 26, and Miss Effie Echtenaw as teacher.

St. Nicholas Church.

Services will be held in the Catholic church as follows:

In Arabia on Saturday, April 3 at 10 a. m.

In Valentine on Sunday, April 4.—Palm Sunday. First mass at 8 a. m. High mass and sermon at 10 a. m. Blessing of the Palms before high mass.

At 3 p. m. instruction for the children.

LEO M. BLAERE, Rector.

Confession of Story

(Continued from page 1)

slow and let your mind go back to that very moment before you speak a word. Now, slowly, what did you do when he called you a son of a b—?"

"I said, I don't take a son of a b— off of no man, and sprang for him and tried to knock him down, but he was too many for me and warded off my licks, and soon planted a heavy blow on my breast, which showed me that I could not knock with him. So, having been pretty handy in former days in wrestling, I thought to clinch him and by some wrestling trick might get the advantage of him and whip him yet. But no sooner had I clinched him than he showed me that I could not hold him. In clinching him it happened that his left side was brought up to my breast and my left arm around in front of him, and in his grasp. My right hand was hold of him about the back of the neck, and all of a sudden, quicker than a flash, I lost all my madness and fright took its place. In a glance I saw that he could handle me, and no one to interfere, and as we were clinched I felt him releasing himself from me, I feared for my life, and there seemed no possible way for my safety but to shoot. My right hand was not encumbered by Fred, and, it being at his back, and it was now or never, for in another second he would have me so I could not shoot. I dropped my right hand to my gun, which was in my hip pocket, and placed it to the back of his head, that being the handiest for my right hand, and shot."

"Sam, the coroner's inquest says he was not shot, to which Sam replied:

"I say that he was shot."

"Well, go on, Sam."

"As he fell out of my arms I looked around to see if I was observed by anyone. No one was in sight, and as I went to throw him into the river to cover my deed, remembering that he had a little money which would help me in flying the country, I hastily took this from his pocket."

"Sam, did you know Fred had this money when you left Douglas?"

"Yes, we each knew that the other

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er had a little money."
"Sam, was Fred a willing participant in the arguments that led up to the fight?"
"Yes Sir, he was."
"Did either of you try to call it off at anytime?"
"No Sir, we did not."
"Sam, when the skull is examined will that skull speak the same words to us that you have spoken, as to the shot and the bullet being a 32 automatic steel bullet?"
"Yes Sir."
"Did you like Fred?"
"Yes, or I would not have chummed with him."
"Was he a pleasant chum?"
"Yes, very pleasant."
"Had you any chances to kill Fred on this journey before?"
"Lots of chances, but no such a thought ever entered my mind."
"Did you not come to Valentine purposely to do this crime, knowing the country with all its hills and hollows?"
"No, we expected to get clear down to Long Pine on that same train, but was put off here at Valentine, nor had I any thought of committing the crime until in the same second which I did it."
"Were you frightened?"
"Yes, desperately frightened, at the time I shot."
"What was the immediate cause of your fright—was he threatening to brain you?"
"No, he threatened nothing with his mouth, but his actions were fierce and able."
"Do you now believe, since you think back, that you might have avoided the tragedy?"
"Yes, because Fred was a pleasant dispositioned chum."
"If you had said, 'Chum, let's call it off,' what would Fred probably have said and done?"
"I think he would have quit at once, and made friends."
"Sam, do you want a trial?"
"Well, I don't know what to do Mr Latta."
"Well Sam, it might cost our country from one to three thousand dollars, and I don't know as a trial would do you any good, but it might be best for a jury to name the degree in which your crime belongs. A jury could pass upon this with nearly no cost to the county, and no matter about the cost, I believe that you have some rights in this matter. Now, poor fellow, I guess I must go to Mr. Rosseter."
"Well, Mr. Latta, I hardly know what to do. Won't you come in and advise me?"
"Don't you want an attorney?"
"No, I don't believe I do, but I might want a little assistance in getting my confession before the jury."
"Well Sam, I will submit this matter to two or three of the boys and will report to you later, if agreeable to Mr. Rosseter."
"Mr. Latta, Mr. Rosseter will let you come in to see me, because he has been kind to me from the start considering."
"All right, Sam, good bye."
"Good bye, Mr. Latta."

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