

RAILWAY ACCIDENT NEAR MIRFIELD. — On Saturday morning, shortly after half-past eight o'clock, a collision took place on the railway near Mirfield Station, but, fortunately, unattended by very serious consequences. A dense fog was prevailing at the time, and, in fact, lasted throughout the day, rendering travelling very dangerous, the engine drivers not being able to see the signals. The eight o'clock express from Leeds reached Dewsbury in safety, and, passing on, ran into a luggage train standing at the junction of the line to Bradford, near Mirfield Station. A gentleman was cut on the face by splinters from the window of the carriage in which he was riding, and a young woman from Morley was shaken. She was sent back home, and the male passenger went forward to Huddersfield. Some of the waggons of the goods train were damaged and the buffers of the passenger engine broken, but nothing more. The line was soon cleared, and traffic resumed, but extreme caution had to be exercised at the junction on account of the fog, which became more dense as the day advanced.