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CRUSHED TO DEATH UNDER AN AUTOMOBILE

DISTRESSING ACCIDENT HAPPENS NEAR GREENBURG.

CAR DROPS OVER A BRIDGE

Geo. William Wolf, of Fiedler, Was Killed—Others Had a Narrow Escape—Bridge Was Defective—Lost Control of Car.

A most distressing automobile accident occurred on Sunday afternoon last on the mountain road one mile southeast of Greenburg, leading from Greenburg to Wolf's Store, in Brush Valley, whereby George W. Wolf, a prominent citizen of Fiedler, was crushed to death under the car he was driving.

The unfortunate man and a party of six others, which included Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glantz and three children, and Miss Helen Vant Gordon, had started early Sunday morning in the former's large Buick touring car for a run from Fiedler to Greenburg intending to return in the afternoon by way of Kahl's Gap to Wolf's Store. No unpleasant breechdowns were experienced on the party until the return trip, when they reached a dangerous portion of the road which marks the beginning of a steep hill. Up this hill the auto party started, and had proceeded some hundred feet when the engine of the car stopped and the car came to a standstill. Only for a moment, however, did the machine remain stationary for it suddenly began to back down the hill, and in a few moments had rolled over the side of the bridge, where it fell into the water below. All the inmates of the car went down with it.

Mr. Glantz was thrown out and escaped imprisonment under the machine, and he together with help from the neighborhood quickly set about extricating the rest of the party. An escaped serious injury except Mr. Wolf, who was found with his head and face under the back of the front seat. Mrs. Glantz received a number of cuts and bruises, but strange to say, outside of the unfortunate man and the driver of the car, no one was seriously injured.

When pulled from the wrecked car Mr. Wolf was still living, apparently conscious, as he spoke a few words to those who were gathered around, but in a few moments expired.

The news of the accident quickly spread throughout the section, and many persons were soon gathered to the scene. Universal sorrow was expressed on all sides, as Mr. Wolf was widely known throughout the county.

The remains of the unfortunate man were turned over to undertaker W. A. Morris, of Loganton, who prepared the body for burial and removed it to his late home at Fiedler.

George William Wolfe was aged about 59 years, and was one of the prominent farmers of the section. His ancestry took a prominent part in the Revolutionary struggle. His untimely death is spoken of with universal regret in every portion of Centre county where he was known. He is survived by the following children: Mrs. Edward Glantz, Fiedler; Sumner Wolf, of Howard Charles Wolf, of Aaronsburg; and T. G. Wolf, of Woodward. Interment on Wednesday morning in the Evangelical cemetery, at Woodward. Rev. Carl officiating, and was very largely attended.

The real cause of the accident is unknown. Of course the breaking of the planks on the edge of the bridge allowed the car to fall over the side. The car was pulled out and put on the road, the engine started on the first turn of the crank and had the usual amount of power, showing that it was in good working order. The car was then started on the road, and with the engine running the breaks were applied and they brought it to a sudden stop in the road, showing that the breaks were in nowise defective. In fact, a most careful inspection of the entire mechanism was made, and no defect could be located.

A Truthful Boy.

When General Robert E. Lee was conversing with one of his officers, with reference to a certain movement of his forces, a plain, unassuming farmer's boy overheard the general say that he had decided to march on Gettysburg. Instead of marching, the boy, with the assistance of his father, telegraphed this fact to Governor Curtin, of Pennsylvania. A special engine was sent for the boy. "I would give my right hand," said Governor Curtin, "to know if this boy tells the truth." A corporal replied: "Governor, I know that boy; there is not a drop of false blood in his veins." In half an hour the union troops were marching to Gettysburg, where they gained a magnificent victory. The anecdote is told in a new book "The Young Man and His Problems," by James L. Gordon, in order to illustrate the value of reputation, but if the story is dependable, what a great part this little lad played in the greatest battle of the Civil war, and the events which grew out of it. The book is replete with character-building suggestions for the young man, all written in this very interesting anecdote style.

Dr. S. C. Weber, dean of the department of liberal arts of Penna. State College, returned home on Saturday after delivering a number of addresses to high schools throughout the state, and incidentally working up interest in the summer session for teachers which will be held immediately after commencement.

FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT.

Well Known Williamsport Hotel Man Killed Friday Morning.
G. B. McClellan Harman, proprietor of the Alpha hotel at Williamsport, was fatally injured Friday morning, when his automobile turned turtle over an embankment. According to the Williamsport Sun, the accident occurred about 3 o'clock, on a private lane, leading to the house of Larry Housel, about one mile and a half east of Farragut, in Fairfield township. Harman was crushed between the steering wheel and the back of the driver's seat.

According to the story, told by Housel, who was in the machine with the unfortunate man at the time of the accident, Harman had taken a party of friends to Dunwoodie, about six miles above Huntersville. On the return Housel says Harman was unaccompanied and that he stopped at his (Housel's) home. Shortly before 3 o'clock with Mr. Harman driving the machine, the two started for Williamsport. The Housel place is reached from the main Mill Creek road by a private lane that runs down a steep grade and across the creek, the house standing on the opposite side of the stream from the road. As the car struck Mill Creek at the ford, Housel says Harman was driving with considerable speed. Cautious by Housel as to the direction in which they were proceeding, Harman paid but little heed. About half way up the lane to the main road, the machine suddenly struck a large rock on the edge of the roadway and veered to the left. The car ran down the embankment, and was tipped fifteen feet, the big machine turning turtle, throwing Housel out of harm's way, but pinning the unlucky Harman tightly between the back of his seat and the steering wheel.

Mr. Harman was aged forty-eight years and besides his widow and two children, a son and daughter, leaves two brothers.

THE COLLEGE APPROPRIATION.

The College Maintenance bill as passed by House and Senate gives \$300,000 for the coming two years. It will probably not be cut by the Governor. This is an increase of \$800,000 for the coming two years, years ago and is not only the largest total but the largest increase in the history of the college.

Owing to the fact that one-fourth of the sum is to be paid in arrears which the college has been carrying many years, no money will be available for adequate buildings. But the discharge of the deficit will put the college on a better financial basis, and it is a better reputation, which will save the interest paid annually on the debt. However, the bill is drawn so that a section of a building can be built if the maintenance can be secured.

It is the general opinion at Harrisburg that the college is gaining every day in strength and in the good will of the people of the state. No opposition is manifested and the date of the appropriation is limited only by the many demands upon the state treasury and the failure to pass any additional tax-raising measure. The size of the appropriation made this year should not rest any doubts about the future of the college and should cause the people of the borough and county to show more faith in the permanency of the institution. The bill as originally introduced followed the itemized form used for many years in providing for each school. For some reason as yet unexplained the Appropriation committees changed the bill so as to give all the money to Agriculture, leaving the rest of the college only as much as it had two years ago. The item for beginning the construction of a sewer system will afford a needed relief to present conditions on the campus.

Lost a Horse.

Last week one day while F. M. Sharer, of Zion, was re-planting a field of corn which had been destroyed by the heavy rains one of his horses hitched in the planter, suddenly dropped over, overcome by the heat. The services of a veterinary surgeon were of no avail and the horse died. It was a valuable animal and Mr. Sharer had purchased it only a short time before.

State College Honors.

The John W. White Fellowship, the highest honor for the graduating class of State College, has been won by W. D. Meikle, of Galeton, Pa. He will spend the coming year in the University of Geneva. The White Medal for second honors was won by R. M. Briner, of Reading Pa. The class valedictorian is Willard Raymond Rhoads, of Roaring Creek, Pa.

Scarlet Fever Cures.

A gentleman, who had two children down with scarlet fever, informs the Democrat he was advised to give the patients a copious use of lemonade, which he did and found it a cure with neither remedy used. It is prescribed by many to rub the patient with a fat rind of bacon as a remedy for scarlet fever. Both remedies are harmless and may have virtue.

Resides' Reunion.

The annual Resides' reunion will be held this year at Hunters Park, along the Bellefonte Central Railroad. This means a large gathering as there is a large connection and they always turn out for this occasion. This will be a basket picnic and all friends of the family and all others interested are invited to bring their baskets and join in the annual outing.

Woodman's Memorial Day.

The members of State College lodge, M. W. A., will observe memorial day on Sunday, June 4, the morning services being held at Meyer's cemetery and the afternoon, at two o'clock, at the Branch. In the evening at 7:30, Rev. James McK. Reiley will preach a memorial sermon to the camp, at St. Paul's M. E. church.

Marriage License.

Chas. F. Letzel - - - Spring Mills
Mabel M. Hoy - - - Spring Mills
Walter J. Watson - - - Fleming
Nannie M. Tate - - - Fleming
Henry F. Bitner - - - Centre Hall
Agnes M. Murray - - - Centre Hall
John I. Way - - - Stormstown
Anna M. Graasmire - - - Bellefonte
R. P. Campbell - - - Spring Mills
Edith M. Picken - - - Williamsport

HISTORICAL SKETCH OF CENTRE CO. BAR

PREPARED BY D. F. FORTNEY, FOR THE DEDICATION.

REVIEW OF RECENT YEARS

Names of Prominent Attorneys in the Past Generation—Men Who Still Are Remembered—The Living and the Dead.

At the recent dedication ceremonies of the remodeled Centre County Court program for a historical sketch of the Centre County Bar in the last generation. Owing to the lateness of the hour it had to be omitted. As the article contains much that is of special interest, and historical data, we in this issue, Mr. Fortney, to give us the manuscript for publication so that the public would have the benefit of his carefully prepared article that many will read with interest:

Mr. President and Fellow Citizens:

Before taking up the subject assigned to me, as a citizen and as a member of the bar, it is justly due to those by whose authority the remodeling and enlarging of the Court House was done, and not before it was necessary, I became a member of the bar of this county on the 30th day of April, 1889, and during all the years that have intervened the enlarging and remodeling of the Court House has been discussed and considered by the Court and recommended by various Grand Juries, and enough of county funds expended, during this period, on repairs, which added neither beauty nor convenience to the Court House, to have built an entire new one. The judgment of the Commissioners under which the remodeling was done, the fine skill of the architects who planned the changes, and the method of carrying out the same, are commended in the highest possible terms for giving to Centre County the neatest, most convenient, and durable Court House there is in the State, and at the same time saving to the people all the conveniences of a club house. This has taken time as well as money to erect and now the members are about to enjoy the benefits of their new home, and have fixed the day for the formal opening, during the past month or more the building, in its unfinished condition, was open to various functions, but the paper bangers and the painters were busily engaged putting the finishing touches on the interior, and by the 16th all will be in apple order for the formal opening.

In the last year the membership of the club has been increased and it consists chiefly of prominent citizens of Tyrone, Altoona, Bellefonte and other points.

The formal opening will be from 7:30 to 11:30 in the evening, and after the event a special train on the Centennial will convey the guests to Bellefonte.

Found an Injured Man.

Friday's Altoona Tribune says: "While driving up the road east of Tyrone at 9:45 o'clock on Wednesday night, an automobile party from Bellefonte came upon the unconscious form of a man lying along the road. The car was stopped and an examination showed the man to be a foreigner and he was badly injured, his head and face being a mass of cuts and bruises. The man was partly revived but refused to be brought to town in the car, nor would he permit of his being brought in a trolley, so he was walked to town and taken to the office of Dr. Irvin, where his injuries were dressed. His nose was badly broken, his eyes cut, as well as numerous lacerations about the face and the back of his head was terribly cut and bruised and his scalp was torn off. The unfortunate man was so badly used up that he could not give a clear account of his accident but as near as he learned, he was struck by a big touring car traveling at a high speed and dragged a considerable distance."

Dr. Grant Found Guilty.

The Rev. Dr. William D. Grant, of Northumberland, Pa., has been found guilty of heresy by the commission which heard the charges made against him. The commission reported its findings to the Synod of the General Assembly at Atlantic City last Friday.

The commission found that Dr. Grant "taught doctrines contrary to the word of God in the Bible and the Presbyterian confession of faith." "Dr. Grant is held to be guilty under the rules of the Presbyterian Book of Discipline and the commission recommends that Dr. Grant be suspended from exercising the functions of a minister of the Presbyterian church until such time as he can convince his own presbytery, that of Northumberland, that he has renounced the errors he has been found to hold and to satisfy the presbytery of his purpose to no longer teach them."

Dies Playing Hymn.

Just as the first bar to the prelude of the closing hymn at the Memorial day services at the United Presbyterian church in Blairsville, Pa., on Sunday, sounded through the congregation, Miss Susan Millhouser, the organist, dropped her hands listlessly on the keys and bowed her head. She was dead in a few minutes from apoplexy.

Members of the choir moved quickly to the woman's side, but she lay limp upon the keys. The congregation was dismissed and a doctor who examined the body, said death came suddenly.

Preparing for the Fourth.

State College is going to have a celebration this year and preparations are now under way for a proper observance of the day. There will be a baseball game in the afternoon and a fantastic parade in the evening, followed by a supper at the Alpha Fire company hall.

SAW MILL BURNED.

Serious Fire Destroys the Large Plant of Huyett & McNitt, at Waddle. The largest lumber operation in Centre county was located at Waddle station, along the Bellefonte Central Railroad, and has been in active operation for the past few years, where there was a large tract of timber which was being cut out by the well known firm of Huyett & McNitt, who have had similar plants in other parts of the county. At this point they gave employment to a great many men in this section.

On Sunday night, at about 12 o'clock fire broke out in the vicinity of the boiler room, and so rapid was the spread of the flames that the entire plant was destroyed with practically all the contents. Fortunately none of the lumber was burned. The buildings destroyed consist of the main saw mill 30x140 feet, stove mill 40x20, boiler room 20x16, storage building 30x18, boiler house, and some small buildings. The entire loss is estimated at \$15,000 which is covered by about one half that amount in insurance. The firm has taken steps to rebuild the property at once, and have given orders for the necessary machinery. They expect to be cutting lumber inside of the next thirty days.

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NOTICE TO PUPILS.

To the public:—Pupils in all grades of the public schools may receive the promotion certificates and term reports, Monday afternoon, June 5, between two and four o'clock, by calling at their respective buildings. All textbooks not returned will also be taken up at that time.

An examination to enter the grades of the High School will be conducted in the New Building on Tuesday, June 6, beginning at 9:30 in the morning. A thorough knowledge of the common branches is assumed for those who wish to enter the High School, and parents are urged not to seek admission for their pupils, if below fourteen years of age, unless they are especially well prepared. The advances made in high school studies during the last few years have been so pronounced that greater maturity of mind is demanded, if the work is to be creditably done.

Very respectfully,
JONAS E. WAGNER,
Supervising Principal,
Bellefonte, Pa., June 1, 1911.

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The buyer was M. A. Scovell, of Lexington, Ky. The bull, Gamboges Knight, was sold for \$6,700 to T. DeWitt Curtis, of Paoli, Pa., who also paid \$12,250 for seven cows. One hundred and sixty-four head sold for \$125,515.

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MEMORIAL DAY IN BELLEFONTE.

Excellent speaking, good music and ideal weather were the chief factors of an unusually pleasant Memorial Day in Bellefonte on Tuesday. A slight sprinkling of rain during the early morning helped keep down the dust, and possibly drained the elements of the usual Memorial Day shower. About 2 o'clock in the afternoon the members of Greg Post and all old soldiers marched from the Post rooms on High street to the Diamond, preceded by the Coleville band; at this place they were joined by Company L, and the members of both the United and Logan Fire companies, and a line of march was begun to the Union cemetery, where after a selection by the band, brief memorial services were held by the veterans including the decoration of departed comrades' graves. A quartet composed of Rev. C. C. Shuey, L. A. Schaeffer, Rev. C. W. Winey and A. Lukenbach, rendered several appropriate selections which delighted the crowd assembled. After the firing of salutes over the graves in the soldiers' circle and that of Governor Curtin, the march was continued to the court house where a magnificent address was made by Rev. Ezra Youm, of the Methodist church. It was conceded to be one of the finest memorial discourses ever delivered in Bellefonte, and while his audience was a fair one in numbers, yet many more should have been there. The humidity of the weather kept a great many from going in the court house, who instead had gone to the cemetery, thinking the addresses would be made there. After the ceremonies were completed the veterans were entertained at the Elk's Club, supper being served from five to six.

Greg Post, G. A. R., the largest in the county, still has upon its roll some sixty-five members living, of these thirty-five were in ranks on Tuesday and marched to the cemetery, where the balance moved to distant parts hence were not in attendance. The oldest member of the Post, is Dr. Dobbins, now aged 84 years; being an invalid in the Bellefonte Hospital. The Doctor could not join his comrades in the Decoration ceremonies, much to the regret of the members of the Post.

Veterans Entertained.

At the Elk's home they were royally welcomed. Tired from the arduous trip to the cemetery and the dedication ceremonies, and the oration in the court house, they naturally wanted a rest. It indeed seemed perfectly natural for them to enter the former home of Andrew Gregg Curtin, the famous War Governor of Pennsylvania, which the Elks now own and occupy. They were promptly escorted to the grill room where they were seated and given cooling refreshments. Next they were invited to the spacious parlor where a fine concert was rendered on the Victrola, which they seemed to enjoy. Here they remained for some time, until they were invited to the banquet hall where they were ordered to charge on the bill of fare before they departed. The menu being something of a baked beans. The way the boys fell to the job was inspiring, and almost everything was swept before them. As the meal was drawing to a close, Gen. Beaver arrived from his trip to Millheim, and as he finished his repast the boys enjoyed a smoke and indulged in pleasant reminiscences.

D. Paul Fortney, the Exalted Ruler of the order, then called the gathering to order and requested Hon. Ellis L. Orvis, President Judge, to formally welcome the veterans to the home. He made a most timely address that was appreciated, and he appropriately called to mind that they were in the home that was once occupied by two former Governors of Pennsylvania—Curtin and Beaver. He was followed by General Beaver who spoke to his soldier boys in his customary interesting and inspiring manner that occasionally evoked rounds of applause. Before leaving, Mr. Fortney notified the members of the Post that they would be expected to return to this home in a similar manner on the next Memorial Day. This seemed to please them so much that they endorsed the invitation by rising and giving three lusty cheers for the Elks. Before leaving the members of the Post made a visit to the Curtin Memorial Room on the second floor where a number of interesting relics and commissions of the late War Governor, Andrew Gregg Curtin, are being carefully preserved.

AFTER TOBACCO TRUST.

The Supreme Court on Monday ruled that the American Tobacco Company is a combination in restraint of trade and must be dissolved from its present form within six months—or within 60 days thereafter at the utmost—in such manner as the lower Court may prescribe. The decision affects 45 American corporations, two English corporations, and 25 individual defendants.

At the end of six to eight months, the corporations fail to bring themselves within the law, a receivership and dissolution by Court decree will follow.

The Trust is held to have been guilty of intimidation and clearly to have shown a purpose to stifle competition.

MARRIAGES.

Smith—Henderson.
On Saturday, May 27, at Scranton, Pa., Mr. C. A. Smith, of Centre Hall, and Miss Lovina Henderson, of Howard, were married. Mr. Smith was a number of years was connected with the United Telephone company, and was located in Bellefonte.

Heaton—Runyon.
At the M. E. parsonage in Altoona, on the evening of May 15th, Henry L. Heaton, of Unionville, and Miss Lucy M. Runyon, of Altoona, were married by the pastor, Rev. T. Rue, with the beautiful ring ceremony. They were attended by the brother and sister of the bride. The groom has been a corporal in the regular army, for the past twelve years. The bride was a demonstrator in an Altoona store and has a large circle of friends.

Would Fix Cars for Hobble Skirts.
George B. Rutenber, Indianapolis city councilman, of Indianapolis, Ind., is working on an ordinance requiring the Indianapolis traction company to provide steps on its summer cars which will permit any woman wearing a hobble skirt to board a car with dignity.

A little work is a dangerous thing.