

TRIO KILLED IN TRAFFIC SPILLS OVER WEEK-END

Fire Lieutenant Loses Life When Truck Is Struck by Speeding Car.

Death riding as a passenger in motor vehicles on city streets and county highways over the week-end, claimed the lives of three persons, including a city fireman and a 19-year-old girl.

The dead: Lieutenant Lewis L. Stanley, 43, of 2360 Adams street, of Fire Company 16. Miss Edna Hartsock, 19, of 818 Parkway avenue.

Samuel Grayson Peek, 79, of 1328 South Belmont avenue. Stanley was killed early Sunday when he was hurled from a fire truck when it was struck by an automobile traveling fifty miles an hour at Sixteenth street and Central avenue, while the company was answering a false alarm. Eight other persons, including five firemen of Company 16, were hurt in the accident.

A four-way automobile crash on Rockville road at the county line at midnight Saturday resulted in the death of Miss Hartsock when the car in which she was a passenger collided with another car as the driver attempted to dodge an auto parked, without lights, at the side of the road.

Probes Are Opened. Coroner Fred W. Vohling opened probes into both accidents and fire officials announced full penalty will be given persons caught sounding false fire alarms. The crashes raised Marion county's auto death toll to 142 for the year.

The false alarm which sent Stanley to his death was the thirteenth of fifteen sent in by Halloween pranksters. The alarm called the fire company to Fifteenth and Lafayette streets.

Harry J. Golder, 37, of 847 West New York street, member of the fire company, is in city hospital suffering from skull fracture and concussion of the brain. His condition is critical.

Others injured in the crash: William Larsh, 39, of 2956 North Sherman drive, internal injuries and bruises; James R. Horbuckle, 39, of 3812 East Thirty-fourth street, cuts and bruises; William Bulmer, 36, of 1244 North Illinois street, cuts and bruises; William Anderson, 40, of 1602 Ashland avenue, cuts and bruises, all firemen, and George Taylor, Negro, 35, of 531 West Eleventh street; Thomas Sanders, Negro, 21, of 2109 North Arsenal avenue, and Mrs. Belle Holt, 31, of 3680 Birchwood avenue, cuts and bruises.

Held for Manslaughter. Taylor was the driver of the speeding car which crashed into the fire truck. He is held on charges of voluntary manslaughter.

Witnesses told police Taylor did not observe the stop and go sign at the corner and the green "go" light was on Sixteenth street, along which the fire apparatus was traveling.

The force of the collision turned the fire truck around, throwing Stanley beneath the wrecked automobile. His head was crushed and he died almost instantly.

Golder was hurled to the pavement. Golder and Larsh are at the city hospital and the other firemen were released after medical treatment.

Sanders and Mrs. Holt are charged with vagrancy. Witnesses said Taylor smashed a bottle of liquor in a gutter following the accident. He told police he had been drinking, but said he only had "one bottle of beer."

Car Owner Also Held. Taylor said he borrowed the car from Edward Jennings, Negro, 717 West Michigan street, and police held Jennings on vagrancy charges after the Negroes told different stories of Taylor's possession of the auto.

Funeral services will be held at 2 Tuesday afternoon for Lieutenant Stanley at his home. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Myrtle Stanley; two brothers, William and Samuel Stanley, and two

Louder Noise

By United Press. CHICAGO, Nov. 2.—Mrs. Jessie Hay's neighbor complained about the loudness of her radio. She kept right on playing it. A few days later a bomb exploded that blew out the side of the house and silenced the radio.

daughters, Mrs. Mildred Sears and Miss Frances Louise Stanley, all of Indianapolis.

Lieutenant Stanley was appointed to the department Jan. 2, 1922.

Miss Hartsock was riding in a car driven by Paul Stidd, 22, of 1121 Bellefontaine street, when it smashed into an auto driven by Samuel Luger, R. R. 3, Box 915, on the Rockville road. Luger told deputy sheriffs he had swerved his car to avoid striking another parked on the road.

An instant after Luger's and Stidd's cars crashed, another driven by Lincoln A. Mastin, 19, of Clayton, rammed into both the cars. The driver of the parked car, who escaped during the collision, is sought today by city and county authorities.

Drags Friend From Car. Miss Hartsock was dead when passing motorists reached the crash scene. Luger dragged his companion, Paul Bradford of Bridgeport, from the car and then walked to Bridgeport for medical aid.

Both were cut seriously and Miss Lola Lawson, 18, of Danville, Ind., riding with Mastin, sustained a broken lower jaw.

Miss Hartsock is survived by her mother, Mrs. Martha Hartsock, two sisters, Mrs. Frances Roush and Mrs. Ella Behler and four brothers John, Everett, Garrie and Mayo Hartsock.

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 Tuesday at the Blasengym undertaking establishment, 2226 Shelby street, and at North Salem, former home of the family, at 11. Burial will be in North Salem.

Mr. Pe "died at the city hospital this morning from injuries sustained Saturday night when he was struck by an auto driven by Albert Newkirk of New Ross, Ind., at Belmont avenue and Howard street. Death occurred at city hospital.

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WILSON BANS ROUGH TACTICS BY CONSTABLES

Prosecutor Urges Courtesy in Making Evictions; Calls Conference.

Warning that constables making evictions must be courteous, and that drastic measures shall not be used, will be sounded by Prosecutor Herbert Wilson at the conference of Marion county constables he has called for Tuesday afternoon.

Wilson declares he will recommend that constables be uniformed to prevent impersonations.

The constables will be asked to organize opposition to the tactics pursued by high pressure collectors for credit houses who pose as law-enforcing officials, and to work together in performing their duties.

"I especially desire the constables to use discretion and judgment in

carrying out their eviction orders and replevins," Wilson declared. "They must take into consideration that these are times of stress and many persons and families, behind in their payments, would not be in such a condition in ordinary times."

"There have come to this office too many complaints regarding the tactics used in the collections, and I am prepared to act on any just cause for resentment."

The prosecutor also urged that those upon whom papers are being served must remember the constables are public servants and the actions were not instigated by them.

"What I especially desire is co-operation, difficult as it may be to obtain it," he added.

Wilson particularly was bitter in his criticism of the credit house collectors who have used illegal methods in their work.

"Any time evidence is brought to me that these men are high pressure collectors, they may be sure I will order an investigation."

"But the reports must be substantiated," Wilson said.

Wireless telegraph service has been established between Buenos Aires and Chilean cities and with Spain.

B'NAI B'RITH ELECTS Harry Levin, Terre Haute, Named President.

By United Press. SOUTH BEND, Ind., Nov. 2.—Harry Levin, Terre Haute, was named president of the Indiana order of B'nei B'rith at the close of its eleventh annual convention here. Other officers elected are: Vice-

presidents, Morris Cohen, Terre Haute; Abe Ottenheimer, Indianapolis; and Z. Dekelbaum, South Bend; secretary and treasurer, Ralph Freed, Lafayette; directors, Sam Schwartz, Muncie; Sam Mantel, Indianapolis; I. Vitram, Ft. Wayne; Sam Masse, Hammond; Irving Chaykeem, Hammond; Joseph Huppel, Marion, and Harry Raphael, Evansville.

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