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John B Wilson

DEAD

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JOHN B. WILSON

(Robert Wilson, Jack Wilson)

Long record including grand larceny in Henn Co.

killed in car crash 7-25-39 in mpls.

Hair Dark Blonde
Eyes Dark Blue
Complexion Sallow

JOHN B. WILSON



Age 24
Height 5-9 $\frac{3}{8}$
Weight 166 lbs.
Build Medium

2M 11-27 2066

MINNESOTA BUREAU OF CRIMINAL APPREHENSION
ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

No. _____

BERTILLON MEASUREMENTS

HGT., 1M.

O. A, 1M.

TRUNK

HEAD

LENGTH

WI

L. FOOT

NAME _____

ALIAS _____

CHEEK

R. EAR

He has been indicted by Hennepin
Larceny 1st degree.

FINGER PRINT
CLASSIFICATION

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County Grand Jury for Grand

DISPOSITION _____

MARKS & SCARS: _____

MEASURED BY _____

468

125

H

23011
11-4-29
Mpls



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Age 24

Ht. 5-9³/₈

Wt. 166

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Eyes DK Blue

Comp Sallow

Bld. Med

G. L. Humphreys Co.

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John B. Wilson

1925, Jan. 31 As Robt. Wilson, #24123, arrested Detroit, Mich.,
charge - robbery; pending.

1926, Jan. 10 As John Ben Wilson, #374, arrested Lima, Ohio,
charge - investigation; disposition not given.

1928, May 10 As Jack Wilson, #10543, arrested Vancouver, B.C.,
Canada, charge - breaking & entering; dismissed
May 23, 1928.

1928, Aug. 2 As John Benjamin Wilson, #9060, arrested Portland,
Ore., charge not given; enroute to Detroit, Mich.

"#10543, Vancouver, B. C., Can., 5-23-28,
hold for Detroit Police.
Admits long record in the East, mostly as a
burglar."

1926, Aug. 17 As John Wilson, #23202, received State Prison,
Jackson, Mich., from Detroit, crime - breaking
& entering warehouse; sentence 1 to 5 years.

"1925, Detroit, H. of C. 27 days, simple larceny."

5-22-30 Wanted Gr.Lar. - Hennepin County.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, BUREAU OF CRIMINAL APPREHENSION

ROOM 22 STATE OFFICE BUILDING - ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

Record from _____ (Address) _____
On the above line please state whether Police Department, Sheriff's Office, or County Jail



Received from _____ County

Date Received _____

Charge _____

Sentence _____

Place of birth _____

Nationality _____

Age _____ Height _____

Weight _____ Hair _____

Build _____ Eyes _____

Complexion _____

Marks and Scars _____

Paroled _____

Discharged _____

CRIMINAL HISTORY

8/9/33 Mpls - G.L. & 1 prior - 10 yrs MSP 11/29/33
Sept 1936 - Paroled (Working at Chem. Bldg - Hopkins)

DEAD

Leave This Space Blank

Name Wilson John B.

Alias _____

No. _____ Color _____ Sex _____

Classification 28 W IMI 0

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NOTIFY

**Sheriff John Wahl, Hennepin County
Minneapolis, Minnesota**

or

**Bureau of Criminal Apprehension
State Capitol, St. Paul, Minnesota**

Original Card
Loaned to Sheriff Wilmar
3/18/33.

7/25/39

Classified by _____

Verified by _____

Searched by _____

Prisoner's signature

PLEASE DO NOT FOLD THIS CARD

STATE OF MINNESOTA
Bureau of Criminal Apprehension

STATE CAPITOL BUILDING, ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

May 22, 1930

WANTED



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Prints Reveal Criminal Record of Crash Victim

McDonald
7/25/39

Investigation of the accident in which John Wilson, 34, Dyckman hotel, was killed when his car smashed with terrific force into a concrete underpass at Lyndale avenue S. and highway No. 5, late today revealed Wilson was a former convict.

Ray Harrington, superintendent of the police Bertillon bureau, burglary.

Wilson, driving alone, was wedged behind the steering wheel when passersby found his demolished car at the underpass, where identified Wilson through fingerprints as a man who served three years in Stillwater for grand larceny and five years in the Michigan state prison at Jackson for highway No. 5 passes under Lyn-

dale avenue. The motor of his car was torn out and hurled 25 feet in the crash.

Another traffic death was reported at Devils Lake, N. D.,

where Alice Irene Larue, 20, of Blackburn, Mo., was killed as the machine in which she rode was sideswiped and hurtled end over end into a ditch.