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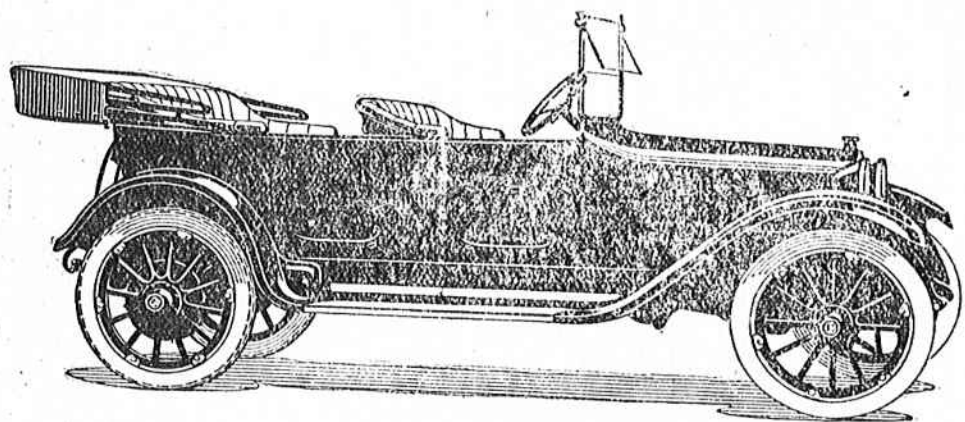
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TWO GIRLS HAD AGREED TO COMMIT SUICIDE

Could Not Bear Thought of Separation; Asked to be Buried Together.

POLICE MAKE PUBLIC NOTE

Margaret Spalding and Ethel Stanton Shot Themselves in Portsmouth Cafe.

Portsmouth, N. H., March 23.—The two young women who were killed in the Portsmouth cafe last night were definitely identified today as Margaret (Peggy) Spalding, daughter of Geo. F. Spalding, of Newton, Mass., and Ethel Stanton, daughter of J. L. Stanton, city passenger agent of the Rock Island Railway, with headquarters at Los Angeles.

A note signed "Peggy and Ethel"

found in a room in the Rockingham Hotel, which they had occupied Wednesday night, indicated that they had agreed to commit suicide together.

Miss Spalding was 18 years of age and Miss Stanton was 22. The girls came here Wednesday. After a night and day spent at the hotel where Miss Stanton had registered in her own name and Miss Spalding as "Rose King," they went to the cafe for dinner. They spent more than two hours over the meal, prolonging it by repeated calls for black coffee.

Heard Two Shots.

Just before 11 o'clock the waiters and the few remaining diners heard two shots. They rushed to the booth and found Miss Stanton dead, lying half across the table. Miss Spalding lay on the floor unconscious and died shortly afterwards. Each girl had a bullet wound in the temple. Miss Stanton's fingers were closed about a 32-calibre revolver and beside Miss Spalding's body lay a pearl-handled

22-caliber revolver.

The police expressed the opinion that each girl held a revolver at the other's head and fired. It was planned to hold an inquest today.

The note found in the girl's room was addressed to Miss Spalding's mother. Through inquiries made at her home in Newton it was learned that Margaret Spalding was a graduate of the Newton High School, where she had been a prominent basketball and hockey player. Since last fall she had been a teacher-pupil in the gymnasium department of the Garland school, in Boston. Miss Stanton was a pupil at this school until two weeks ago, when she began studies at the Dana Hall School, in Wellesley, Mass. They were close friends.

Thought it Better to Die.

No definite reason was given in the note for the act. It is said they had decided that it was better that they should die and asked their parents not to be grief-stricken because "they would all be happy and peaceful when reunited in a better world."

A note left by Miss Stanton asked that C. F. Malsbury, Johnson building, Cincinnati, be notified. Mr. Malsbury was executor of the estate of Miss Stanton's mother, who was killed in an automobile accident.

Light was thrown on the suicides later today when the police made public a paragraph from the joint note left by the young women. It read:

"We have experienced perfect love for each other and cannot bear the thought of separation. So we will end it all."

The police said also that a wish expressed that the bodies be buried to-

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gether. The separation referred to is supposed to have meant the departure from the Garland school of Miss Stanton when she was transferred to the Dana Hall School at Wellesley.

No inquest will be held. Plans were made to remove the body of Miss Spalding to Newton, Mass., and to place the body of Miss Stanton on a train for the West tonight.

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