

TRUCK KILLS BOY; DRIVER CAPTURED

Chauffeur's Attempted Escape,
After Crushing Victim, Frustrated by Police Lieutenant

LONG AUTOMOBILE CHASE

Percy Bruce, a negro, twenty-three years old, was caught after a chase last night and held without bail for the action of the coroner after his motortruck had knocked down and crushed seven-year-old James Fisher to death.

Witnesses say Bruce was intoxicated at the time of the accident, and that his truck crushed the boy he drove hurriedly away without stopping to learn the extent of the boy's injuries.

Benjamin F. Savage, former lieutenant of police at the thirty-ninth street and Lancaster avenue station, saw the accident, which occurred near the victim's home at 4009 Olive street.

He jumped into his own automobile and followed the motortruck. He overtook Bruce at Fifty-sixth street and took the motortruck to the station.

The sixty-first and Thompson streets station house and later to the one at station thirty-ninth street and Lancaster avenue. He was held by Magistrate Stevenson on a charge of murder.

The boy was taken to the Presbyterian Hospital. Physicians there said he had died almost instantly. The boy was a son of Mr. and Mrs. James Fisher, and was a student at the Helms school, Forty-first and Brown streets.

An automobile knocked down two women at Forty-first and Walnut streets, shortly before midnight, and was driven rapidly away before patrolmen could get its number.

The women injured are Mrs. J. Ed-


ward Lutz and her niece, Miss Constance Gill, of 4222 Walnut street. Mrs. Lutz's leg was fractured, and she may be hurt internally. Miss Gill was severely bruised. They were taken to the University Hospital.

Michael Hook, five years old, of 1022 West Orleans street, died last night in the Samaritan Hospital of injuries received when he was struck by an automobile yesterday near his home. Simon Stillman, of Woodstock street, near Norris, driver of the automobile, will be given a hearing today.

Three-year-old Elizabeth Clanton, of 5614 Malcolm street, was struck by a motortruck while playing in front of her home yesterday, and died an hour later at the Misericordia Hospital. Magistrate Harris held Ralph Grey, twenty-two years old, the driver, of Reedland street near Sixty-second, to await the coroner's action.

Mrs. Helen Capps, twenty-four years old, of 6127 Vine street, had her hip fractured when a taxicab in which she was riding collided with a motortruck yesterday at Twenty-ninth street and Allegheny avenue. She was taken to the Samaritan Hospital. Dominick Dorazio, 5407 Appletree street, the chauffeur, escaped with bruises.

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Original drawings and studies for mural decorations by Violet Oakley, which were shown at a private exhibition at the Art Alliance in Rittenhouse Square yesterday, will be on view for the public today.

Miss Oakley has been traveling throughout the United States under the auspices of the American Federation of Arts. She was the guest of honor at a reception held in connection with the private exhibit. Members of the Art Alliance attended the reception.

The exhibition represents the best work of Miss Oakley for a period of nearly twenty years.

"GET INTO POLITICS"

Hager Tells Dry Goods' Men That Business Hinges on Such Action

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