

TEN HURT WHEN AUTO PLUNGES 20 FEET DOWN BANK

Driver, Blamed for Accident
Near Martinsville, Fails
to Stop.

Eight Indianapolis persons and two Martinsville (Ind.) residents were injured late Sunday when the machine in which they were riding careened over a twenty-foot embankment when it struck fresh gravel after being crowded by a machine coming from the opposite direction, about two miles north of Martinsville.

The injured:
J. W. Spaulding, 27, of 1906 Roosevelt Ave., legs and body bruised; Mrs. Marie Spaulding, 27, wife, hips bruised; Leon Spaulding, 9, son, collar bone, arm and hip broken; Gladys Spaulding, 2, daughter, arm broken; Mae Louise Spaulding, 6, daughter, badly bruised; Annabelle Spaulding, 4, daughter, badly bruised; Mr. and Mrs. Ora Adams, 48, parents of Mrs. Spaulding, bruised; Mrs. Lena McDaniels, 26, Martinsville, badly bruised; Richard McDaniels, 4, son, cut and bruised.

Driver Goes On
The driver of the other machine failed to stop.

The Spauldings were rushed to the Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis.

Mrs. McDaniels and her son were taken home.

Catherine Broden, 4, of 642 E. Nineteenth St., is suffering from bruises about the legs and body received Saturday when she was struck by a machine driven by William Loehle, 4534 E. Twenty-First St., at Nineteenth St. and Broadway.

The driver was held.

William Robinson, 7, of 709 W. Thirtieth St., is suffering from injuries about the head received Saturday when struck by a machine at Northwestern Ave. and Thirtieth St. James Bateman, 849 Roach St., driver was held.

Girl Injured

J. K. Schoen, R. R. B., Box 69, faced assault and battery charges in city court today as the result of striking Gladys Wilson, 12, of Bright Sts., Saturday. The girl sustained a broken leg.

Charles Mellen, 3728 Northern Ave., is held on charges of assault and battery and failure to stop after an accident, and Charles Skelton, 15, in the city hospital suffering from a broken nose and severe bruises received when Mellen's machine collided with a car driven by Lawrence Davis, 909 Chadwick St., at Whittier Pl. and E. Washington St., Saturday.

Slight improvements were noted today in the condition of Dora Geisberg, 9, of Shelbyville, Ky., Miss Lou Finnell, 16, of Shelbyville, Ky., and Mrs. W. C. Fletcher, 35, and her son, Thomas, 16, of 4263 Guilford Ave., injured Saturday when the machine driven by Mrs. Fletcher collided with a street car at Fairfield and Guilford Sts., Saturday.

Accident Victim Dies

Margaret Geisberg, 12, of Shelbyville, Ky., also in the machine, died shortly after being admitted to St. Vincent's Hospital.

Mrs. Carrie Bewick, 35, of Greenwood, Ind., is in Long Hospital suffering from a broken right leg received Sunday in Brown County, when the machine, driven by her husband, overturned.

Lawson Harris, 2959 Indianapolis Ave., is charged with improper driving. The machine he was driving collided with a car driven by Mrs. E. Timberlake, 2908 Indianapolis Ave., at Twelfth St. and Capitol Ave., Saturday.

Ray Porter, 743 N. California St., is held on charges of drunkenness and driving while intoxicated. The machine he was driving struck a car driven by Carl Smiley of Greenwood, Ind., at Senate Ave. and Ohio St., Saturday.

Two Drivers Sought

Police are searching for two drivers who fled after their machines had collided at Eastern Ave. and New York St., Saturday. Police were told the driver of one car took the other driver away with him. Police found a small amount of liquor nearby.

Miss Marion Baden, 18, of 37 S. Dearborn St., was cut on the head and hand and bruised about the body when an auto in which she was riding with Eugene M. Reid, 19, of 2110 Sugar Grove Ave., collided with an E. Michigan St. car at Sherman Dr. Sunday night. Miss Baden was taken to the city hospital and later to her home. Reid, who was bruised about the head and body, was taken home. The auto was badly damaged.

The street car, in charge of Motor Feeney, 819 N. Senate Ave., motorist did not get out of the car until length. Sergeant Dean said Feeney told him he saw the auto and expected it to stop. Reid was charged with assault and battery.

Police Fire at Car

Traffic Officers Heiney and Bushong fired five shots at an auto that struck their motorcycle parked at 325 W. New York St. Later they arrested Michael Kelly, 28, of 30 N. Pershing Ave., and charged him with driving while intoxicated, failure to stop after an accident, speeding and resisting arrest.

Miss Louise McCintock, 518 E. Wabash St., was cut on the head and bruised about the body when her auto, driven by Frank Tracy, 24, of 3554 E. Washington St., crashed into a car parked at 514 N. Alabama St. and owned by W. M. Sherman, 15 W. Merrill St. Miss Muriel Whelchel, 514 N. Alabama St., who was in the auto, was bruised about the body.

Sherman's car was knocked into another parked auto owned by Clarence Shepard, 514 N. Alabama St., and his car into another one owned by Alva Owens, R. R. C. Box 532. Tracy was charged with speeding, assault and battery and driving while intoxicated.

An electric heating device has been developed to prevent locomotive sand pipes from becoming wet and clogged at the lower end. The locomotive headlight generator supplies power to the heaters, which fit over the pipes like shells.

Ex-Hoosier's Birthday Is Event



JOEL B. EDWARDS

By Times Special
CAMP CURRY, Cal., Aug. 4.—The whole country-wide joined in celebrating the nineteenth birthday of Joel B. Edwards, formerly

of Knightstown, Ind., and Indianapolis, recently.

NOBLESVILLE SON IS CHARGED WITH FATHER'S MURDER

M. L. Kincade Arrested Following Investigation of
Death by Grand Jury.

By Times Special
NOBLESVILLE, Ind., Aug. 4.—M. L. Kincade, arrested Sunday night on a fruit farm near Fennville, Mich., was brought to this city today and placed in jail to answer a grand jury indictment charging him with murder in the first degree. It is alleged that he killed his father, James J. Kincade, a wealthy farmer near this city last February by beating him over the head with a gas pipe.

The senior Kincade was found dead in the basement of his farm and it was given out at the time that he sustained a fractured skull in a fall down a stairway. Fourteen wounds were found on his body. Relatives did not believe he could have been injured in such a manner by such a fall and employed detectives.

A gold watch which the deceased carried was found a few days after his death in possession of Archer Thompson, colored, of Indianapolis, who said the son under indictment gave it to him to have repaired.

Kincade made most of his money by the discovery of oil on his land several years ago.

WEEK-END COVERS CRIME CALENDAR

Slatings Range From Intoxication to Murder.

Charges varying from intoxication to murder were placed against 126 of the 158 persons slated at the city prison over the week end. Seven men and three women were charged with vagrancy. Two minor boys were taken to the detention home.

Of the eighteen women slated three are charged with intoxication, five with operating blind tigers, one with manslaughter, three with vagrancy, two with statutory charges and one with assault and battery. Five are held on minor charges.

Of the men arrested, thirty-two were charged with intoxication; twenty-two with blind tiger operation; twelve with driving while intoxicated; twenty-five with assault and battery; seventeen with vagrancy, one with manslaughter and two with murder.

Brick-Thrower Sought
Search is being made for persons who threw a brick through a front window at the residence of L. C. Cummings, 1748 W. New York St., Saturday. Cummings told police he and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Frieda Cummings were in the front room when the brick was thrown.

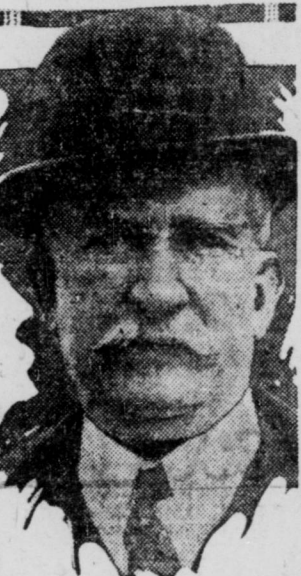
Humph! Can't Fool Us Police

By Times Special
BLOOMINGTON, Ind., Aug. 4.—The midnight snooze of the police department was broken off abruptly when an Indiana University student rushed in and told them a murder had been committed near the campus.

Police found no corpse.

The man explained he had gone to an empty house with a companion and had just stepped

Trying Again



William Garber, former Wall Street wizard, is trying to come back. After eighteen months, he has won, with the aid of insulin treatments, his fight for health. And now he is to attempt to build up again his shattered fortunes. At present he is resting "somewhere in Maine," his relatives say.

WILLIAM GARBER CHAMP FIDDLER

Old-Time Bow Wielders in
Contest at Acton.

By Times Special
ACTON, Ind., Aug. 4.—William Garber was conceded to be 84 years young today, following the honor accorded him as the best fiddler in the contest staged here Saturday night.

Fourteen fiddlers, whose combined age was more than a thousand years, took part in the violin derby, before the largest crowd the suburb has seen since camp meeting days.

Dr. Samuel McGaughey, master of ceremonies, started the classic with "Pop Goes the Weasel."

Frank Carson won the prize as the most versatile performer, barely missing out William Hatton.

Dr. McGaughey was assisted in the contest by Harry Maze and Earl Schaeffer.

Frederick E. Schorremeyer, candidate for Secretary of State, spoke.

LAST RITES ARRANGED

Mrs. Catherine Higgins Dies After
Long Illness.

Funeral services for Mrs. Catherine Higgins, 64, of 704 E. Pleasant Run Dr., who died at St. Francis Hospital Saturday after a long illness, will be held at St. Catherine's Church at 9 A. M. Wednesday. Burial in Holy Cross Cemetery.

Mrs. Higgins is survived by her husband, William F. Higgins; a brother, John Dugan, Indianapolis, and children, Mrs. Fred Mullen, Mrs. Elmore Higgins, Patrick Higgins, Miss Mary Higgins and Miss Margaret Higgins, all of Indianapolis, and William F. Higgins Jr., Chicago.

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NINE ARE KILLED, TEN INJURED BY AUTOS IN STATE

One Family Wiped Out Near
Bourbon—Train Hits
Car at Porter.

Nine were killed and ten were injured, three seriously in week-end automobile accidents in Indiana.

The entire family of Harry McWhorter, of Ft. Wayne, perished when his auto stalled in the path of a speeding train on the Pennsylvania Railroad near Bourbon. McWhorter, his wife, and son, Charles, 10, were instantly killed. They were on their way to spend Sunday with relatives in Bourbon when the accident occurred.

Three Die at Crossing
A New York Central train struck an auto at a grade crossing near Porter, killing Carl Cederberg, his wife and Mrs. Frank Sehring, all of Porter.

An auto driven by Roy Skaggs, Cincinnati, Ohio, crashed into another machine at a bridge approach near Richmond. Skaggs was hurled through the windshield, suffering injuries which may cause his death. Occupants of the other car escaped injury.

Six at Evansville
Six were injured, two seriously, at Evansville, when young people returning from a dance raced their automobiles. Injured are: Miss Anna Mann, 20, and William Sartore, 21, both seriously; Emmett Cota, Charles Walton, Margaret Karges and Marjorie Mayer.

Mrs. Esther Johnson and son of Anderson were slightly injured when she lost control of her car on the Alexandria pike and crashed into a telephone pole.

Thomas Brown, 55, of Indianapolis was severely cut on the head when struck by a taxi at Elwood.

Harold Killian, 14, of Lafayette, is dead from injuries received when he was struck by a taxi.

Robert Martin, 21, lost his life at Evansville, when an automobile he was driving turned over.

Victor Erickson, 22, is dead at South Bend.

KLAN IS ISSUE IN STATE PRIMARIES

Elections Tuesday in Kansas,
Missouri and Oklahoma.

By United Press
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 4.—Candidates for State and national offices in three States—Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma—were winding up their campaigns today, prepared for the primary elections Tuesday.

Interest in Missouri centered in gubernatorial contest, where leaders of both major parties agreed that Dr. A. W. Nelson, Cooper County farmer, appears to have the edge on the Democratic side, while Sam A. Baker, former State superintendent of schools, is the leading Republican contender.

In Kansas the Klan issue was injected into the Republican contest for attorney general Charles B. Griffith, who is seeking re-nomination, is being strongly opposed by the hooded order. Senator Arthur Capper, seeking the United States senatorial re-nomination is opposed by Sheffield Ingalls on the Republican ticket.

Former Governor Jack Walton is furnishing the excitement in the Oklahoma campaign in his race for the Democratic nomination as United States Senator. Walton, who is being bitterly opposed by the Ku Klux Klan, has made an active campaign against that organization. E. S. Howard, Tulsa, former Congressman, was officially endorsed by the Klan as Democratic candidate for Senator to oppose Walton.

GERMANS ON WAY TO DEBT PARLEY

Final Settlement of Reparations
Believed Near.

By United Press
LONDON, Aug. 4.—Great Britain believed settlement of the tangled reparations questions, which has kept all Europe in anxiety since the treaty of Versailles, was near as allied conference resumed its sessions today.

The big seven of the conference met as word was received that the German delegation had left Berlin for London in accordance with the invitation sent them by Saturday's plenary session.

The Germans are expected here Tuesday and probably will confer with Prime Minister MacDonald and other leaders of the conference at once.

WOMEN'S MEET STARTS

By Times Special
CHICAGO, Aug. 4.—The Western women's golf tournament started this morning at the Onwentsia course with a huge entry list which included a number of champions. Edith Cummings, national title holder, headed the list.

Miriam Burns of Kansas City is the present Western champion.

Parted for Fifty Years
CLONTIBRET, Ireland.—Fifty years ago James Connolly and Margaret O'Brien, engaged to be married, were separated in a storm at sea. Recently they met again in Clontibret. Both were married—so they obtained divorces and then married each other.

F'Even's Sake

By Times Special
SEYMOUR, Ind., Aug. 4.—Nelson Rogers, 70, bachelor, caught a blacksnake five feet long in a steel trap under his bed. Rogers, who lives alone at his home near Bobtown, six miles northwest of Seymour, had been troubled with "varmints" and declared war on them. He was surprised when he returned home to find the reptile writhing vigorously in the trap. Now he has several traps in his home.

BOY AWAKENS PARENTS

Police Called to Find "Man Seen in Room."

A nightmare.
Police say that is what they think the son of C. G. Hall, 444 E. Merrill St., had when he was screaming and awakened his parents early today.

The boy told his father that he saw the form of a man in the room. Sergeant Dean said all windows and doors were intact and there were no signs of any one having been in the house.

W. R. C. Meeting Tuesday

Maj. Robert Anderson, Woman's Relief Corps No. 4, will meet on Tuesday afternoon at the G. A. R. Home, 512 N. Illinois St. Regular meeting are held the first and third Tuesdays of the month.

In Jail to Help



SANDY, NEW LIER IN THOMASTON (ME.) STATE PRISON AND CHAPLAIN PERCY J. CLIFFORD, ANOTHER MISSIONARY.

THOMASTON, Me., Aug. 4.—Without whimper or snarl, a new "lifer" has just joined the long-termers in State's Prison here. Yet he is innocent of any crime, and was sentenced only because he is so good.

Sandy is his name on the prison books, and he is recorded as being white, male and collie.

His sentence was imposed by Governor Baxter, who started a wide-spread controversy some time ago when he half-staffed the flag on the Statehouse following death of one of his dogs.

The Governor feels man's best friend should be placed where man needs him most. So has assigned this Sandy to become a missionary within the prison.

There he hopes the dog will scamper about, as he did in the executive mansion, spreading good cheer.

And Sandy seems willing as this picture shows, after his first conference with the other missionary, Chaplain Percy J. Clifford.

One will say it with a kindly word; the other with a wag.

IRVINGTON MOVIE OPENS ON SUNDAY

Theater Operator Is Un-
molested After Threats.

Threatened arrest of C. M. Walker, proprietor, for operating the Irvington movie theater, Ritter Ave. and E. Washington St., Sunday evening did not materialize.

Walker announced last week he would operate Sunday, saying he was unable to make a profit with shows only six nights a week. A committee of citizens and pastors told him Friday night that it would seek his arrest if he carried out his intention.

Attempts to show Sunday movies in Irvington have resulted in arrests several times in the last few years.

Walker pointed to the fact downtown movies are not molested on Sunday as his justification.

NEW TAXI TRICKERY

Cut in Rates Give Rise to Deceptive
Signs.

By Times Special
NEW YORK, Aug. 4.—New forms of trickery have popped up with the new 20-cent-a-mile taxi fare introduced in New York by several companies.

Two reporters started out to see how the system worked and after glancing at the windshield of an independent cab on which was a large 20-cent-a-mile sign, they went on a cruise.

The taxi meter read \$1.20, so the reporters started to pay one-half, in accordance with the new system, the driver pointed to the sign which read:

"The driver of this car can not afford to drive it at 20 cents a mile and feed his family."

The deceptive "20 cents a mile" was in large letters. The rest of the sign could not be read except by close scrutiny.

Labor Mobs Win Suit

By United Press
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Aug. 4.—Labor unions being voluntary organizations cannot be sued in the State of Missouri, Circuit Judge Killen said today, dismissing the \$10,000 damage suit of Nellie Mays against the United Garment Workers of America. The plaintiff charged she had been unlawfully expelled from the union.

A Story Without Words



TRAFFIC TOWER RESTRICTION IS BEFORE COUNCIL

Control of Only Three
Corners Desired by Com-
mittee Member.

Restriction of the traffic tower on New Jersey and Washington St. to corners at Illinois, Meridian and Pennsylvania will be among traffic changes to be asked of city council tonight by Edward J. Sexton, secretary of the city's street car service committee.

A letter from Sexton to Council President Walter W. Wise is said to have the backing of Councilman Otto Ray, with Councilmen John E. King, Heydon W. Buchanan and William E. Clauer favorable to some proposed changes.

The tower has regulated traffic at New Jersey and Washington Sts. and Senate Ave. and Washington St. for some time. Varied traffic conditions make the tower impractical outside the three congested downtown corners, Sexton said.

Sexton also asked that traffic be permitted to turn east into Washington St. from Virginia Ave., regardless of the signal. The same rule is asked for Washington St. traffic turning south into Delaware St.

Traffic on Washington St. would be speeded by flat-to-curb parking between Delaware and Illinois Sts., Sexton pointed out. Washington St. now is a barrier to all traffic north and south because of long delays of the traffic tower, he said.

Another effort to pass the city's ten-year street lighting contract will be made tonight. Councilman Lloyd D. Claiborne saved the measure last meeting when he served notice that he would ask reconsideration tonight.

A series of minor transfer ordinances up for passage tonight include one providing for gasoline for police auto squads. At present, officers borrow from the fire department.

FRENCH DECORATE INDIANAPOLIS MAN

Croix de Guerre Awarded to
Orla A. Archey.

Orla O. Archey, an accountant at Coffield-Sanders & Co., and the first man wounded in the Rainbow division, has been awarded the French Croix de Guerre with the silver star for bravery during the war, according to official notice received today by Adj. Gen. Harry B. Smith.

Archey enlisted from here, giving his address as 2717 E. Michigan St. According to the citation, Archey, who was a gunner with Battery E, 150th Field Artillery, used a knife to cut off his own leg when the member was shattered by gunfire.

Smith said he received word from the War Department, who had orders from the headquarters company of the 128th Division of the French army to confer the decoration on Archey. The order was dated March 29, 1918.

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