

William R. Warfield

(- 29 Jun 1910)

Warfield. Suddenly on Wednesday, June 29, 1910 at 4 p.m., William R. Warfield. Funeral Friday, July 1 at 3 p.m. from his late residence, 12 Rhode Island avenue northwest. Interment private.

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Tries To Board Car; Dies From Injuries

Warfield Misses His Footing on Step of Rapidly Moving Trolley in Suburbs

William Warfield, about thirty years old, who was employed in the bottling establishment of the Anheuser Brewing Company, was struck by car 418 on the City and Suburban railway near the intersection of Rhode Island avenue and 15th street northeast last night about 11:15 o'clock and fatally injured. He died at the Casualty Hospital shortly before daybreak this morning.

It was learned by the police that the young man appeared from the undergrowth so suddenly when the car was only a few feet from 15th street that the motorman was unable to stop for him. Instead of waiting for the next car Warfield made an effort to board the fastmoving vehicle and missed his footing.

When the car had been stopped and the conductor and motorman went back they found the man unconscious lying alongside the tracks. They brought him to the city and had him conveyed to the Casualty Hospital. The body was not identified until this afternoon.

The deceased was unmarried. He lived with his mother at 12 Rhode Island avenue northwest. Yesterday he was at work as usual, and it was not until sometime after dark that he left the bottling plant. It is thought he had visited friends near Brookland and was returning home when he was injured. An inquest will probably be held over the remains at the morgue tomorrow.