

**Ishmael Macy Dies Sunday of Pneumonia  
Prominent Young Man Died at Indianapolis Sunday Night  
Sudden Death is Great Shock**

Ishmael W. Macy, age 35 prominent Decatur man and engineer for the Indiana Public Service Commission, died at midnight Sunday of lobar pneumonia at his home, 3715 N. Meridian Street, Indianapolis.

Mr. Macy's illness was of short duration and his sudden death came as a shock to friends and relatives in this community.

Last Tuesday while employed in appraising a utility property at Peru, he suffered a chill. He remained in his hotel room Wednesday and on Thursday was advised by a Peru physician to return to his home. His condition became worse and Thursday night the doctor pronounced his illness lobar pneumonia. He was placed in an oxygen tent Saturday, but did not rally to the best of medical treatment extended. His heart became weak and his temperature went below normal. He showed a slight gain however Sunday afternoon, collapsing a few hours later, death resulting at about 12 o'clock.

Mr. Macy gained an enviable reputation through the Midwest as a designer and inventor of conveyors and coal unloading equipment. He was the owner of several patents for the latest improvements made on coal unloading conveyors and previous to establishing the Macy Conveyor Company in this city and was employed as engineer and designer for several of the leading conveyor companies in Indiana.

Graduating from the Decatur High School in 1916, Mr. Macy entered Purdue University in the fall of that year where he began his engineering course. While at the university, he was enlisted in the branch of the Navy until the close of the war. He continued his studies until the end of the scholastic year.

Mr. Macy was born at Monroe, Indiana, December 14, 1898 to Edward and Bessie Hocker Macy. Survivors include the parents; wife Fanny Elizabeth Haller Macy; daughters Martha and Mary Macy, brothers Byford and Christian Macy and a sister Mary L Macy.

Internment will be at the Decatur Cemetery.