WILSON, Richard Charles Edward 31 March 1953

Designation	Accident Location	Accident Due to
Line & Signal Maintainer	Perth	Struck by train

Richard Wilson was 33 years of age when he died by being run over by at least two trains under the Barrack Street Bridge at Perth Railway Station. It is not Known how he came to be on the line. Richard lived at cannington with his wife Yvonne and their two young boys. He is interred at Karrakatta Cemetery (ANGLICAN/ZM/0241).

Train Kills A Man Under City Bridge
Richard Charles Edward Wilson (33), a laborer, of Oak street, Cannington, was accidentally killed by a train beneath the Beaufort Street bridge on March 31. The City Coroner (Mr. R. P. Rodriguez) said this when he gave his finding in the Perth Courthouse yesterday into the death of Wilson, whose body was found on the line about 7.45 a.m. "I am unable to ascertain how the deceased came to be on the line." said the Coroner. Death was due to multiple injuries.

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FAMILY NOTICE.
WILSON: On March 31, 1953, as the result of an accident. Richard (Dick), the dearly loved husband of Yvonne Phyllis Wilson, devoted father of Kevin and Gary; aged 33 years.

WII.SON (Richard Edward): On March 31 as result of accident, beloved son of Walter Wilson, Bentley Park; aged 33 years.

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