OL. MIDNIGHT

Race Who Are Making Good In The Professional and

The Business World.

gether until death, and some will looked as happy as a Junebug and looked as happy as a Junebug and mother.

Miss Cora Hall and Miss Marion mother. live together until before death, his bride as happy as a lark. They The coroner's jury returned a Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith. but I wish them all well.

my last letter, or had left there something about the human head for the killing: and gone to Danville, and I spent a or hair, feet and hands and is do- "We the jury," the verdict reads, Mead of York, Pa., is the guest of Sunday in Danville, Va., and it ing a great big work. She has a "sworn to inquire, when, how and Miss Hall. was some Sunday too. Getting nice place. through there I left early for Peters- It seemed that the word spread Walker came to his death, upon the summer at the Hillside Farm. burg, Va I went there to see the that "Col. Midnight is in town," their oath do say that he came to Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards, of teachers take on more education and the people were looking at me his death on the 20th day of June, Philadelphia, are spending a fortto give to the children. At the from every direction. I spent a 1915, from the effects of a pistol night as the guest of the former's head of this Virginia Normal and few minutes in the Sunday school wound inflicted on the 20th day of parents. Industrial Institute is to be found convention presided over by Dr. D. June, 1915, by his son, Russel Miss M. Ethel Hall has returned home from her school at Sparks, USE and associated with him are to be vention. I want to here congratu. fore them they are unable to de- Md. found many other good teachers. late Mrs. A. E. Waddleton, for the termine whether the shooting was Mr. and Mrs. Greval Hall enter-I will not take time to tell you all work she is doing among the chil- done knowingly and maliciously or tained on Tuesday evening in honor I saw at the school but I have been dren. She is some worker believe was due to the son's mistaking his of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwards of there and have had a nice time, and me. At the convention I met Rev. father for a burglar." now I am away and ready to turn A. L. Gaines, and Dr. I. N. Ross.

to other things. L. M. Bright and his wife were was covered by the city editor. L. M. Bright and his wife were down to Little Bay, and Rev. Richard Bowling, had gone to Lynchburg to get his wife and he married on that Wednesday that I have in view, Rev. Dr. Barco, married on the same date, and I have in mind another bride and groom I will talk about later.

Now you will have to listen to me while I tell you I have been going some in Baltimore. I found Editor Murphy out of town, but the business was going on in the office just the same. Arnett Murphy and D. H. Murphy, are just bound to break things or make

suck to her contention that her son mistook her husband for a robber and denied rumors that the son had said that he would "fix" his father.

Beverly Turner, however, gave plausibility to the murder theory by stating that the son had asked for the pistol in the name of his father. The night was spent in Norfolk.

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ing, I was up and headed for Hampton. Without doubt this is one of
The force is full and they are doing

L. Leigh street, and the same pistol two minutes after the pistol had been the greatest institutions in the things. world, and if it has not done any more for civilization than to give I went to a number of business upon as showing some alleged dis-

here is the foundation. man. I did not get to see him, for daughters and mothers and sisters he was away, but I was given the of the men.

some pumpkins. test for years, and it is still giving me a whole pitcher of lemonade with accommodations for 100 guests to give a picnic. thought, and those who come from When the paper had been sent to walk. The spacious and well- working hard for \$200 Rally July the institution with a diploma are press, Foreman D. H. Murphy in appointed dining room directly 25th. prepared to do their work. It is a vited me to go out in the street overlooks the ocean, thus adding school of system, of methods, and with him and he showed me some zest to the meal as one sniffs the helpful to those who attend.

ton, and I left that night on the owned and operated by Captain well groomed men, all with evi-City of Baltimore of the Chesapeake Brown. He is a full fledged hoat dent air of refinement and educa-Steamship Company for Baltimore. man, and I tell you that boat tion, tend to make the surround-I got on the boat, and I never saw moved for him just like it would ings desirable from the standpoint people waste so much rice. I for a white man. He was on deck. of the particular. thought of what they are saying I am going to make a trip on the about hard times and how them boat and will tell you about it next patronage of the Providence Medipeople were throwing away rice. week. But it was a bride and groom get- Now then we met a number of Jersey Medical Society brought a ting on. They had taken advantage people on the boat, but as I shall number of physicians and their of that Wednesday and J. E. Holli- deal with that question in my wives. A reception was tendered day had claimed Miss Louise Ed- next letter, will beg you to pardon them last Saturday night and a wards and they were going to Bal- me from doing so now. I am go- grand hop took place at the Ocean

another bride and groom, and they make my letter too long. hand of one of the leading teachers me at 501 Charles street, Savannah, were: Dr. and Mrs. Owen M. Walof Virginia, Miss Hattie Douglass. Ga. An account was published last week. It was nice to see so many married people on that boat. was there myself, but of course I was not to do anything but look on. trade. She has gone down to be tended. with the bride in that sad hour Mt. Joy A. M. E. Church, Miller, Dr. and Mrs. Mossell, all O. C. Hall, who is quite ill. sething to this young woman many years.

who was entering it. Then the WRLKER MYSTERY next was Isaac Sharpe of Philadelphia, a man of wealth and influence.

am saying all this to tell you that them people decide to have a wedding dinner on the boat an invited me to eat with them. Meets Men And Women Of The knew something about eating and day the mystery deepens in the on July 4th. Music was rendered did not refuse. Headwaiter case of the killing of Armstead by Mr. George Brooks and Prof. Thomas Burnett, and the steward of Walker by his son Russell Walker Young. know that George Tucker is the fatal shooting was due to the fact pneumonia. steward of the boat and he knows that the son mistook his father for Miss Ida Powell, of Glenwood, Chester, Pa.—Last Wednesday his business. Much credit is due a burglar, the belief is prevalent these folks. I don't know as I have in some quarters that the killing der Jenison. I have ever heard of in my life; ever had such a dinner on a boat was due to design on the part of Mrs. Jackson of Washington, is and it would take up a whole since I have been in the world. young Walker. paper for me to tell you about the to leave, but believe me the groom held in Police Court next Wednes-

but did not get to do much talkleft that place and found my ing to either of them, nor Dr. way to Norfolk and went right on Norris. The convention has passto the Hotel Mt. Vernon and found a cordial welcome for me there.

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out later.

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to the world Dr. Booker T. Wash- places, and I shall not pay my re- crepancies in the statement made ington, then it should have the spects to the Druid Hand and by young Walker. highest place in history. Booker Steam Laundry this week but will While there were no eyewitness-T. Washington, Tuskegee, and then tell you more about Baltimore es to the shooting, a number of our Emmett J. Scott, and many next week. I went to the Metro-colored people in the neighborhood politan M. E. Church where the claim that bad blood existed bewomen were holding their mis- tween father and son, and the son was Communion Day at Ward Connected with the Hampton is sionary meeting. Mrs. Mary F. resented being told that he would Church. Rev. R. Allen Greene one of the greatest men of our Handy was visiting them. She is have to go to work. It is said that preached a fine sermon. Sister race, although there is but little indeed a wonderful woman. Mrs. they have secured counsel to help Fannie Owens was taken ill at said about him, Major R.R. Moton, but the whole world will some day but the whole world will some day church. These women are doing death was deliberately planned. know that he has lived. He is not a great big work. I was introduc- Meanwhile, all Richmond awaits making any fuss but is doing his ed but was bashful, being invited the outcome. work well. Next to him is Capt. to talk before so many well trained Washington. Major Moten is the and educated women, the wives and

highest consideration during my Talked with Mrs. Lucy D. Lovstay there, and I met students or ing and I shall tell you about her teachers there from every direction later. Dr. Gaines gave me an and they certainly did greet me. order to Mrs. Moore and she serv-They made me feel like I was ed me some dinner. It is one of brief holiday period. the best eating houses in town and! This institution has stood the they know how to cook. She made Ocean House, a modern hostelry girls Monday. They are preparing

few things. He toted me down salt air. An orchestra enlivens Only one day was spentlin Hamp- to the Steamer Starlight, the boat things, smartly-gowned women and Mrs. Lewis N. Frisby have moved

timore to spend their honey maiden ing to tell you about some chicken House Monday night. The visitors Woodstock street, has returned killing and picking in my next letter were lavish in their praise of the They were received by Mrs. Annie and about some of the other business fittings of the Ocean house, which Gross and Miss Margaret George, people of Baltimore. Get ready to is said to be one of the best on the stewardesses. On the boat I found see what I have seen and hear what Atlantic Ocean run by colored peothat there was already on board I have heard. I do not want to ple. M. D. Waller, formerly of

were attended by friends. This The people are doing more in Mrs. Lucy Lee, of New York city, was Dr. H. A. Whyte, of Washing- Baltimore than the world knows manager. ton, Pa., and he had claimed the anything bout A letter will reach

OUALER BOTTOM ITEMS

Quaker Bottom, Md., July 8. - son, Dr. and Mrs. Minkson and Dr. Monday, Lonnie Branch of Balti-I was introduced to Mrs. J. Creditt, Stevensons Lodge, No. 52 of Masons and Mrs. Sampson, all of New York more gave an irspiring address. of Baltimore, who is a business had their annual sermon preached city; Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Jersey Music was furnished by the band woman, a woman who has made to them by Rev. B. O. Bundick, City; Mr. and Mrs. Ruz, Bethlehem, from Berkley. good in her line of business and on June 27. It was largely at- Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Dean, Miss L.

of getting margied. She had some Woman's Day exercises under the of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. J. Messrs. Sherman Hall, George experience in getting married her- auspices of Mrs. L. Bundick were W. Hughes, Mr. J. H. Murphy of Berry and L. Bonyer, of Bryn Alf, and was in position to say the best held in the church for Baltimore; Dr. and Mrs. Robinson, Mawr, Pa., were home to spend

Armstead Walker's Death Baffles Police and Populace

people who married last week. It carried her to her room and return- day, and detectives are working in for Wilmington, Del., where she seems that the people just wanted ed and finished his duty to the the meanwhile on the theory that will spend the summer. to get married. and they got mar. tab e. It was a nice ride, and soon the elder Walker was deliberately Mr. Richard Scott has purchasried, and some of them will live to- I was in Baltimore, still with that murclered. Walker is at liberty ed at automobile.

t I wish them all well.

I was in Reidsville when I wrote on Druid Hill avenue. She knows which failed to show the cause

by what means the said Armstead Miss Alice Mitchell is spending

CONFLICTING TESTIMONY

Conflicting testimony was given at the coroner's hearing. Mrs.

delivered. This was commented

MANY VISITORS AT SEA ISLE, N. J.

respite from work during the sum- 'high cost of living' as two were mer presented a gala appearance married last week, Mr. Wm. Dixon, from Friday to Tuesady, hundreds Mr. Clarence Longus. of persons coming to enjoy the Mrs. Sarah Chase is improving

and situated right on the board. The people of Ward Church are

An automobile run under the cal Association and the North Baltimore, is the proprietor and

Among the many visitors noticed ler, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Dr. Roland Conowingo, Md., July 7.—Ser-E. Sampson, Jr., all of Philadel- preached. phia; Dr. and Mrs. R. C. McPher- The Fourth was celebrated on Jersay City.

CATONSVILLE ITEMS

DEEPENS DAILY and Mrs. Samuel Williams, of Winters avenue, entertained Mr. and Mrs. William Kent and Miss Kent, Mr. William Simms and Richmond, Va., July 9.—Each George Young, all of Baltimore.

the boat, selected one of the best 19 days ago. Despite the fact the Edna, the oldest daughter of waiters they had on the boat, but I accused man and his mother, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hardy, has do not recall his name, but I do Maggie Walker, assert that the recovered from a severe attack of

the guest of Mrs. Sarah Woodland,

CORBETT BRIFS.

Corbett, Md., July 8. - Miss Alice

Philadelphia and Miss Alice Mead, of York, Pa.

MIDDLE RIVER NEWS

able sermon last Sunday morning. A lawn party given by the Star of Hope Club on July 4th was a

Rev. Armstrong will leave Monday for Washington to attend the closing of the Preachers' Meeting. He left this week for Cambridge on a brief visit to his parents, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Armstrong.

EHAPPENINGS IN BENNINGS

Bennings, D. C., July 8. - Sunday tion. She is better at this writing.

Quite a number of people attended the Fourth celebration on Mrs. Julia Gross' lawn. Mrs. Gross is an indefatigable worker.

Sea Isle. N. J., July 7.—This The young men in this neighbor. little haven for those seeking a brief hood do not seem to mind the

The mecca of the race was the Mrs. Greene organized the young

QUAKER CITY NOTES

Philadelphia, July 8.-Mr. and from 1418 S 18th street to 1527 . Lambert street. They expect to return to Baltimore in the fall. Mrs. Amanda Miles, of 1742 N.

Beechwood street, has gone to Ocean City, N. J., for the summer. Mrs. Susie Henderson, of 1731 N. Woodstock street, sister of Mr. F. N. Averett. has returned from

the hospital feeling decidedly improved from a recent nerve ex-Mrs. Ida Conner, of 1742 N. home from the Women's Homeopathic Hospital where she went .

for an operation. Mrs. Lucy Weston, of Matthews county, Va., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Sadie Loftlin, 2242 Turner

CONOWINGO EVENTS

Johnson, of Brooklyn; Dr. J. Thomas vices were held at Mt. Zoar Church Stanford, Forrest H. Battis and R. Sunday morning. Rev. J. D. Banks

Mrs. Cassie McClan and Mr. C. Brooks, Mr. James Howard, Miss Hall are home visiting their brother the Fourth with their parents.

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Peyton to Fountain Washington Schools

NATIVE OF OLD DOMIN

Rise of a Former Schoolteache Has Wen Prominence In the Profession at the District of bia Bar - Educated at W Seminary and Howard Univer

Washington.-Fountain Peyton was appointed member of th board of education in this city J for a term of three years, wa near Fredericksburg, Va., of slat ents. While his futher was set ward to build breastworks for th federates, his mother escal w young son, then about one year Washington. The first school at by the lad was in the soldier racks, on the present site of Fa square. His first teacher was Lucy A. Barbour.

The school was continued then the erection of the Thaddeus & school, when the pupils were ferred to the new building, among his instructors was Miss Fleet, who married Professor R T. Greener. Young Peyton finish seventh grade and then the grade at the summer school, unde E. V. Brown, who became the H. P. Montgomery. He next e wayland seminary, Dr. G. M. P. principal. In three years he con the normal course and then to year in the academic department



cepted, thus making Spitter still in contemplation of law without to contract a legal marriage v his master's consent. This poin ed by Mr. Peyton in defense client so dumfounded the disti torney's office that it asked th case go over one day to consult thorities. After a learned arg in which Hugh T. Taggart, w dom appeared in open court, par ed, Chief Justice Bingham, wh sided, held first, that the point was well taken; second, that Sp slave at the time of his allege riage, had not procured his n

consent; third, that the first my

was void; fourth, that the secon

lage was legal; hence, there be

bigamy, directed the jury to acq

The second case was that of Melrose, who was indicted for way robbery, for robbing a man ing on his own doorstep at 2 o'c the morning. Two witnesses government testified that they, second story window of the b in which they were sitting, s' Prisoner creep into the front the first yard, "go through" the ing man's pockets, taking his and money. The house in whice

were situated was a consideral tance from the location of the crime. On cross examination the asked how they could at that the morning see so distinctly that distance. They replied to moon was shining as bright as d they could have seen a block Peyton sprung Jayne's almar them and showed that on that p lar day and date the moon did i until 5:30 a. m. The jury pr acquitted the defendant