

Lewis Stumph (- 10 Oct 1871)

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Accidentally Killed Himself While Out Gunning

Yesterday, a young man named Lewis Stumphs shot himself fatally while out gunning near Uniontown, across the Eastern Branch. He was returning home with his gun loaded and cocked in his hand, when it fell, striking heavily on the ground, causing the hammer to strike and explode the cap. The full charge took effect in his right chest, killing him almost instantly. His remains were taken up and conveyed to his home, on Pennsylvania avenue, between 1st and 2d streets.