

Only the Proverbial Early Bird Witnesses the Eclipse

Small Portion of Sun Obscured Just at Hour of Rising; Darkest Russia Indeed Dark Today

Did you see the eclipse this morning? It's dollars to doughnuts you didn't, unless you happened to be an early bird in search of the worm, a milkman, a morning paper boy, or such.

For just the fraction of a minute this morning Harrisburg had only a part of a sun to look at. This was just at the hour of sunrise, when an exceedingly small portion of the upper part of the disk was hidden by the shadow of the moon.

BERRYHILL NURSERY BURNS IN STORM

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with redoubled intensity. During the first storm, which lasted forty-five minutes, .32 inches of rain fell, while during the second downpour, which continued for an hour and twenty minutes, 1.37 inches of rain fell.

Furious Wind Causes Heavy Losses A furious wind accompanied the storm and the damage resulting was due as much to the gale as to the lightning. The air seemed to be surcharged with electricity. Lights were blown out, trolley cars were stalled when fuses went, wires were blown down, and a general demoralization resulted in electric utilities.

Barns Burned Three barns in Cumberland county were destroyed, the blaze being visible to residents across the river. A barn on Hosentogler's farm near Enola was burned down, and a loss of \$10,000 resulted.

Have in the Suburbs Throughout the suburbs the wind and lightning played havoc over a wide area. Probably windswept Paxtonia suffered worst. In addition to the burning of the Berryhill Nursery, the barn of the Paxtonia Hotel and a part of the hotel were blown down.

At Camp Hill a double chimney in the home of Adam Egoft was struck and its shattered pieces crashed through the roof. The homes of Enos Smith and Harry Evinger, at Duncan, were struck by lightning.

Repair Light Service With repair gangs, linemen and electric motor trucks busy practically all night the Harrisburg Light and Power Company has restored entirely its service in this city and surrounding towns which had been interrupted in places by last night's unprecedented electric and wind storm.

LESS MEAT

Formerly people thought meat necessary for strength and muscular vigor. The man who worked hard was supposed to require meat two or three times a day. Science has found out differently.

"We have the damage cleared up," said Edgar S. Wallower, superintendent of construction to-day, our working force was out all night and this morning. Our lines are in such shape that as a rule we have little trouble, but last night's storm was unprecedented. No, we had no trouble at all night, our lightning protective system safely guarding the plant and employees from the flashes."

Has Narrow Escape Some remarkable stories were being recalled to-day of the narrow escapes of falling trees, crossed wires, etc., during last night's storm but one of the most thrilling perhaps was told by Squire J. H. Syrock, a clerk in the county commission's office whose home is in Eighteenth street near Walnut.

"During the height of the storm we saw an automobile flying over the tops of the trees in Walnut street," said the squire, "which contained two men and two women. Just as the car cleared the corner a tree at the entrance to the city park crashed across the street, just missing the motor car by a bare few inches. The occupants probably never knew of their narrow escape because they hurried right on."

In the neighborhood of Paxtonia the storm did fearful damage and among the private residences that suffered severely was the bungalow of E. J. Dare. The roof and the front of this structure were blown off and the remaining walls this morning alone surrounded the furniture in the bungalow.

20,000 People in Panic at Lebanon Fair When Storm Broke Over City

Special to The Telegraph—Lebanon, Pa., Aug. 20.—A terrific thunderstorm, accompanied by a deluge of rain, at 6 o'clock on Thursday evening put an unexpected end to the greatest day in the history of the Lebanon Valley Fair. While fully two-thirds of a crowd of 35,000 people were still on the grounds, the storm broke over the place unexpectedly, and the standard according to which the fair is held to only 5,000 or 6,000 people, the others crowded into tents of fakers, exposition buildings and other temporary quarters.

Atlantic City ONE DAY Sunday Excursions August 23 and 30 Special Low Fare \$3.00 Round Trip SPECIAL THROUGH TRAIN

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HOWARD L. BOWERS MEETS FUTURE WIFE IN WYOMING



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ANNOUNCE BOWERS-ELLEDEGE ENGAGEMENT

Wedding Will Be a Brilliant Social Event of Next December

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Elledge, of Powell, Wyo., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Veora Fern Elledge, to Howard L. Bowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bowers, of Bella Vista, New Cumberland. The marriage will be a brilliant event of the holiday season.

Mr. Bowers, who has a host of friends in this part of the state, was formerly in the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company here. Two years ago he became connected with the United States government in the reclamation service and has been located in the state of Wyoming since that time. He was at one time a star baseball player with the Harrisburg City League.

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dragged the wires around, tearing down other pillars, and a number of people were injured. Robert Fritz, of this city, was cut on the head by a falling pillar, and Mrs. Philip Brown of Myerstown, was severely injured about the head and shoulders in the same manner.

Hocker Family Elects Officers at Reunion

Although rain came at the tail of the day at the Hocker reunion at Reservoir Park yesterday, more than 200 of the Hocker clan who had gathered at the park managed to escape a drenching. Several addresses were made and music featured the meeting.

The following officers were elected: George B. Hocker, president; George L. Hocker, vice-president; David Smith, second vice-president; Harry Elthorn, secretary; George Smith and George P. Shaffer, assistant secretaries; Joseph B. Hocker, historian.

Will Tour New England in Their Automobile

Frank L. Cook, senior partner of L. W. Cook & Co. and his wife and their relatives, Dr. and Mrs. William T. Folmer, of Williamsport, expect to start to-morrow for an automobile trip through New England in Mr. Cook's Cadillac car.

Fourth Reformed Choir Has Picnic at Paxtang

Members of the choir of the Fourth Reformed Church held a picnic at Paxtang Park yesterday afternoon with an elaborate supper following the enjoyment of the park pleasures.

Miss Mary Dennison Is Hostess to Pupils

Miss Mary Dennison, a teacher of the Maclay school building entertained some of her pupils yesterday at her country place along Stony creek.

Stork News

Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Neagley announce the birth of a daughter, Eleanor Herr Neagley, Thursday, August 20, 1914. Mrs. Neagley was formerly Miss Florence Garlin, of Landjburg, Perry county.

Office and salesroom of National Cash Register Company, 105 Market street, will be closed all day Saturday, August 22, Saturday, August 29, Sunday, September 5, and Monday, September 7 (Labor Day). Customers having payments falling due on these dates will please mail checks so they reach office on following day.

Mary Potts Is Rescued From Eaglesmere Lake

Dr. and Mrs. George C. Potts and family, of 1513 North Second street, arrived home last evening after a delightful outing for two weeks at Eaglesmere, where they were guests at the Forest Inn.

Bowman's Office Force at an Orpheum Party

Members of the office force of Bowman & Co., chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. T. P. McCubbin and Mrs. E. C. Purdy, are taking advantage of Friday half-holiday by attend the Orpheum.

Antwerp Populace Is Preparing to Defend City Against Invaders

The preparations for the defense of Antwerp extend over an enormous area. All classes in the city are joining in the work day and night but there is no sign of panic or confusion.

Fifteen Women Killed by Explosion of Shell

Stockholm, via London, Aug. 21.—The captain of a Swedish steamer which has just arrived from Libau, tells the following story of the bombardment of the Russian seaport by the German fleet.

Merchants Take Notice

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When you lose anything leave it to Telegraphs Want Ads, the biggest bundle of lost articles in Harrisburg.

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NEWSPAPER WARNS AGAINST FUSION

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"No Democratic candidate, no representative of a Democratic committee, can consent to a commitment of the Democracy of Pennsylvania to this plan without raising in the minds of other Democrats questions of the sincerity of his professions of devotion to the cause of Democracy.

The recent ticket can be elected upon a platform devoted to the principles of Democracy and the record of achievements of the Wilson Administration. It will have less show of success if its candidates, or any of the leaders of the party, enter into any deal with the defamers of Democracy and the most unfair of President Wilson's critics as represented by the Washington party, in Pennsylvania and its national leader, Theodore Roosevelt.

Correspondents Found in Belgium Will Be Shot London, Aug. 21, 9:25 A. M.—The Amsterdam correspondent of the Chronicle telegraphing yesterday said that Antwerp was being put in a state of defense and being provisioned for a siege.

Austrians May Follow Example Set by Germans London, Aug. 21, 5:15 a. m.—The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent, reviewing the recent fighting on the Russian frontier, says: "If the Austrians decide to take the offensive it will be difficult to menace the Russian left flank unless, like the Germans, they decide to violate the neutrality of a smaller State—Rumania. The position on the Russian right invites the ehorty that the Germans are planning to use their warships to cover the landing of troops in the Baltic provinces."

TOO MUCH TANGO CAUSES NEURALGIA

Violent neuralgia of the head generally attacks overworked women who lack sufficient sleep, fresh air and red blood.

Twice as many are asking charity aid

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Requests For Aid Double In June 1914, the number of cases handled totaled 119 as compared to 57 for June, 1913, the new, old and continued cases for the two months