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## DEATH TO THE HORSE

**Carriages in Collision on  
Birkbeck Street.**

**Valuable Animal Owned by  
Liveryman Fisher Killed in  
an Accident Near the  
Feed Mill.**

Shortly after 10 o'clock last evening a horse owned by Liveryman John Fisher was killed near the Davis feed mill.

Mr. Fisher's driver, Elmer Snyder, was on his way to Sandy Run. He was in a carriage and driving two horses. After passing the mill he heard another double team coming in the opposite direction.

The team was driven and owned by A. B. Smith, of Walnut street. He was returning home after carrying a party from the Honeyhole.

It has not yet been settled who was to blame, but for some reason one of the drivers did not leave sufficient space for the other carriage to pass, and the animals met squarely face to face.

The pole of Smith's vehicle crashed into the breast of one of Fisher's horses, inflicting a wound nearly a foot deep. The animal immediately fell over on its side and in a few minutes bled to death.

Both men claim to be innocent of any intention to do wrong and each allege that the other is to blame for the accident.

Measurements of the road were taken and the tracks of the vehicle traced after the affair.

### Revenue Tax Not Paid.

Parties holding picnics at the various groves, and balls at the dance halls in this region, must pay the tax levied by the national government. Deputy Revenue Collector T. M. Powell has received information from headquarters calling attention to the numerous picnics and balls held in this region and yet no revenue licenses are collected.

From now on Mr. Powell will demand a license fee of \$25 from every club or society in his district for the privilege of conducting a picnic. Those organizations holding balls or dances for profit will also be compelled to pay a license fee, which is good for one year.

### The Census Figures.

The census figures of the larger cities are coming out of the census department at Washington. The relative positions of the first three have not changed, their order being New York, Chicago and Philadelphia. The results of the census are disappointing in some quarters, notably in Chicago and Philadelphia, both cities having expected to make better showings.

How soon the figures of Freeland and like towns will be issued cannot be stated. There is no prospect, however, that the population of our borough will be announced before October next.

### Miners in Session.

Representatives of the United Mine Workers of America are in session at Hazleton today. As predicted, the operators have ignored the invitation to meet in joint conference and none are present. The result of today's meeting is awaited with interest by all the people of the anthracite region.

### Horseless Carriage Case.

From the Hazleton Sentinel.  
A week ago the society of Rockport was holding a picnic there. Manus McFadden and Neil Ward, of Eckley, were anxious to be on hand, but the distance was too great to walk. It struck them that a horseless carriage would be the proper way to get there, so they entered the company stable and harnessed a mule and hitched it to a buckboard and away they went. They brought the mule back to the barn early Sunday morning more dead than alive.

This morning they did not have such a delightful time. They were arrested by Officer Filler, charged with the

### MISCELLANEOUS ADVERTISEMENTS.

**ESTATE OF JANE GALLAGHER,** late of Hazle township, deceased.

Letters of administration upon the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands to present the same without delay, to Joseph V. Gallagher, Carr & McCarthy, attorneys.

**FOR SALE CHEAP.**—For cash, a house and lot on Chestnut street, Brynorton, west of Ridge street, property of John Walitzky. Also a house and two lots on same street, the property of Philip Meyer. For terms apply to T. A. Buckley, J. P., attorney building.

**LOST.**—On August 23, a red cow, with short horns turned into head. Finder will please return cow to Mike Lopkatch, Eckley.

**FOR SALE CHEAP.**—Valuable hotel property on Birkbeck street, Second ward, C. O. Stroh, attorney.

larceny of the mule. The case was aired before Magistrate Laubach. The Cross Creek Coal Company was represented by Attorney Brown and the defendants by Attorney Carr. The accused did not deny taking the outfit, but said it was done while beastly drunk. They furnished \$300 each for their appearance at court.

### FALSE ALARM.

**Gallant Response to the Fire Call Made Last Evening.**

During the heavy downpour of rain at 8 o'clock last evening an alarm of fire was turned in from box 43, corner of Washington and Chestnut streets. Notwithstanding the fact that the rain was falling in sheets and a terrific thunder storm was in progress, the firemen responded with alacrity and two hose carts and the ladder truck were out in a few moments. Fortunately, the firemen were not needed.

The alarm was sounded by residents of Chestnut street, who, from their rear doors saw sparks rising from the Dougherty building at the corner of Washington and Walnut streets. After a hasty investigation, it was believed the building was on fire and the key held by M. Zimmerman to box 43 was obtained.

The sparks which the people of Chestnut street saw were coming from the chimney on the side of the house occupied by A. B. Smith and family. Fresh wood had been placed in the stove, with the result that from the outside the smoke and sparks gave the appearance of a fire well under way.

It is unfortunate that a more full investigation was not made before the alarm whistle was blown. Many young men who responded to the call did not take time to change their clothes, and several good suits were damaged in getting the apparatus to the scene.

### Mabel Vanauken Dead.

Mabel Vanauken died yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Vanauken, on East Main street. At an early hour yesterday morning she was stricken with paralysis of the brain, and despite the efforts of the family physician she remained unconscious until death relieved her sufferings. The deceased was a niece of Chas. Orion Stroh, Esq., and was aged 14 years and 5 months. She was a remarkably bright girl and her death is sincerely regretted by the friends of the family.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Freeland cemetery.

### Tomorrow's Excursion.

If fair weather prevails tomorrow, the excursion of the Young Men's Corps to Harvey's lake will be one of the largest that has left town for some time. The lake is one of the most pleasant spots in Luzerne county to spend a day, and those who avail themselves of this, the only opportunity of the season, to visit this delightful resort will not regret the small outlay required.

The train will start from Hazleton. It will leave Freeland at 7.15 a. m.

### A Large Funeral.

One of the largest funerals that has left Upper Lehigh in some years was that of David R. Davis yesterday afternoon. The remains were followed to Freeland cemetery by hundreds of the deceased's friends and acquaintances, also by the members of Mt. Horeb lodge of Odd Fellows and the Mine Workers of Upper Lehigh. Rev. E. C. Murphy, of the English Baptist church, conducted services at the residence and the grave.

### Borough Schools Open.

The borough schools opened this morning. The number of pupils presenting themselves for admission to the several buildings is somewhat less than the maximum attendance last term. This is accounted for by reason of many not attending today on account of the heat. The enrollment at the Daniel Cox school is 365.

### Failed to Meet.

Foster township school board failed to meet on Saturday evening, as expected, and the vacancy at Hazle Brook is yet unfilled. The people of the township are becoming tired of the inability of the directors to appoint a teacher, and there are rumors that the power of the court may soon be invoked.

### Valuable Horse Dead.

Liveryman Frank O'Donnell early this morning lost one of the handsome team of bay horses which he recently purchased. Lung trouble caused the death. The animal was valued at \$300.

### Mill Girls Fainted.

Several employes of the silk mill fainted during the thunder storm this afternoon.

## SWEPT AWAY THE WALL

**Foundation of Brewery Is  
Wrecked By Flood.**

**Water Rushes Down From  
the Hill and Overthrows  
Massive Stones This Af-  
ternoon.**

The thunder storm which swept over town between 2 and 3 o'clock this afternoon wrecked the foundation wall of the main building of the Freeland Brewing Company, at the corner of Fern and South streets.

The water apparently gathered in force on the Hill and rushed down the steep grade to the brewery site a fearful speed.

Coming with great force against the western wall, it dislodged the massive stones, undoing the work of several weeks past.

The wall was nearing completion, and Contractor Meehan expected to have the foundation ready for the bricklayers in the course of a few days.

### PERSONAL.

Peter O'Donnell, of Elizabeth, N. J., is resting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick O'Donnell, Ridge street. He will leave shortly to enter Overbrook seminary.

Miss Maggie O'Donnell, of Hartford, Conn., is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh O'Donnell, Walnut street.

Fred Koons came home from Wilkesbarre to spend Sunday.

Mrs. Knecht and Herbert Setyer and children went to Weatherly this morning on a visit.

Misses Lina and Maggie Lloyd left this morning to spend their vacation at Niagara Falls.

Misses Mary Logan and Helen Milanow, of Philadelphia, are the guests of Mrs. John J. Gorman, North Ridge street.

John J. Brennan, of Philadelphia, is visiting in town.

Miss Bid Furey, of Wilkesbarre, is visiting her mother here.

Miss Teresa Sterner, of Philadelphia, is the guest of the Misses McGarvey on Walnut street.

Miss Mary Sullivan, of Philadelphia, is visiting the Sullivans family on South street.

Daniel Gill will spend this week resting at Atlantic City.

### Bright Young Lawyer Dead.

Frank Needham, one of Hazleton's most prominent young attorneys, died Friday night after one day's illness, from appendicitis and peritonitis, aged 33 years. He was a bright young man who numbered his friends by the thousands throughout the county. Last month he sustained the loss of his mother. He is survived by his wife and one half-brother, James Gaughan. The funeral took place this morning and many Freeland people were in attendance.

### Base Ball Game.

Several hundred people came to Freeland yesterday from Wilkesbarre, Plymouth and other upper end towns. They accompanied the base ball club of Plymouth, which conducted the excursion.

In the afternoon the club met the Hazleton Athletics at the Tigers park and was defeated by the score of 7 to 0. The game was a very ordinary contest, the upper end boys being unable to cope with their opponents in fielding or batting.

**Labor Day Excursion to Toronto.**

Via the Lehigh Valley Railroad, on account of the Industrial Fair at Toronto, this company will sell tickets to that point and return September 1 and 2, at low rate of \$10.70 via all rail route, or \$9.60 via rail and steamer from Lewistown. These tickets will be good for return passage to and including September 5, and will be honored on any train, except the Black Diamond express. Tickets will also be good for stop over at Niagara Falls within the time limit.

For additional information consult Lehigh Valley ticket agents.

### Notice to Pupils.

All pupils of St. Ann's parochial school who were absent from the spring examinations, and all intending to enter the school during the coming term, will be examined at St. Ann's convent, Thursday, August 30, beginning at 9 a. m.

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