

Collision on High Street

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A smashing operation took place at the depot on Saturday evening that came near resulting seriously. A street car coming from the north was waiting for a passage across the last railroad track and when an engine with four cars ahead of it backed out of the way the driver of the horse car took his chances and started. The horse and front end of the car had just crossed the track when the freight car was backed against the car, pushing it off the track and dragging the horse car and all about fifteen feet. Two ladies and one gentleman who were in the car made narrow escapes by jumping out on seeing the freight car approaching. Miss Mary E. Jamison was thrown upon the ground with such force as to bruise her body considerably. Miss Carrie Ambos succeeded in getting out without any material damage. Mr. L. Kilbourne escaped unhurt also. The horse was torn loose from the harness and the car was almost entirely demolished, the side and gearing being badly crushed.
