

Tragic Accident Takes Life of Seven-Year-Old Girl

Marian Morris

Dies after Being Hit by Car

Little Marian Morris, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sym O. Morris, 819 Cedar Ave., Lancaster, was fatally injured Tuesday morning, when hit by a car driven by Mrs. Fay Maxwell of Lake Hughes.

Mrs. Maxwell was driving east on Tenth Street in Lancaster, and was watching a child running across the street from the north side. Marian stepped out from between parked cars on the south side, directly into the path of the car, and was struck down before the Maxwell car had a chance to swerve.

Witnesses of the accident carried the child to the Lancaster Community Hospital where she was given emergency treatment by Dr. Senseman, but she failed to respond and passed away at 12:15, about an hour and a half after the accident.

A coroner's inquest will be held at 11:00 a.m., Friday morning. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 9:30 at the Mumaw Chapel with the Baptist minister in charge. Interment will be in the Lancaster Cemetery.

Marian Morris was born January 7, 1932, in Portland, Oregon, and lived there until coming to Lancaster in November of last year with her parents.