

The Birmingham Eccentric

PART 3

Thursday, June 9, 1949

One time I was talking to a man about his admitted resentment toward certain other people. "But I do not hate any of them," he stated, vigorously. Whereupon I reminded him that resentment is a degree of hate which, if not dismissed, will grow into the hateful climax.

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Over 1,000 people, including local residents and Birmingham businessmen, and Michigan retail dealers for Dearborn and Ford farm equipment, visited the plant and offices at the opening.

August 18: fifth period, August 18 to August 27.

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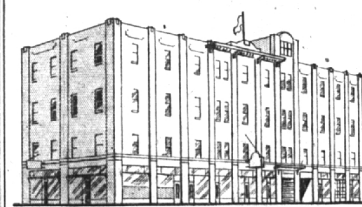
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Excessive Speed Was Big Accident Factor Last Month

The report of the Birmingham police department for May again indicates excessive speed as the major cause of accidents here. This was indicated in five of the 23 accidents reported, which caused an estimated property damage of \$5,335.

Violations of traffic laws were indicated in 17 of the crashes, with persons not having the right of way taking second place to speed. Vehicles which were operated while not under proper control and improper starting from a parked position shared third place, with two each.

Other causes recorded were following too closely, disregard of stop sign or signal, driving on the wrong side of the road, failure to set brakes while parked and failure to wear glasses.

In speaking of the report, Chief Ralph W. Mosley said accidents were down three from the May 1948 figure. Personal injuries dropped to three from the 19 recorded a year ago. He also pointed out that the property damage figure had increased somewhat over the previous month.

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