

MUNCIE ANGLER DROWNS IN POND

Steps Into Deep Hole While Casting

Redkey, July 19 - Clarence Grady, 36, of Muncie was drowned at 2 am this morning when he suddenly was seized by cramps in the old tile mill pond at the west side of the overhead bridge here. A brother, Floyd and a cousin, Lee, sought vainly to save him.

Grady stepped into a deep hole as he waded along the shore casting for bass. After five hours of dragging the pond with grappling hooks from a boat, the body was removed at 7 o'clock this morning. Floyd and Leo Grady were on the opposite side of the bank when they heard screams and they grabbed the man as he was going down for the third time. However, he pulled them under with him and they were forced to release their holds.

Surviving besides the widow and four small children are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Grady of Redkey, and three brothers, Clarence and Archel Grady of Redkey and Emmet Grady of Muncie.

Funeral services will be conducted at the Redkey Catholic Church, although the time has not been determined. The body was taken to the Jones Funeral Home in Redkey.

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