

Unidentified Pedestrian Hit by Two Cars



Ambulance attendants place an unidentified man, between 60 and 65 years of age, on a stretcher after he had been struck and injured by two cars on Broadway, between 8th and 9th sts. Friday night. The pedestrian, injured during a heavy downpour of rain, was taken to Swedish-American hospital. Ambulance attendants in the picture are George Lindquist, at extreme left, and Bud Schreiber, center. (Story on page 1A).

CONTRACT SPURS PLANT ADDITION

Substrand Grows

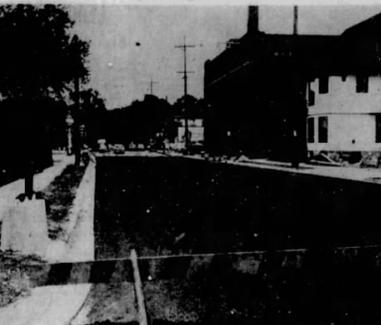
Full production on a \$1,200,000 air flow contract awarded to Substrand Machine Tool company, 222 1/2th st., is expected to begin until 1953, according to Bruce F. Olson, president of the company.

The contract, awarded by the mid-central air procurement district, Chicago, is for the production of airplane engines, devices developed since world war 2, which maintain the steady, varying speeds of airplane engines to constant speeds for driving alternator current generators.

The air engine drives, as well as production on other air force contracts, will be handled in a huge addition now being constructed at the rear of the plant's present building division, Olson said.

Equipment will be moved into the addition in October and will be ready for use in November or December, he said. The addition will increase floor space by 100,000 sq. ft. Company officials said the new contract and expansion of plant facilities eventually will mean employing about 500 more men.

Prepare for Opening of S. Rockton Ave.



When this picture was taken, looking north on S. Rockton ave., preparations were being made to open it for traffic, although the bituminous macadam surface has not been laid. Blacktop material was spread to eliminate the bump at the edge of the Elm at paving. This to be opened are the block of S. Rockton ave., immediately south of Elm st., and Chestnut st. from S. Rockton ave. to S. Winthrop st., all part of the same improvement. The finished surface will be applied later.

TRAFFIC GROUP SEEKS LIAISON

Bengston Agrees

Close liaison among police and engineering departments and the city council public safety and traffic committee will exist from now on, their representatives agreed at a meeting Friday afternoon.

Chief of Police Felix Bengston had precipitated a call for the meeting by addressing Fred Canine, chairman, when he informed the committee that Traffic Sgt. Elmer W. Johnson no longer would be available to check parking and traffic regulation changes for the committee.

Chief Bengston indicated he was glad to have Sgt. Johnson as a consultant, as traffic will have to be handled in a traffic department. Chief Bengston said, "I just don't think we can handle it as a traffic department."

The committee agreed in future to be invited to committee meetings at which decisions affecting traffic will have been made. The agreement has been made.

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Hopes To See Royal Cousin



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Young Beloit Actress Visits Royal Cousin

Shirin Devrim, who is appearing with the Court players at Beloit college this season, hopes to fly to Chicago next week for a brief visit with her stepson, King Feisal II of Iraq. The 17-year-old prince is scheduled to stop over in Chicago for a day when he transmits his coronation oaths to the United States.

The distinguished actress is appearing in "Art and Mrs. Rattle," the closing play of 1952 for the Beloit company, during its six-week run in Wright Art hall on the campus next week. Shirley Law, her husband, who is the troupe's leading man, expects to accompany Shirin Devrim when she goes to see King Feisal.

Prince Feisal, 16, is a full cousin of Feisal, and his entrance will tour the west, returning to New York City Sept. 5.

The Law and Kirk Denmark, Court players director, plan to drive to New York in early September and will see King Feisal at that time. Miss Devrim was in Baghdad with the youthful king when his father, King Ghazi, was killed in an automobile accident in April, 1941.

William Hess Dies, Aged 99; Heard Lincoln-Douglas Debate

Consistent non-unionist William Hess, Lincoln's oldest neighbor in the Frank funeral home, died Friday at the age of 99.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Frank funeral home. Burial will be in a Lincoln cemetery.

Four years ago, Mr. Hess received a letter from the state which notified the ratification date of the Lincoln-Douglas debate. He was not sure in general, but provided for maturity at an age which it was assumed the insured would not attain.

Mr. Hess was born on a farm near Mount Carmel. He was 10 years old when he witnessed the Lincoln-Douglas debate on the screen stage home for lunch.

Mr. Hess was a member of the Lincoln-Douglas club in Decatur, Ill. He was a member of the Lincoln-Douglas club in Decatur, Ill. He was a member of the Lincoln-Douglas club in Decatur, Ill.

OPEN IMPROVED STREET EARLY

Use Rock Base

Opening of S. Rockton ave., between W. State and Chestnut streets, in Rockton, will be completed, City Engineer William H. Day said Friday. The street may be opened Saturday or Monday.

Work has been completed except for the application of the bituminous macadam surface to the two lanes. Day said. Rockford Backhoe Construction company, which will apply the finishing surface, may work with another contract and start the work immediately.

"Traffic will not damage the new work," Day said. "The street will be paved with rock base and other projections to eliminate bumps. Day said."

RITA, ALY MEET FOR FIVE HOURS

No Reconciliation

HOLLYWOOD — Rita Hayworth and Aly Khan met for five hours Friday at the home of the actress's father, King Feisal II of Iraq, when he stops in Chicago briefly next week en route to the west coast.

Ritchey Gets 2-7 Year Term In Burglaries

Bruce J. Ritchey, 22, was sentenced to two to seven years in the state penitentiary for burglary. He was charged with burglary of a store in Chicago on May 15, 1952.

Prisoner Asks Larceny Pardon

State Parole Agent Guy W. Giddens Friday received copies of letters filed with the state penitentiary asking for pardon from an auto larceny term.

NELSON QUILTS PARK POSITION

Cites Ill Health

O. G. Nelson, member of the Rockford park district's board of commissioners since Nov. 2, 1942, announced his resignation Friday morning because of ill health.

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I.H.C. CONTRACT TALKS STALLED

Take Strike Vote

CHICAGO — Negotiations on a new contract between International Harvester company and the Independent Farm Equipment Workers union, which is on strike, stalled Friday.

The principal problem being worked on is the new pay scale for the men. The union is asking for a 10 percent increase, while the company is offering a 5 percent increase.

Schwicker To Speak At Two County Fair

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Propose 1-Way Traffic Alley

One-way northbound traffic in the alley between Main and Church sts. in Rockford is to be recommended by the city council Monday by the public safety and traffic committee.

Driver Arrested Twice In 2 Days

Alvin Lombard has been arrested twice in two days on a traffic charge.

Deputy Sheriff Elsworth Kotz and James Smith arrested Lombard on Aug. 12, but a court order allowed him to leave on a \$1000 bond. He was arrested again on Aug. 13 for driving without a license.

Explains In School Vote

Residents of Adams Park neighborhood, No. 23, have been invited by the board of education to a public meeting in the school Friday night.

The meeting is to discuss the proposed new school building and the school's financial condition.

Search for Dog Owner Leads across Country

A girl in a small Missouri town who traced a lost dog to Wisconsin county through the dog's collar, is now searching for the owner.

The dog was found in a field near the town of Rockford, Wis.

Umpire Gets Glasses as Men Oppose Peaches

Because umpires frequently are charged with blindness, members of the Industrial League Men's All-Stars took no chances before they played a 6 to 6 tie with the Rockford Peaches, a girls' baseball team, in Beyer stadium Friday night.

Woodstock Child, 4, Suffers Spinal Palsy

Four-year-old Woodstock child, suffering from spinal palsy, was taken to the hospital for treatment.

Nixon Tells Adlai: End 'Double Talk'

Richard M. Nixon, GOP vice presidential pick, told Sen. Adlai Stevenson Friday to "quit the double talk and the fancy language."

Tablor Lutheran Scouts Arrange Family Picnic

The Scandinavian Lutheran church will hold its annual family picnic at 4:30 p.m. Monday night in the church shelter house.

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