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SHOCKING DEATH.

Allura Daniels Gored and Trampled in Pasture Field, Last Saturday Evening, By Infuriated Bull.

SHE HAD GONE FOR THE COWS.

Not in the history of the County has an event occurred whose details are fraught with greater horror, or the result of which has awakened such universal sympathy for the suffering family, as that which resulted late last Saturday afternoon, in the terrible death of Allura Regina—almost fourteen years of age—the beautiful and happy daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Scott Daniels, at their home at Patterson's Run, on the turnpike, four miles west of McConnellsburg.

Mr. Daniels is a son of the late John Daniels, and was raised at the "Brick House," on the pike just west of Harrisville; his wife, Eliza, is a daughter of the late B. Frank Sipes, and was born and grew to womanhood in her father's farm near where Patterson's Run empties its waters into Licking Creek four miles south of the turnpike. The place where Mr. and Mrs. Daniels now live will be remembered by the older people as the Felmalee place and later as the McDonald—the late Jacob McDonald, a well known hotel man, buying the place many years ago, and erecting the present buildings with a view to conducting a hotel there. The house—a large brown frame one—standing to the left as one approaches the bridge across Patterson's Run, at the western foot of Scrub Ridge, is a familiar object to travelers over the turnpike in recent years.

Like a prosperous farmer, as he is, Mr. Daniels has quite a herd of cattle, and in this herd was a three-year-old bull, that weighs about 800 pounds, with sharp spike horns about eight inches in length. Mr. Daniels has owned the animal for more than a year, and there was never anything in the appearance of the animal that awakened fear on the part of himself, or of any other member of the family.

Mr. Daniels is one of the administrators in the settlement of the estate of his late son-in-law, Elmer Trogler, who died at the Trogler homestead near Mercersburg last fall, of hydrophobia, and was away from home last week.

Last Saturday evening about five o'clock, "Lurie," happy and cheerful, left the house with a pail of milk to go out to the field and feed the calves, and then to go on to a distant pasture field— which is over the hill, and out of sight of the house—to bring home the cattle.

An hour or more later, Mr. Daniels, returning home from Franklin county, found in coming to the woods east of his fields along the south side of the pike, his cattle in the bushes along the Run, and stopped to gather them and drive them on down to his home. About this time he heard the voice of his daughter Rebecca, who had become uneasy at the delay in the return of Lurie, and had gone up on the hill, and seeing her father called to him. He ascended the hill, and went on to the pasture field, where near the bars that had been opened by Lurie to let the cattle out, he found her sunbonnet, and thinking that she had gone home, he picked up the bonnet, and went within calling distance of the house, and inquired whether Lurie had returned home. On being informed that she had not, he retraced his steps, and the mother, now alarmed, followed. Going farther into the pasture field, she saw the head of the bull, the trampled earth, and the most terrible apprehensions, and following on to some bushes at the side of the field, she heard almost still as he held his daughter bruised and bleeding, with every vestige of

FATAL LIGHTNING BOLT.

Two Young Men Killed on Sunday Forenoon, Near Six Mile Run, Bedford County.

During the storm on Sunday forenoon, lightning struck the dwelling of Albert Figart; ran down the roof and into a room where the family and a young man by the name of Riley, from Altoona, a relative who was visiting them at the time. He was standing in the door, while Mrs. Figart was washing the hands of her 12 year old son, Sherman, and was between the two boys, when the bolt of lightning killed the two boys instantly. No one else was injured. The Riley boy was about 17 years old. The home was damaged but little. The sympathy of the whole community goes out to the bereaved and distressed family.

WATERFALL.

Mrs. E. P. Gresh and three children, and Mrs. Parker of Norristown came to Waterfall in their auto and are the guests of H. H. Berkstresser.

Mrs. Joseph Barnett is under Dr. R. B. Campbell's care, with typhoid fever.

Bruce Barnett, of Trough Creek is the guest of Jas. Barnett.

The ram kept many people from the bush meeting at Dublin Mills Sunday last.

Harry McClain of Wilmore, is spending his vacation with friends in Taylor.

clothing torn from her body. Intuitively the mother was soon on the scene, and removing one of her own skirts, the child, who was now wholly unconscious of her surroundings, was tenderly wrapped up, and carried toward the house. A physician was hastily sent for, but death came on before the physician; and had he been there when her father first discovered her, her life could not have been saved.

That the bull was responsible for the terrible death of the child, is not questioned by those who saw her lacerated and bruised body, and saw the dreadful battle ground.

What enraged the beast, or led him to attack the child, will never be known. There were no brilliant colors in her clothing. But the infuriated animal like a demon from hell, with tail lashing the air, head bent down, horns extending forward, with frightful howling charged down upon the defenseless child who was doing her utmost to escape—impaling her upon his horns and tossing her up in the air to fall down and be trampled upon. From the way the ground was torn up, this was kept up for a distance of more than two hundred yards, and ceased only when the almost lifeless body was tossed into the bushes.

Words cannot express the anguish of her parents, her six brothers and sisters, and her many young friends—for she possessed that disposition that won to her the good will of every one who knew her.

The funeral took place at the home at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, services being conducted by her pastor, Rev. Diehl, of the Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. McGarvey, of the M. E. church. Besides those who went afoot or on horseback, there were sixty-three carriages and buggies in the funeral procession that followed the remains to the cemetery at Greenhill Presbyterian church where interment was made. Six of her young lady companions—all gowned in white—were her pall bearers, namely, Mary Mumma, Blanche Schooley, Maude Deshong, Maie McClure, Goldie Deshong, and Anna Mann. Four little girls—Nellie Bair, Beatrice Deshong, Thelma Metzler, and Eleanor Bets—added much to the impressiveness of the occasion by bearing beautiful flowers.

IN HYMEN'S REALM.

Miss Kathryn Metzler, of Harrisonville, Becomes the Bride of Prominent Attorney.

Married, Thursday, July 8, 1909, at the Methodist parsonage, Huntingdon, Pa., by the Rev. J. S. Souser, Revel Somerville, Esq. of Patton, Pa., and Miss Kathryn Metzler, of Harrisonville, Fulton county, Pa.

The above notice would be sufficient to convey the information that our legal friend had become a benedict, but we cannot refrain from saying a word on the subject. In the first place we do not take kindly to the fact that he made this important step without consulting his fellow members of the Civic Improvement Club, and in the second place, it was most unkind of him to keep the secret hidden within his manly breast for six long weeks and then spring it so suddenly upon his friends. Had he made known his intentions at the proper time the members of the club would have gone in a body to be present at his nuptials. As it is, however, we forgive him since he wooed and won a young lady who is so well and favorably known here and must commend him for his most excellent selection of a life partner, therefore when she arrives to make her home among us, a kindly reception will be accorded her by the members of the aforesaid club and a great host of other friends.

Mrs. Somerville is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Metzler, of Harrisonville, Fulton county, Pa., and is a member of one of the oldest and most prominent families in that county. She is highly educated and refined and during the past year while a resident of Patton, made many friends by her charming disposition and many beautiful traits of character.

We need say little of Mr. Somerville. He has lived here for many years, during which time he has applied himself closely to the practice of law, and is one of our foremost citizens. No encomium from our pen could add luster to his reputation as a man, for he is held in highest repute by all who know him. He is a man of commanding presence, cordial in manner, of strictest rectitude, and is in every fact one of nature's noblemen.

The writer extends his hearty congratulations, with the hope that long life, happiness and prosperity may be the portion of this newly wedded pair.

Mr. and Mrs. Somerville will occupy their handsome home on Beech avenue, after October 1st. —Patton Courier.

HARRISONVILLE.

Mrs. Claude Metzler and children accompanied by Robert Metzler returned to their homes in Philadelphia, Friday.

Miss Goldie DeShong was awarded the silver set and Master Paul Mellott the gold ring at the show, each having over 3000 votes. The whole community seems to be grief-stricken over the news of the violent death of Lura Daniels, Saturday, and many sympathizing friends visited her home Sunday to speak a word of comfort to the loved ones and view the scene of the awful catastrophe.

Children are eagerly looking forward to the beginning of the school term Monday. Cadiz and Clem Schooley attended camping at Crystal Springs last week. Ask Cadiz why camp was so interesting this year.

George Sipes returned from the west last Thursday. He was employed there for several months.

Mrs. Harvey Unger and Alice Stenger of the Cove, and Mrs. Alice Conner and two children David and Maud of Hagerstown, spent Sunday afternoon at James G. Alexander's in this place.

Rifle Practice.

A shoot by the Big Cove Rifle club on Saturday resulted in the following score:

Gunning	3 2 5 4—19
G. Keefer	3 2 5 0 2—12
Warthin	0 4 3 2 4—13
R. Mellott	5 2 3 4 3—17
L. Bishop	0 3 5 2 3—13
Sappington	4 5 2 2 5—18
J. C. Patterson	2 3 0 3 3—11
C. Cooper	2 2 3 3 0—10
W. Cooper	2 4 0 2 0—8
H. Gordon	0 0 0 3—3
John Gordon	2 2 3 2—11
James Gordon	2 4 2 2 3—13
R. Glazier	0 4 2 0—6

Range 700 yards, bad weather conditions, very foggy, nearly dark when last men shot. The range was 700 yards. The weather conditions were bad, being very foggy, and it was nearly dark when the last gun was fired.

On Saturday, September 4th, the club will practice at 200 yards. On September 25th, the club will shoot for a medal given by the National Rifle Association.

NEW GRENADA.

Harvey Shafer and family, of Fort Littleton, visited Harvey's parents, Geo. Shafer and wife.

A. A. Cunningham, of Mount Union, made a business trip to our town on Thursday, returning home on Friday.

Rilla Houck visited friends at Robertsdale.

On Saturday, the 28th, J. G. Cunningham celebrated his 81st birthday. Mrs. Cunningham is 80 years old, and Mrs. Catharine Duvall, 80 years—all in New Grenada.

Ritner and Martha Black, of Robertsdale, visited M. W. Houck Saturday evening and Sunday.

Ellis Neal and wife, of Orbisena, spent Sunday with Mrs. Neal's parents L. L. Cunningham and wife.

The rain on Sunday morning prevented many from attending bush meeting at Dublin Mills. In the afternoon a few took it in.

Bert Heeter, our accommodating mail carrier from here to Robertsdale, is digging coal at Rocky Ridge, and our old standby mail man, Jacob Cruder, is carrying in Bert's stead.

A surprise party was held at Thornton Fosters, on Saturday night, in honor of their daughter Nellie's 16th birthday. Quite a number were present, and many useful presents were given her. An enjoyable time is reported.

Mrs. Mary S. Edwards and Mrs. James Keith are on the sick list.

Mrs. Thomas Ramsey is suffering with erysipelas.

Levi Truax and wife, of End, are visiting friends at Loysburg, Pa.

Huntsdown M. E. Church Notices.

For Sunday, Sept. 5, 1909. Huntsdown—Sunday school 2:30.

Bethlehem—Sunday school 9:30; Christian Endeavor 7:30.

Cromwell—Sunday school 9:30; Class 10:30.

Mount Tabor harvest home services morning and evening by different speakers.

Wells Valley—Sunday school 2; preaching 3; Christian Endeavor 7:30.

Cromwell—Preaching Saturday evening, Sept. 4th, at 7:45.

HARRY MOYER, Pastor.

Card of Thanks.

Michael Laidig and family of Dublin Mills wish to extend their heartiest thanks to their friends and neighbors for their kind help during the last sickness, and sad hour of death of the wife and mother of the family. They wish them to feel that their love and sympathy were rightly appreciated.

The friends of Brother Laidig displayed the true type of sympathy, which helps to lift the load and bear the burden. It is this kind of sympathy that God is pleased to look upon.

PROHIBITION TICKET.

Nominations Were Made by Convention in Pittsburg Friday.

Adopting a platform, one clause of which advocates woman suffrage, and going on record as being in favor of the annihilation of the liquor traffic and for the arbitration of disputes between capital and labor, the Prohibition state convention adjourned Friday night in Pittsburg, after nominating the following candidates for state offices:

State treasurer, Dr. Frank Fish of Claysville, Washington county. Auditor general, C. W. R. Smith, Delaware county.

Justice of the supreme court, Harold B. Robinson, of Uniontown.

Burton B. Bockwood, of Philadelphia, was elected state chairman, at a meeting of the state central committee. At this meeting C. W. R. Smith was made state secretary and David B. McCalmont treasurer. Mr. McCalmont tendered his resignation saying he had promised his wife to give up the position, and although the delegates pleaded with him for an hour they were unable to shake him from his determination.

The state headquarters of the party will be at Franklin, in order that McCalmont may advise with the committee. The personnel of the state committee will remain unchanged under the new leader.

At the two meetings Friday more than \$7000 was subscribed to help defray the expenses of the party during the year.

THOMPSON.

This community was favored with quite a refreshing shower on Saturday afternoon.

Orpha and Bertha Hess visited friends near Sharpe on Saturday evening and Sunday.

Scott Johnson, wife and son, Master Joseph, spent Sunday at Jared Pittman's.

Austin Peck, of Hancock, spent a few days last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Denton Peck.

W. H. Pittman accompanied his little niece Genevieve and Marie Pittman to their home in Charlestown, W. Va., on Monday where he will spend some time with his brother, Dr. J. J. Pittman.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hess is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Zimmerman, at Hancock.

Ed Simpson and Jessie Truax spent Sunday at Harvey Sharpe's Harry and Dewey Miller, of Connellsville, Pa., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. W. W. Douglass.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity attended the Rays Hill and Southern Pennsylvania Christian Conference at Belle Grove Md.

Miss Mary Simpson attended the annual meeting of the Baptists at Great Cacapon, W. Va., last Saturday and Sunday.

The festival at Mt. Zion last Saturday night, was attended by quite a large crowd, and brought the Church a nice sum of money.

Harrisonville Circuit M. E. Church.

For Sunday, September 5, '09. Siloam—Sunday school 9:00; preaching 10:00. Prayer meeting, Thursday 7:30.

Ebenezer—Sunday school 2:00; preaching 3:00.

Asbury—Sunday school 9:30; preaching 7:30.

Quarterly collection will be taken at each service. Official members bear in mind the 3rd quarterly conference at Siloam, Thursday, September 9, at 1:15. Don't forget your envelopes.

L. W. MCGARVEY, pastor.

Box Social.

The Ladies Aid of Centre will hold a box social in S. C. Guacey's grove near Gracey Saturday evening, Sept. 11th. All are invited to attend. Would be pleased to have all of the young ladies bring boxes.

SUDDEN DEATH.

Mrs. Newton Jamison Suddenly Expires in The Methodist Episcopal Church at Saltillo, Pa.

On Sunday night, in the M. E. church, at Saltillo, Pa., after the close of services, while the usual hand shake and social chats were going on, Mrs. Newton Jamison reeled and fell to the floor, expiring instantly among the crowd of people, causing intense excitement. Mrs. Jamison had remarked during the evening that she had not felt better for two years, and she assisted in the services; but Mr. and Mrs. Harry Huston, who sat near her, noticed her taking long breaths occasionally. She leaves to mourn their loss, a husband, six children, and a host of friends.

Clothes Returned.

In last week's NEWS we published an account of the loss of the clothes of Miss Orpha Mock, daughter of John Mock, of Tod township, out of the buggy, as they were going from this place to their home, on the Saturday night preceding. Suspicion pointed strongly to certain parties, and Mr. Mock was not backward in expressing his opinion. Last Sunday morning the clothes, done up in a nice bundle, were found in the yard of Mrs. Cook in this place. The handkerchiefs had been washed, but the other clothes were just as when stolen, except the hair ribbons, which were nicely straightened out.

Mrs. William Swan.

Mrs. Wm. Swan, better known as Miss Beulah Miller, died at her home in Cross Keys, Juniata county, last Friday night, leaving an infant three weeks old. She was the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller, and a grand-daughter of the late Jacob W. Miller, of Burnt Cabins. She had taught two successful terms of school in Dublin township, Huntingdon county. Her death casts a sad gloom over the people of Burnt Cabins and Shade Gap, where the young lady was so well known. Besides her husband and infant, she leaves to mourn her death, her parents and two sisters.

Her age was about 21 years.

While playing around a threshing machine in motion one day last week, a little son of Charles Hess, of Licking Creek township, by some means, got his left hand caught in the cylinder of the machine, so badly lacerating it that part of the hand had to be amputated. Drs. Mosser and Robinson rendered the necessary surgical aid.

Rev. T. P. Garland, of Needmore, this county, a member of the Rays Hill and Southern Pennsylvania Christian Conference, has finished his third year's work in the ministry. This year he had a charge of nine churches, delivered 269 sermons, 5 Sunday school addresses, 9 funeral sermons, 2 marriages, and received into church 97 members, baptized 105 persons, and has accepted a charge of 7 churches for the coming year.

The other day a merchant in a nearby town saw a farmer receiving goods at the station from a Chicago mail-order house. The goods were in his line and the same had been carried in his store for years. He approached the farmer and said: "I could have sold you every article you have there for less money than you pay the Chicago house, and saved you the freight, besides." "Then why on earth didn't you say so?" answered the farmer. "I have taken the local papers for years, and have never seen a line about your selling those goods. The Chicago house sent advertising matter to me, asking for my trade and they got it."

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

Snapshots at Their Comings and Goings Here for a Vacation, or Away for a Restful Outing.

NAMES OF VISITORS AND VISITED

Andrew Washaoagh and family spent a few days at Atlantic City during the past week.

Mary Culler, of Plum Run, is spending a few days with her aunt Mary Kelly of this place.

Robert Graham and wife were the guests of J. G. Alexander and family one evening last week.

Miss Anna Johnston, of Cito, who had been visiting her brother Huston's family in Mercersburg, returned on Saturday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Baldwin, of Harrisburg, was visiting during the past week, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Comer, of this place.

Miss Bess Trout, who has spent the past two years in a hospital at Buffalo, N. Y., as a nurse, is home on her annual vacation.

Ed Bender, who has spent the past three weeks with his parents Samuel Bender and wife, in this place, left on Monday morning for his home in Lexington, N. C.

Miss Emma L. Sloan left on Tuesday morning for Johnstown, where she will teach another term in the public schools. The NEWS will keep her posted on home news.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bedford and daughter Casena, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Lemaster, of Markes, visited the Antietam battlefield Sunday, making the trip in their automobile.

Mrs. Mary A. Kelly, of McConnellsburg, and Mrs. Ella Bishop, of Covalt, visited in the home of their brother-in-law Rev. A. R. Garland and attended the Christian Conference at Belle Grove, Md., last week.

Wm. Grissinger, accompanied by his friend John Heikes, near Carlisle, Cumberland county, were town visitors last week. Mr. Grissinger left this county about five years ago, since which time he has been a resident of Cumberland county.

John F. Kendall, of Ayr township, was a pleasant caller at our office on Monday. Mr. Kendall has recently had a gasoline engine installed, with which water is forced into his house and also to his barn, which he finds a great convenience.

Reed Ray, of Huntingdon, Pa., and sister, Miss Emma, of McConnellsburg, were pleasant callers with Mrs. M. E. Seylar and family Friday morning on their way to visit their sister, Mrs. Henry Tritle, near Parnob station.—Foltz correspondent in Mercersburg Journal.

James Funk, of Republic, Ohio, and Thomas Truax, of Plum Run, spent last Sabbath in the home of J. L. Garland near McConnellsburg. Mr. Funk had intended spending several days in the home of Mr. Garland and visiting other friends near town, but a letter on Saturday from his home brought the sad intelligence that his youngest son was ill with symptoms of fever and Mr. Funk left on Monday for his home in Republic.

Thomas M. Johnston, of this place, spent the time from last Friday until Tuesday, visiting his brothers James, Richard, and Stillwell—the last named of whom lives near Millstone, in Maryland. Thomas brought home with him an ear of corn he got out of one of Stillie's cornfields, which measures eleven inches in length, and filled out to the very tip with nice plump grains. The stalks in one of the fields measure ten feet, with two ears to the stalk. As Stillie has twenty eight acres planted, he has a prospect of a nice bunch of corn.