

## MYERSTOWN LAD, 14, DROWNS IN QUARRY

Apparently Seized With Cramp as  
Companions Look On

LEBANON, July 2 — Apparently seized with cramps, Sylvester Line, fourteen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Line, Myerstown, sank in 40 feet of water and was drowned in an abandoned quarry hole on the eastern boundary of Myerstown early last evening.

Line had been swimming with 15 other boys. As the others were about to leave the quarry, they called to Line, who was still in the water. He began to swim across the pool towards the spot where he had left his clothes and had reached the half-way mark when he suddenly disappeared beneath the surface. His companions rushed to the spot and frantically attempted to reach him. Deep plunges were made in vain efforts to recover the victim.

Members of the Liberty fire company, this city, went to the quarry, armed with grappling hooks, spent several hours trying to recover the body, but without success.

Samuel Lane, father of the boy, is a foreman in the Myerstown foundry. They reside on Railroad street, Myerstown.

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