## UP AND DOWN THE Eastern Shore

**Kills Woman, Self**

Wingate—Kenneth Robinson, 3-year-old waterman, killed Mrs. Alta Moore, 30, with a blast from a shotgun Monday then blew part of his own head off in a murder and suicide tragedy witnessed by two horrifed onlookers. Robinson, a widower and father of a nine-year-old son and Mrs. Moore, estranged from her husband since October and mother of a three-year-old child, had been "keeping company" since last summer when they worked together in a packing house. Witnesses said the man approached Mrs. Moore in the rear yard of a home where she was employed, talked with her briefly, then fired a blast into her back. She died on the way to the hospital. Robinson fired twice at his own head, the first blast only grazing his skull.

**Claiborne Hotel Burns**

Claiborne — Investigation is being planned into the cause of a fire which destroyed the unoccupied Hotel Bellefont late Sunday night here at a loss of about $25,000. The twenty-eight room hotel familiar to vacationists had been made ready for the coming summer season. Firemen from four towns battled the blaze vainly. The hotel formerly operated by Miss Elsie Card was sold recently to the Delmarva Mortgage Company of Salisbury.

**Judge Bailey Passes**

Salisbury—Former Judge Joseph L. Bailey, for seventeen years a member of the bench in the First Judicial Circuit ,died of pneumonia Sunday night after an illness of three weeks. A school teacher who turned to law Judge Bailey was State's Attorney for twelve years, was first appointed a judge to fill a vacancy in 1917.

**Small Freighter Burns**

Chestertown—The 80-foot freighter Dahlia owned and operated by Captain Norman Riggs of Fredericktown, caught fire and burned off Ordinary Point in the Sassafras river as it was Baltimore-bound for a load of fertilizer. First indication of trouble came to the captain in the pilot house when one of two deisel motors stopped. Before he could get to the engine room the other stopped. The engine room was a mass of flames and captain and mate had barely time to launch a boat and row away.

**Two Burned In Car**

Denton—Two men were burned to death and a third suffered head bruises and shock when an automobile driven by James Willoughby, jr., 23, of the Hobbs vicinity, struck a pole and burst into flames near Hickman Saturday morning. Willoughby, trapped in the wreckage was burned beyond recognition. Ora C. Bowdle, 63, of Washington, was thrown from the car but pinned under a fender as the vehicle turned over. Russell Messick, 21, of the Hickman vicinity, injured when he was tossed from the car, ignored his own burning clothing and was trying to pull the driver from the burning car when aid arrived.

**Shore Firemen Meet**

Crisfield—Fred Brown of Wilmington was chosen president of the Del-Mar-Va Volunteer Firemen's Association at the tenth annual convention. A feature of the session was a speech by 101-year-old Benjamin Scott, chief of the Onancock, Va., unit.

**New Truck Burns**

Princess Anne—A loose utility tank on a new truck owned by E. Mace Smtih caused a blaze which destroyed the Somerset man's truck in South Carolina as he was hauling 100,000 tomato plants north. The driver noticed an odd reflection in his mirror, stopped the truck to investigate, found that the utility tank was dragging on the road and ablaze and the whole side of the tank was bursting with flames.

**Lands On Chin**

Elkton—David Vandergrift, farmhand for C. E. Oliver at Cherry Hill, tripped and fell as he was driving the cows in from the field and broke his jaw.

**Catches Hand In Wringer**

Berlin—Mickel (Michael) Holland, four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Holland, injured her right arm when it was caught in an electric washing machine wringer. While the child was alone with the maid her hand was caught in the moving revolving rollers of the machine and was drawn through to the elbow before the maid could not off the current. Crowbars were used to loosen the rollers before the child's arm could be freed. An X-ray showed no bones broken but some of the flesh had been torn away.

**Mystery Deepens**

Elkton—The mystery in the finding of Robert Taylor's charred body in the wreck of his car two weeks ago deepened when Mrs. Doris Taylor, 23, his sister-in-law, committed suicide by firing a shotgun blast into her body. She remained conscious long enough to indicate that she was grieving and despondent over Taylor's unsolved death. Neighbors found the woman outside her home with her three-year-old daughter wondering because her mother would not talk to her. Taylor lived at the home of his brother and sister-in-law. The latter in a note before her death said she knew nothing about Taylor's death and indicated that her nerves gave way to grief.

**Yacht Burned**

Rising Sun—A $6,000 yacht and boathouse were destroyed by fire of undertermined origin. The yacht engine was being tested inside the boathouse when flames broke out and spread with such rapidity that building and boat were consumed.

## A DIFFERENT KENTUCKY STORY

Swooning loons, or two minds with not a single thought might be the short legend of this dream of delight. Zasu Pitts as a Southern gal is making love to Hugh Herbert, loony man of the screen and he's nearly sane. At least he's staying in close, like Henry Armstrong when he's punching. The scene is from the racetrack thrill, "The Lady From Kentucky", an entirely different Kentucky story coming to the Queen Theatre on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. It's a benefit for the Queenstown junior baseball team.

## *The Queen Anne's County Social Register*

### WYE MILLS

Mr. Bernard Allen, of Baltimore, is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen.

Mrs. Howard Greaves is spending two weeks attending the World's Fair.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Hallman visited their parents Sunday evening at Dover.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W .Reeves and son Marion, spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Tina Jones at Queenstown.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Price had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Price and children, of Laurel, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Corkran and son of Hurlock.

The Wye P.-T. A., held their regular literary program Monday evening which was thoroughly enjoyed.

The Brohterhood was entertained at the church house on Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wolcott. The newly-elected officers are as follows: President, Mr. M. M. Price; Secretary, Mrs. H. T. Roe; Treasurer, Mr. J. C. Skinner.

Mrs. John Dodd and daughters, of Denton, spent the week with her mother, Mrs. J. C. Skinner.

Mrs. W. E. Roe had all of her children with her to enjoy Mother's Day: Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kinnamon, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Hayward Kennard and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe.

### QUEEN ANNE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Goodhand visited both their mothers, Mrs. Goodhand, of Ruthsburg, and Mrs. Kersey, of Kent Island, on Sunday, Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Dulin, of Chester, Pa., were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forde Adams.

Mrs. Samuel Briscoe, of near Ridgely, spent the week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Forde Adams.

Mr. and Mrs .Howard Eley spent the week-end in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Pinder and sons, Carlton and Howard, visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rice, near town, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jefferson, of Smyrna, Del., and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Macklin, of Bridgeville, Del., were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stevens on Sunday.

Bernard Sparks, jr., has been notified that he is a winner of a scholarship to Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Va., in a recent competition examination held at Denton. These examinations for high school seniors in Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania and Virginia, were taken by over a hundred students, and five scholarships were awarded.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Marshall and Miss Jane Marshall, of Wilmington, Del., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Sneed. Mrs. Marshall is the former Miss Ida Mae Sneed, of Queen

### STARR

Mr. Edward Owens, a prominent farmer near Wye Mills Station, was injured quite badly last week. While burning some brush and paper at his home his clothing caught afire. As he was alone at the time he attempted to extinguish the blaze with his hands which were burned quite badly, also one of his limbs. Only for the timely arrival of Charles Davis who was employed on the farm at the time it would have proved quite serious. Mr. Owens is still suffering the effects.

It is rumored here that Mr. Thomas Boyle, a son of Mr. Charles I. Boyle, ex-County Commissioner has purchased a threshing machine to take over the run in this neighborhood. The farmers are glad to learn of the news as they have had quite a task getting their wheat threshed for the past two years. Taking 12 days when 6 days should have been sufficient.

We don't hear much talk about the coming primary. One young man stated he didn't know they were going to hold an election this year. So those who interested should let it be known—and get busy.

The rain which arrived here on Saturday last was a welcome visitor in this community. A few had plowed some land wet and also dry which caused some large clods. One farmer was using a sledge hammer to pulverize them. The hammer is resting easy now at the barn since the rain.

Mrs. Walter Sharp of near Easton, and daughter, Mrs. Walter Shores and son James, of St. Michaels, spent Friday as the guest of Mrs. Rena Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Noble, of Federalsburg, were the week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wolcott of Wye Mills, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roe one afternoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Adams and children, William, Robert and Joyce, of Quarryville, Pa., were the Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Rena Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Risdon Dulin entertained relatives Sunday afternoon.

Sunday was Mother's Day—and everyone, both old and young whose mother is living remembered her by giving her a nice present to let her know she was not forgotten.

Some of our housewives have been busy cleaning house. It was so nice and warm, most of them had taken down the living room stove, but on Saturday morning they called on the men folks to put them up again; and the men folks all got out their overcoats and said will summer ever come again

### GRASONVILLE

Mrs. Delores Eaton, of Baltimore, spent the week-end here with relatives and friends.

Mr. William Christopher, of Baltimore, was home with his mother, Mrs. Carrie Christopher for the week-end.

Mrs. Thomas O'Donnell has returned home after spending some time with relatives in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Coursey of Easton, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Paswater.

Mr. Coulter Austin of Easton, was home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Austin for the week-end.

**SCHWEIZER—SCHELBERG**

Miss Henrietta Schelberg, daughter of Captain and the late Mrs. August Schelberg of Queenstown and Mr. Alfred Schweizer of Wilmington, Del., were married Monday, May 8, at 11 o'clock at the Eispocal rectory in Wilmington by the Rev. Mr. Graham.

The bride was dressed in a blue traveling suit and carried a bouquet of talisman roses. Mrs. Frederick Roser, who was matron of honor, wore a blue ensemble with matching accessories and a corsage of white gardenias. Mr. Frederick Dantel, of Wilmington, was best man.

Following the ceremony the couple left for a trip to the New York World's Fair, the New England States and Canada.

The bride is chief operator at the C. & P. Telephone exchange in Queenstown. The groom is head mechanic at the Bellanca Airplane Company at Wilmington. They will reside in Queenstown.

Among the guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kley and Mrs. Louise West and her daughter, Miss Bernice West, of Baltimore; Mrs. Ernest Henes, of Wilmington; Mrs. Roland Richards, of Newport, Del., and Mrs. Clementine Jones of Queenstown.

**LEONARD—WOOTERS**

Miss Laura Dukes Wooters, of Easton and Ridgely, daughter of Mr. M. Harvey Wooters, of Love Point, and Mr. Robert Sterling Leonard ,of Washington, D. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Leonard, of Washington, were married on Saturday, March 4, at the Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, Easton, by the Rev. Durrie B. Hardin, rector. The young couple are now residing in Washington where Mr. Leonard is employed by the United States Government.

Mrs. Leonard was educated at Washing College, Chestertown, and until her marriage was a member of the Easton high school faculty. Mr. Leonard was educated at Washington University, Washington, and Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.

**BARCLAY SERVICE**

A new schedule of services for Barclay M. E. Church, South, has been annoucned by the Rev. John W. Newman, pastor. Sunday School will be held each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock under the leadership of Frank Wallace, superintendent. The Ingleside-Barclay Young People's Organization will meet at 7 p. m. and Evening Service will be at 7:45 o'clock.

### BUSIC

Mrs. Ella Parson and son Walter, of Kenton, Del., spent Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Thompson and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Ware.

Mrs. Sarah Thompson, of Greensboro, is spending a few days with her son, Mr. Harry Thompson.

There will be Sunday School at Busic M. E. Church next Sunday. All children that want to help in the Children's Day services be there at 2 o'clcok.

Mr. Medford Thompson and Mr. Bryan Bowers, spent Friday in Dover. Mr. Medford and Mrs. Mae Thompson and children spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ware and son, Arthur, spent Monday in Centreville.

Mr. Edward Thompson and Mr. James Thompson, visited Mr. Harry Thompson, Saturday morning.

The Ladies' Aid of Busic M. E. Church will hold a covered dish supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.


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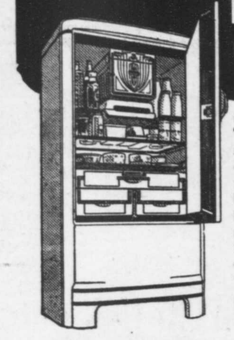

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