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Auto Is Ditched

They were on their way to the home of the elder youth at Ink, east of here, on a motorcycle they had purchased earlier in the day. It was a single seated cycle. Paul was operating it and his nephew was riding at his back.

The machine struck the rear of a car driven by Martin Imler, farmer near Bloomville, about 10 p. m. half a mile east of the Melmore road junction. Imler and his wife were shaken up and ~~injured~~ suffered lacerations when the impact sent their car into a ditch.

Died In Hospital

The injured were taken to Mercy hospital where John Krupp succumbed before emergency treatment could be administered. Paul Krupp recovered consciousness soon after reaching the hospital.

Sheriff Verne F. Deats and Deputies George R. Steinmetz and Jay D. Clagett went to the scene of the accident and assisted in removal of the injured men and in clearing the highway for traffic. A state highway patrolman also made an investigation of the accident.

The motorcycle was wedged against the back of the automobile and force was required to remove it. The machine was virtually demolished. The back of the automobile bore deep indentations where the motorcycle riders had been hurled against it.

Heard Crash at Infirmary

Impact of the crash was heard at the county infirmary more than half a mile distant. Supt. Harry Pryor told Sheriff Deats he and a group of friends had heard the motorcycle but had mistaken it for an airplane and when the crash occurred made an investigation to determine whether a plane had fallen.

John Krupp was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Krupp, 270 Helen avenue, Mansfield. His uncle, Paul, had

recently been working in Mansfield. Native of County

Paul Krupp was born on the farm at Ink 23 years ago and was the youngest son of John and Myrtle Krupp. He is survived by his mother, who still resides on the farm there, and by the following brothers and sisters, Mrs. Herbert Lupton, Mrs. Lester Whiteman, both of Tiffin, Mrs. John Marsteller, at home; Cecil and Oscar, both of Mansfield, Earl, Tiffin; Joseph, and Neil, on the farm.

Paul resided at Ink until about six months ago since when he had been living in Mansfield.

John William Krupp was born Nov. 18, 1915, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Krupp. He is survived by his father and a half-sister, Betty Jane, both of whom reside in Mansfield, and his grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle Krupp, with whom he resided on the farm on the Coe road near Ink. He was a member of the Church of Christ. He would have been a member of the senior class of Columbian High school this fall.

Double funeral services are to be held Saturday at 1 p. m. in the farm residence at Ink, and at 1:30 p. m. in the Church of Christ, and will be conducted by the Rev. G. L. Burghard. Interment of both bodies will be in Memorial Park cemetery at Mansfield.

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