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THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY

Items of Interest Culled from Our Exchanges.

Walter Evans Grotfely of Salisbury and Emma Kretzman of Meyersdale were granted a marriage license in Cumberland one day last week.

The death of Mrs. S. S. Flickinger, formerly of Elklick township, a daughter of the late John W. Beachy, occurred at the family home, Raisin City, California, recently.

At a meeting in Hooversville last week council fixed the borough millage at 10 for the coming year. Eight mills will be levied for streets and sewers and two mills for fire protection. Samuel Gindesperger was appointed borough policeman to succeed E. E. Slagle. The board of health reports that Hooversville has not a single case of contagion at this time.

While swinging in the barn at her home recently, Miss Grace Hostetter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hostetter of Summit township, fell when the swing broke and landed on a door eighteen feet below. She sustained a fracture of her right leg at the hip. The following day she was accompanied to the Cottage State Hospital at Connellsville by Dr. C. J. Hemminger of Rockwood.

While the members of the Sylvester Hoffman family of Paint Township were at Scalp Level one evening recently attending the revival meeting being conducted at the Church of the Brethren, thieves entered the Hoffman smoke-house and carried away the hams and a shotgun which Mr. Hoffman had kept to defend himself against thieves.

Robert Stoddard, aged 30 years, died on July 1, at the County Hospital, where he had lived for several years. He was a brother of Chas. Stoddard, of Richmond, Ind., John Stoddard, of Akron, O., Arthur, of Cincinnati, Robert and Rose, of Johnstown, William and Norman of Somerset. The body was taken to Husband for interment.

A tower with a vestibule has been built to the Baptist Church at Jennertown, adding greatly to its appearance. A bell has been placed in the tower to notify the members of the hours of service. The Mt. Zion Lutheran Church near Glessner, is also being improved and repaired. The interior of the church is being frescoed, new windows, a heating system and a rest room are being installed.

Members of the miners union local in Hooversville deny all knowledge of the dynamiting and burning of the Butsko house about 1:30 o'clock on the morning of July 4th. They further state that they desire that the party or parties who committed the act be punished to the full extent of the law. The miners add that Mr. Butsko was expelled from the miners union on May 31, and moved from the burned building at least three weeks previous.

As a result of a collision Tuesday evening of last week, between a motorcycle and an automobile on the Lincoln highway, near Jennertown, Robt. Durant, aged 20 years, the motorcyclist, died later in the office of Dr. Henry Hetzler, at Jennertown. The young man's home was in Braddock. A steep curve in the road made it impossible to approaching vehicles and the collision threw Mr. Bryant to the ground fracturing his skull.

Alton Alffather of Berlin, who was operated upon at Connellsville for throat and nasal trouble, is improving and he believes the operation will benefit him permanently.

RAIDERS POINTED TOWARD BORDER

Carranza Notifies Washington of Approach of Bandits

FIRST CO-OPERATIVE MOVE

Pershing's Forces May Go to Relief of Carranzistas at Jimenez—Wilson Replies to the First Chief's Note.

The conciliatory reply of the United States to Carranza's last note had not had time to reach the Mexican embassy Friday before the first move in a campaign of co-operation against bandits threatening the American border was suggested by the de facto government of Mexico.

Carranza, through Ambassador Designate Arredondo, notified the state department that a de facto government force had been destroyed by a large band of Villa followers at Carralitos, Chihuahua, on Wednesday. Carranza expressed the fear that this band had proceeded northward through the desert and might concentrate near the border for a raid into United States territory. He suggested that the American troops on the border exercise particular vigilance in the stretch of border line between Boquillas and Ojinaga and promised that meanwhile every effort would be made by his own forces to pursue and capture the bandits.

The dispatch containing the warning was at once turned over to Secretary of War Baker by the state department and telegraphed to General Funston. The means for dealing with the threatened raid will be decided upon at General Funston's headquarters and officials here expressed the belief that the Villa band will meet with a warm reception if it attempts to cross the line.

Crisis Safely Passed. The Mexican crisis has passed definitely into history, yielding to complete conciliation and to the first steps for an understanding which will enable the two governments henceforth to go hand in hand.

All this was brought about by a favorable answer of the United States government to Carranza's last note. It was handed to Mexican Ambassador Designate Arredondo by Secretary of State Lansing.

Brief and very cordial in tone the United States note tells Carranza that this country is ready and willing to enter into diplomatic negotiations with the view to permanently settling all differences between the two governments and help the constitutional government to restore peace and order in the strife-stricken southern republic. There are, of course, certain conditions affixed to this willingness; Carranza must hold up his end of the bargain.

Simultaneously with the publication of the American note it became known that the administration is considering a plan to aid Mexico financially. A commission will be appointed, it is understood, to study the problems with the view to making recommendations as to how best to proceed.

The status of General Pershing's expedition in Mexico also has changed. Thus far the chief bone of contention because "obnoxious to Carranzistas, may promptly proceed to Carralitos, near Jimenez, Mexico, to relieve the hard pressed Carranza garrison, part of which was cut to pieces by the Villistas.

SHARK KILLS BATHER

Young Man Loses Both Legs While Swimming Off Spring Lake.

While hundreds of summer visitors on the beach at Spring Lake, N. J., looked on helplessly, Charles Bruder, a boy in one of the hotels, was attacked by a shark and before help could arrive lost both his legs. He died ten minutes after he was brought ashore.

Examination of the body disclosed the fact that the shark had bitten Bruder in the side before taking his legs off, as there was a deep bite below his left arm. The left leg was cut off clean above the knee and the right leg just below the knee.

This is the second case of the kind reported on the New Jersey coast within the past week, a young man having lost his leg at Cape May in the same way a week ago.

LLOYD GEORGE TO RUN WAR

Succeeds Earl Kitchener—Will Be Assisted by Earl of Derby.

David Lloyd George has been appointed secretary of war in England. Sir Edward Grey, the secretary for foreign affairs, has had an earldom conferred upon him.

The Earl of Derby, director of recruiting, has been appointed under-secretary of war.

Dies Ignorant of Son's Death.

Without knowing his son had met death on the Carrizal battlefield, Samuel Adair, father of Lieutenant Henry Rodney Adair, is dead in Portland, Ore., after a lingering illness. His last words were for his son. "Henry is now a captain," he said. "Henry has received his promotion."

SEPTEMBER COURT CASES

Among the September court cases not previously reported, are the following:

Seth Morford, driving an automobile without the consent of the owner; E. F. Stahl, prosecutor.

Emanuel Stalter, misdemeanor Peter Speicher, the prosecutor, charges the defendant with shortweighting him in settling with him for mining coal. Stalter must also answer the charge of resisting an officer. G. W. Lybarger is the prosecutor in this case. Lybarger avers that when he undertook to arrest Stalter he resisted and tried to hit him on the head with a scale weight.

Curtis Trent is charged with an immoral act, the prosecutor being Mary Pugh.

Christ Koontz is charged with assault and battery by J. W. Bilber. The latter says that Koontz struck him in the eye.

Charles Mellott must answer the charge of breaking, entering, and committing larceny, on complaint of John O. Yutzey.

L. H. Musser of Roxbury, who committed an assault and battery on Bruce A. Boyer, settled the case by paying the prosecutor \$20 in addition to the costs.

HAIL SHEEP RAISING PLAN.

Secretary of Agriculture Patton has received replies from farmers in 43 counties to the offer of the Department of Agriculture to place sheep on farms for the purpose of stimulating wool-growing and mutton raising. The fund will be supplied by a committee of bankers and others organized in Philadelphia, a share plan having been provided.

In a number of instances the farmers have been asked whether they cannot be given more than ten ewes, the number to be allotted to each farmer, and have offered to make full reports on the conditions and to give half the lambs raised. About 2000 sheep are to be put out, but, owing to the interest, it is now planned to raise funds for 5000.

FORESTERS APPOINTED.

Fifteen men were accepted out of twenty-one who recently took the examination for entrance to the State Forestry Department at Mont Alto. Henry B. Phillips of Somerset was one of the men who has been accepted. Five of these men have been assigned to the Clearfield State Forest, five to the Greenwood Forest in Huntingdon county and five to the Buchanan Forest in Franklin County. They will spend six weeks in practical woods work at the end of which an additional examination will be given and the ten men with the highest standing will be admitted to the Academy. Mr. Phillips will report to the forester at Clearfield.

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ASSISTANT POSTMASTER AT WINDBER ARRESTED.

Chas. G. Crist, the Assistant Postmaster at Windber, was arrested on Friday by U. S. Deputy Marshal Thos. P. Campbell and taken before U. S. Commissioner G. A. Foster of Johnstown. Crist gave bail in the sum of \$500 to appear in Pittsburg at the November term of the United States Court.

There are four counts of fraud against Crist: It is alleged that he falsified records on or about June 30, 1915, to allow 35 extra hours to Ralph Berkey an employe of the Windber Postoffice; that he also made a false entry February 29 giving 51 hours extra time in February to Victor J. Connor an employe of the same postoffice; that he made false entries in the quarterly postal account of March and June to cover the alleged fraudulent entries previously mentioned, thereby increasing not only the compensation of the two employees referred to, but his own as well.

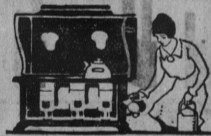
It was stated on last Friday that Crist did not deny the charge but asserted that he did not know he was doing anything contrary to the postal regulations. The information was made by Postoffice Inspector Edward M. O'Neill before United States Commissioner Roger Knox of Pittsburg.

It was announced from the State Highway Department last week that the Hill Climb over the National Pike from Hopwood to the Summit, near Uniontown, would not be permitted on July 20th. The matter probably will be put up to Commissioner Black. The action of an automobile club in closing the pike to the general public and in converting it into a race course, is unlawful.

BALTIMORE COAL PRICES.

Prevailing Baltimore prices for coal are quoted as follows: Ordinary Somerset \$1.15; ordinary Clearfield 01.15; best Quemahoning \$1.50; S. Fork \$1.55; Georges Creek \$1.65; all per gross ton f. o. b. cars at mines.

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