

FOUR KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

Twenty-five Injured, Some of Them Seriously.

Husband Who Went to Meet Family Found Wife and Children Dead—Train Was Side Swiped

PITTSBURG, Pa., Aug. 6.—Four persons were killed and twenty-five injured in a railroad wreck on the Buffalo and Allegheny division of the Pennsylvania railroad at Kelly, about 35 miles from this city. The wrecked train was the Titusville express No. 73, which left Titusville, Pa., for this city at 7:10 this morning. It was passing through Kelly, the train was side-swiped by a gondola coal car. The engine, tender, baggage and express car and the three day coaches were derailed. The dead are: Mrs. Alonso Huff and infant, of Johnstown, Pa.; George Cochran, of Hinesburg, Pa., injured about back, died at Kittingham Hospital tonight; M. B. Irwin, of Oakmont, engineer of the passenger train.

The gondola car was loaded with coal and had broken away from a train. It had rolled down over a switch extending to the main track. The passenger train, running at about sixty miles an hour, came around a curve, and before the engine could be stopped, it struck the gondola. The engine was thrown about thirty feet from the track and onto its side. Engineer Irwin was caught beneath his engine. The tender and baggage car were derailed and the cars broken and battered, were strewn along the track on their sides.

Most of the injured were in the second day coach. The majority of these were cut by flying glass and received bruises when the cars tumbled over. When the heavily loaded gondola car struck the engine it scraped the cab, and upon coming in contact with the first car the entire roof was ripped off. The car toppled toward the bank of the Allegheny river and the occupants, who were mostly men and boys, rolled out of the top of the cars. The explosion of bruises none of the passengers in this car were seriously injured.

The dead and injured among the passengers were in the second day coach. It was in this that Mrs. Huff, with her daughters and infant, was riding. The sides of the car was crushed in and only two women who were seated on the side toward the rear could be rescued. They were Mrs. Maud Whitworth and Mrs. Chaifant, wife of Rev. Mr. Chaifant, both of Kittingham. Mrs. Whitworth when the train came to a stop was thrown out of the car and fell into the sand. The other child was thrown on floor, but escaped harm. The child thrown from the window was uninjured. Three children accompanied Mrs. Chaifant and they escaped injury.

Mrs. Huff, who was returning to her home in Johnstown, Pa., from a visit, was almost instantly killed, with the infant in her arms. With her were three daughters, who were among the most seriously injured. Abbie Huff and Ruth Huff each sustained a fractured limb, while Mary Huff, the third daughter, was seriously bruised. Alonso Huff, the husband and father, had gone to Kiskiminetus Junction, about six miles from the scene of the accident, to meet his family, and when he learned of the wreck he walked on the railroad track to the scene. He found his three daughters upon the ground, where tender hands had placed them after taking them from the wreck.

Huff inquired for his wife, learning that she was in the car among the dead, sought out her body, which was lying alongside that of her babe. On catching sight of the bodies Huff collapsed. Physicians and assistance were summoned from Kittingham, ten miles away, and two wrecking trains with another corps of physicians was sent from this city. The dead were taken to Kittingham, where they were prepared for burial, and the injured that needed hospital attention were also taken to Kittingham. A number of injured were able to proceed to their destinations after having their injuries dressed at the scene of the accident.

GAS MAIN BROKE WITH SERIOUS RESULTS

WELLAND, Ont., Aug. 6.—The Welland town steam roller broke a large gas main this evening, setting the gas on fire, which burned fiercely, badly burning Engineer W. Phillips and wrecking the roller. The Methodist church caught and was burned, leaving only the walls standing. The church had been just repaired, the improvements including a new organ, costing over two thousand dollars. The loss is twelve thousand, with some insurance.

COLORED MAN PLEADED GUILTY

WOODSTOCK, Aug. 6.—Norman McIntyre pleaded guilty before Magistrate Dibble this morning to the charge of wife beating. His honor gave him a severe lecture, with some good advice for the future, and sentenced him to six months in jail with a fine of one hundred dollars, but allowed him his liberty on promise of good behavior.

GREAT SCHOLAR PASSED AWAY

The Splendid Career of the Late Dr. Sawyer

Was One of America's Greatest Scholars—His Good Work at Acadia University

WOLFVILLE, Aug. 6.—In the death of the Rev. Dr. Sawyer, which occurred at his residence on Acadia street Monday evening at 11 p. m., a prominent leader in the Baptist denomination and in the higher educational circles of these provinces has been removed from us. The news of his decease, in his 81st year, will fill with sorrow the hundreds who have come under his personal instruction and cause sincere regret in the remotest parts of our land, where his name has been so long revered as an educator and scholar. In can truly be said of Dr. Sawyer that he was one of the foremost educators of the Dominion. His scholarship was extensive and accurate, his perception keen, and his habits of thought close and logical. In the class room he excelled in throwing the student back upon his own resources and compelling him to his best intellectual efforts. The three first presidents of Acadia, Dr. Crawley, Dr. Cramp and Dr. Sawyer, were all intellectual giants and have left their impress upon all denominational and educational work, and their memory will go down fragrant to posterity and be revered as long as the institutions at Wolfville hold a place in the affections of the people.

Artemus Wyman Sawyer was born at West Haven, Vermont, March 4th, 1827. His parents were Rev. Reuben Sawyer, a Baptist minister, who died in 1866, and Laura Wyman, who died in 1847. He took the preparatory course at New London Academy and was graduated from Dartmouth College in 1847. After teaching three years in the High School of Windsor, Vermont, he took the three years' course at Newton Theological Seminary, graduating in 1853. In the same year he was ordained pastor of the Baptist church in Lawrence, Mass., where he remained till he was called to the classical chair at Acadia College in 1855. He filled this position with marked ability for five years, leaving a reputation for classical culture and scholarship which led to his recall to the important position of president of Acadia University at the retirement of Dr. Cramp in 1859.

From 1859 to 1864 Dr. Sawyer was pastor of the church at Saratoga Springs, and then till 1869 principal of the New London Academy. From 1869 to his resignation in 1896 he was president of Acadia University. Under his able leadership there was a marked development in many directions. New buildings were erected for the college academy and seminary, the college faculty was enlarged, the standard of matriculation was raised, the endowments greatly increased and the students in attendance more than doubled. It was a period of marked activity, and the president was the guiding force in all this progress. At the college jubilee in 1883 the senate conferred the degree of LL.D., the only time the degree has been given by Acadia. In 1895, the jubilee of his connection with the college, a flattering testimonial was presented to him in the form of an address and a generous purse. His services to Acadia since his retirement from the headship, as professor of psychology and metaphysics, have been highly valued, as no part of the curriculum is more prized by ambitious students than the subjects so thoroughly presented by these modest teachers.

Dr. Sawyer was married in 1853 to Miss Maria E. Chase, daughter of the late Rev. John Chase. This estimable and accomplished lady died in 1900. Two children survive, Fred Everett W. Sawyer, who has recently been called to an important position in British Columbia, and Laura M. Sawyer, librarian at the Perkins Institute for the Blind, Boston, but at present spending her vacation at home.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY. Genuine Carter's Little Liver Pills. Must Bear Signature of Aunt Sarah. See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. FOR HEADACHE, FOR BILIOUSNESS, FOR CONSTIPATION, FOR SLOW LIVER, FOR THE COMPLEXION. CURE SICK HEADACHE.

HAIL STORM DAMAGES CROPS

Thousands of Acres Completely Demolished.

Belt is Two Miles Wide and Several Miles Long—Many Farmers Had Buildings Damaged

SIMCLAIR, Man., Aug. 6.—The worst storm in the experience of the oldest settlers visited this neighborhood about 8 o'clock last evening. Thousands of acres of splendid crops were completely demolished. The belt is two miles wide and the length at present, but it cannot be ascertained, but is not less than ten miles. The storm was accompanied by a high wind, and there is hardly a whole pane of glass in the track of the storm.

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SYDNEY ELOPERS TAKEN BACK

Provincial Constable J. J. McDonald of Sydney took back to Sydney last night the two prisoners, Joseph Grenzullo and Concetta Ventecio, who had fled from Sydney.

When taken in charge here the man gave his name as Joseph Ventecio and the woman as Concetta Ventecio. The arrival of the Sydney officer here reveals the fact that the male prisoner's name is Grenzullo and that he had been living in Reserve with Mr. and Mrs. Pampilo Ventecio. The male prisoner is 27 years of age. The woman gives her age as 28, while her husband is a man of 34.

When the husband returned home and found the trunk open he hunted for the money and with him went to the house of Constable McDonald, waking him from his sleep. McDonald at once telegraphed to the different heads of police.

MOTHER'S COMPLAINT BRINGS LIQUOR DEALER TO COURT

MONCTON, N. B., Aug. 7.—As the result of a complaint laid a few days ago by Mrs. Harkness, whose son got drunk and was arrested, the Minto hotel this morning was fined fifty dollars and costs for Scott Act violation.

AN EXPENSIVE COMPLIMENT

"Excuse me, sir, but this is the sixth time that you have gone away without paying." "Oh, my dear young lady, when a man sees you he forgets everything else."—Translated from Transatlantic Tales from Filicande's Blatter.

RUSSIAN ART WORK REVIVED.

The Princess Tanecheff, wife of an Imperial Russian commissioner, has revived the beautiful Russian art work in precious stones and embroidery, and her collection has recently been exhibited in Paris at the Museum of Decorative Arts.

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PROVINCIAL NEWS

DOVER, Eng., Aug. 6.—With the prize almost within his grasp, James Wolfe, the ardent swimmer who had already made four unsuccessful attempts to swim the English Channel, was again deprived of his victory by an adverse tide this morning. Wolfe here was about 200 yards from the South Foreland, getting within 2-1/2 miles of Cape Blanc, France, in 15-1/2 hours, when the turn of the tide and an adverse wind carried him away.

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LABOUR TO DEFEND HIM

PARIS, Aug. 1.—Alonzo Huntington, who was wounded by his brother Henry on Sunday during a quarrel in a room adjoining that of his dying father, is progressing favorably. The wound sustained by the sister, Elizabeth, is slight, but it is feared that her brain has been affected by shock.

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