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#### Sampson Man's Widow, An Unnamed Man Taken Into Custody

CLINTON, May 13-Mrs. Leon Thornton, Autryville, Route One is in Sampson county jail and an unnamed man is being held in Fayetteville for questioning by State Bureau of Investigation officers following the death Sunday in a Fayetteville hospital of Mrs. Thornton's husband who was run over and mortally injured by a car driven by Johnnie R. Horne, also of the same section.

The arrest of the pair followed closely on the heels of developments which aroused suspicion of foul play and the SBI aid was requested by Sampson county law enforcement officers.

Horne, who rushed the injured Thornton to a hospital after first taking him to his home, told investigation officers, among them Patrolman O. J. Mitchell, that he ran over Thornton unavoidably due to the fact that the man was lying just beyond a rise in the road and that he did not see him until it was too late.

Leroy Bradshaw, J. C. Tyndall and Early Tyndall, who were returning to their homes with Horne, verified that statement, officers said. Thornton died at 7 o'clock Sunday morning from effects of a crushed chest and other wounds about the head and body.

Thornton was buried Tuesday morning, the services being conducted at Clement Baptist church. Mrs. Thornton attended the rites in custody of Patrolman Mitchell. Two married daughters also sur-

#### 41 Bodies Removed From Blasted Mine

OSAGE, W. Va., May 13.-(A)-With the bodies of 41 explosion victims recovered and 15 still to be found, rescue workers toiled tonight clearing away debris hiding the remaining men believed ot have been trapped in the Christopher

Coal company's big No. 3 mine. All of the 41 bodies recovered had been identified before nightfall and the company released a list of the 15 they believed buried under falls

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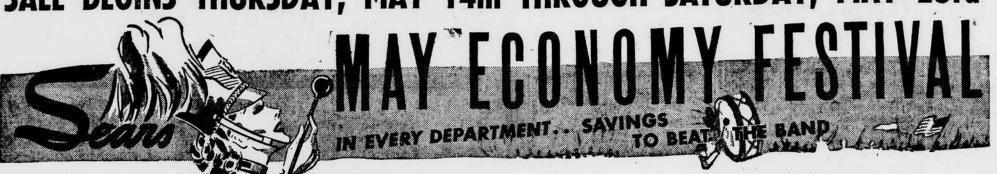
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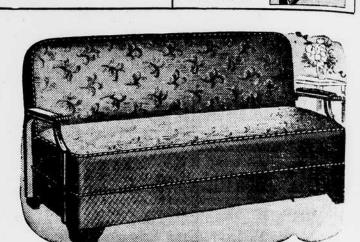


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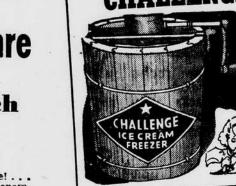
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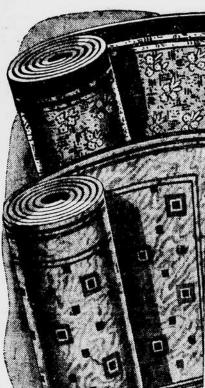
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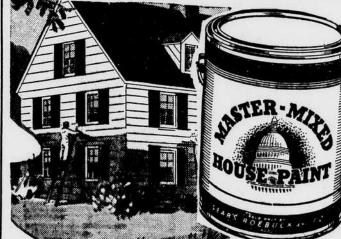


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