SUMMARY OF BOATING ACCIDENTS - 1964

March	1
April	1
May	22
June	28
July	22
August	24
Sept.	8
October	4
November	~~45~~
Total	~~114~~ 115 accidents

Boats involved	~~166~~ 167
Injuries	~~71~~ 72
Fatalities	~~32~~ 33
Property Damage	$ 111,449

Calhoun	1
Cass	2
Christian	1
Coles	1
Cook	32
Fulton	1
Grundy	3
Hancock	1
Henderson	3
Jersey	1
Jo Daviess	1
Kane	2
Kankakee	2
Lake	13
LaSalle	4
Lee	1
Livingston	1
McHenry	7
Macon	4
Macoupin	1
Madison	5
Mason	2
Ogle	1
Peoria	3
Pike	3
Pulaski	1
Rock Island	~~4~~ 5
Tazewell	2
Vermilion	1
Wabash	1
Will	2
Williamson	2
Winnebago	4
Unknown	1
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Causes: Page 2

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Weather Conditions (rough water, high wind)	11
Wake of tugs or larger passing boats	8
Careless or reckless operation, inattention, inexperience, speed, poor handling, horseplay -	33
Standing in boat	1
Intoxication	3
Overloaded	1
Canoe tipped	1
Fell overboard starting motor	3
Lost balance (health reasons)	1
No life preserver and sitting on back of seat -	1
Stepped in hole, pulling boat from sandbar -	1
Carbon monoxide poisoning	1
Hit floating or submerged object	9
Poor visibility (around bend)	3
No lights on boat	2
Poor lighting on bridge	2
Failure of breakwater light	1
Motor trouble, broken or faulty steering cable	9
Explosion (gas tank)	7
Skiing accidents (swerved to avoid skier, struck skier, inexperienced skier etc.)	6
Pulling skier	5