

# **DR. F. M. DANIELS REMOVED TO LOUISVILLE, KY.**

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**By His Parents, for Expert  
Treatment of the Eyes**

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**HOPES TO RETURN HERE SOON**

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**And Resume His Dental Pro-  
fession--Well Wishes  
of Friends.**

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Dr. F. M. Daniels, who was burned by an explosion of a gasoline tank attached to a mulstifer in his dental office in the Kramer block, just one month ago yesterday, was taken to the home of his parents at Louisville, Ky., accompanied by his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Dr. William Daniels.

After he has rested from the trip he will be placed under the care of an eye specialist there for treatment of his eyes which were left in bad condition from the burns he received although it is not believed that he is in danger of losing them.

For two or three weeks the burned man suffered untold agony, but the best of attention was given him and the past few days he has been able to sit up in a chair and take solid nourishment. His father thought, however, that the trip to the Falls City would do him good and they came after him yesterday. When first spoken to about the journey the injured man demurred, stating that he did not believe that he was able to stand the trip.

Later he decided to attempt it and was removed from his home on South E street to the Lake Erie depot in an ambulance, and he was made as comfortable on the train as circumstances would permit.

Chas. Osborn, of this city, accompanied the party as far as Tipton and he reports that the patient stood the trip well so far, and the indications were that he would go through all right.

The doctor expressed his heartfelt thanks to those who had stood by him in his calamity and stated that he hoped to fully recover in a short time, when he would return to Elwood and take up his dental practice. He has the well wishes of Elwood people, and the public generally will be pleased to see him return and continue business here, as he is a good workman and a perfect gentleman, socially and otherwise.

# FRED DANIEL MEETS DEATH

**Dentist Killed Instantly This Afternoon When He Stept in Path of Freight Train.**

## HEAD SEVERED FROM BODY

Fred M. Daniel, dentist, 45, residing at 1700 South E street, was instantly killed at 2 o'clock this afternoon when he was struck by a west bound freight train at the Nickel Plate railroad at South C and Sixteenth streets. Daniels had started from his home to his office uptown shortly before 2 o'clock and was in the act of crossing the railroad tracks, opposed the Nickel Plate depot when he was struck.

He was knocked to the ground and his body severed in three pieces by the engine and a cut of cars, the engineer of which stopped the train as soon as possible. The dentist's head was severed from his body and both of his feet cut off. The body was otherwise badly mangled. The remains were removed to the Clark undertaking establishment, where they will be prepared for burial.

Dr. Daniel is known as a most careful person, the flagman at the South Anderson street crossing said this afternoon that on numerous occasions he had seen the dentist stop and look up and down the railroad tracks before attempting to cross.

He was very deaf and to this fact is attributed the cause of his sudden death. It is thought that he did not think of an approaching train when he started to cross the tracks and being unable to hear, he walked directly in the path of the moving freight train.

Flagman Hahn at the Anderson street crossing was a witness to the accident and said that Dr. Daniel walked directly into the path of the passing train. Four or five cars besides the engine passed over his body, before the train could be brought to a halt.

### Wife and Two Children.

Dr. Daniel had been a resident of this city for a number of years and had a large circle of friends, who will greatly regret to learn of his death. Mr. Daniel has been engaged as a dentist in Elwood for the past several years and was enroute to his office from his home when the tragedy occurred.

He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Caroline Daniel, and two children, William and Mary, both at home.

No arrangements had been made for the funeral late this evening. The body will probably be removed to the family home tomorrow.

### Large Crowd Gathers.

News of the tragedy spread rapidly and it was but a short time until a large number of persons had gathered at the scene of the accident. The freight train proceeded to Tipton several minutes after the accident. Deputy Coroner L. A. Mott of this city, was immediately notified and he conducted an investigation of the death of one of Elwood's most prominent citizens.

# DANIEL FUNERAL IS THIS EVENING

Services at Late Home at 7 p. m.  
and Burial at Corydon To-  
morrow Afternoon.

## MEMBER MASONIC LODGE

Funeral services for Fred M. Daniel, dentist, 49, residing at 1700 South E street, who was killed instantly yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock when he was struck directly in the path of the west bound Nickel Plate freight train at South C and Sixteenth streets, will be conducted this evening at 7 o'clock at the late home by Rev. M. C. Wright, pastor of the First M. E. church. All friends are invited to attend. He was a member of the Masonic lodge and members of this fraternity will attend in a body. Burial will be made at Corydon, Indiana, his former home, tomorrow afternoon.

The funeral party will leave Elwood at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow morning and will motor to Tipton, where it will leave on the train for Corydon, by way of Indianapolis.

Besides the widow, Mrs. Caroline Daniel, and the two children, William and Mary, both at home, the dentist leaves the parents, Dr. and Mrs. William Daniel of Corydon; two sisters, Mrs. C. H. Buchanan, of Corydon, and Mrs. G. W. Applegate, of Indianapolis, and one brother, Dr. J. C. Daniel, of Indianapolis.

### Body Taken Home.

The body was removed to the Clark morgue yesterday afternoon, where it was prepared for burial and this afternoon at 4 o'clock it was removed to the late home, on South E street.

The deceased was an active member of the First M. E. church. He was also a member of the Elwood Athletic Association. Dr. Daniel was one of the most widely known citizens of Elwood, having resided here for a number of years, and during his long residence here he made many friends. He was a very genial person, whose influence in the community was always for the good, and all who knew him will greatly regret to learn of his death.

### Train Running Slow.

Witnesses to the horrible tragedy state that the train was traveling at a speed of approximately ten miles an hour when it struck the dentist. The train was the west bound freight, No. 63, which is due in Elwood about 2 p. m. The members of the train crew were Engineer Ludwidge, Conductor Ramsay, Fireman Donovan and Brakemen Schindledecker and Wheeler, all of Lima, O. The train seldom stops in Elwood.