Philadelphia Brokers Who Had a Thrilling Ride in a Balloon

MILE-A-MINUTE RIDE IN BALLOON PLEASED BROKER

Amateur Aeronaut Hawley Declares He Enjoyed Terrible Trip.

"It was a good ride, all but the finish," said Alan R. Hawley, the wealthy stock broker, of No. 20 Broad street, whose home is at No. 22 East Seventy-sixth street, in telling to-day of his mile-a-minute trip in the balloon Initial with Arthur T. Athenholt, a rich Philadelphian. The reached an altitude of about 12,000 feet.

Starting from Philadelphia yesterday afternoon, they intended making a quick run to this city, when they were caught by an easterly current of air which blew with hurricane force after passing over New Brunswick, N. J. The two aeronauts estimated that the velocity of the wind was eighty-five miles an hour, and they feared that if they remained among the clouds they would be carried far out to sea. Then they decided to cut the journey short. Before they could reach the earth, however, they had travelled many miles.

When they got close to the ground their big balloon was whirling through space as though it had been shot like a catapult, and finally the car splashed into a creek near Matawan, N. J., and the two men had to scramble from the water, losing the records that had been made while the baloon was flying in the clouds at a speed believed to have been faster than an express train.

Plaything of Fierce Winds.

The aeronauts were in the heavens just ninety-three minutes, more than fifteen minutes being consumed in manoeuvring. First the balloon shot up in the air a distance of a mile, where it was caught by the air current and carried through the sky with little swiftness of a scaling bee. In a bee line the balloon covered just sixty miles from the starting point, but it is estimated that it swerved on its course and that the distance covered was about eighty miles.

This was Mr. Hawley's sixth balloon ascension, and it was the second for his companion. The initial is an immense French balloon owned by A. M. Chandler. The bag holds 30,000 cubic feet of gas.

Apparently not the least unstrung after their nerve-racking ride, Mr. Hawley and Mr. Atherholt packed the balloon and shipped it to this city. They followed, and last night dined at the Aero Club, No. 12 East Forty-second street. Like most amateur aeronauts, Mr. Hawley is an enthusiastic automobilist. In telling of his trip he said:

Shot Up a Mile High.

"We made the ascension at Point Breeze, Philadelphia. The start did not seem very favorable.

"We finally got aboard and when up twenty feet I told the starter to cut the rope. We shot straight up for about a mile. At this height one usually experiences an unpleasant buzzing in the ears, but for the first time I did not have the sensation.

"When we had been in the air about five minutes we got our bearings and started off in a northerly direction. In about forty-five minutes we were sailing over Trenton and from there we drifted northeast to New Brunswick, which we reached about 7 o'clock.

"The wind at this time became very sharp, blowing about eighty-five miles an hour. It was driving us toward the coast. We debated whether we should keep at it and run the risk of being blown out to sea or make a descent. We decided on the landing. When we finally hit ground, and we were some time getting there, we struck about half a mile west of Matawan, N. J., at 5.10 P. M.

Had to Dodge Buildings.

"Coming down we had to fight our way to clear trees and buildings, and to dodge some of the obstacles we had to dump out ballast at different times. In all we threw over about seventy-five pounds of sand.

"When we got over the place at which we decided to land we saw there was a creek about six feet wide. We figured the water was three feet deep and we determined to dodge that creek at all hazards, but it got us good in the end.

"We waited until we passed over the creek and threw out the anchor but the ground wasn't the right kind and the anchor didn't get a good hold. Gusts of wind caused us to zigzag back and forth over the creek. When I thought we were surely clear of it I opened the valve and we came down with a rush. The anchor had finally taken hold and as we were descending a gust of wind upset my calculations and the basket, after bumping us about, dumped us very neatly into the water."

HAD NO TIME TO GO TO A HOSPITAL

Fourteen-Year-Old Breadwinner, Hurt in Trolley Smash, Goes to Work.

"Go to the hospital? Sorry, Doc, but I can't spare the time," said little Edward Gongon to-day when an ambulance surgeon had finished giving him "first aid" for half a dozen cuts and bruises on his head.

"Honest, Doc, I must get right along to my work, or I might lose my job," he added. "Besides, I'm not mech hurt, anyway."

Accordingly, Edward Gongon, wage-earner, was permitted to go on his way, and he is at work now at a hosiery loom in Manhattan with his head swathed in many bandages. Edward is fourteen years old and one of the bread-winners for his mother and sisters. They live at No. 236 Lee avenue, and Edward is anxious to help his little sister get an education. He has got nearly all of his in the school of experience.

The boy left home early to-day to go to his work. He caught the first car that would take him across the Williamsburg Bridge. The car was jammed. He could find no room even on the platform, and so he climbed on the rear bumper and clung to the tailboard. As the car swung around the curve from Driggs avenue into South Eighth street the speed was suddenly retarded and the car in the rear banged into the bumper on which the boy stood. The force of the impact was sufficient to knock Edward off the bumper and pitched him against a Nostrand avenue car that was passing. The boy luckily fell between the cars, and wheels that would have ground him to pieces passed within a few inches of him as he lay on the pavement, dazed from the bumps and cuts he had received on the head.

Bernard Lawrence, conductor of the Nostrand avenue car, jumped off and picked the boy up in his arms. He carried him on the front platform and ordered the motorman to make as fast time as possible to the Clymer Street Police Station. There an ambulance was called from the Eastern District Hospital.

"That boy's nerve beats anything I've ever met," said police Lieut. Rodgers, as he saw Edwards pick himself up and hustle off to his work. "I'll gamble he'll never have to hunt long for a job."

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Friday,	April 26th
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Tuesday,	April 30th
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Thursday,	May 2d
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