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Two Persons Killed and Many Cars Smashed in Automobile Collision

Port Jervis, N. Y., Aug. 1.--Two trains were wrecked on the Erie Railroad as the result of a landslide one mile east of Lackawaxen. At first it was reported that several passengers on one of the trains were killed, but this proved to be unfounded.

An Erie freight train, east bound, which turned over on the westbound track, however, caused the death of the fireman and engineer of a wrecked engine belonging to the westbound Chicago express No. 7, the vestibule passenger train for Buffalo. At least twenty-five persons, the majority of whom were passengers on the express train, also were injured. Three persons still are missing and may be added to the list of dead.

The wreck was preceded by a cloudburst and storm which lasted for two hours. A section of the bank fell on the eastbound tracks directly in front of the freight train. Several trees went down with the rocks and the earth, and the freight cars and engine were turned over directly across the westbound tracks. Sixty freight cars constituted the train, though only twenty-two left the rails, and the wreckage was piled up on the westbound tracks just as No. 7 Chicago express appeared, running at the rate of fifty miles an hour.

The engine of the express train crashed into the wreck, and the baggage car, combination and buffet car and two Pullman sleepers were piled up on the tracks immediately in front of the wrecked freight cars. The first sleeper was split into two parts as a result of the accident, and the passengers were thrown thirty feet down a bank. Fire started at once, and four cars of No. 7 and nine of the freight cars were burned.

Several thieves from Port Jervis, it is supposed reached the scene of the wreck on the relief train, ransacked the clothing of the passengers in the period of excitement. F. View, a millinery decorator of No. 3 West Third street, New York, lost clothing consisting \$300 in bills and a gold watch. F. S. Kilpatrick of Denver lost \$100, a gold watch, a diamond pin and a diamond stud.

It is not thought that any of the injuries are of a serious enough nature to prove fatal.

Cloudburst at Port Jervis.

Port Jervis, N. Y., July 31.--A cloudburst and wind storm of unusual severity struck this valley. It flooded the surrounding country and did a great amount of damage. The wind blew down the signal tower at West-couling, on the Delaware division of the Erie road, setting it on fire and the operator barely escaped with his life. The west-bound track for a distance of forty-five feet was washed out as were also the dams of scores of streams and highways were undermined. Many bridges were carried away.

Trolley Car Runs Away.

Spring City, Pa., July 31.--A trolley car left Phoenixville on the Montgomery and Chester trolley line loaded with seventy-four persons. Over half were injured. All went well until the car reached the curve at the corner of Main and Walnut streets, when the motor man lost control of the car and it shot down the steep incline at a rapid rate. When nearly opposite the grocery store of James Nodlit the car left the rails and after running about fifty feet obliquely across the street dashed into the side of the store of Mr. Nodlit. The car was wrecked and the building somewhat damaged, and the excited passengers were hurled in all directions.

An Unpopular Chief of Police.

Havana, July 31.--The public demonstration against Senor Cardenas, Chief of Police, which was to have been made Saturday night by his political enemies, who sought to force his resignation, was prohibited by Gen. Ludlow upon the ground that it would be prejudicial to the police authority. A political meeting was held last night at which the enemies of Cardenas denounced him.

Got \$500 For Saving a Boy's Life.

Bald Mountain, N. Y., July 31.--George H. O'Rourke, clerk of the Bald Mountain House, was made the hero of a gallant act. The son of Josiah E. Browne of New York had fallen into the deep waters of the lake and had twice sunk when O'Rourke plunged in and brought him safely to the shore. Mr. Browne gave his son's rescuer a check for \$500.

Good Prices for Kipling Works.

London, July 31.--At Sotheby's auction room a defective copy of Kipling's "Echoes" was sold for £17. A copy of his "Schoolboy Lyrics," printed when he was 18 years old, brought £90, and a complete set of the United Service College Chronicle, of which Kipling was the editor, and which contained his verses, brought £101.

Secretary Leaves Newport.

R. I., July 31.--Assistant of the Navy Charles H. E. Goodrich has been detached from command of the flagship Indiana and is returning to Newport, being received at the station with the salute due his rank. He is expected to return to his post at Newport, Rhode Island, on August 1. He is expected to return to his post at Newport, Rhode Island, on August 1. He is expected to return to his post at Newport, Rhode Island, on August 1.

BOYCOTT AT CLEVELAND.

Cars of the Big Consolidated Company Are Said to Be Poorly Patronized.

STRIKERS ARE JUBILANT.

Merchants, in Fear of Losing Trade, Yield to the Request Made by the Union Men of the City.

Business Men of All Classes, Refuse to Sell Goods to Those Who Patronize the Big Consolidated Lines--Far-Reaching Effect of Strikers' Latest Move.

Cleveland, Aug. 1.--Now that order has been practically restored within the city the street railroad strike has resolved itself into a general boycott of the Big Consolidated Company and everybody who rides upon its cars. Apparently the strikers have the sympathy and active co-operation of all the labor organizations in the city, and not only are merchants being punished for riding on the tabooed cars, but they are warned against selling goods to persons who do ride, on threat of losing the trade of union men. Instances are given in which druggists have refused to sell medicine to persons who were accused of patronizing the Big Consolidated, and physicians have been boycotted for riding on the cars while going to see their patients.

The boycott is most severe on the small dealers who do business on streets that are populated largely by union men and their sympathizers. A number of these merchants have published advertisements offering rewards ranging from \$25 to \$500, for evidence that they or any of their clerks or relatives have ridden on the cars since the strike began, and a number of communications have been sent to the papers by physicians, grocers, butchers and others, protesting their innocence of the charge of having patronized the railroad company.

As yet the big retail merchants have not felt the effects of the boycott severely, though it is said some of them have been requested to forbid their clerks to ride on the cars.

Thousands of working people are going to and from their homes in buses of every description, from huckster wagons to trolley-cars, and in certain sections of the city the cars run with few passengers. The boycott of the troops aroused the ire of Adjutant General Axline, who declares that there is a State law to punish persons who interfere with the militia. There is one section of the statutes which provides a maximum penalty of \$1,000 and six months' imprisonment for every person who tries to persuade or discourage a member of the National Guard from responding to a call for riot duty. General Axline says the boycott and the threat of certain employers to put on the blacklist those employees who turned out with the militia are covered by this law, and he threatens to institute prosecutions against dealers if the boycott is continued.

Out on Quincy street boycotting tactics are being worked with the result that families whose members have been riding on cars are unable to buy anything at the stores along the line. The storekeepers have entered into the plan of campaign with a willingness that in many cases reaches the point of enthusiasm. A committee of men, who said that they had the best interests of the Big Consolidated strikers at heart, called on one of the biggest retail houses in Cleveland, and asked the management to decline to sell goods to persons who ride on Big Consolidated cars while the strike is on. This same committee visited other downtown merchants, it is said, with a like request.

The Williams & Rodgers Co., one of the biggest department stores in the city, was notified that one of its employees had been riding on a Big Consolidated car. The company replied by issuing an order to its employees, instructing them not to ride on the cars of the company, May & Co.'s employees also refrain from riding on the Big Consolidated street cars. Harry Decker & Co., dry goods merchants of the west side, had an experience that illustrates well the situation. Members of this firm persisted in riding in the street cars, it was said, and the result was that most of their trade left the house, and Mr. Decker sent \$100 to the strikers' Executive Board asking them to call the boycott off.

Creamer Saved From Drowning.

Centre Moriches, L. I., July 31.--Dr. Joseph M. Creamer of 122 Tompkins avenue, Williamsburg, had a narrow escape from drowning in the surf here. He was warned not to go beyond a certain point, but before he realized it he was well out in the water and unable to get back. His distress was noticed from shore and Life Saver C. P. Cartwright put out and rescued him with great difficulty. Dr. Creamer rewarded his rescuer handsomely.

Paralyzed by Lightning.

Babylon, L. I., July 31.--Mrs. Sidney Van Nostrand, wife of the proprietor of the Oak Island Club House, situated on the outer beach, is suffering from paralysis of the lower limbs as a result of being struck by lightning during the storm of Thursday night. The physician who is attending her says she may recover, but it will take long treatment and great care.

Will Help the Anti-Trust Conference.

Austin, Tex., July 31.--Gov. Sayers has received a letter from Gov. Lon V. Stephens of Missouri saying that he is in favor of the anti-trust movement, and will give all the aid he can to make the proposed conference of Governors and Attorney-General to be held in St. Louis a success.

Goodrich to Command the Iowa.

Washington, July 31.--Captain C. F. Goodrich has been detached from command of the cruiser Newark and ordered to assume command of the battleship Iowa on September 1, relieving Capt. Terry, who is ordered home on waiting orders.

Williamsport & North Branch Railroad TIME TABLE. IN EFFECT MONDAY, JUNE 26, 1899.

Table with columns for Northward and Southward directions, listing stations and times. Stations include Halls, Pennsdale, Hughesville, Picture Rocks, Lyons Mill, Chamomill, Glen Mawr, Strawbridge, Beech Glen, Muncy Valley, Sonestown, Nordmont, La Porte, Laporte Tannery, Ringdale, Birch Creek, Satterfield.

Connections with the Philadelphia Reading at Halls, for all points north and south, and the Fall Brook and Beech Creek railroads. At Satterfield for all points on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. At Sonestown with the Erie-Mercer railroad. Daily except Sunday. Flag stations. * Do not stop.

Capt. William Astor Chanler, Congressman from New York, is the president of the New York Star, which is away a forty dollar bicycle daily, as offered by their advertisement in another column. Hon. Amos Cummings, M.C., Col. Asa Bird Gardner, District Attorney of New York, ex-Governor Hogg of Texas, and Col. Fred Feigl, of New York, are among the well known names in their Board of Directors.

Bucknell University, John Howard Harris, President. College leading to degrees in Arts, Philosophy and Science, Academy, a preparatory school for young men and boys. Institute, a refined boarding school for young ladies. School of Music, with graduating courses. For catalogue, address the Registrar.

Wm. C. Greitzinger, Lewisburg, Pa.

Notice.--Those wishing photographs will please improve the time. No negatives taken after Aug. 6. All work finished here. Respectfully, W. LaValle.

MICA Axle Grease advertisement with logo and text: 'It's easy to haul a big load up a big hill if you grease the wagon wheels with MICA Axle Grease.'

A. T. ARMSTRONG, SONESTOWN, PA. DEALER IN Flour Feed and Groceries

- 13 1/2 pounds of pure Lard for \$1.00. Baking molasses, 25 to 50c. 8 pounds Rolled Oats for 25c. 7 pounds of Corn Starch for 25c. 7 pounds of Laundry Starch for 25c. 2 pounds of Rio Coffee for 25c. 8 lbs of Lenox Soap for 25c. No. 1 mackerel per pound 8c. Best Sugar Cured Hams @ 11c per lb. Buckwheat Flour 25 pound sack 45c. Buckwheat Flour 100 pounds \$1.80. Yellow Corn per 100 pounds 90c. Corn Meal or Cracked Corn 90c. Corn, Oats and Barley Chop 90c. Wheat Bran 200 pounds \$1.50. Flour middlings, 140 pound sack \$1.40. Fine middlings 200 pounds \$1.60. Flour per sack \$1.00. Winter Roller per sack \$1.00. Good Flour 90c. Rye Flour 25 pounds, 50c. Graham Flour 12 1/2 pounds 30c. Common Fine Salt per barrel \$1.20.

New lot of muslins, gingham, and calicoes at J. W. Buck's Sonestown. For shovels, hoes, grub-hoes, picks axes, manure forks, garden rakes, etc. go to John W. Buck, Sonestown.

G. A. Rogers FORKSVILLE, PA. (Successor to B.W. Fawcett)

Watches, Jewellery, Silverware, Etc. Bicycle repairing. Bicycle sundries. Fishing tackle, at lowest possible Price.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cascarets, Candy Cathartic, 10c or 25c. If C. C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

No-To-Bac for Fifty Cents. Guaranteed tobacco habit cure, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. \$1. All druggists.

Beauty Is Blood Deep. Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets,--beauty for ten cents. All druggists. Satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

Thursday Bargain Day! AT HOFFMAN'S Muncy Valley.

The last Thursday Bargain Day was everything that could be expected. The day was perfect and a goodly number of strange faces were seen in our Store taking advantage of the low prices, on the following bargains that will be offered each Thursday:

- POTTERS OIL CLOTH, 12c SUGAR, 5c. COFFEE, 10c. FLOUR, 85c. COTTON, 8c. WASHING GAS, 5c. BAKING POWDER, 15c. with tumblers or water pitchers. 10 CAKES SOAP, 25c.

These are only a few of the many bargains offered each Thursday. Everybody welcomed; our store is cool in warm weather, and warm in cold weather; you will always be made comfortable at

Hoffman's Store.

JENNINGS BROS.

We keep in stock at our mills a complete line of dressed lumber in hemlock and hardwood.

MANUFACTURERS OF Gang Sawn and Trimmed Lumber. LOPEZ, PA.

SPECIALTIES Hemlock Novelty or German Siding, Hemlock Ceiling 7-8 or 3-8 stick, Hemlock Flooring any width desired, Hemlock Lath both 3 and 4 feet long, Hardwood Flooring both Beech, Birch or Maple, The same woods in 3-8 ceiling. CORRESPONDENCY SOLICITED.

In a Pretty Pickle

is the woman who must entertain unexpected company--unless she is well supplied with canned and bottled groceries. If her pantry shelves are nicely lined with our famous brands of pickles, soups, vegetables, canned meats and fish and crackers she is completely ready for any emergency. What shall we send you to-day?

ON DRY GOODS WE ARE IN THE LEAD

WHY? Because we carry the Largest and Best line in the county. Because we have only new and attractive patterns to show. Because you will find no old goods on our shelves. We have just opened a new line of Gingham, Shirtings, muslins etc., or the spring trade, which we would be pleased to have you inspect.

Perfectly Shaped Footwear

for women and men. We have a stock of women's shoes that is unequalled hereabouts. The shapes are plenty, the leather fine, the workmanship exquisite, and the fit perfect. Prices are right.

Cash Paid for Country Produce. E. G. Sylvara DUSHORE, PA.

Removed!

to my new store in the GAREY BLOK where I will be pleased to meet all of my old patrons and many new ones. We fit the young and old of all nationalities and color with

Boots, Shoes, Rubbers, Fine Assortment at Popular Prices.

CALL ON US GAREY'S BLOCK, DUSHORE, DUSHORE. J. S. HARRINGTON.

Remember the Place,

Vernon Hull, Hillsgrove, Pa.