Raymond Truitt
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Raymond Truitt Dies, Result of Injuries
Eighteen-Year-Old Motor Cycle Rider Collides With Electric Car -- Other Accidents
     Raymond Truitt, eighteen years old, Anacostia road, Twining City, died at Emergency Hospital last night about 8 o'clock as a result of injuries he received one hour earlier, when he was thrown against a car of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company at 13th and C streets. The young man was riding a motor cycle and, it is stated, was unable to stop it in time to prevent it from striking the side of the electric car.
     Police of the first precinct questioned the crew of the car and reported the facts to the coroner, who directed that the motorman and conductor be summoned to attend an inquest at the morgue this afternoon.

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Death Due To Accident
Coroner's Verdict in the Case of Raymond Truitt
     Coroner Nevitt conducted an inquest at the morgue yesterday afternoon in the case of Raymond Truitt, who died at Emergency Hospital Friday night as a result of injuries, when his motor cycle struck the side of an electric car of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company at 13th and C streets, one hour before death resulted.
     The jury reported a verdict finding the accident was due to lack of care on the part of Truitt.