

[Archer, Charles Weston]

Killed by a Lehigh Train.

The residents of this village were shocked on Wednesday morning by the report that Charles Weston Archer had been struck and instantly killed at the Silver street crossing of the Lehigh Valley, by train No. 146, due at this station at 10:13. Mr. Archer left his home in Hopewell to come to this village to do some trading. He was in a top buggy which was totally wrecked, but the horse was not injured. After the accident the train was stopped, and the unfortunate man was placed on it and brought to the depot in this village. Coroner Weyburn, of Geneva, was notified, and came to this village and made an examination, after which the remains were removed to his late home last evening. The coroner's inquest will be held on Friday. The funeral services will be held at the family residence on Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, and will be conducted by Rev. J. J. [Jay Jenkins] Brayton [Universalist]. The burial will be at Sand Hill cemetery. Mr. Archer was 59 years of age, and is survived by his wife [Phila Ansberger Archer] and one daughter [Ethel May, who was married to Albert Ottley only a week later, on the 29th].

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