

EL PASO RESIDENT KILLED IN CRASH AT GALVESTON

**Frank B. Hadlock Jr. Dies
When Car Smashes
Into Bridge**

FRIEND LOSES LIFE

**Collision Victim Had Resigned
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Frank B. Hadlock Jr., 30, 212 E. California St., and C. C. Clark, 35, San Marcos, were killed and George D. Humphreville, Houston, was injured critically near Galveston early today when their auto crashed into a concrete bridge.

Mr. Hadlock apparently died instantly from deep head wounds. Mr. Clark died in a hospital at Galveston. The latter was driving the car, which struck the bridge railing and crashed into a nine-foot ditch.

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Mr. Humphreville suffered a neck fracture, broken arms and legs and lacerations. Hospital attendants said he also was injured internally and has slight chance for recovery.

The accident occurred near the Galveston water pump station on highway 36, 17 miles north of Galveston. The night pump station operator was notified by a passing motorist.

No Witnesses

Highway Officer Walter Thibodeaux said there were no eyewitnesses to the accident. A passing motorist came upon the scene of the mishap and called an ambulance.

The car was badly demolished and its three occupants were helpless in the wreckage. Those first to reach the scene pulled Mr. Clark from the top of Mr. Hadlock's body.

A motorist reported to Mr. Thibodeaux that a car with three occupants had passed him at a terrific speed. He later learned that they had crashed into the bridge.

Left Here Monday

Mr. Hadlock was formerly employed in the advertising department of The Herald-Post. He resigned last Saturday to take a position with the Ford Motor Co.

He left El Paso Monday to visit the Ford Motor Co. office at Houston.

Mr. Hadlock was born and reared in El Paso. He was graduated from the El Paso High School and studied two years in Detroit.

Besides his widow he is survived by two daughters, Franky Lynn Hadlock, 14 months, and Carolyn Ann, 7; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hadlock; a sister, Miss Ada Mae Hadlock, and a brother, Robert.

The body was to be sent today to El Paso.

Funeral arrangements here are pending.

Father Collapses

Mr. Hadlock's father collapsed at his Upper Valley home today when he was notified of the death of his son. He revived quickly.

Mr. Hadlock recovered recently from severe burns, which he received in an oil well gas explosion at Grandfalls, Tex.

El Paso Couple Hurt In Auto Crash

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Bowie, Fort Blvd., are recovering from shock and bruises in Lordsburg, N. M.

They received minor injuries when their automobile overturned Wednesday 15 miles west of Lordsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowie were en route to Douglas, Ariz., to visit their daughter, Mrs. Hugh M. Walker Jr.

They expect to return to El Paso in the next few days.

Mr. Bowie telegraphed his brother, E. R. Bowie, here today.