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FRIDAY AFTERNOON, DEC. 9, 1921

BRIEFS.

Now that China has an open door, she needs a bouncer.—Washington Post.

But one arrest for drunkenness was reported by the Sunbury police for November.

Sheriff Edward Martin has appointed William Bloom, William Phillips and Capt. John N. Weigle deputies.

Upwards of a quarter of a million dollars is being paid out by Altoona banks to depositors in Christmas and thrift clubs.

A marriage license was issued in Ellicott City, Saturday, to Nimrod Davis, Watersville, and Theresa L. Shipley, Florence.

Dogs have played havoc with sheep in the upper part of Kent county during the past few days. Farmers having lost 20 or more.

A stenographer of Philadelphia took 100,000 words and then fell over in a faint. It was a record for a continuous work of his kind.

Taken ill in the mines of the H. C. Fricke Coke Company at Bridgeport, Fayette county, Louis Dornis, 34, dropped dead as he entered his home.

Setting a steel trap on a tall pole, W. E. Thompson, of near Aberdeen, has captured thus far this fall 23 fan-tails or chicken hawks, six large hen-hawks and two large owls.

Mrs. Ida Mary Tell, wife of William Tell, of Hanover, died Sunday November 29, aged 50 years. Elmer Bollinger, of near this city, is a brother of the deceased.

J. Albert Esh, a farmer of Armagh township, Mifflin county, has been drawn as a grand juror and his wife, Bertha M. Esh, has been drawn as a petit juror to serve at the January term of Court.

Failure to enter the service of the State police is believed to have been responsible for Jacob G. Kemmer, 21-year old, Bethlehem, Pa., sending a bullet through his brain at his home yesterday, death being instantaneous.

Eggs bought by the Michigan Meat packers at 12 cents a dozen are being sold in the same locality at 50 cents a dozen. The testimony given by a grocerman of Bad Axe, Mich., against the packers at a hearing before the Government.

The trustees of the Elkton Presbyterian Church, closed as a result of the factional fight over Rev. Dr. John McElmoyle, "marring parson," have called a congregational meeting for Monday, meeting December 12, to plan for the future.

Roses are in bloom in Louisville, Ky., while we have snow balls here. Harry W. Nice, who was defeated by Governor Ritchie two years ago for the Governorship, is mixed up in the Boulevard Theatre scandal in Baltimore.

A Holstein cow, Kolrain Finnerne Bess, owned by F. F. Field, Dutchland Holstein farms, Brockton, Mass., has a record of 32,563 pounds of milk in one year; slightly more than 1 1/2 tons and in butter fat she produced the equivalent of 1281 pounds of butter.

Mrs. Isaac Coombs, Minersville, Pa., in attempt to lay her hand on the head of her pet dog on her porch, discovered that it was a man's head and a burglar. The burglar beat Mrs. Coombs unmercifully when he found out that he was discovered.

James Johnson, aged 34, colored, was killed Sunday morning in a free-for-all fight by members of a drinking party at Johnson's home, near Media, Pa. When the fight started Johnson threw four men out of the kitchen window, then one of them shot him through the heart and fled.

The City Council of Havre de Grace, against the wish of the Mayor and many citizens, has ordered traffic buttons removed from the streets. We have two buttons at the railroad that won't have to be removed if the automobiles keep running over them, as they will be worn down to the street level.

"Fatty" Arbuckle, who was tried for manslaughter in San Francisco last week, will have to go through another trial January 9. The jury was dismissed after a 11 to 1 for acquittal. A woman hung up the jury by saying, "she would stay in the room till he froze over, before she would vote for acquittal!"

About 6 inches of snow fell in this city and county Sunday, but on Monday it melted away. The State Roads Commission put its snow plows in use for the first time. They opened a path right through the center which made travel good. A few sleighs and a number of sleds were out.

The public sale of personal property of the late Miss Rebecca E. Earhart, Union Mills, was largely attended. Many hunters of antiques came from distant places in search of valuable pieces of old furniture. In that line we might mention the sale of the following articles: Walnut grandfather's clock, Joseph Little, Hanover, \$99; veneered writing desk and secretary, Mrs. Sterling Bixler, near Westminster, \$40.50; walnut bureau, C. M. Hartman, Chambersburg, \$21.50, two gold dollars, C. E. Bankert, Union Mills, \$1.50 and \$1.70.

When the plumber makes a mistake he charges twice for it.

When a carpenter makes a mistake it's just what he expected.

The "Keystone Five" of Gettysburg, will hold a dance in the Armory Saturday night.

William F. Helm and Samuel Greenholtz, this city, have been sworn in as deputies by Sheriff Martin.

Charles Foutz, aged 76 years, of Frederick, dropped dead Saturday, while talking to a neighbor.

Mrs. Jesse Sharrer, Center street, who was operated upon at a hospital in Baltimore, is improving.

A marriage license was issued in Frederick to John W. Spaulding, Baltimore, and Sara M. Nusbaum, Mt. Airy.

Lee I. Hecht, of Havre de Grace, has been appointed one of the receivers for the Federal System of Bakeries, of Maryland.

Mrs. Florence May Staley, of Frederick, died Saturday at Spring Grove Hospital. She was a half sister of Levi Morgan, Mt. Airy.

The County Commissioners passed an order for the sending of Ellen Schwartz, Geo. A. Barnes and Cletus W. Tawney, to Springfield State Hospital, for treatment.

The December meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union will be held at the residence of Mrs. John Bowers Thursday afternoon, December 15, at 2:30 o'clock.

Dr. Thomas Coonan has returned home from the Maryland University Hospital, Baltimore, where he has been undergoing treatment for several weeks. He is much improved.

Mrs. W. L. Simmons, Mrs. C. E. Routzahn, Mrs. Ralph Routzahn and Miss Nettie Miller, Union Bridge, attended the Kooz-Allison wedding in Frederick Friday evening.

Mr. William F. Bricker, the newly elected Register of Wills, took the oath of office before Clerk Mellor, Monday. Messrs. Geo. Lippy and C. Ray Fogle, also were sworn in as deputies.

The County Commissioners organized Monday when the new member, Mr. John H. Repp, succeeding Mr. B. P. Stansbury, took his seat, by electing Mr. Charles W. Melville, president of the board.

George B. Thomas, near Kooz's Chapel, died at the Frederick City Hospital Sunday after an illness of nine weeks, aged 54 years. Mrs. Frank Lucas, Sykesville, is a sister of the deceased.

James Mason, alias "Jim Red," was convicted in the Court of Eastern of operating a still and selling whisky and what is known as "Vip-Vop," and sentenced to one year in the House of Correction.

H. Clay Powell, of Pocomoke City, chairman of the Republican State Central Committee, has been appointed by Collector of Internal Revenue Tait a deputy collector to succeed I. T. James Brown, resigned.

State Road Policeman Stichberry, of Elkton, discovered four negroes in an automobile evidently planning a hold-up on the North-Elkton road. They had placed several heavy logs across the road, near Charlestown, and were taken to jail at Elkton.

The dearest deer on record in the vicinity of Lewisburg, Pa., will take exactly \$3300 from the pockets of a party of hunters detected in an alleged violation of the game law. According to State game protector, members of the Cooper's Mill camp in the Buffalo Mountains were detected feasting on a doe.

William H. Medford, Republican, who was defeated at the last election in the contest for Clerk of the Court of Dorchester county by 42 votes, will carry the contest to the Legislature. Mr. Medford's Democratic opponent was J. Fred Dunn. Political historians say that such contested elections are rare.

J. T. Hoke, who came to Union Bridge from Louisiana several years ago and bought a farm, has sold his farm and returned to his native State. Mrs. Mollie Haines, New Windsor, has left for South Carolina to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Hume.

Within a few minutes after she had gone singing to her room at her home at 228 South Bouldin street, Baltimore, Friday morning to prepare for work, 17-year-old Marie Birklein was found dead with a bullet in her heart and her father's revolver lying beside her. It may have been prompted by a secret love affair.

The York Motor Club is posting "Speed Trap" notices in garages, repair shops and other places throughout the county where the cards will come to the notice of owners and drivers of automobiles. Motorists are warned about West York, Hallam and Wrightsville. "Obey the law and avoid trouble" is the advice printed on the card.

A pretty double wedding with Claude E. Eyer, Linwood, and E. Lucille Warfield, Frederick, and Walter L. Brandenburg, Linwood, and Mary E. Warfield, Frederick, as the contracting parties, was solemnized at the parsonage of the Methodist Episcopal church, Frederick, on Wednesday afternoon, November 30, by the pastor, Rev. J. O. Wrightson. Only the immediate friends of the families attended. The Misses Warfield are sisters.

Homicides in Baltimore for the current year show an unprecedented number for any similar period in many years if not in the history of the city, according to statistics compiled at Police Headquarters. Of a total of 53 reported from January 1 to November 30, inclusive, domestic troubles served as the principal motive for at least two-thirds of the killings. Guns played an important part in the matter of methods used, nine-tenths of the victims having come to their death from them.

The tax rate for Baltimore City for 1922 will be \$2.97 on the \$100.

Miss Barbara Baily, aged 22 years, Long Island City, received \$30,000 for two broken legs. She was struck by an automobile.

Joseph L. Wilson, of Baltimore, was fined \$127.50 and sentenced to 30 days in jail for running down and seriously injuring Round Sergeant Reifner, of that city, Monday.

Roy Grove and Wes Hale, negroes, were taken from their homes, near Snow Mill, Ga., late Sunday night and lynched and Aaron Birdsong, who is alleged to have shot and wounded two white men, was shot and killed by a posse.

Mr. Lee M. Ray, secretary and treasurer of the Brilliant Manufacturing Company, sign manufacturer, of Philadelphia, was found dying from a bullet wound at his home in Pocomoke City shortly after 1 o'clock last Thursday. He committed suicide.

One of both eyes of 606 industrial workers in Pennsylvania have been blinded this year and 344 eyes have been lost by accidents during the past five years, according to reports of the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation of the State Department of Labor and Industry.

Mr. Harry Dull, near this city, killed two hogs last Thursday that weighed 550 and 475 pounds. Those who helped to butcher them were Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Dull and family, Arthur Mumford, and Lewis Zentgraf, of Warfieldsburg. A fine dinner was served, consisting of all the good eats of the season.

A subscription dance for the benefit of shell-shocked soldiers at the Foster Clinic, Sykesville, will be held by the Baltimore Chapter R. C. Canteen Auxiliary Friday night at Lehmann Hall, Baltimore. The proceeds from the dance will be used to help erect a memorial building on the grounds of the clinic.

A blackhand feud that culminated in an attack by four men on the tobacco store and shoe shining stand of Anthony Aemmacro, familiarly known as "Italian Joe," in Johnsburg, Pa., late Monday night, resulted in a reign of terror for more than half an hour, during which residents of the town armed and took part in the battle. Two persons were killed and four were wounded.

With ducks and geese not going south until late in the season, caterpillars crawling over twigs in the woods, angle worms still near the surface of the ground, mosquitoes dancing in the glades at sundown and fire flies flickering at night, hornet weather prophets claim they have every right to predict that this will be an open winter, irrespective of what the temperature right now is, or is not.

With the rendering of a verdict in favor of the County Commissioners of Harford County for \$2,409.96, the suit brought against William J. Shanahan, treasurer of Harford county for the eight years ended May 1, 1915, by the County Commissioners, was brought to a close Saturday. The case had been on trial before Judge Duncan and a jury at Towson for two weeks. It was one of a series of seven brought to recover certain uncollected taxes alleged to be due Harford county.

Sleet this week, a blizzard next week that will tie up the whole country, a white Christmas and a regular, tough, old-time winter are promised by Gus Luckenbill, the weather prophet of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway, at Philadelphia. Gus gets this stuff first-hand from the moon, the stars and the planets, and is willing to stake his reputation on it. He has been predicting the weather for 15 years and the times he has missed it he can count on the fingers of his right hand.

Among the charges circulated in pamphlet form, in Montgomery county, during the recent political campaign was one that the office of State's Attorney for that county had, for a period of one year, cost the county \$12,383.93. State's Attorney Thomas L. Dawson, in charge of the office during the period referred to, has issued a statement denying this and explaining that the sum did not exceed \$3100, and that it included money expended in the investigation of the Sandy Spring bank robber and murder cases and a number of other important cases.

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