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LAD HURT WHEN HIT BY CAR

Kenneth Schwartz, 9, Thrown From Bicycle in Mishap Tuesday A.M.

Kenneth Schwartz, 9-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel M. Schwartz living 2 1/2 miles north and one-half mile west of Berne, was severely injured at 10:30 o'clock Tuesday forenoon when a bicycle he was riding was hit by a car, throwing him to the pavement. The accident happened on road 27, two and one-half miles north of Berne, just in front of the John J. Schwartz home. Kenneth suffered a fractured collar bone, severe bruises to his head and body, a bad gash on his left arm and abrasions all over his body.

(Crease in paper)

The lad was herding cows along the east and west road where they were grazing, and spent some of his spare time in riding on the highway. He was driving north when a car going the same way and driven by a man from Cincinnati struck him. The lad evidently failed to see the car and turned right in front of the machine. The front right side of the car struck him. The boy was thrown several feet, landing on the pavement. He was unconscious for some time, and was rushed to the office of local doctors, and was then taken to his home where he is reported to be recovering nicely.

The bicycle was badly damaged, and the car also suffered damages (cut off)

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BUYS FILLING STATION HERE

Makes Deal With George Steiner, Who Leaves Berne Today

A business change, effective today, July 1, was announced here this morning. George Steiner has sold the equipment and stock of the Steiner Service Station and Grocery on West Main street, to Carl McBride. Mr. McBride assumed possession of the station this morning.

The station is owned by Grover Neuenschwander, who also owns the Highway Shell station. He leased the station to Mr. Steiner some time ago, the latter operating it until (paper crease) ...with Mr. Neuenschwander for several years in the operation of the Highway Shell station. Mr. McBride announces that he will continue to run a grocery in connection with the service station, and cordially invites the public to trade at his place of business.

Mr. and Mrs. Steiner have left Berne. They have accepted employment at Miller's Bend, on road 27, north of Decatur, effective today. They have been living above the Rich and Stucky department store here. Al Page is operating Miller's Bend at the present, and Mr. and Mrs. (Cut off)

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