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FRIDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 1, 1922

BRIEFS

Mr. O. R. Emigh, of York, Pa., was in this city Wednesday.

Mr. Charles E. Fink, of Baltimore, is spending his vacation here.

Mrs. James E. Smith has been made a notary public by Governor Ritchie.

Two residences are being built on Pennsylvania avenue.

Several cases of scarlet fever has been reported in this city.

The Blue Mountain express will stop at Union Bridge hereafter.

Miss Helen Diffenbach, of Baltimore, is spending some time in this city.

Miss Bertha Drach, of Linwood, is a guest of Mrs. Helen Tracy, West Main street.

Mrs. George Eckenrode, East Main street, is spending several days in Baltimore, visiting relatives.

The B. & O. R. R. strikers at Brunswick have lost their seniority and also their annual passes over the road.

Mrs. Annie R. Schaeffer, of Hagerstown, spent several days in this city.

Miss Marguerite Shunk, East Main street, is visiting Miss Della Sell Sowmy, Redville, Va.

Mrs. Lenora Spencer, a nurse of the Maryland University Hospital of Baltimore, is enjoying a three week's vacation at her home, near Bird Hill.

Miss Mildred Eckenrode, this city, spent several days the past week with her aunt, Mrs. William Thompson, at Montebello Terrace.

Major and Mrs. R. B. Creecy returned to their home in Washington, D. C., after spending several weeks in this city.

Miss Mary Lynch and Mr. Raymond Moselain, both of Baltimore, are visiting at the home of Miss Ida Lockard, Fair Ground Hill.

Miss Nanny Massicot, of Baltimore, is spending some time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Massicot, Pennsylvania avenue.

Misses Grace and Marguerite Browning, of Baltimore, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ezra Stem, East Main street.

Miss Norma Richardson returned to her home in Baltimore, after spending several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ditman.

L. G. Mathias, of Hagerstown, spent last week's end with Edward L. Kauffman, Jr., of Elkheim farm, near this city.

Miss Jeanette Jerome, this city, and a party of friends from Baltimore, spent last week's end at Colonial Beach.

A white snake captured alive near Hallville, Texas, recently has been sent to the Smithsonian Institution at Washington for classification.

Mr. Walter Arnold, of this city, an employee of The United States Fidelity & Guaranty Co., Baltimore, is enjoying a two week's vacation.

The new county jail at Centreville, erected at a cost of \$25,000, contains one prisoner, a colored boy serving a five-months sentence for forgery.

Holmes Lockard, of Maryland State Normal School, spent the week's end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lockard.

Mrs. George Sprinkle and children and Miss Annie Mitchell have returned to Baltimore. They were very much pleased with their trip.

Mr. Clarence Valentine and Mr. William Martin, of Creagerstown, were Sunday guests of the latter's brother, Mr. Howard Martin, near Cranberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Myers, East Main street, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Myers, Pen Mar.

It is reported that the wife of former Congressman William A. Andrews, of Cambridge, will be a candidate for sheriff of Dorchester county.

Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Dull and five children, Gladys, Monroe, Rachel, John and Ruth, all of near Warfieldburg, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Harry Dull.

Mr. George L. Stocksdale, this city, spent the week's end with his wife at Ocean Grove, N. J. Mr. Stocksdale announced that his wife is not improving very fast.

Mr. Jefferson Hooper, of Taylorsville, made a business trip to this city Tuesday. Mr. Hooper says he is enjoying good health and is increasing in weight with it.

Mary T. Meddens, aged 48, at Lewes Del., died after a brief illness. She was one of the largest women in Lower Delaware, weighing more than 400 pounds.

Uncle William Haines, of New Windsor, was a caller to our town this week. He is one of the old Jackson Democrats and always votes his ticket as it is made, saying, "it is always better than the Republicans."

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Swinderman, wife and little daughter, Mrs. George Rickell, Adam and Dewey Rickell and Roland Holmes spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Annie Staub and Mr. Harry Dull.

Declaring that she "deserved to be shot," Mrs. Margaret Maher, New York, refused to lodge a complaint against her husband, George, who shot her five times June 28. One of the bullets is still lodged in her spine.

A concrete pavement was laid from the railroad to Liberty street in front of the Farmer's Fertilizer & Feed Company. The old stone pavement has been nearly a half a century service and was very uneven.

To avoid striking two ladies Saturday afternoon at the corner of Main and Center street, a woman driver ran her car up on the pavement against a tree, damaging the car slightly.

An advance agent to a circus which is shown in Baltimore stopped off here Saturday to arrange a date for an exhibition, but on account of the water rate, abandoned this city and went to Hagerstown.

Maryland is very definitely on the automobile map of the United States. With the 1922 registration of 148,307 motor vehicles to a population of 1,449,661, according to the census of 1920, there is one such vehicle to every 9 3/4 persons in the State.

Timely discovery of a 20-ton iron casting that had toppled off a flat car at a curve, a mile west of Northumberland, Pa., classification yards of the Pennsylvania Railroad early saved a Philadelphia-Williamsport express train from crashing into the obstacle.

Howard Meyers, of Chicago, participant in the 1914 Olympic games at Stockholm as a representative of New York, who committed suicide by drinking poison in a loop drug store Saturday morning, killed himself because his wife ran away with his best friend.

William Knox, a 40-year-old-colored man, supposed to have been crazed went on a rampage Monday morning in Philadelphia. As a result he now lies dead in Jefferson Hospital, and one of his victims, Ernest C. Treflinger, Jr., is in a serious condition in Hahnemann Hospital.

Charles Summers, who was knocked down and robbed in the locker room of a Williamsport factory several weeks ago, is searching for his assailant to reward him for having restored by the blow he struck Summers on the head the sight of a useless eye.

McSherrystown base ball team defeated Patapsco, at McSherrystown, Sunday afternoon by the score of 7 to 2. The game was well played for 5 innings the score being 1 to 0, but the next inning Patapsco weakened and the home team rolled up six runs in the next four frames.

At Salem, O., several girls were tossing a ball around in the lake during a storm. There was a flash of lightning and four of the members of the party were knocked down. Others went to their aid and when they were lifted from the water, two were found dead.

Six persons were killed when a Maine Central Railroad train struck an automobile at a blind crossing, near Waterville, Me. A baby girl was the sole survivor of the party of seven in the automobile. The infant was thrown 30 feet from the tracks and escaped with minor bruises.

Wm. Fogle, Union Bridge, who was thrown beneath the milk train and had a foot severed at Linwood on June 18, and taken to a hospital, returned last week. The injured member was amputated above the knee and his quick recovery is regarded as almost miraculous. It is said he has already ordered an artificial limb.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pfoutz, Linwood, motored to Chambersburg, Pa., last Friday to the home of Mr. Daniel Pfoutz. When he started for home in the afternoon, John Pfoutz, their nephew, left with a party of Boy Scouts. When Mr. Pfoutz arrived home he received word that his nephew had drowned while in swimming.

Hector Lefever, a poultryman of South Vineland, N. J., was astounded when on opening his henhouse door a big hen hawk flew furiously into his face, nearly knocking him down. The hawk had been locked up with the chickens all night, but did not disturb them. After vanquishing Lefever the would-be thief flew away.

William Delong, an alleged deserter from the Marine Corps, was arrested at Shamokin, Pa., Sunday by his father, who had letters from the Navy Department telling him of the desertion. When the son turned up at Shamokin, the father, with visions of a \$50 reward for the arrest of a deserter, took him to League Island.

Singleton Dorum, Charles street, for his faithful service during his time while working as a drayman for the late E. O. Grimes, was remembered by the deceased. Mr. Grimes gave his team and all equipment that went with them to Singleton, who will carry on the business in his name, hereafter.

Angered by his brother's refusal to consent marrying his 14-year-old daughter, Irving Barnett, 29, a merchant, shot and killed the child, Samuel Barnett, in the home of her father, Hyman Barnett, at Passaic, N. J., Sunday. He then shot himself in the head, dying in a hospital an hour later.

Albert Cowatt was rejoicing over his escape from death when a train struck two automobiles at a grade crossing. Thrown from the car he was driving to the top of the locomotive, he clung to the smokestack, and when the train stopped at a station 15 yards from the scene of the accident, he climbed down. Except for minor bruises he was uninjured. A woman was killed and another woman and a man were injured seriously in the accident.

Sunbury, Pa., is excited by the finding of a strange animal in the Susquehanna river there. The beast looks like an alligator and feels like one, but makes a strange hissing noise at night. It refused to eat meat and snifed at a young fresh fish. A little green clover was put before it and the beast nosed around and chewed a little.

Recently Mr. Wm. Patterson of Butler, Baltimore county, purchased a threshing machine outfit and while threshing at the farm of Joseph Kessler, some one had placed a stick of dynamite in a sheaf of wheat and it blew up the machine. Fortunately the machine was a self feeder and no one was hurt, but the thresher was badly damaged.

A sentence to spend two nights in his horse's stall, meanwhile turning the animal out to pasture, was imposed upon Raymond W. Putman, of Wakefield, Mass. Putman was charged with having failed to provide proper food and shelter for his horse. The judge said that if the horse showed improvement at the end of two weeks he would not set any further penalty.

Oliver Evans, while on a threshing crew, was killed Monday night and four others were injured seriously, three probably fatally, when a threshing engine boiler, exploded about 9:30 o'clock on the farm of Dale Green, Piqua, Ohio. Green's home was wrecked by the explosion and the engine was utterly destroyed by the blast which is believed to have been caused by lack of water in the boiler.

Sam Lippe, New York, a letter carrier for 15 years, was arrested Saturday for stealing two \$1 bills and a cheap watch from the mails. Released on bail, he went home and committed suicide. Near his body was found this note to his office: "I have committed a wrong in the post office which disgraces me for the rest of my life. I will try to be a better man in the next world."

Those who visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amphrey Walker and children, of Lineboro, on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Laughman, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Winand, Mrs. John Miller, Russell Rohrbaugh, Hilda Bailey, Mary Annie, and Lillie Laughman, Erma, Mammie, Walter, Ralph, Herbert, Lester and George Winand, Emily and Eleanor Miller.

Postmaster Frank L. Bennett, Republican, of Hagerstown, has gotten himself into an embarrassing position. He tried to have two clerks—Democrats of course—fired after they would not resign. Bennett says their services were unsatisfactory. The clerks have prepared papers in retaliation, setting forth 10 violations of postoffice rules committed by Mr. Bennett and are preparing to file them with the Federal Government.

Lightning, coming through the side of the bedroom where she had gone to close a window, during a terrific storm, instantly killed Myrtle, the 14-year-old daughter of Charles Stewart, a farmer of Mount Holly, N. J. The bolt made a clean hole about two inches in diameter, struck the child and did no further damage. When it was discovered by members of the family that the house had been struck, an investigation revealed the child's lifeless form on the floor.

Clerks employed in postoffices throughout the United States will during the remainder of the summer season be permitted to enjoy a half-holiday each Saturday providing the work assigned to them has been completed by noon on that day, under an order issued Friday by First Assistant Postmaster-General Barlett. The order will be enforced at the discretion of postmasters, who will determine what clerks are to be relieved and when, in their opinion, all duties have been performed.

Missing since the evening of July 4, when she disappeared from her home following a slight quarrel with her husband, the body of the young wife of Oliver Marter, prominent farmer of Woodlawn, N. J., was found in a cornfield on the farm Saturday afternoon, within a few hundred yards of the dwelling. Her husband's revolver, which Marter reported to the police had disappeared from his automobile, was beside the decomposed body, indicating that the young woman had committed suicide.

Mrs. William Woodall, about 55 years old, was accidentally shot and instantly killed by her husband, Sunday morning at her home at Walton. They had a tame fox which stray dogs had been chasing. Sunday morning Woodall, seeing one of the dogs coming toward his house, picked up his gun and started out to shoot it. As he went out the kitchen door the gun was discharged, the lead hitting his wife, standing on the porch, and killing her instantly. Woodall did not know she was anywhere near until he heard a fall and saw her on the floor dead.

While walking the tracks of the D. L. & W. Railroad late Sunday night, Pearl Luskuski, 19 years old, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., stumbled and fell in an effort to get out of the way of a freight train. Realizing that she could not get to her feet and reach safety, the girl crouched close to the ties and remained under the train until 10 cars, the engine and tender had passed over her. The engineer saw the girl, thought she was killed and stopped the train. The crew got her from under the tenth car. She was much frightened, slightly scratched, but was otherwise uninjured.

Stabbed repeatedly by a Japanese servant in her home at Rosemont, Pa. Mrs. Lewis Brinton, wife of Dr. Lewis Brinton, one of the city's prominent physicians, is in the Bryn Mawr Hospital, where her condition is regarded as serious. The servant fought off Miss Elizabeth Brinton, stabbed John Mulligan, the family butler, with his bloody weapon, an ice pick; ran to his room on the third floor and started a fire, with the evident intention of burning the house. Police found him hiding in a closet and subdued him only after he had put up a terrific fight.

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The Lutheran Reunion will be held at Pen Mar next Thursday.

Miss Helen Miller, Madison avenue, is spending a week with relatives in Frederick.

Miss Dorothy McDaniel is spending the summer at Chautauqua, doing library work.

Grace Lutheran Sunday school will hold its annual picnic, Wednesday, July 26, in the grove at Meadow Branch.

The Caroline County School Board has ordered the white schools reopened on September 11, and the colored schools on September 29.

Dr. Wm. R. McDaniel, Vice President of W. M. C., is spending the summer at Chautauqua. He is accompanied by Mrs. McDaniel.

The thirty-third Reformed reunion at Pen Mar was held yesterday. A number from this city attended. Rev. Murray E. Ness had charge of the music.

Misses Eugenie and Loretta des Garennes, this city, have returned from a two weeks' visit to their grandparents, Prof. P. J. des Garennes, at C. S. Naval Academy, Annapolis.

Those who spent Sunday at John T. Yingling's and family were Mr. and Mrs. Theo. F. Yingling, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Yingling and Ellwood Shaffer, of near Hampstead, Md.

Mrs. J. C. Gilbert and Mrs. W. O. Barnes and the latter's father, Mr. John T. Ridinger, of Baltimore, have returned home after a ten days' visit to Atlantic City.

Professor A. M. Isanogle, head of the department of Education, of W. M. C., is attending Hopkins Summer School. He will take courses in Economics and Education.

Miss Margaret M. Robinson, the Dean of Women, at W. M. C., will spend the summer at Columbia University. She will take a course in Social Problems.

Mr. Joseph W. Wimer, near Cranberry, has the finest pen of pigs in this community for their age. They are six weeks old and each pull down the scales 34 pounds strong. This is considered far above the ordinary weight of a pig for the age.

The touring car of Wm. E. Roop, of Meadow Branch, skidded on the State road near Morgan's Run last Saturday and rammed its nose into a concrete culvert, bending the chassis badly. One occupant was cut about the head by the flying glass from the windshield. It took 10 stitches to close the wound.

The new College athletic field will be named "The Hoffa Field." The field is named in honor of Mr. Arthur P. Hoffa, of Barton, Md. He is intensely interested in athletics and believe in athletics as a means of character building. By a generous gift he will make possible the erection of a grandstand on the new field some time this summer or early fall.

Samuel Spray, a farmer near Ridgely, is in serious condition from injuries sustained by falling from a wagon, loaded with cement, the front wheel passing over his face and body. Zion Methodist Protestant Sunday school will hold its picnic, August 12, in the grove adjoining the church, beginning at 12 o'clock. Tickets for the treat will be given out at 2 o'clock. A program has been arranged and music will enliven the occasion.

Motoring to Braddock, Pa., Sunday morning after receiving a mysterious telephone call, Benjamin Casale, pool-room and restaurant proprietor in Pittsburgh, was met by a fusillade of revolver bullets as he stepped from his automobile. Two men who fired the shots within sight of more than a score of persons leaped into a waiting automobile and escaped toward Wilkesbarre. Casale was struck by five bullets, and was hurried to the Braddock General Hospital, where he died two minutes after his arrival.

By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Carroll County passed in Equity cause No. 5391, wherein Maurice Wilson is plaintiff and Richard Wilson and others are defendants, the undersigned Trustee will offer at Public Sale on the premises where Dallas M. Wilson died, intestate, about one mile west of Melrose and Hanover State Road, on

Tuesday, August 15, 1922, at 2 o'clock P. M., all that real estate of which Dallas M. Wilson died intestate, containing

77 Acres and 9 Sq. Perches more or less, that was conveyed by Louisa R. Weaver to Dallas M. Wilson, August 1st, 1899.

This land is improved with a TWO STORY FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, new bank barn and other outbuildings, all of which are in very good condition.

Possession of land will be given at once, and possession of buildings April 1st, 1923.

All growing crops reserved. Down wood for home use until April next reserved.

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Miss Mildred Eckard, of Uniontown, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Elmer Frock, at Cranberry.

Master Harold Eckard, of Uniontown, is spending his vacation with friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Rose Doyle Walsh is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Norman J. Lee, at Perryman, Md.

Mr. Oscar Taylor and family, of Bethel, has moved to his new home on Fair Ground Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Eckard, of Lemnigs, spent Tuesday with Mr. Newton Eckard and family, at Uniontown.

Miss Dorothy A. Hull, of Baltimore, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael E. Walsh, of East Main street.

Union Bridge not only defeated Taneytown this week, but from reports went home with a bunch of long green.

Miss Beryl Summers, a nurse of the Sheppard and Enoch Pratt Hospital, Towson, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Summers, Warfieldburg.

Tuesday night during the Chautauqua some thief stole a new spare tire from the automobile of Mr. Geo. W. Brown, of Brummel, while parked near Bond street.

Yesterday about 11 a. m. two automobiles were in a wreck at Bond and Main street. The occupants were shaken up and the cars damaged slightly.

Westminster continues to lose Wednesday afternoon. New Windsor came here prepared to do the trick. They had an entirely new line up and played ball. The score was 7 to 2.

A blast set off at the quarries at Linwood last week broke the electric light lines of the C. & P. Telephone Company, besides breaking a stone crusher in the quarries and a number of window panes for residents in Linwood. The damage to the electric line put the entire system out of commission for an hour or more.

Fire caused by lightning Tuesday night destroyed the barn on the farm of Jacob Snyder, near Hanover, Pa., and caused a loss which is estimated at \$6,000. The farm is tenanted by Charles Spangler. The greater part of this year's crops was destroyed by the fire, and a calf perished in the flames. The reflection from this fire was plainly visible in this city.

The Gwynn Oak Bus Line which has been running on an afternoon schedule of 1, 2 and 3 o'clock for the last few months was given a shock Wednesday by the Public Service Commission announcing to the management to run on its 3 o'clock schedule which was decided upon by the Commission when the bus line was granted the order.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hoover and daughters, Helen R. and Dorothy N. Hoover, of Ashley, Illinois, are visiting Mr. Hoover's mother, Mrs. Rebecca Hoover and sister, Mrs. David Ebaugh and family, of Hanover, Pa. They will spend several weeks with relatives and friends in these parts before returning home. Mr. Hoover's birthplace is at Hoover's mill, near Melrose, Md. Before leaving these parts he will visit the scenes of his childhood.

Famished and stiff from having no sleep all night doubled up on the floor of his father's stolen automobile, Morris Howard Gibson, 8 years old, of Oella, who is said to have been kidnapped early Wednesday, was found and his alleged kidnapper, James Parker, 32 years old, of Philadelphia, who is said to have kidnapped the child in the father's automobile, was picked up with Morris while walking on the road near Oella. He is believed by the police to have found the child a burden in escaping with the stolen car and was trying to return him to the vicinity of his home to be rid of him.

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