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BUFFALO FLYER AND FREIGHT TRAIN COLLIDE AT SUNBURY

Two Railroad Men Instantly Killed and a Third Fatally Hurt.

Buffalo flyer, westbound, was wrecked in the yards at Sunbury about 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Two men were instantly killed, a third fatally hurt, and a score of passengers injured.

The flyer ran into an open switch, and then into a Lewistown freight. None of the crew of the freight were hurt.

The accident happened at the lower end of the yards. The flyer was five minutes late and was running at the rate of fifty miles an hour. The Lewistown freight was about to pull out of the yards. The express and baggage cars were jammed into each other and splintered almost into kindling wood.

Three of the flyer's crew were killed, and about twenty passengers were hurt.

The dead are:
Fireman Frank Macavilla, Williamsport.

Express Messenger Eyer, of Harrisburg.

Assistant Baggage-master Hunter of Harrisburg, who died in the hospital.

The wreck was caused by an open switch at the lower end of the yard near the bridge across the Shamokin creek. The Lewistown local intended to take the south bound track but was switched upon the track which was being kept clear for the flyer, already overdue. When once upon the track the replaced switch made it impossible to return.

The freight was standing on northbound track and the crew, having ample warning of the approach of the flyer, escaped unhurt. The engineer of the passenger train could not see the freight which was hidden behind a bend in the road, and was almost upon it before he was aware of its presence and could apply the air brakes. In the collision both engines were smashed into twisted heaps of scrap iron, the freight train was totally wrecked, and the baggage car of the flyer was broken to pieces.

Harry Spangler, of Lewistown, fireman on the local and G. P. Miller, of Lewistown, the flagman, made the following statement:

"We jumped from the train and ran ahead to flag the passenger train which we could hear whistling around the bend. We tried our best to stop them, but they probably did not see us and ran at full speed straight ahead into the tender of our engine, which was running backwards.

William Ulmer, of Harrisburg, engineer on the flyer, when questioned by a reporter said:

"We were running at 50 miles an hour to make up five minutes back time. I thought the track was clear until we rounded the bend and saw the freight scarcely fifty feet away. I threw on the brakes, but it was too late to jump. My fireman jumped just before the crash. He was killed."

Eyer, the express messenger, who was on his first trip over the division, was killed in the express car. The floor was forced up against the roof by the car behind and he was crushed between the timbers.

The mail was scattered broadcast, and trunks were torn to pieces and their contents ruined. Many Sunburians joined in the search for missing valuables in the debris, helping guard the trunks from thieves and rendered great aid to the injured.

On the same car and in the same manner, Baggage-master Hunter was

FIRE AT FAIR STORE.

A fire started in the store of Severance & Roberts, known as the fair store, Tuesday evening about half past seven o'clock, which resulted in injuries to several persons who were in the store at the time, and caused a great excitement for some time, but was extinguished before it did much damage. Fireworks were the cause. William Gunter, a clerk, was showing a customer some sparklers when suddenly a giant cracker exploded, burning his face and singeing his hair. Instantly the entire stock of fireworks in the window was set off, fire crackers, rockets, and Roman candles exploding and flying in every direction. There were several people in the store at the time, and in the wild rush to a place of safety many were injured, some children being thrown down and trampled upon.

An alarm was sent in, to which the fire companies quickly responded and succeeded in a short time in putting out the blaze.

It is not known yet to what extent the damage will reach, the laces and similar goods were considerably harmed by the water, and the fireworks stock is an entire loss, but the greater part of the store is uninjured. Insurance covers the loss.

REUNION OF LUTHERANS.

The program has been arranged for the seventh annual convention of the Susquehanna Lutheran Reunion association, which will be held at Island park, Sunbury, Thursday, July 18, and if the weather conditions are favorable the event no doubt will eclipse the efforts of former years.

The officers of the association are: President, Rev. J. M. Reimensnyder, of Milton; secretary, Rev. C. R. Botsford, of Berwick; treasurer, Rev. G. W. Genzler, of Selinsgrove. These officers with Rev. W. E. Fischer, of Shamokin; Rev. L. D. Ulrich, of Danville, and Rev. A. N. Warner, of Selinsgrove, compose the executive committee. Addresses will be made by several speakers of note and an interesting program has been prepared.

The Citizens Band, led by Chas. P. Elwell, serenaded Hon. John G. Harman last Friday night. A large crowd was present, and the band played well. This organization is making fine progress.

mortally hurt, and died about an hour later at the hospital.

An engine and car carried most of the injured to Market street, Sunbury, whence they were removed to the hospital. The ambulance, carriages and automobiles carried many more up to town.

The wreck crew was called and in about an hour cleared the southbound track for traffic.

Harry Jackson Eyer, the express messenger killed, was well known in Bloomsburg. He frequently visited here. He left Bloomsburg as recently as June 26, having visited at the home of L. N. Moyer, on West Main street, since June 5th. His body was brought here Wednesday, the funeral services being held from the Moyer home, interment being made in Rosemont.

He was a son of the late Jackson and Harriet Eyer, of Light Street, and was born about 40 years ago. His parents died when he was about two years of age and from that time until about six weeks ago when Mrs. Willits died, made his home with Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Willits, of Williamsport.

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HARMAN NOMINATED.

The Democratic Convention Makes Him Their Choice for State Treasurer.

As predicted last week, our popular townsman, Hon. John G. Harman, was nominated by the Democratic state convention, for the office of State Treasurer.

William H. Berry, the present incumbent of the office, and the man who first exposed the graft in the new capitol, was both temporary and permanent chairman, and he opened with a ringing speech.

After the adoption of the platform, the nominating speech was made by Hon. W. T. Creasy. He characterized Mr. Harman as "a popular Democrat" and that under his administration an egotistical and self-sufficient executive could not with criminal carelessness or in supine negligence permit the State to be plundered by a knavish architect or a corrupt contractor. He added that Governor Pennypacker slaughtered many just appropriations while he lectured the Legislature and people on his knowledge of revenues and now oblivious of his surroundings and the passing events talks of crime and treason, while he excuses the criminal traitor."

He also said that if Harman is elected he will learn who is responsible for the cheap railroad excursions to Harrisburg last Fall to inspect the new Capitol. He charged that those responsible for those excursions "shamelessly reported that every dollar invested was accounted for and found within" the Capitol.

He concluded with an appeal for the Democratic party to "lead a crusade against the abhorrent corruption" and to "restore the plunder and punish the plunderer."

The nomination was unanimous, no other name being presented. A committee was sent for Mr. Harman, and on his appearance he was loudly applauded. He spoke in substance as follows:

This is not the place nor the time for any extended discussion of the issues of the campaign now before us. At some future time and place that matter can and will be attended to. It is enough to say here that the issues as outlined by our distinguished chairman, Mr. Berry, should be sufficient in my judgment to win any fight waged by the people in behalf of honest government. I accept the platform as one around which all friends of good government can safely rally.

As for myself I stand ready to go out on the firing line in defense of the principles of that platform, and pledge you that if elected the affairs of the office of State Treasurer will be administered in the interest of all the people, and an honest effort to show whether that article of the decalogue "Thou shalt not steal" is in force in Pennsylvania as applied to Capitol contractors and others, and if found to be so then to ask that justice be administered not by the "per pound" or "per foot," but by the "per year" rule.

HE IS AN IMPOSTOR.

Farmers Look Out for the Fake Stock Inspectors.

Fake inspectors are said to be at work in some sections pretending to examine live stock head by head to ascertain if all are in sound physical condition. All of them always are, and then the inspector charges a fee of twenty-five cents a head or makes a flat rate of \$2.50 for the examination of the entire stable. He generally gets it. The man who is operating in this way is simply a fake and a fraud.

DEEDS RECORDED.

The following deeds have recently been entered of record by Recorder Miller:

Chas. A. Conner and Cora Conner, trustees of Geo. Conner, deceased, to A. W. Musgrave for two tracts of land in Center township; tract No. 1, containing 118 acres and 89 perches, and tract No. 2, containing 21 acres and 150 perches; consideration \$6,000.

Wm. J. Sanders, executor of Elizabeth C. Hagenbuch, deceased, to Martha S. Caldwell for lot of ground on Iron street, Bloomsburg.

Elizabeth Bullock to Bessie Davis for lot of ground in Centralia.

Henry Bower and wife to Hector H. Harris for tract of land in Briar Creek township.

Mary E. Kinney et al. to W. A. Benschoter et al. for land in West Berwick; consideration \$250.

John S. Housenick and wife to P. W. Bierstien for lot of ground in Berwick; consideration \$250.

Jacob Girard and wife to W. S. Utt for 3 acres and 100 perches of land in Greenwood township; consideration \$475.

W. S. Utt and wife to Elizabeth M. Girard for 3 acres and 100 perches of land in Greenwood township; consideration \$475.

Berwick Land and Improvement Co. to C. W. Dickson for lot No. 487 in West Berwick; consideration \$200.

Martha Stone and husband to Wm. T. Ammerman for lot of ground in West Berwick; consideration \$900.

F. R. Jackson et al. to George M. Lochner for lot No. 14 in Jackson and Crispin addition to Berwick; consideration \$550.

Berwick Land and Improvement Company to B. A. Hess et al., trustees West Berwick Hose Co. for lot No. 395 in West Berwick; consideration \$400.

C. F. Neyhard and wife to C. W. Miller for lots Nos. 228 and 229 East End Park, Bloomsburg; consideration \$300.

W. S. Laubach, executor of Susan C. Laubach, to Jacob Steen, for 133 acres and 153 perches of land situate in Sugarloaf township; consideration \$1708.

Thomas T. Miller's executors to Severance and Roberts for building and lot of ground in Bloomsburg; consideration \$12,010.

Francis W. Bower and wife to Bruce H. Bower for Southerly portion of lot of ground in Berwick; consideration \$700.

Wm. S. Ash and wife to Myrtle McCarty for lot of ground in West Berwick; consideration \$225.

Tomato Crop a Failure.

Farmers from nearby localities say that the tomato crop this year will be so short that it can practically be considered a failure. The cold weather of May and June, while it did not actually freeze the plants put out in the fields, lowered their vitality so much that the fiercely hot sun of the past few days has caused a great part of them to wither.

Change in Library Hours.

The Public Library will be open in the mornings instead of the afternoons, the hours being from 10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. These hours will hold good all through July and August, beginning Monday morning, July 1st. The evening hours will be the same as usual 7 to 9. Librarian.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Harman are spending several weeks at Williams' Lodge, near Zahner's.

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