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CIA Clerk Is Killed in Fairfax Smashup

A 47-year-old Central Intelligence Agency research clerk was killed early yesterday when the car in which she was riding skidded and crashed into a telephone pole.

Fairfax County police said Miss Patricia F. O'Rourke, of 1349 Rittenhouse-st nw, was returning from a house-warming party at Tyson's Corner with James N. Brown, 40, a Capital Transit Co. employe, when the car went off Route 674 near Vienna, Va., plowed along a 4-foothigh bank, and hit the pole.

Mr. Brown, of 700 Jefferson-st nw, who was not hurt, walked to a farmhouse and called the Vienna Rescue Squad, but Miss O'Rourke was dead when she reached Arlington Hospital. Police said they charged Mr. Brown with reckless driving.

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