GIRL WHO LEFT GREEN SPRING VALLEY RESIDENCE FOR HOME, MISSING SINCE MARCH, IS LOCATED

Florina Adams, Niece Of Mrs. John K. Shaw, Found By Father Working In New York Newspaper Office—Victim Of Amnesia.

Miss Florina L. Adams, Philadelphia debutante and niece of Mrs. John K. Shaw, of the Green Spring Valley, this county, who disappeared March 26 is at the home of her parents, 6120 McCallum street, in the fashionable Wissahickon district of Germantown, near Philadelphia.

She was found by her father, H. L. Adams, Philadelphia leather merchant, in the offices of the New York American, Columbus Circle, New York, where she had been employed as an advertising solicitor since the day after her disappearance.

Miss Adams last was seen by relatives March 26 when Mrs. Shaw, at whose Green Spring Valley home she had spent a month, put her aboard a train at Union Station bound from Baltimore for Philadelphia.

Since that time a nation-wide search has been conducted for her. Her trunk was located at one of the Philadelphia stations of the Pennsylvania Railroad and railroad detectives established that the parlor-car chair she had engaged was occupied as far as Philaadelphia, but was unoccupied between Philadelphia and New York.

Miss Adams, whose parents believe she is the victim of amnesia, did not recognize her father when he confronted her in the New York newspaper office. She accompanied him to his Philadelphia home, however, without protest. In New York she has been living as Miss Jane Johnson.

She said she remembered a railroad trip, although the names of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw meant nothing to her. On the railroad trip, she said, she remembered striking her head on the metal vestibule of one of the cars when the train lurched as she attempted to pass from one coach to another.

Miss Adams also said she must have fainted, for she remembers a porter reviving her with water. She gave the man a quarter, she said. The next thing she remembers was crossing the Delaware river on a ferry boat and boarding a Philadelphia train for New York.

Despite the efforts of railroad detectives and the police of the entire country, no trace of Miss Adams had been found until last Sunday.

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GUEST OF SUNNYBROOK RELATIVES.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Perdue, of Sunnybrook, have had as their guest Mrs. Perdue's sister, Miss Mildred M. Guthrie, of Monkton.

CHURCH UNDERGOING REPAIRS.

Pine Grove Church, at Rayville, is undergoing extensive repairs both inside and out.

PICNIC AT BRADSHAW AUG. 16.

The annual picnic of St. Stephen's Catholic Church at Bradshaw will be held on Saturday, August 16.

TOWSON GIRL ENTERTAINS CLASSMATES.

Miss Agnes E. Perkins entertained some of her classmates of the Class of 1924 of the Towson High School at her home on Highland avenue recently.

RURAL COMMUNITY MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

The first rural community meeting for Baltimore county will be held on Sunday, August 17th under a large tent 40x80 feet to be erected on the Old Waugh School House site at Greenwood.

The meetings are to be continuel for three weeks.

HIGH WHEAT PROFIT IS CITED BY TOWSONITE.

American farmers will rceeive this year a half billion dollars more than last year for their wheat, said C. R. Titlow, of Towson, president of the Federal Land Bank of Baltimore, in an address at the annual Farmers' Day at the University of Delaware, in Newark. Similar increases in revenue will come to farmers from cotton and other staples, he added.

With better times ahead, Mr. Titlow cautioned against immediate expenditure of the farmers' new income. Losses of the last two or three years must be taken into account, he said. But he found a hopeful sign in the increased buying power of the farmers' dollar, which, he said, after fluctuating between 50 and 70 cents for several years, has reached a new level at 79 cents in June. He urged co-operation in the production and marketing of crops.

COUNTY HAS SAME DIFFICULTY AS CITY WITH DUPLICATION OF HIGHWAY NAMES.

The same duplication of the names of streets and avenues which the Baltimore city authorities find exist there prevail in Baltimore Coounty. Favorite names are duplicated in various places, causing confusion. For instance, there is a Park avenue at Govans and one at Towson. There are several instances where avenues which intersect the York Road have the same names. There is always difficulty in changing the names of avenues to conform to the wishes of a majority of the people interested. Several years ago the name of Bellona avenue at Govans was changed to Blenheim avenue. The similarity of the original name to a popular brand of sausage brought about the change. When a young lady received a note from a gentleman admirer designating her home as located on Bellona Sausage Avenue she started an agitation for the change. It was not long before the City Council of Baltimore was petitioned to change the name back to Bellona avenue, and the matter is not yet definitely settled. As the matter stood the part of the avenue in the city was officially named Blenheim, and the part in the county officially retained the original name.

COMMISSIONERS TO TAKE ANNUAL VACATION LAST OF MONTH.

The County Commissioners will take their annual vacation during the last two weeks in August, as has been the custom for years.

TRACKS OF OLD "TOONERVILLE TROLLEY" BEING REMOVED.

Work was begun on removing the tracks of the Towson and Cockeysville Electric Railway, which has ceased operation and its property sold at public auction. The tracks are now being torn up on Bosley avenue, at Towson. Tracks which are on improved streets, it is stated, will not be removed.

TOWSONITES VISIT FREAK OF NATURE.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Held spent a portion of this week at Condersport, Pa., where they visited the ice mine, which is also known as "The Devil's Ice Box."

It is not a place where ice is mined, but a freak of nature in which beautiful and fantastic ice formations appear during spring, summer and fall, melting on approach of cold weather.

WOMAN WITH PISTOL ROUTS THREE BURGLARS.

Miss Olive Shaffer was sitting at a window of her Reisterstown home. A truck drew up and stopped in front of the accessory store of Charles C. Whitney next door. Two negroes and a white man alighted. They started to pry open the door.

Seizing a pistol, Miss Shaffer fired three shots at the men. They jumped into the truck and sped away. D. F. McCoy, who lives near by, also had seen the men at the store door, and when the truck started off he too, opened fire.

When the truck got out of range Miss Schaffer telephoned Pikesville police. They shortly afterward arrested three men they found riding in a truck a few miles outside of Reisterstown.

The men gave their names as Jesse Green, colored, 1105 North Calhoun street; James Johnson, colored, 1114 Mosher street, and Mason Kohn, 1918 North Bentalou street. They were held in $1,000 bail each for grand jury action.

80 BARRELS OF WHISKEY MOVED FROM GWYNNBROOK.

Two truckloads of whiskey from the Gwynnbrook Distillery were moved to the plant of the Baltimore Concentration Warehouse Company. Each truck contained 40 barrels. This was the first shipment of the 10,517 barrels at the Gwynnbrook plant to be taken to Baltimore for concentration on order of David A. Blair, Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Galen L. Tait, Collector of Internal Revenue, said more trucks will be engaged next week and efforts will be made to hasten the transfer of the liquor. All the trucks are manned with armed guards.

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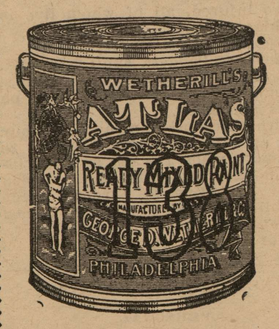

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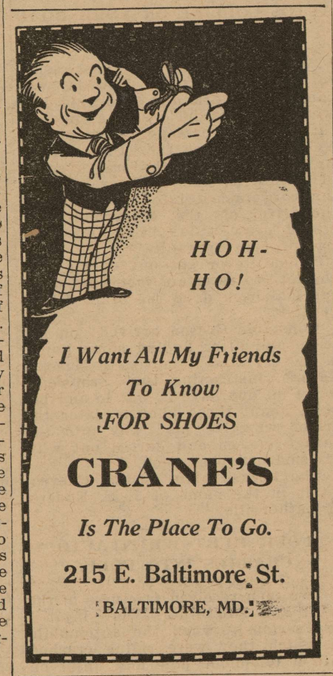

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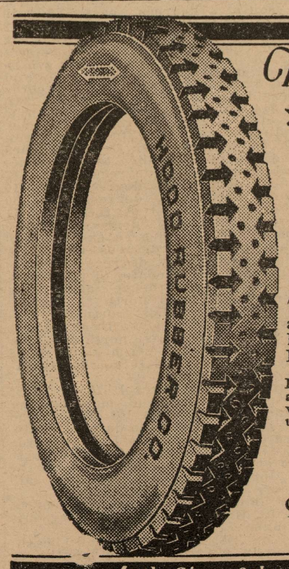

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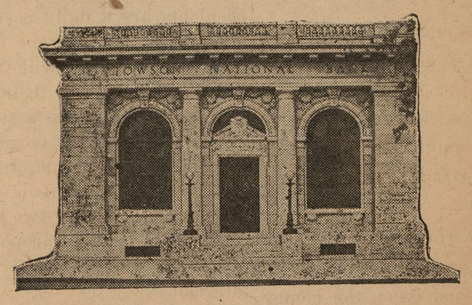

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