

The Day's News in Cities and Towns of Central Pennsylvania

BABY DROWNS IN RESERVOIR RACE

Child Raises Trap Door and Little One Falls Through Into Water

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—Ruth Evelyn Shlahamer, the ten-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shlahamer, drowned on Sunday morning at the pumping station at the Mechanicsburg reservoir, near Miller's Mill, south of State Hill.

With her brothers and sister the child was playing around the log structure across the race, which supplies the water to the reservoir through the filter plant. One of the children raised the trap door and the baby fell through into the water. Their screams brought the parents and an uncle, who lives near by. The latter imperiled his life when he allowed himself to be swung down above the child in a rope around his waist, and rescued the body of the child.

The race recently had been cleaned out and the gates closed, and the water was just beginning to fill in. There was but three feet of water when the child fell through the trap door, but before the body was recovered it already was much deeper.

The uncle secured the object of his search just before it was drawn into the big water wheels. The father is employed at the pumping station. The funeral service was held this afternoon, at State Hill Church, at 2 o'clock, meeting at the house at 1 o'clock. Burial was in the adjoining cemetery.

Marysville Determined in Drive For Red Cross

Marysville, Pa., Nov. 4.—Arrangements have been shaped by officials of the Marysville Red Cross Society for an energetic drive for new members during the annual roll call. The enrollment in the body last year was 74 and workers are determined this year to surpass that record. A full corps of workers has been named and assigned to certain districts as follows:

District 1, North and South Main streets, Mrs. John H. Heller and Mrs. W. V. Brandt; District 2, Dahlin street, Miss Mary Smith; District 3, Verbeke street, Miss Katharine Hecht; District 4, Front street, Miss Stella Deckard; District 5, Lincoln and Cameron streets, Mrs. T. N. Barshinger; District 6, Valley street, Mrs. C. D. Peterbaugh; District 7, Maple and Linden avenues and Chestnut street, Mrs. Walter B. Fortenbaugh and Mrs. Chauncey R. Hane; District 8, Myrtle avenue and Williams and Ann streets, Miss Barbara Roush; District 9, Rye township, H. A. Luckenbaugh; District 10, Rye township, to be selected. J. H. Roberts and Owen Kennedy have been named additional solicitors in Marysville.

Faithful Church Woman Is Dead at Mechanicsburg

Mechanicsburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—Mrs. Annie Miller Hinkel, wife of Jesse K. Hinkel, died on Sunday evening at her home in West Main street, after an illness of seven months of a complication of diseases. She was born in York Springs and moved to this place 40 years ago. Originally she was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church at York Springs, but became a member of the First United Brethren in Mechanicsburg, where she was a faithful worker and active in all the interests of the church and Sunday school.

Mrs. Hinkel is survived by her husband, of the J. K. Hinkel Manufacturing Company plant; one sister, Mrs. Mary Smith, of York, and one brother, John Miller, of New London, Conn. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at her late home. Burial will be in the Mechanicsburg cemetery.

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Methodist Pastor Holds Services For Prisoners Sentenced For Disorder

Chambersburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—An unique but impressive religious service was held in the county jail here on Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. W. Shriner, of the Wesleyan Methodist church. The service was for the benefit of the 54 shopmen confined there.

The men were divided into two groups, the shorter so that two services as a matter of fact. Dr. Shriner made an address to both groups and the men expressed their high appreciation of the service. Accompanying Dr. Shriner to Chambersburg were these members of the Methodist choir who did the singing: Miss Gladys Provard, Mrs. Bohm and Amy Shriner, Mrs. Victor McKelvey and John Frantz. They were taken up by Miss Fannie Brown in her automobile.

Lewistown Women Form County Health Committee

Lewistown, Pa., Nov. 4.—At the call of the president, Mrs. J. M. Ewing, a number of women met in the State Dispensary here on Sunday afternoon for the purpose of completing the organization of the Women's Health Committee of Mifflin county. This organization is at the suggestion of Col. Edward Martin, State Commissioner of Health, who is co-operating with the Emergency Aid. Its purpose is to co-operate with all other organizations interested in the betterment of the county. As a result of the meeting, the following persons were elected to office: Vice presidents, Mrs. M. J. Fosnot, Mrs. Emma Foster, Mrs. J. I. Quigley, Miss E. V. Culbertson, Mrs. Robert Patton; secretary, Miss Claire Kiefhaber; assistant secretary, Mrs. C. L. Peters; treasurer, Mrs. Walter Foster.

Brief News Notes From Town Along Main Line

Duncannon, Pa., Nov. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shiner sustained over the weekend the latter's brother, Art A. Johnston, of Atlantic City, N. J.; her sister, Mrs. Charles H. Miller and little daughter, of Enola, and Miss Mary Mollinaux, of Germantown, Pa. Funeral services for William N. Bennett, the aged retired employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company who died very suddenly Tuesday of heart disease from which he had been a long-time sufferer, was held at his late home Saturday afternoon. The inclement weather Saturday, the opening of the rabbit season, did not dampen the ardor of many of the local sportsmen, who were out in search of the frisky bunny. The general sport for the day is a big hunt and not much success.

Finds Brother Dead in Store at Newville

Newville, Pa., Nov. 4.—George W. Hoover, a feed merchant of this place, was found dead in his store yesterday morning about 6 o'clock by his sister, who was in an adjoining room. He had complained of not being in good health and it is believed heart trouble caused his death. He was 61 years of age and unmarried. He is survived by the following brothers and sisters: James and Joseph Hoover, of Upper Mifflin township; Mrs. Charles A. Myers, Mrs. Alice Swigert and Nancy Hoover, at home. Mr. Hoover was a member of the Zion Lutheran church. Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial in Prospect Hill cemetery.

Shortage of Coal Isn't Feared at Sunbury

Sunbury, Pa., Nov. 4.—Sunbury's industries have little to fear because of the coal strike. Thousands of tons of anthracite taken from Big Shamokin creek lie stored along its banks, and these plants have their boiler grates so arranged that they can use it. Susquehanna Converting Works and Sunbury Silk Mills already are hauling from these piles to the storage yards. Coal diggers who have been idle much during the summer because of lack of demand are anticipating a fortune this winter, while those who risked their capital and stored coal along the banks, some in huge quantities, expect to reap large profits.

Masquerade Party Held at Home of R. P. Oyler

West Fairview, Pa., Nov. 4.—A masquerade party was given at the home of Robert P. Oyler, Front street, by the Social Seven Club. The evening was spent in dancing and games. At a late hour luncheon was served to the following guests: Miss Edna Lantz, Miss Mildred Snyder, Miss Edna Barnhart, Miss Annie Belle, Miss Ethel Hoover, Miss Violet Bretz, Fred Shaul, Harvey Hoke, Clyde Phillips, Robert Hartzler, Albert Koppenhaver, Kenneth Lantz, Alvin Holey, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Smeltzer, and Mrs. Ralph Gilger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Oyler.

Fatally Hurt by Friend in Gunning Accident

Lancaster, Pa., Nov. 4.—Charles Iske, aged 23, of this city, was mortally injured in a gunning accident late yesterday. In company with several companions, he was hunting rabbits in the vicinity of Wise brickyard when the hounds drove one from cover. John Myers, aged 19, hurriedly slipped a shell into his gun and he closed the breech and exploded. The shot took effect in Iske's abdomen, striking him side-wise. He was standing but ten feet distant. Iske expired a few hours after admission to a hospital.

First-Born Child of Family Called by Death

Sunbury, Pa., Nov. 4.—Existence of 10 cases of diphtheria in Sunbury occasioned considerable alarm today, but the health board urges that every possible precaution is being taken to prevent its spread. Elizabeth Kelsner, aged about 3 years, daughter of Dr. H. T. Kelsner, a former burgess of Sunbury, died Saturday night of the disease and the family is nearly prostrated with grief. She was their first born. Her parents and two sisters survive.

TWO BOUND OVER SHOOTING LUCAS

Justice of the Peace Eichinger Conducts Hearing in Jail at Carlisle

New Cumberland, Pa., Nov. 4.—Two negroes, charged with entering the home of Eli Garrett, of Lemoyne, on Saturday and shooting George Lucas, of the Army Reserve Depot, Marsh Run, in the arm, when he pursued them, were held for court at a hearing before Justice of the Peace J. R. Eichinger in the Cumberland county jail at Carlisle last night. Authorities thought it more advisable for the squire and the witnesses to go to Carlisle than to bring the prisoners to this section. Justice of the Peace Eichinger, in telling about the hearing, said the pair, who gave their names as "Pal" McKee and "Willie" Haustin, of Roanoke, Va., admitted entering the Garrett home and shooting Lucas last night. He would not tell which one did the shooting. Lucas was shot in the left arm. The wound is not thought to be serious. All suspicious characters are to be watched and all those considered undesirable will be ordered out of this section.

Two Orchards Yield 15,000 Barrels of Apples

Waynesboro, Pa., Nov. 4.—Edward Nicodemus has finished gathering his big apple crop on the two Nicodemus orchards near Zullinger, and now he and his force of hands are at work in the Nicodemus orchard at Edgemont, which they will finish up this week. The crop at Zullinger amounted to about 15,000 barrels, the fruit mostly consisting of Yorks, Bens, Grimes Golden and black twigs. Some 500 barrels of the crop have been sold and the remainder put in cold storage at Russel Station and Chambersburg. The fruit is fine and good prices were realized on the sales at the orchards. The Edgemont crop is estimated at 10,000 barrels, or 25,000 barrels for the three orchards of the Nicodemus estate.

Thieves Get Cash and Bonds in Warehouse Loot

Christiana, Pa., Nov. 4.—Robbers forced an entrance to the office of B. S. Walters' warehouse here early in the morning, blew the door of the safe, stole \$300 in cash, \$200 in unsigned bonds, and a number of valuable papers, and then successfully escaped in an automobile under the very eyes of several spectators who did not grasp what was taking place.

GATHER AT HOME FOR HALLOWEEN

Merry Guests Enjoy Evening of Music, Games and Refreshments

Lewisberry, Pa., Nov. 4.—A Halloween party was held at the home of Jacob U. Yinger, at which there was vocal and instrumental music and the playing of games. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mowery, Mrs. Garnet Andrews, Mrs. Annie Seifert, Miss Elsie Ott, Miss Daisy Troup, Miss Irene Andrews, Miss Elizabeth Mowery, Miss Mabel Yinger, New Cumberland; Miss Pearl Hoover, Harrisburg; William Koonz, Steelton; Mrs. C. L. Parthemore, Philadelphia; Frank Nesbit, Miss Elsie Neberger, Mrs. G. J. Strayer, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sutton and Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Yinger, Lewisberry.

Mrs. J. C. Parthemore entertained her Sunday school class and friends at her home on Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and music. Those present were: Misses Louise Spangler, Mildred Spangler, Anna Sutton, Esther Schuber, Catharine Neldig, Beulah Walker, Virgie Pehm, Bessie Kunkel, Charles Kunkel, Walter Reiff, Gerald Snively, Robert Wolfe, Glenn Straley, James Spangler, Harry Fickel, Paul Walker, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Snively, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Snively, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Reiff, New Cumberland; William Byers, Steelton; Miss Ruth Shirley, Jersey Shore.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Encminger, of Dillsburg, former residents of the borough, are guests of their son, Stetler T. Encminger, Washington, D. C., are guests of the former's father, W. S. Hammond and Mrs. Hammond's mother, Mrs. Mary Coover.

J. C. Haracher, Mark H. Schlichter, New Cumberland, were Saturday guests of Mrs. Robert Byers, treasurer. Mr. Crow served as a temperance drink. When bantered to eat, he told the bystanders to get the pies and they went to a restaurant and purchased an even dozen. The colored man declined to eat the twelfth one because it was not of a kind he relished. The pies were eaten as fast as they were handed to him and then he smiled because some people complained of the high cost of living.

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WEST SHORE MEN ON THE TICKETS

Three Before the Voters Today For Offices in Cumberland County

Lemoyne, Pa., Nov. 4.—On Republican and Democratic tickets at today's election are three Lemoyne men, candidates for county offices. James A. Pryor, affiliated with the West Shore Bakery and active in church work in this borough, is the Republican candidate for county commissioner. Mr. Pryor has, in recent years, been very active in municipal and church work here. He has served as a member of council, is a member of the United Evangelical church, is president of the Men's Bible class of the Evangelical Sunday school, one of the largest on the West Shore.

John E. Myers, attorney and recently discharged from the army after serving overseas, is the Democratic candidate for district attorney. Mr. Myers, who is the son of Robert L. Myers, president of the Lemoyne Trust Company, before entering the service of his country, was active in the work of the West Shore Firemen's Union. He is well known throughout the county.

Ralph C. Crow, justice of the peace for a number of terms and prominent in municipal work, is a candidate on the Democratic ticket for treasurer. Mr. Crow served as a captain overseas and before the troops were ordered mobilized organized a machine gun company, the members of which made a fine showing in outfits overseas. He also served on the border.

Eats 11 Raisin Pies at Columbia on Banter

Columbia, Pa., Nov. 4.—Dan O'ford, a colored man residing here, ate 11 raisin pies on a banter made by a few men, and finished his feast by drinking as many glasses of water and several bottles of cumplai, a temperance drink. When bantered to eat, he told the bystanders to get the pies and they went to a restaurant and purchased an even dozen. The colored man declined to eat the twelfth one because it was not of a kind he relished. The pies were eaten as fast as they were handed to him and then he smiled because some people complained of the high cost of living.

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TAKEN IN SOUTH FOR AUTO THEFT

Man Who Flew From Hershey With Automobile Captured in Louisiana

Lebanon, Pa., Nov. 4.—Royal La Plante, wanted in Dauphin county on the charge of stealing a Hudson car at Hershey, has been located in Shreveport, La., by State Police Sergeant O. R. Campbell, in charge of the local station, and Detective Flore, of Hershey. La Plante is also wanted in Springfield, Mass., charged with the theft of automobiles, and as soon as he is brought to Dauphin county for trial, he will be turned over to the Massachusetts authorities for a similar trial.

La Plante arrived at the Hershey garage last July with a new Hudson car. While driving a car in the vicinity of Hershey the attention of Sergeant James P. Ely was attracted on account of La Plante's suspicious actions. La Plante was placed under arrest, but secured the necessary bail immediately, which was furnished by two men who were then in charge of the Hershey garage.

The action of the garagemen in being so willing to provide bail for the stranger further excited Sergeant Ely and he in turn arrested the two bondsmen, who are now under ball as accomplices in the theft. A few hours after La Plante was released on bail he fled in the Hudson car, and nothing was heard of him until yesterday, when Sergeant Campbell was advised that he is under arrest in Louisiana with two accomplices.

Cemetery Vandals Knock Corners From Tombstones

Lewistown, Pa., Nov. 4.—The police have been advised that some person has been desecrating tombstones in St. Mark's Cemetery. A few days ago some one went through the burial grounds and with a hammer knocked the corners from a number of costly tombstones and defaced them with indecent pictures.

HIT BY AUTOMOBILE

West Fairview, Pa., Nov. 4.—A small son of Dick Arnold, of West Fairview, had a narrow escape from being severely injured. He was struck by an automobile while crossing State street, but received only a few scratches.

Gettysburg Lutherans to Have Happy Week

Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—This will be a week of thanksgiving and rejoicing to the congregation of St. James Lutheran Church because of the paying off of the mortgage on its church property as well as the paying off of other small indebtedness, leaving the congregation entirely free of debt. A week of services will be held in which all the living ex-pastors of the church will take part, ending with the service next Sunday evening, at which time will take place the public burning of the mortgage.

Schools May Close to Assist Apple Pickers

Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—Because the apple picking season takes scores of children from the schools of Adams county during the harvesting of the fruit, it is planned in the future to open early in August and then declare a vacation in October.

WANTS ASHES ON HIS WIFE'S GRAVE

Man Who Attributed Long Life to Walking So Directs in Will

Lewisburg, Pa., Nov. 4.—In his will, probated here, Hubley Dunn Albright, lawyer, author and Civil War veteran, who died here a few days ago, directed that his body be cremated and the ashes be placed on the grave of his wife, whose body is buried in the Lewisburg cemetery.

The veteran, who was 85 years old when he died, was the author of several books. For the last 30 years he had daily walked from 10 to 20 miles, and drank from one to two gallons of water daily. He was robust and strong until a few days before his death. This he attributed to the great amount of water he drank and his daily walks.

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