

[Bingham, Myron]

Auto Fatality Near Gulf Bridge

Saturday afternoon an automobile driven by Edward L. Dunn of Pierce street, accompanied by Myron Bingham of the Richmond Flats on South Mary street, left the highway a short distance east of the Gulf bridge, turning upside down on a rock at the river's edge, 20 feet below. The driver was pinned under the car tho' not seriously injured; but Myron Bingham was killed.

It was two hours after the accident occurred before the overturned car was discovered by passing motorists. Dunn was later arrested on a warrant charging him with driving an automobile intoxicated. He waived examination before Recorder Collins and was held for the grand jury being released on \$1000 bail which was provided by Albert Wilson of Fairfield.

Coroner George H. Smith was called to investigate and will hold an inquest some time this week.

Myron Bingham, the victim of this accident, was born in the town of Salisbury 57 years ago. He was the son of Ira and Amanda Bingham. His early life was spent in Salisbury and Stratford, where he was engaged in pursuits connected with the lumbering business. Later he moved to Dolgeville and was employed for a number of years in the Breckwoldt Sounding Board plant in that place. He had also worked in the felt shoe industry [Daniel Green] at that place. For the past two years Mr. Bingham had resided in this city, being employed at the lumber mill of Andrew Little & Son. He made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Henry Harnischfeger, in the Richmond flats on South Mary street. He was well known and liked, especially in Dolgeville and Salisbury. Besides the daughter mentioned, with whom he lived, he is survived by another daughter, Mrs. Albert B. Bennett of Taunton, Mass.

The funeral will be held this afternoon from the Dinneen undertaking rooms and from the Universalist church in Salisbury Center in which cemetery interment will be made. Rev. C. [Clinton] A. Moulton of Dolgeville will officiate.

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