

TRAFFIC SPILLS FATAL TO TWO; 18 ARE INJURED

South Dakota Girl Killed Instantly in Crash East of City.

Two persons were injured fatally, eighteen were hurt, one seriously, and nine motorists were arrested as result of week-end traffic accidents, according to police.

Tossed to the pavement when two autos collided head-on a half mile east of the city Sunday morning, Miss Beverly O'Brien, 22 of Highmore, S. D., was killed instantly. Four other persons were hurt in the collision.

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Injuries incurred when he was struck by a car at Thirtieth street and Guilford avenue proved fatal to William M. Jolly, 81, of 2842 Guilford avenue, who died Sunday at city hospital.

The deaths raised the traffic toll in the county for the year to forty-seven.

Miss O'Brien, Miss Lucille Leckie, 20 of Topeka, Kan., and Bert Bragmanoff, 25, of St. Louis, Mo., were riding in a car driven by Kenneth Broderick, 23, of Washington, when it crashed into another driven by Thomas O'Connor, 22, of 1423 North Pennsylvania street.

Driver Drunk, Says Doctor

Miss Leckie suffered a possible broken back, and the three other persons were cut and bruised.

O'Connor was arrested on a charge of involuntary manslaughter after blood tests by Dr. R. N. Harger of the Indiana university school of medicine revealed he was under the influence of liquor, police said.

Occupants of Broderick auto told police and deputy sheriffs that O'Connor was driving on the wrong side of the road. Broderick said that he sounded his horn, but was unable to attract O'Connor's attention. Both cars swerved off the road and collided.

Broderick, Miss Leckie, Miss O'Brien and Bragmanoff were on their way to St. Louis from Washington where they are employed in the federal tax department.

Funeral Rites Set

Funeral services for Mr. Jolly will be held at 10 Tuesday morning in the Shirley Bros. central chapel, 946 North Illinois street. Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mr. Jolly was knocked to the pavement by an auto driven by Lewis B. Skinner, 3940 East Fall Creek boulevard. Skinner was not arrested.

Survivors of Mr. Jolly, a former Tipton resident, are three daughters, Mrs. Edward T. Greene of Indianapolis, Mrs. Walter J. Kenton of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Rita Jackson of New York, and a son, Carl D. Jolly of Dayton, O.

Five persons were injured late Sunday night when a street car struck an auto at College avenue and Fifty-ninth street. They are:

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy E. O'Connor, 2605 College avenue; Mrs. Maile Carey, 32, of 5353 College avenue, her husband, J. K. Carey, and Mrs. Mary Helt of the College avenue address.

Other accident victims:

Theodore Ehrhart, R. R. 10, Box 349, face and arm cuts; and Mrs. Matto Givette, 1703 South Meridian street, burns and shock; Mrs. Celestine Woodruff, 79, of the Morris home, 3606 Euclid, head and face: William H. Dwyer, 35, of 365 North Kaling avenue, arm and face cuts; Mrs. Carline A. Anderson, 22, of 1120 Kaling, knee lacerations; Jeanne Taylor, 11, 5857 Guillory avenue, cuts on the legs; Louis Givette, 22, College avenue, forearm lacerations; Mrs. Louise Asperger, 43, of 3400 Kaling, head and face cuts; and Millard Lazarus of Baltimore, Md., body lacerations.

Those arrested and charged:

Franklin Ross, 18, of 1000 Hader street, vagrancy; Dallas Sparks, 222 West Walnut street, drunkenness; and driving while drunk; and 3633 Kaling avenue, vagrancy and failing to display a certificate of ability to support himself; both of Brazil, disorderly conduct, and vagrancy; Robert Young, Springfield, Ill., driving while drunk; and driving while drunk and vagrancy; Belmar Joseph, also of Springfield, drunkenness and vagrancy; Ann Malone, 18, of 1000 Hader street, vagrancy; and Walter Woolwine, 1502 Bradley avenue, drunkenness and reckless driving.

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DREAD TYPHUS IS CONQUERED BY FLEA SERUM

U. S. Surgeon Announces Absolute Preventive Against Disease.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 20.—A serum made from fleas, medical science has found an absolute preventive against typhus fever, a plague dreaded through the centuries.

The discovery, announced today by the United States public health service, was made after years of research by Dr. R. E. Dyer, a surgeon in the health service.

In the course of the experimentation Dr. Dyer and his associates deliberately exposed themselves to infection with typhus and demonstrated the effectiveness of the serum.

It had been known that typhus is carried by rats and mice.

But it was not until early this year that Dr. Dyer established definitely that the dreaded malady is transmitted to human being only by parasites such as fleas which suck the blood of the infected rats and then bite humans.

Fleas Combed From Rats

For months Dr. Dyer worked with typhus-infected fleas combed from rats and mice.

In his experiments he placed the infected insects on his arms and legs at night and over week-ends, at the risk of contracting the disease.

To make the serum, fleas which had been fed on infected rats were crushed in a mortar. This material was rubbed into scratches on the bodies of guinea pigs.

Dr. Dyer was to be awarded an honorary degree today by Kenyon College, Gambier, O., from which he graduated in 1907. He received his medical degree from the University of Texas in 1915 and almost at once began his experiments with typhus.

Typhus fever has been dreaded in Europe for centuries. During the middle ages, typhus plagues swept throughout central Europe.

Outbreaks Follow Wars

Serious outbreaks usually follow a war, and the disease is still extreme-

THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

Mae West Is in Hollywood for Film Job

By United Press
HOLLYWOOD, Cal., June 20.—Svelte and blonde, Mae West, night club queen, is in Hollywood to make her first moving picture.

Mae worked fast. She signed with Helen Morgan and Texas Guinan to appear in "Night After Night," on Wednesday.

She left the same night for the coast, and stopped off in Chicago just long enough to cancel her appearance in "The Constant Sinner."

Mae pointed to "The Barretts of Wimpole Street" and "The Green Pastures" as a prize example of "the goods if you deliver them" in the field of road attractions.

It was virulent in Europe and the mortality rate high. Until 1854 typhus was believed to be identical with typhoid fever.

The disease takes a less severe form in this country, known technically as endemic typhus. In 1930, forty-eight cases were reported to the health service, with nine fatalities.

Until 1910 the United States was considered free from the disease, except for occasional cases brought in from other countries. Since then, however, there have been outbreaks along the Atlantic coast in southern states, particularly Alabama and Georgia.

Methodists to Meet Tuesday

By United Press

BATTLE GROUND, Ind., June 20.—The eighty-first annual session of the Northwest Indiana Methodist Episcopal church conference will open here Tuesday, with Bishop Edgar Blake, head of the Indianapolis area, presiding. Pastoral assignments will be announced at the close of the conference next Monday.

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SEE ROOSEVELT NOMINATION ON FIRST BALLOT

N. Y. Governor's Managers Think He Has Enough Ballots to Win.

By RAYMOND CLAPPER
United Press Staff Correspondent
CHICAGO, June 20.—The Roosevelt camp came forth today with optimistic claims of victory for the New York Governor on the first ballot in next week's Democratic national convention as both major factions agreed, generally, that the Democrats must not "pussyfoot" on nomination.

On hand before the "stop Roosevelt" forces have been able fully to consolidate their position, the Roosevelt people claimed today that Roosevelt will have 691 votes for the presidential nomination even before the voting starts.

James A. Farley, 6 feet tall and athletic, campaign manager for Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, insisted these 691 votes will turn to 770 or more—before the roll is over. It takes 770, or two-thirds of the total 1,154, to nominate.

Farley and his associates predicted a scramble to get aboard the "band wagon" as pledged or instructed delegates roll up the most imposing figures of any group.

However, the "stop Roosevelt" forces are yet to be heard from.

Their generalissimo, former Governor Alfred E. Smith, is due Tuesday or Wednesday, and is expected then to undertake crystallizing the anti-Roosevelt sentiment, and aligning delegations with "favorite sons" to throw their power against Roosevelt, once they are released from pledges or instructions.

The position against "pussyfooting" on prohibition was made clear by rival spokesmen here over the week-end as preparations were made for opening the Democratic national convention one week from today.

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