

NEWS OF ALEXANDRIA

Continuance Granted in the Schneider Case.

THINKS ENEMIES HOUND HIM

Lee Gorham Tells Police Justice that He Shot Edgar Padgett While Under the Hallucination that Foes Were Pursuing Him—City Council to Hold Meeting To-night.

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Alexandria, Va., Oct. 7.—When the case of Linden L. Haddock, charged with shooting and severely wounding Justice Schneider, was called before Justice Caton, in the police court, to-day, a continuance was entered, on account of the inability of the complainant to appear by reason of his injuries. It was stated that the Schneider boy had received about eighty small shots in his body. In the opinion of Dr. M. W. O'Brien, who attended him, he will not be able to appear in court for several days. Justice Caton released Malcolm Elliott and Milton Elliott, who were companions of Haddock at the time of the trouble, and who were accessories to the shooting. The police have recovered the gun with which, it is alleged, Schneider was shot. It was found hidden on the Maryland side of the river, opposite this city, where Haddock went immediately after firing on Schneider. As before stated, both the complainant and the accused are boys, Schneider being about thirteen and Haddock fifteen years old.

Says Shooting Was Accidental.

According to the story told by Lee Gorham in the police court to-day, when he appeared to answer the charge of drunkenness and discharging a gun on the street, he started out from his home in the northwest section of the city, last Saturday night, armed with a gun, in search of supposed enemies, who figured in a delusion entertained by Gorham that he was being hounded by foes. On the doorstep his horse stumbled, and the weapon was discharged accidentally. Two shots from the gun lodged in the face of Edgar Padgett, who was standing near by. Mr. Padgett was painfully, but not seriously, injured. In his own behalf Gorham told Justice Caton that he did not fire the gun intentionally, and that he was not fully aware of what he was doing at the time. Justice Caton imposed a fine of \$5 on the charge of disorderly conduct, but dismissed the other charge.

The city council will hold its first meeting after the summer recess to-morrow night, when a number of matters that have accumulated since the last session will come up for consideration. Among other things it is expected that measures connected with the improvement of the streets will be acted upon. During the summer extensive improvements have been made on the roadways of North Washington street and King street, from Fayette street to the corporation line.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington Herb Company, held in this city to-day, the following directors were chosen for the ensuing term: Clarence Corson, M. M. Flannery, J. P. Tower, W. W. Wright, and G. W. Brown. Mr. Corson was elected president and treasurer, and Mr. Flannery was chosen secretary and general manager.

With liabilities given at \$10,000 and assets at \$20,000, James McCuen, a well-known dealer, who conducts a general grocery and liquor store at the corner of Alfred and Gibson streets, made an assignment to-day for the benefit of his creditors. C. J. W. Summers is named as trustee. The deed of assignment was placed on record to-day in the Corporation Court.

Mrs. Emma R. Cottrell died suddenly this morning at the home of her husband, James W. Cottrell, 307 North Columbus street. Her death was unexpected, although she had been a sufferer from asthma for some time. She was a native of Pennsylvania, and was forty-six years of age. Arrangements for the funeral will be made later.

SMALL CROWD AT RACES.

Lady May Indulges in a Walkover at Richmond State Fair.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—A small crowd presented itself on the opening day of the State fair, but betting was brisk, and the bookies took lots of loose change on the favorites.

Lady May had a walkover against the field in the first race. Sallie C. was good all around in the second, and Finch took a chance with Miss Peeler in the third, getting the best of it at the finish. Summaries:

FIRST RACE—2:20 pace; purse, \$50. Handley, E. F. (Washington), 4 2 3 S. K. Bodsworth, P. V. Shipley, Gable Cook, 2 6 4 Sweetheart, C. F. Bunch, Pleasanton, Col., 2 6 4 Miss Wilcox, W. J. Doughty, Newport News, 2 6 4 Lady May, A. H. Fox, Williamsburg, 1 1 1 Anita, Frank Matty, Strassburg, 3 3 2 Time—2:20, 2:20, 2:20.

SECOND RACE—2:20 pace; purse, \$50. Nelly McZena, A. T. Griffin, Richmond, 3 3 4 Tommy Cox, Montezuma, Richmond, 4 4 4 Westy Medium, Hodes, Guttenberg, 2 2 2 Hazel, Newson, Richmond, 2 2 5 Zella Mack, Bunch, Pleasanton, 2 2 5 Bessie, W. J. Pepper, Rio Vista, 1 1 1 Sally C. Wilson, T. Farn, Harrods Grove, 1 1 1 Time—2:24, 2:24, 2:24.

THIRD RACE—2:12 pace; purse, \$50. Finch, Robert J. Braxler, Richmond, 1 1 1 Miss Peeler, Poreel, Bradford, Pa., 2 2 2 Outsome, W. L. Rhodes, 2 2 2 Time—2:12, 2:12, 2:12.

*Distanced.

CONVENTION IN CALVERT.

G. R. Gathner, Candidate for Governor, and Others Are Speakers. Prince Frederick, Md., Oct. 7.—A big Republican mass meeting was held here this afternoon. The speakers were: George R. Gathner, candidate for governor; Hammond Urner, nominee for attorney general; Thomas Farran, the candidate for clerk of the Court of Appeals, who lives in this county; Representative Sydney E. Mudd, and former Representative Charles E. Schirm.

Gen. L. A. Wilmer, the party's nominee for chief judge in this circuit, was also present, but did not make a speech. The speakers paid special attention to the election laws.

Mr. Gathner discussed at some length the paramount question of fair elections, and then proceeded to take up the questions of State roads and the State tobacco warehouse system.

Kills His Insane Brother.

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 7.—Last night near Farmville, in Pitt County, Thomas Jefferson killed his brother, James, with a piece of stove wood. James had been demented for some time. Thomas claims he acted in self defense, but at the preliminary hearing this morning it was proven that James was asleep. Thomas was committed to jail without bail.

FREE FOR BRIDAL TRIP.

Dr. and Mrs. Rowland Given Ovation by Friends and Relatives. Special to The Washington Herald. Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 7.—Dr. and Mrs. Rowland, who were acquitted Sunday of the charge of poisoning Mrs. Rowland's former husband, Charles R. Strange, have gone to spend their belated honeymoon at the country place of David Gill, uncle of Dr. Rowland, in Vance County. They made a sort of bridal trip of it, because the day after they were married they were arrested, and have been in jail ever since. When they went away quite a party of friends saw them off. Mrs. Rowland carried a huge bouquet, after the manner of a bride. Her sister, who accompanied them, carried another and was a guest of honor in the bridal trip. The unanimous vote of the jury on the first ballot was not guilty.

READY FOR HORSE SHOW.

Thoroughbreds and Harness Performers Arrive at Richmond. Special to The Washington Herald. Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—A host of thoroughbreds and harness performers arrived in Richmond during the day, and when the bugle blows to-morrow night, bringing out a big field of jumpers, lovers of the horse and fashion will behold a thrilling spectacle. The ring, freshly laid with tanbark, is in excellent condition. Officials of the association announced to-day that arrangements had been completed for heating the building with steam pipes, and that the show will be a strike Richmond. This is the first time that the buildings have been ready for heating during any horse show.

JUDGE HOT AFTER LYNCHERS

Instructs Cumberland Grand Jury to Punish Members of Mob.

Severely Arraigns Citizens Who Caused Negro's Death for Slaying Policeman Baker.

Special to The Washington Herald.

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 7.—Chief Judge A. Hunter Boyd, who witnessed the lynching of William Burns, a negro, Thursday night for the murder of Policeman Anderson Baker, to-day charged the grand jury being sworn in his castigation of the work of the mob. He held the lynchers up as murderers. He told the grand jury to make a thorough investigation and to remain in session indefinitely, if necessary, to bring the lynchers to justice.

Judge Boyd went into the causes of the lynching, and held that the law does which were permitted to exist were responsible. These places, he declared, should be investigated by the grand jury and put out of business. The practice of carrying concealed weapons was strongly condemned. State's Attorney A. A. Wilson stated to-day that he had no witness who could identify any of the lynchers. He said that a coroner's jury would be unnecessary as the grand jury would act. Mr. Wilson declares that the lynching had its inception in the statement made by a young lawyer that Burns could not have been convicted of a crime more serious than manslaughter.

The funeral of Policeman Baker occurred this afternoon from his home in this city. The Rev. C. F. Pfofo, pastor of St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, conducted the services. Burial was in Greenmount Cemetery. The pallbearers selected from the police force were Charles Goss, John Triober, John Reuschlein, Frederick Ceders, Harry Roger, Charles W. Orr, John Goss, and George Burrell. Other members of the police force attended in a body. Each of the fire companies of the city had representatives at the funeral. Hundreds of persons attended the funeral.

HURT BY FALL IN SLEEP.

Conductor Dreams It Is Time to Take Out His Train.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Oct. 7.—Dreaming that it was past the time for his train to go out, and that he was running to the station to make the trip, Capt. Thomas P. Lacy, one of the most widely known conductors on the Norfolk and Western Railroad, walked out of a second-story window last night. Capt. Lacy, who runs from this point to Roanoke, Va., slept soundly after his arrival here last night. When he had a realistic dream he raised the curtain, opened the window, and jumped out. He suffered serious injuries by the fall. "All I know about the fall," said Capt. Lacy to-day, "is that I dreamed it was time my train had gone and I was running to the station to make it."

WED WITH FATHER PURSUING.

Young Couple Reaches Rockville in Auto and Secure License.

Rockville, Md., Oct. 7.—At 9 o'clock this morning Charles M. O'Boyle, of Soranton, Pa., and Miss Anna G. Cobleigh, of New York City, came here in an auto, procured a marriage license, and were married by Rev. Philip B. McGuire, of St. Mary's Catholic Church. It was whispered about the courthouse that the bride's father was in hot pursuit of the pair, intent on preventing the marriage, on account of the youth of his daughter. The groom gave his age as twenty-one and that of the bride as seventeen.

FALL FROM LADDER IS FATAL.

James F. Carver, Life-long Resident of Stephen City, Dead.

Special to The Washington Herald. Winchester, Va., Oct. 7.—James F. Carver, a lifelong resident of Stephen City, this county, died Sunday evening from internal injuries sustained by falling from a ladder while picking apples Saturday on the farm of his son-in-law, H. S. Tourant. He was seventy-three years old, and leaves one son and two daughters. He was a Confederate veteran and sexton of Green Hill Cemetery, in which his remains will be buried Tuesday.

CARLIN DECLINES TO DEBATE.

Candidate for Congress Spends but an Hour at Manassas.

Special to The Washington Herald. Manassas, Va., Oct. 7.—To-day was circuit court day here, and Hon. C. C. Carlin, Democratic candidate for Congress, was advertised to speak. He arrived at noon, but there was so much interest here in the election of local candidates, but the Congressional vote on both sides will be light.

GIRL A PICKPOCKET

Rear Admiral Harrington Has His Purse Taken.

YOUNG THIEF NOT CAPTURED

Naval Man While Hearing Bishop of London Discovers Loss of \$50—Several Similar Thefts Reported to the Police at Richmond, Who Are Seeking Organized Band.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—Rear Admiral P. F. Harrington, U. S. N., suffered his pocket to be picked by a woman at Williamsburg on Saturday, during the excitement incident to the open-air address of the Bishop of London, following the presentation of the Bible to the old church. Admiral Harrington was standing almost in the door of the sacred edifice in order to avoid the surging of the crowd. A young and pretty woman also took refuge in the doorway. She stood very close to the side of the admiral for several minutes. It was not until after she had made a hasty exit into the crowd that the admiral discovered that his wallet, which had contained about \$50, was missing. The woman could not be located.

Another Reports Loss.

Another man is reported to have lost a pocketbook, containing a larger sum, in a somewhat similar manner. He also is under the impression that he was victimized by a woman.

Several pockets have been picked within the limits of the city within the last ten hours. The police believe that a band of crooks is following the crowds incident to the Episcopal convention, the horse show, and the State fair, and that one of them is a girl. An effort was made to locate the woman in this city.

BRIDEGROOM REARRESTED.

Fifteen-year-old Boy Jailed on Charge of Incurability.

Special to The Washington Herald. Cumberland, Md., Oct. 7.—Luke McKittrick, the fifteen-year-old boy, who was jailed at Untontown on Saturday on the charge of incurability, because he ran off to Cumberland last Wednesday and was married to Marie Sant, five years his senior, was released to-day, but on reaching the home of his bride, was rearrested and taken back to jail on the original charge. His attorney, R. P. Kennedy, went on his bond. As soon as the news of the boy's release reached his father, the latter made another information before another justice, charging incurability and the young bridegroom was arrested again. Attorney Kennedy's age, according to McKittrick's age, according to the law denies the right of his father to have him, a married man, arrested twice for incurability, bail having been given to answer the charge in court. Although McKittrick's age, according to his father and brother, is not quite fifteen, he swore he was twenty-one years of age in obtaining the license here and that his prospective bride was twenty. Her age was given correctly, but, it is claimed, he made himself six years older than he really is.

WARFIELDS ARE BACK.

Governor and Family Now Settled in Government House.

Special to The Washington Herald. Annapolis, Md., Oct. 7.—The Governor and Mrs. Warfield, accompanied by their oldest daughter, Miss Carrie Warfield, "Emma, Jr.," and maid, and the servants, arrived at Annapolis to-day, after spending the summer at Oakdale, and are now comfortably settled at Government house for the winter. Edwin Warfield, Jr., who is a student at St. John's College, is staying at the mansion for the last two weeks. Miss Louise Warfield, second daughter of the Governor and Mrs. Warfield, who will make her debut this winter, sailed from Cherbourg on October 6, after having spent one year at a school near Paris. She is expected here about the end of the week. Her debutante ball will be given at Government house some time in November, and will be similar in all respects to that in connection with Miss Carrie Warfield's coming out last November.

THREE FAMILIES HOMELESS.

Fire at Richmond Threatens Entire Block of Houses.

Special to The Washington Herald. Richmond, Va., Oct. 7.—Three families were made homeless, W. F. Hopkins was overcome by smoke and heat while attempting to save the house furnishings of a neighbor, and all the house destroyed by fire, which threatened to destroy an entire block of dwelling-houses this afternoon. Miss Nellie Meech, the pretty daughter of Mrs. Rosa L. Meech, wept when she and her mother returned home from their employment this afternoon to find their little home in ruins. Neighbors have opened their homes to the homeless. Mrs. Nellie Meech, the pretty daughter of Mrs. Rosa L. Meech, wept when she and her mother returned home from their employment this afternoon to find their little home in ruins. Neighbors have opened their homes to the homeless.

MARYLAND NEWS IN BRIEF.

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 7.—Arthur E. Harcourt, a newspaper man of Baltimore, and Mark B. Lewis, a student at the Polytechnic Institute, Baltimore, left Cumberland this evening on a canoeing trip down the Potomac to Washington. Cumberland, Oct. 7.—Harvey Forney, a young man of which was the case with Florence Bowers with attempted felonious assault. Miss Bowers alleged that by threats Forney compelled her to accompany him to the yard of the Western Maryland Railroad, in this city. Frederick, Md., Oct. 7.—The managers of the Frederick Fair have added to their already large race programme a special race for Frederick County runners, which will be run on Tuesday, October 22. The race will be for the distance of half a mile for two in three for a purse of \$50. Braddock, Oct. 7.—Miss Catherine E. Dineen and George W. Hedin, both of Washington, were married here to-day by Rev. S. R. White, of the Baptist church. The same minister also married Arthur Lewis Ferguson, of Washington, and Miss Bertha Smith, of Brantwine, Md. Annapolis, Oct. 7.—The Navy Department to-day notified the Naval Academy officials to send the monitors Arkansas and Florida to Baltimore to form part of the usual display in connection with Maryland's home-coming ceremonies next week. The vessels, which are sister ships, are commanded by Commander Harry I. Dumbough and Commander J. P. Parker, respectively. They will sail from Annapolis Saturday.

VIRGINIA AND WEST VIRGINIA.

Winchester, Oct. 7.—John W. Beatty, a Confederate veteran, is dead at Stephen City after a protracted illness, aged seventy-five years. He served under Col. John S. Mosby during the civil war. His widow and two sons survive. Norfolk, Va., Oct. 7.—Miss Cora Shores, the young North Carolina woman reported missing, has been found. She got to Norfolk from her Carolina home all right, but missing relatives who were looking for her, and, being unused to city ways, did not know how to find them. After tarrying here for a few hours, she wisely decided to board the train for the return trip home. Piedmont, Oct. 7.—In a row on the bridge which connects Piedmont and Lake, Robert Schump, of Lake, was stabbed three times in the back, and his assailant is a criminal young man were crossing the bridge when they met three foreigners near the West Virginia side. Some words were exchanged and a free-for-all fight took place.

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Boys' Fall Suits. Our regular \$5 Suits, Special Anniversary price. \$3.95
Men's Fancy Vests. Our regular \$3.50 and \$4 Vests, Special Anniversary price. \$2.35
Boy's Blouses. Our regular \$50c values. Special Anniversary price. 35c
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