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It Seems About Time For The Movie Colony At Hollywood To Enter The Political Arena—It Could Clean Up By Running "Doug" Fairbanks For President And Charley Chaplin For Vice-President.

EVERYTHING NOW IN READINESS FOR BIG SHOW

With Davis As Democrats Great Performer And Cal And His Trick Elephant, Feature Of Republicans, People Will Have No Dull Moments During Next Four Months.

NEGRO LAD APPREHENDED, CHARGED WITH USING INDECENT LANGUAGE OVER PHONE

Police Trace Call To Riderwood Woman, Putting Blame On Son Of Towson Office Building Janitor—Authorities Say He Has Confessed.

Emerson L. Bailor, a 17-year-old negro, was apprehended by county police and is now lodged in the Towson Jail charged with using indecent language on a public highway (that of a telephone line).

On Saturday last, a holiday, a white woman's telephone bell rang at Riderwood and she answered. From the other end of the line came indecent advances and she immediately hung up the receiver, later calling the operator to ascertain where the call came from.

She was informed the call was made at the Court House and from the phone in the office of the County Surveyor, and naturally the woman was indignant.

The matter was referred to the police and an investigation started immediately.

Patrolman Chenoweth wended his way to the Court House, but it was locked up tight on account of the holiday, and when he was about to leave up walks William Whitney, the County Surveyor, who was told what had happened.

Whitney explained to the patrolman that on Sundays and holidays and after 5 P. M. daily his telephone was dead, due to the fact that the exchange girl in the Court House connected the line up with the county jail, and investigation proved to the patrolman that this was correct, for all the phones in the Court House were dead.

Further investigations of the telephone switchboard in the Court House showed that the County Agricultural Agent's office in the Offutt Building was on the same system and it was later learned that the call had been made from there, which resulted in the arrest of the negro, who is a son of the janitor of that building, and police allege he confessed.

TOWN MAY BE SMALL, BUT IT HAS TRAFFIC COP.

Albert Adler, 4751 North Ninth st., Philadelphia, passed a traffic semaphor at Ingleside avenue and Frederick road, Catonsville, because he "didn't think a little town like Catonsville would have a traffic policeman."

He told it that way to Magistrate Audrae at the Catonsville Police Station after Patrolman Scannell, shocked by the motorist's failure to heed his signal, had given chase in a commandeered automobile.

Magistrate Andrae fined the Philadelphian $26.45.

ODD CHARGE MADE

Firm Took Sand Illegally Hence Unique Action Is Begun.

Criminal information, which is similar to an indictment, was filed in the United States Court against the Marine Sand and Gravel Company for alleged violation of the law by excavating in the Patapsco river, near the mouth of Colgate creek.

The company, it is alleged, on June 4 unlawfully excavated a harbor without the excavation having been recommended by the chief of engineers and authorized by the Secretary of War. This is said to be the first case of its kind on record in this district.

The excavation, it is stated, is prohibited by the act of Congress, approved March 3, 1899. A fine of from $500 to $2500 is provided.

"BILL" KLOHR VISITING COUNTY RELATIVES.

William E. Klohr, a former resident of Towson, who some years ago "vamoosed" to Florida to raise alligators, oranges and the like, is visiting relatives in the Second district.

1300 ENJOY FREE EXCURSION

Poor Given Outing By Summer Vacation Society At Chesterwood.

Thirteen hundred men, women and children were guests of the free summer vacation society in a trip down the Bay to Chesterwood, on the Baltimore county water front, on the steamship Latrobe. The excursion left from the Recreation Pier at the foot of Broadway, Baltimore city, at 8.30 A. M. and returned at 6 P. M. This was the first of a series of free excursions which will be given by the society on the next seven Thursdays this summer.

BIRTHS IN COUNTY FOR JUNE EXCEED DEATHS BY FORTY-EIGHT

Detailed Report Handed Commissioners By Health Officer Shows That Health Of Citizens Is About Normal.

According to the report for June submitted by Dr. Josias Bowen, County Health Officer, to the County Commissioners there were 141 births in Baltimore county, 55 of which were white males, 64 white females, 9 colored males and 13 colored females.

Ninety-three deaths were reported of which 37 were white males, 41 white females, 5 colored males and 10 colored females. The causes were as follows: Apoplexy, 11; suicide, 2; tuberculosis, 14; heart disease, 22, kidney trouble, 2; mental diseases, 4; cancer, 10; arterosclerosis 2; lobar pneumonia 4; broncho-pneumonia, 2; accidental injuries, 4; still births 11, blood poisoning 2, diabetis 1, infantile debility 1, bronchitis 1 and gastro-intestinal trouble, 2.

In the 15th District Geo. Schultz, sanitary inspector of the State Department of Health, surveyed 72 properties, reporting that 7 sanitary toilets have been installed.

Nuisances by the score were reported to the local Health Department, all of which received attention.

During June the Public Health Nursing Service of Baltimore County visited 284 homes.

POWER LINE PLANNED

Gas & Elec. Co. To Extend 66,000 Volt Unit From Delight.

The Gas and Electric Company plans to extend a 66,000 volt line from Delight, near Reisterstown, to a point near Asbestos, where the Congoleum Company is erecting a new factory. Officials of the company explained the project to the Public Service Commission, which probably will issue an order of approval shortly.

The new line is the first step toward encircling the city with a belt of high-tension wires to supply industries outside the municipal limits.

SAM GREEN AND BRIDE BACK FROM HONEYMOON.

Roads Engineer Samuel A. Green and his bride have returned from their wedding trip, and are now occupying their home on the West Joppa road, Towson.

BOYS MAKE ESCAPE

Six Take "French Leave" From Maryland School At Loch Raven.

Six boys from the Maryland Training School for Boys at Loch Raven, are at large following a series of escapes in the last two days.

Two boys who escaped before were captured recently.

Three of the boys who are being sought by the police escaped from a guard Thursday night. They are Carl Morris, Ralmoond Baker and William J. Hubb.

Robert Penn, Charles Clarkson and Henry Ruttowski got out of the institution unnoticed early in the week.

All the boys were committed for incorrigibility.

TO USE LOCH RAVEN

Game Department Plans To Utilize 4000 Acres As Feeding Ground.

The 4000 acres of territory surrounding Loch Raven dam will be used as a feeding ground for game, and will be planted in part with soy bean, kaffir corn and buckwheat, it has been stated by the State Game Department. According to the Game Department the City Water Department will cooperate in this way with the State Department in establishing feeding preserves for game during the winter months.

The territory around Loch Raven dam has been used from the first as a game refuge, but never has been planted with these crops, Mr. LeCompte said. Allegany and Garrett county farmers in general have cooperated with the department in sowing small pieces of lands with these crops for game to feed on.

Farmers in other section of the State have ignored our request to make this small planting.

Sowing a small strip of land, even one-tenth of an acre, would be beneficial, principally to the farmer who can see a few months ahead.

These little feeding grounds will bring game from every direction right to the farmer's backyard and in season he can hunt them for his own use.

JACKSONVILLE WOMAN HOSTESS.

On Tuesday last members of the Ladies' Aid Society of Chestnut Grove Church met at the home of Mrs. Miles Carroll, at Jacksonville.

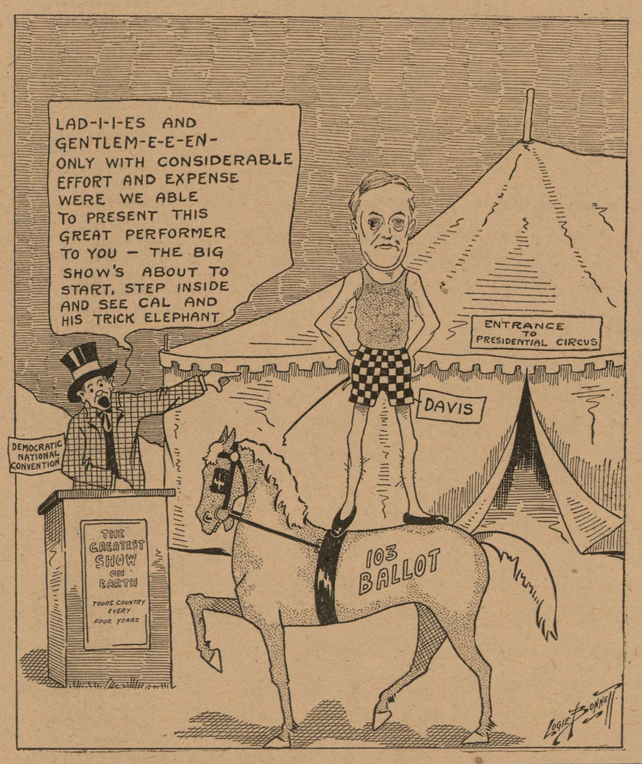
CARD PARTY HELD FOR BENEFIT OF HOSPITAL.

A lawn card party was held at "Southland Hills," Towson, for the benefit of Franklin Square Hospital, Baltimore city.

BALDWIN WOMAN GUEST OF COCKEYSVILLE FRIEND.

Mrs. H. E. Bartleson, of Cockeysville, has had as her recent guest Mrs. Dixon Connolly, of Baldwin.

THE NEW ATTRACTION.



BODY OF CALVIN COOLIDGE, JR., IS FOURTEENTH TO LIE IN WHITE HOUSE

Remains Of Many Presidents Reposed In Famous East Room, Not To Mention Members Of Chief Executive's Families Buried From Mansion.

The body of Calvin Coolidge, Jr., "baby" son of President and Mrs. Coolidge, who died of blood poisoning, is the fourteenth to lie in the historic east room of the White House.

The bodies of six Presidents, John Quincy Adams, Benjamin Harrison, Zacriah Taylor, Abraham Lincoln, Wm. McKinley and Warren G. Harding reposed in the executive mansion before being laid to rest in their respective family cemeteries. respective family cemeteries, not to mention members of Presidents' families to be buried from the White House.

The President's wish that there would be no official mourning was carried out, for orders were issued at Washington that flags were not to be hung at half-mast as has always been the custom when death visited the White House, and in addition Government departments were not closed.

After services at the White House the body of Calvin, Jr., was placed on a special train and taken to the Coolidge home in New England, where services were held and the remains interred at Plymouth.

COCKEYSVILLE VOL. FIRE CO. CARNIVAL JULY 17, 18, 19.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, July 17, 18 and 19, the Cockeysville Volunteer Fire Co. will hold its annual lawn fete.

T. Walter Allen is general chairman of the committee in charge with Alex. D. Brooks as treasurer.

FOLKS HAVE THEIR AUTOS OVERHAULED AT INTERVALS, BUT NEGLECT OWN HUMAN MACHINERY.

(By Dr. Josias Bowen, County Health Officer)

If it is a good idea to have your automobile overhauled every now and then—and you certainly will agree to that—it is equally important to pay as much attention to your own human machine. Don't wait until the machine breaks down, or "smashes up." Go to your family doctor and get him to give you a good going over. To keep the human machine in good running order you ought to have a health examination at least once a year.

And while you are about it, don't forget the children. To be kept well, babies should be examined at least once a month; the children under school age every six months, or oftener, and the school children at least once a year. Nothing on earth pays such large dividends as an investment in health.

Health protection in an intelligent community is a matter of supply and demand. People who have been aroused to an understanding of what they need in the way of such protection will get it, if they insist upon having it. When the members of a community want schools, improved roads, police or fire protection, the first step toward getting what they want is to get together, and the next is to insist upon having what they want and to keep on insisting until they get it. All phases of health protection—the safeguarding of water supplies, disposal of sewage, control of typhoid, malaria, smallpox, diphtheria and other communicable diseases, and along with them all other measures for safeguarding the health of grown-ups and children—belong in the same class. Any community that insists upon having them, can get them.

MOTOR CYCLE SKIDS ON YORK ROAD, NORTH OF COCKEYSVILLE, HURLING TWO TO ROAD

Men Were Bound For Pennsylvania Home—Auto Southbound Runs Over One, He Dying From Injuries.

Falling off the rear seat of a motor cycle when it skidded and overturned, Morris Matthews, 17 years old, was run over by an automobile and killed.

Joseph R. Scott, 20 years old, driver of the motorcycle, was thrown clear of the wheels of the automobile and escaped injury.

The accident occurred on the York road five miles beyond Cockeysville. Scott and Matthews were bound for Scott's home in Pennsylvania. The automobile which ran over Matthews was southbound and carried a Pennsylvania license.

Although the driver of the automobile stopped and offered to take Matthews to a hospital, his offer was refused, as George W. Warner, of the 800 block West Thirty-fourth

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MOTOR TO FREDERICK AND HARPERS' FERRY.

Mr. W. Gill Smith, with Jimmy, his man "Friday," Dr. Roy P. Smith and George Wilhelm, Mr. Smith's farm manager, motored to Frederick and Harpers' Ferry last Sunday.

MAN SELECTED WAS "JEFF'S" CHOICE AFTER OUR FAVORITE SON "BERT" RITCHIE

Davis Is Kind Of Candidate Who Needs No Platform, For His Record For Ability And Sterling Integrity Are Sufficient.

Step right this way, lad-i-i-es and gentlem-e-e-en! the big show is about to start.

Only with considerable effort and expense were the Democrats able to present such a distinguish-

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DEMOCRATS NOMINATE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE ON 103RD BALLOT.

On the 103rd ballot taken at the Democratic National convention at Madison Square Garden, New York, John W. Davis of West Virginia, was nominated as the Democratic candidate for President.

The choice of the convention for the Vice-Presidential nomination went to Charles Bryan, Governor of Nebraska and brother of Wm. Jennings Bryan.

Davis is reported to be an able man, he being a prominent attorney and on two occasions a member of Congress. During the war, in the Wilson administration, he was Ambassador to Great Britain.

SENT TO JAIL

Charles Marks Of Rossville Committed For Contempt Of Court.

Charles Marks, of Rossville, is a guest of Warden Bosley at the Towson Jail until such time as he makes up his mind to answer questions put to him by the Orphans' Court.

Marks, former administrator of the estate of the late John Marks, Sr., was commanded by the court to turn over to Attorney Lawrence E. Ensor, the administrator appointed in his stead, all books, papers, etc., pertaining to the estate, which Marks refused to do.

When he persisted in refusing to comply with the Court's order the Sheriff was called in and Marks was taken to jail for contempt of court.

Attorney William P. Cole, Jr., represented Attorney Ensor, while Attorney G. Clem Graetzel represented Marks.

EXAMINATION TO BE HELD

Board Of Education To Conduct Same At Its Office Today.

An examination for a female scholarship to Western Maryland College will be held today (Saturday) at the office of the County Board of Education Only those who have comopleted a high school course are eligible to take the examination.

COLLIDES WITH AUTO

Runaway Horse And Buggy Side Swipes Machine Near Catonsville.

A buggy drawn by a runaway horse sideswiped an automobile, both vehicles being damaged. The accident occurred on Caton avenue, near Catonsville. The horse, uninjured, continued for several blocks before being stopped by pedestrians.

The automobile belongs to F. E. Butterbaugh, 5017 Litchfield avenue, and was driven by Kenneth Chaney. The horse is owned by Peter Balloff, Washington Boulevard and thriteenth street. Mr. Balloff was charged with allowing his horse to stand unattended and with driving without lights.

TOURNAMENT AND PICNIC AT HARRISONVILLE AUGUST 9

A tournament and picnic for the benefit of Holy Family Catholic Church, Harrisonville, will be held on August 9.

MULATTO ATTACKS WHITE GIRL IN HER LOCH RAVEN HOME

Breaks Away From Assailant, Running To Home Of A Neighbor For Assistance---Police Hunting For The Culprit.

Miss Geneieve Freeman, the 17-year-old daughter of J. N. Freeman, who conducts a store at Loch Raven, had a thrilling experience with a mulatto, who grabbed her on the stairway at her home.

She succeeded in breaking from the man's grasp and ran screaming from the house to the home of a neighbor. Miss Freeman was alone at her home and hearing a noise down stairs secured a pistol and started to go there. On the stairway she was confronted by the mulatto, who caught hold of her and attempted to pull her down the steps. After a hard struggle she succeeded in getting away. The man is believed to have entered the house for the purpose of robbery.

RANDALLSTOWN WOMAN CELEBRATES 83RD BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Kate V. Fite, widow of William E. Fite, celebrated her eighty-third birthday at her home in Randallstown recently. At a reunion of relatives gathered from New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Maryland Line. Alfred Matthews, of Glenwood, Howard county, eighty-eight-year-old brother of Mrs. Fite, was a marked figure. Mrs. Fite and Mr. Mathews are the last survivors of a family of fourteen children of the late James B. and Kitty Griffith Fite.

INSTRUCTOR AT MARYLAND SCHOOL FOR BOYS QUITS.

Mr. William Kerr, one of the instructors at the Maryland School for Boys at Loch Raven, resigned recently to assume new duties at a New York institution.

RELAY EXHIBIT CITED

In Better Homes Contest, Kalamazoo Wins First And Atlanta Second Prize.

Commendation of an exhibit made by Relay, is expressed in the announcement of awards for "better homes" demonstrations in 1924, issued from national headquarters of Better Homes in America, Washington.

Although no prize was won by the Relay exhibit, the statement announcing the awards said:

"Relay, a community of 800 population, demonstrated a semi-detached house of excellent architecture, well landscaped and furnished."

We Believe We Have Discovered The Real Reason For Lengthening Of Skirts—It Is To Prevent The Waist Line From Falling Below The Hem.

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