

DAY'S NEWS IN CITIES AND TOWNS OF CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA

FATE OF SLAYERS WITH HIGH COURT

Judge McPherson Holds Law of 1860 Determines Jurisdiction of Trial Place; Reinecker and Collins Remains in Adams County Jail Awaiting Finding

Gettysburg, Pa., Sept. 3. — No opinion was handed down by Judge McPherson when court was in session last week on the motion for a new trial and in arrest of judgment for Charles C. Reinecker, the convicted slayer of George J. Bushman, and many people wondered why the Collins case should receive the attention of the court and not that of Reinecker.

FARM IN FRUIT BELT SOLD HIGH

Largest Grower in Adams County Pays \$23,600 For Property

Gettysburg, Sept. 3. — A record price for farm land in Adams county was established when the 123-acre farm near Bendersville, the property of the Bream estate, was sold at public auction for \$23,600.

Pennsylvanians Go Over Maryland Line to Wed

Hagerstown, Md., Sept. 3. — The following Pennsylvania couples were granted marriage licenses in this city: Harry E. Mitchell and Mary E. Martin, both of Harrisburg; Herman E. Auman, Lewistown, and Sarah E. Huffnagle, Milroy; Charles W. Latchford and Marie K. Baker, both of Newport; Guy H. Fickes and Minnie A. Mack, both of Wellsville; John W. Collins and Gertrude M. Harvey, both of Lewistown; Bertram C. Fisher and Margaret A. Gorsuch, both of Pottsville; Clarence M. Mowery, Camp Hill, and Ada E. Ward, White Hill; George William McK. Bigler and Adeline Rossi, both of Carlisle; Garvin B. Morrow, Shippensburg, and Reba S. Gabler, Harrisburg.

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YORK'S TOBACCO YIELD IN PERIL

Government Official Visits Ten Fields and Finds Prospect Bad

Ephrata, Pa., Sept. 3.—According to Otto Ohlson, of the United States Experiment Station, located near this place, the 1919 tobacco yield in York county will be as big as last year, Mr. Ohlson has just completed a tour of the tobacco fields of York county. He states that from indications on ten fields which he visited it is believed the burley grown will meet with disappointment. Neither will the seed leaf tobacco crop be as heavy as last year, County Farm Agent G. G. Weber stated. He had accompanied Mr. Ohlson on his tour. Growers throughout the Hallam, York and Drumkilly valleys will fare better, the local agent stated.

Peach-Made Ham Comes Out of Berks County

Reading, Sept. 3.—A 6,900-basket crop of peaches is being harvested at the Fritzwitz, Spring township, Orchard and farm of Walter J. Shearer. His men are picking nearly 400 bushels a day and the gross receipts for the crop should reach \$8,000. Some of the fruit measures nine inches in circumference.

Scotland School Gets First Orphaned Child Out of War With Huns

Scotland, Pa., Sept. 3.—The first child, made an orphan by reason of the war with Germany, to be admitted to the Scotland Industrial School here, was received yesterday. The little fellow is Ralph Hutton. He is 6 years old and is a Harrisburg boy. He was received by Superintendent Stewart and soon mingled with the other small wards of the State in the big institution. His father was a Pennsylvania infantryman, who enlisted in the capital city early in the conflict.

Keeps Pledge of Army Chum to Visit Parents

Carlisle, Pa., Sept. 3.—Fulfilling the pledge made in France to his dead "Buddy," John Milbrandt, of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting for a short time in Carlisle. He carried out the request of Doyle Ashburn, of Mount Rock, to visit the latter's parents when he came home. The pledge was made in the Argonne while the two were fighting. Ashburn was killed and Milbrandt gassed, lying on the field nearly a day. The dead boy was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dunlap Ashburn, of Mount Rock, and the two served with the Fourth Infantry. Milbrandt spent Sunday, Monday and yesterday with the Ashburns and is in Carlisle a few days before returning to his home.

Sends Five Bullets Into Body in Suicide Effort

Lebanon, Sept. 3.—Joshua Haak, 24-year-old World War hero, living near Newmarket, who sent five bullets into his head and body on an attempt to take his life, was reported today to be in good condition at the Good Samaritan Hospital. About six months ago Haak returned to civilian life after serving more than a year overseas with Uncle Sam's forces, where he suffered a severe attack of German gas. Four of the bullets have been removed from his body by operation, and probing for the fifth was being done Sunday. Hopes are held out for his recovery, although he is still in a critical condition.

Houses Are Needed For Silk Mill Operators

Wrightsville, Sept. 3.—With the new silk mill about to be placed in operation, Wrightsville is facing a house famine. The plant, when in full operation, will employ 150 hands. Builders here have ceased, owing to the high cost of material.

Red Lion Boy Shoots Himself Through Heart

Red Lion, Sept. 3.—William O. Cooper, eleven-year-old son of Oliver Z. Cooper, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver.

Little Lines From Nearby

York — County Treasurer A. F. Fix issued up until September 1, 618 hunters' licenses. Glen Rock — Two hundred and forty pupils were enrolled yesterday in the Glen Rock schools. Goldsboro — John Prowell, of near here, died Monday afternoon of heart trouble. He was a retired farmer and former supervisor of Newberry township. Dover — The farm of the Jacob Leconte estate, containing 161 acres, near Wrightsville, brought \$15,411.30 at public sale. Oscar May and brother were the purchasers. Windsor — A movement is on foot here to erect a memorial shaft in honor of local war boys. A welcome home service will be held in Grel's hall next Monday evening. Hanover Junction — Albert Gladfelter yesterday resigned as a foreman for the Pennsylvania Railroad company, after continuous service with the company for 43 years. Red Lion — The C. O. Mendel Tobacco Company shipped 21 carloads of tobacco for export during the past week. Of this amount 400,000 pounds were shipped from this place. Founstown — The new Wilson school building, one of the finest township school buildings in this part of the State, was opened with the inauguration of boys 1919-20 term in West Manchester township. Hanover — Death invaded the home of Charles Kessler, this place, yesterday for the second time in the past week, when Ray, a 9-year-old son, succumbed to diphtheria. An 8-year-old daughter died last week.

ENLISTED AGAINST GERMANY TOGETHER

Two Mechanicsburg Soldiers Who Stayed Close to Each Other in War Zones Overseas; Among Last to Reach Their Homes in Old Cumberland



ROBERT R. BENTZ

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Sept. 3.—Enlisting in the United States service shortly after the United States entered the war with Germany, Benson Spangler and Robert R. Bentz, as neighbors and chums in East Main street, hold the unique record of remaining together during the entire war, and returning home in the same capacity. Both were members of the Seventh Field Hospital Corps, and figured in all the great defenses.



BENSON SPANGLER

They then entered Germany with the Army of Occupation. These soldiers who have a splendid record among the last of the Mechanicsburg boys to return, and a warm welcome from home and friends are theirs from there were sent to Camp Merritt, thence to Camp Dix, where they were mustered out of the service. The former is the son of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Spangler and the latter, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Bentz.

SOLDIER'S WIFE DEAD IN CRASH

Sister Also Seriously Injured When Their Motorcycle Hits Automobile

York, Pa., Sept. 3.—One girl is dead and her sister is lying seriously injured at the York hospital as the result of a head-on collision between a motorcycle and an automobile late Monday night, on the Lincoln highway, near Abbottstown. Two York men who were with the girls are also in the hospital, although their injuries are considered less serious. All were occupants of a motorcycle, which was equipped with a side car.

Discarded Squash Vine Persists in Being Fruitful

Waynesboro, Pa., Sept. 3.—Mrs. William Shildes, Casco, Pa., near the Buena Vista Springs station, did not care to have a squash vine growing among her flowers in the yard of her home so, a few weeks ago, she chopped it off and threw it over into a fence corner of the garden. The vine did not give up hope, however, after such rude treatment, and took root and now has a squash almost as large as a man's head on it.

LIKED LEWISTOWN BEST IN ROVINGS

Man Who Died at Dubois at 52 Claimed Town Along Juniata as Home; Was Born in Altoona; Educated and a Bachelor With Many Friends

Lewistown, Pa., Sept. 3.—J. W. Gaffney died a few days ago at Dubois. While born in Altoona he claimed Lewistown as his home. He was a fine mechanic and first came to Lewistown about thirty years ago. Being of a roving disposition he would leave town for a few months or a year then return. He often said this was the best town along the road and insisted it was his home. He had many friends here. He and a barber, Lorenzo Trautner, died the same day from the same cause. Gaffney was aged about 52 years and single. He has a sister in Altoona. He was well educated.

STRIKERS BOUND OVER FOR TRIAL

Of 46 Arrested 35 Are Held For Action of Franklin County Grand Jury

Chambersburg, Pa., Sept. 2.—Forty-six strikers faced Magistrate Van T. Haulman here yesterday afternoon to answer charges of assault and battery in connection with trouble at the Landis Tool Company plant at Greencastle, where workmen were forced by the Waynesboro strikers to leave their jobs. Charges against 10 were dismissed, one case was held under advisement and 35 were bound over for court. The magistrate's office was crowded. The cases likely will be tried at the September sessions before Judge W. Rush Gillan.

WILL HOLD FESTIVAL

Wellsville, Sept. 3.—The Dover band will hold a festival in D. M. Harbold's Grove, near Mt. Airy, on Saturday, Sept. 15.

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WOMAN DIES AT BASEBALL GAME

Stricken After Cheering For Favorite Club at Reedsville Contest

Lewistown, Pa., Sept. 3.—Seized with what is thought to have been apoplexy while attending a game of ball between Presbyterians and the Methodists at Reedsville on Monday evening, Miss Emma C. Worley, of Reedsville, died half an hour later at her home in that place. As spectators were leaving the grandstand they noticed that Miss Worley could not rise. She was taken home as quickly as possible and she died shortly afterwards.

BOOSTERS MAKE MINUTES COUNT

Marietta to Have Big Celebration For Soldiers During This Month

Marietta, Sept. 3.—Committees are at work for the welcome home celebration to be held here on Sunday and Monday, September 14 and 15. It is planned to make it one of the biggest events ever held in the river borough. Howard H. Hanlen, chairman of the electrical committee, is putting in every spare minute and on Labor Day was stringing wire in West Market street to light intersecting strings of lights across the street. During the week the various committees will meet and complete the program. The finance committee is meeting with fair results, although the full amount of \$1,500 has not been secured. There are several who pledged twice since the picnic was abandoned. The majority of the contributions are from the small individual, in amounts ranging from \$1 up.

Arraigned For Murder in Massachusetts Court

York, Pa., Sept. 3.—Harry ("Sneaks") Baker and Eleanor ("Baby Doll") Baker, of this city, were arraigned in criminal superior court yesterday at Worcester, Mass., charged with murder in the first degree of Dwight P. Chapman, of Westboro, on June 9. Both pleaded not guilty and were remanded to jail to await trial in October. George S. Tobbs, former district attorney, is counsel for the Bakers.

Leaps Into Water on a Dare and Is Rescued

Hagerstown, Md., Sept. 3.—Being unable to swim, but refusing to take a dare, Miss Ruth Zimmerman, a shoe clerk of this city, leaped into Blue Pool from a wharf and had to be pulled from the water by two young men, Guy Kidwell and Ernest Stittely. After leaping into the water, which was deep, her friends on the wharf realized her danger and the young men jumped in and brought her to safety. Miss Zimmerman was unconscious, but later revived.

Picks Blister and Is in For Long Siege of Illness

Lewistown, Pa., Sept. 3.—A. Parker McMeen, of Millintown, is in the Lewistown hospital with blood poisoning. He opened a blister on one of his hands and the sore became infected. After suffering a night of agony he was brought to the hospital here and for awhile was in a serious condition. He is in for a long siege of illness.

Woman of 80 Active and Proud of Her Kinsfolk

Marietta, Pa., Sept. 3.—Mrs. Elizabeth Shellenberger, residing in West Walnut street, was 80 years of age on Sunday. During the day she received many congratulations and gifts. She daily attends to her many household duties. Her grandson, Charles, recently returned from overseas. She is at the head of a four-generation family and is proud of it.

Funeral Services Today For William H. Morrett

Mechanicsburg, Sept. 3.—Funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock for William H. Morrett, of Upper Allen township, who died at his home there on Saturday, after two weeks' illness of paralysis. Burial was made in the Mechanicsburg cemetery. Mr. Morrett, who was 71 years of age, was prominent in his community and was a member for many years of the school board. He is survived by his widow and a son and daughter.

Priest Goes to Cuba to Take College Post

McSherrystown, Sept. 3.—The Rev. P. C. Huffnagle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Huffnagle, of this place, has gone to Havana, Cuba, to assume his duties as an instructor in the St. Augustine College. Father Huffnagle spent the past week visiting his parents. The new instructor in the Cuban institution spent ten years in the philosophical and theological departments of Villanova College.

Prof. H. A. Surface New School Head at Carlisle

Carlisle, Pa., Sept. 3.—Several changes have been made in the force of teachers for the Carlisle schools which opened on Monday with large attendance. Prof. H. A. Surface, former State zoologist, was elected principal of the continuation school and Miss Rebecca C. Armstrong principal of the B grammar schools to succeed the late J. B. Carothers. Miss Armstrong is a native of Carlisle.

Mt. Zion Woman Takes First Ride on Railroad

Lebanon, Sept. 3.—Mrs. Rebecca Hoffman, of Mt. Zion, experienced for the first time in her long life the sensation of a ride in a steam-drawn passenger train. Although 74 years old she never before rode on the steam railroad, making the trip on the Lebanon branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad to Mount Gretna Park.

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