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**PRESIDENT
WILL RECEIVE**

Methodist Protestant Delegates at the White House Thursday Afternoon of This Week.

By Associated Press.
Washington, D. C., May 23—President Roosevelt today invited the delegates of the Methodist Protestant conference to be received at the White House Thursday afternoon. The invitations were accepted. The President went this afternoon to Groton, Mass. to attend the annual prize competition there tomorrow.

POLICE COURT

James Morgan is Sent to Jail For Thirty Days—"Black Diamond" Gets Into Trouble Again—Eight Prisoners Are Attended To.

Mayor Shields gave his attention to eight prisoners Monday morning at the regular session of police court. James Morgan was up for the third time in the history of the present administration for appearing upon the streets of the city in a state of intoxication. The full dose was given him and in default of the payment he was sent to jail for thirty days.

Fred Jones, more familiarly known as "Black Diamond," was fined ten dollars and costs for being drunk, fighting and resisting an officer. Policemen Simms and White had some difficulty in arresting him on the P. J. Glaney corner Saturday night. Three plain franks were sent over for three days each and one was released on payment of a three dollar fine.

UNDERWENT SERIOUS OPERATION

Mrs. Margaret Harris, of Point Comfort, underwent a serious operation at the City hospital Sunday afternoon. She has been suffering from a tumor for many years and her condition was such that an operation was deemed necessary to save her life. She withstood the operation all right but she is in a very critical condition, with favorable chances for recovery.

DR. KING WILL LECTURE.

Dr. R. L. King, of Marietta, Ohio, will deliver a lecture in the Prides' chapel, A. M. E. church Wednesday evening at 8:20 o'clock, having for his subject "His trip through the Holy Land." He is a learned gentleman and a lecturer of considerable renown and comes here highly recommended. All who are fortunate to attend the lecture will be highly entertained and much profited. Dr. King preached in the chapel Sunday night for Rev. G. C. Sampson.

TWO CANDIDATES INITIATED.

Two candidates were initiated into the local council of United Commercial Travelers at the meeting held in U. C. T. hall in the Smith building Saturday night. They were Ignatius Edinger, of the Clarksburg Wine & Liquor Co., and Thomas Boehm, traveling salesman for Armstrong, Crislip, Day & Co. The meeting was well attended and considerable important lodge business was transacted.

RECOVERS FROM PNEUMONIA.

Charles M. Sperry, of Austin, W. Va., who has been a patient at the Kessler hospital with pneumonia, has recovered. He was discharged from the hospital Monday morning and he returned to his home.

Deputy Sheriff A. A. Lang was in Phillippi Monday on business.

Guy Sinsel is here from Phillippi on business and the guest of friends.

Rev. Benjamin Stout, of Bridgeport, was here Monday morning enroute to Lost Creek to officiate at a funeral.

L. Wayman Ogden was at Glen Falls Monday morning on business.

Col. M. J. Francis was here Sunday night.

H. C. Sample, of the Fairmont Free Press, was here Monday morning, returning home from the National Editorial Association, which was held at the World's Fair in St. Louis.

Captain M. G. Sperry has returned from the World's Fair, where he attended the National Editorial Association.

Col. T. B. Seely returned Sunday evening from Marietta, where he arranged for the drilling of another well on his oil territory in Ohio.

Mrs. W. P. Goff left Sunday evening for Baltimore on a visit to friends.

David Davidson went to Atlantic City Sunday night.

Ernest Randolph was a business visit or here Monday from Salem.

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CRUISER WAS BLOWN UP.

By Associated Press.
St. Petersburg, May 23—The report that Rear Admiral Jensen blew up the protected cruiser, Bogatry, which ran on rocks near Vladivostok, is confirmed.

CRISS SELLS HIS INTEREST.

George R. Criss has sold his interest in the Criss & Clauson meat market at Adamston to his partner, F. M. Clauson, and the partnership has been dissolved. Mr. Criss, however, has been retained to manage the business.

PATIENT RECOVERS.

James Lewis, son of Becca Lewis, who has been a patient at the Kessler hospital for the past several weeks with typhoid fever, has recovered and returned to his home.

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F. J. Ehret was here Monday from Salem.

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**TRADERS GRAND OPERA
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Thomas A. Edison's Moving Pictures will be presented on Monday and Tuesday nights, May 30 and 31, at the Traders Grand opera house. The pictures each evening will be entirely different so that patrons will enjoy attending both evenings. They are produced with all the realism of life, being humorous, instructive and refined; some times passing from the dramatic to the ridiculous. "Laugh and the world laughs with you," is the motto. All lovers of a pure, refined, innocent and moralistic amusement can have their share of hearty laughter Monday and Tuesday nights, May 30 and 31. Special attractions for children. Following are some of the attractions: "The Rise and Fall of the Great Napoleon, The Sarc-Crow Tramp, Disagreeable's Railroad Passengers, The Unappreciated Joke, The Great Train Robbery, In twelve acts, The Star Spangled Banner, Tables Turned (He who laughs last, laughs best), Her Sweet Smile Haunts Me Still (dedicated to the matrimonially inclined young men), etc. Prices, 15, 25 and 35 cents. Tickets will be on sale at Sturm's drug store, Saturday, May 28. m23-8td

**DANCE "THE PARK ON
TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 24**

On Tuesday evening, May 24, Prof. Conkle, the dancing master, will give his second dance at the Union Land park. This dance has been arranged for the benefit of the business people who were not able to be present Saturday evening on account of the stores being open. Many of the city's leading young people will be in attendance and a fine time is assured all who attend. Prof. Shaw will have charge of the music which is a guarantee that all present will be delighted. The theatre building will be reserved entirely for the dancers and their friends. m23-1t

J. E. Sutton was here Monday from Salem attending Circuit court.
Horses For Sale—At M. D. Sturt's barn, Traders alley, between Main and one streets. Have some good drivers, as well as other kinds for sale. Also have on hand four good single livery horses and buggies to hire out. m23-6t
C. A. Durban, of the Rosebud mine spent Sunday with B. F. Hornor of this city.
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