



CHEVROLET MAKING LAST LAP BEFORE CAR WAS DITCHED.

The first spill of the season at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway was offered as the most exciting feature of yesterday's practice work. In a spectacular dash around the brick track at a 100-mile-per-hour clip Arthur Chevrolet, in a monster Buick "100," offered the sensation. As the Swiss driver was rounding the third turn the right rear tire blew out and the car skidded into the soft sand cushion at the inside of the track just above the automobile bridge at the north end of the main stretch.

When the soft earth impeded its progress the car turned completely over, spill-

ing out its occupants and landing upside down in the sand. Neither of the occupants of the car was hurt, although Albert Seraye, mechanician, was scratched on the side of the forehead. Chevrolet is shown in the lower picture, traveling at ninety miles an hour, about two minutes before the spill.

The Buick driver believes that the soft sand cushion, which is laid all the way around on the inside of the Speedway track, saved his life. It prevents the cars from reaching the fence, while the wall on the outer edge allows no car to leap from the track. Chevrolet will have his car ready for practice again in three or four days.