

Governor Smith Holds Catholicism Not Presidency Bar

ELEVEN VIOLENT DEATHS, INDIANA WEEK-END TOLL

Automobiles Kill Six; Three Commit Suicide and One Drowning Reported.

Six deaths in auto accidents, three suicides and one drowning in Indiana over the week-end were reported today. A Hoosier woman also was burned to death.

James Lewis, 29, died from injuries received when his auto overturned on the Dixie highway near New Albany.

Dean Hill, 7, of Elkhart, was struck by an auto at Goshen and died two hours later from a fractured skull.

Burns received in the explosion of a mixture of paraffin and gasoline caused the death of Sister Marguerite Mary Leahay, teacher in St. Simon's Academy at Washington.

Durward Pope, 16, Vicksburg high school student, jumped from a moving auto at Linton and was fatally hurt.

An auto driven by Harold Richart, 27, of Indianapolis, crashed into the side of a concrete culvert near Jeffersonville, killing Mary Gammons, 17, of Louisville, Ky., and injuring Richart's wife, Luta.

Running in front of an auto driven by Leo Baldwin at Terre Haute, 6-year-old Jack Kuykendall was killed.

Raymond McGee, 24, died at Greensburg from injuries received when his auto was ditched after throwing a tire.

Worrying over the loss of his leg in an operation several months ago, Jacob First, 64, shot himself at Liberty Center, near Bluffton.

Cecil Swope, 50, Boone County farmer, hanged himself near Lebanon. A grandchild found the body hanging in the barn. Relatives knew no motive for the act.

Despondent over damaging an auto he had just purchased, Victor Burrell, 22, of Jasper, shot himself to death.

The 2-year-old grandson of Charles Maxton of Blackhawk, near Terre Haute was drowned when he wandered away and fell into a pond.

Arthur Spangler, 17, was seriously injured when the auto in which he was riding left the road and crashed into a telephone pole near Logansport.

SNOW MAY HIDE BODY

Searchers for Colorado Rancher Likely to Await Melting of Bank.

KREMMLING, Colo., April 18.—Whether George Hendricks, missing hermit rancher, lies buried under an avalanche of snow near his isolated ranch far up in the mountains may not be determined until the snow melts.

Searchers, who believe he was caught in a slide several weeks ago while driving his stock to feed, gave up today after digging in the snow bank for nearly a week. Several head of cattle were dug from the snow, but there was no trace of Hendricks.

SHARE HOSIERY PROFITS

Real Silk Branch Managers to Benefit by Company's Policy.

Two hundred branch managers of Real Silk Hosiery Mills are to participate in a profit-sharing plan announced by W. C. Kohn, vice-president and sales director. Ten per cent of the company earnings will be distributed among them this year. Last year the company did a \$20,000,000 business, selling hose direct to consumer, and Kohn predicts increased volume.

Fliers Head for Cuba

By United Press PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, April 18.—The planes of the United States Army's Pan-American flight squadron left at 9:30 a. m. today for Santiago, Cuba.

3 DIE IN AUTO DISPUTE

Gun Battle Fatal to Husband, Wife and Another Man.

By United Press PITTSBURGH, Pa., April 18.—A gun battle which climaxed an argument over possession of automobile in East Carnegie took a toll of three victims.

The dead are Angelo Diano, 43, and his wife, Marie, 40, both of Bridgeville, who died last night, and Carmelio Schifino, 43, who died in the South Side Hospital today.

Schifino was a boarder at the Diano residence. Diano's son, Samuel, 18, is expected to recover from bullet wounds in the back and leg.

BUILDING FUND GROWS

Preliminary Gifts, Reach \$87,000 for Phyllis' Wheatey Structure.

With an \$18,500 appropriation from the Indianapolis Foundation to the Phyllis Wheatey Y. W. C. A. building campaign, initial gift fund, the public campaign will start May 2 with at least a preliminary fund of \$87,000, according to Dwight S. Ritter and G. B. Ransom, chairmen of the initial gifts committee.

The movement for funds to build a suitable quarters to house young Negro women in a Y. W. C. A. branch, also was aided by a \$2,000 gift by Fred Ayres. A site for the new building at West and Walnut Sts. has been selected and payments have been made on the lot.

For Your Stomach's Sake! At All Drugists

50¢ Seven Die in Traffic

By United Press PHILADELPHIA, April 18.—Seven persons were killed in traffic accidents incident to the Easter traffic which jammed South Jersey highways.

BOOK INTIMATES 'HUSH FUND' FOR STEPHENSON

Anonymous Author Pictures Ex-Klan Head's Life From Linotype Machine to Murder Cell.

Intimations that a fund aggregating \$100,000 was used to "defray the expenses to accrue in the purchase of certain—well, let us say, manuscripts" are contained in one of the chapters of "The Mad Mullah of America," a book to appear soon by an anonymous author, dealing with the activities used to hush the charges of Indiana political corruption made by D. C. Stephenson, former Grand Dragon of the Klan.

Taking the life of Stephenson from the time he served as a linotype operator in Kansas until he entered a life cell at the prison in Michigan City for murder of a girl.

DARROW LAUGHS AT SELF

Noted Criminal Lawyer, 70 Years Old Today, Gives Views.

By United Press CHICAGO, April 18.—Clarence Darrow, noted criminal lawyer, a human being who laughs at himself and his ideas and then laughs at his own laughter, is 70 years old today.

And while nearly 2,000 of his friends prepared a huge fete for his honor here tonight, Darrow gave the United Press an interview, telling how—why he had achieved three score years and ten. He also set forth his ideas on modern movements, and among the things he said was that the world is in the grasp of a "materialism which may engulf it in another dark age."

Intolerant Gains

"We are turning to materialistic usage the fine scientific discoveries of the nineteenth century," Darrow said. "We are doing nothing ourselves. The tide of ignorance and intolerance is rising. There is no original thinking being done. But we are not, as some believe, on the brink of another war for the reason that the world is too tired."

In telling of his life and its lessons Darrow made the following characteristic points.

He believes he has lived long mainly because of luck and partly because he indulged in pleasures "blue noses" term harmful.

He never went to college and he believes any study that does not help one to live and feel the bigness of life is valueless.

Life for Pleasure

This is a pursuit of pleasure and an avoidance of pain.

He is inclined to agree with Henry Ford that most history is "bunk." He is certain that, knowledge of Latin and Greek is "useless."

He thinks the youth of America is probably the best the world has ever seen.

He has enjoyed life and his joy has been greatest when convincing audiences of the final unimportance of man and the universe and the probable absence of God.

Veteran Slays With Bayonet of War Days

By United Press HAMILTON, Ont., April 18.—Carrying his war-time bayonet today to a pawnshop, where he had hoped money obtained for it would relieve his poverty, a Canadian war veteran became involved in a fight, employed the bayonet with all the skill the western front had taught him and now faces a charge of murder.

John Simpson, the war veteran, explained when arrested for the death of Nick Tosky, that poverty had forced him to sell one war trophy after another. En route to the pawn shop, he said, he was held up by a band of foreigners. Nick Tosky was among them. In the fight that followed, Simpson drew his bayonet, rushed the gang and Tosky was impaled. He died shortly after police arrived.

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The dinner, open to Indiana editors and writers, is sponsored by the Indianapolis alumni chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, in observance of the anniversary of the founding of the professional journalistic fraternity, April 17, 1899, at De Pauw University.

HOPWOOD HERE TONIGHT

Cleveland Editor to Address News-men at Banquet.

"Better Journalism," will be the topic of Eric C. Hopwood, Cleveland, president of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, speaking before Indiana newspaper men at the Lincoln tonight.

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UNCLE SAM WANTS HIM

Federal Operatives Seek Boris Tachachian on Liquor Charge.

Boris Tachachian, alleged proprietor of the "Wind Blew Inn," a roadside, 701 Arnolds Ave., was sought today on a Federal liquor charge.

Deputy Federal Administrator George Winkler filed a warrant charging violation of the Federal dry law. Tachachian was arrested Saturday on a State charge, after a raid in which police and Federal agents cooperated.

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