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Injuries Are Fatal to Agnes Tinkham Blue Creek Township Young Lady is Dead

Miss Agnes Tinkham, 25, well known Blue Creek Township young lady, died this morning at 6:15 o'clock at the Marion General Hospital in Marion from injuries suffered July 2 in an auto accident near that city.

Miss Tinkham and her sister, Eathyl, had been residing for the past four years in Marion, where they were employed at the Marion Radio Factory.

The deceased suffered internal injuries in the crash, which occurred four miles south of Marion when the car she was driving collided head on with another vehicle. Miss Eathyl is still confined in the hospital at Marion with injuries which she sustained. Her condition is not thought serious.

The two women are sisters of Mr. Ben McCullough of St. Mary's Township, wife of the township trustee.

The deceased was born in Blue Creek Township on August 28, 1916, the daughter of John and Sarah Tinkham, who now reside in Willshire, Ohio. She was a member of the Untied Brethren Church at Willshire. She had resided in the county her entire life until moving to Marion.

Surviving besides the parents and the two sisters mentioned, are a brother, Dennison of Willshire and four other sisters, Mrs. Theodore Harmon of South Bend, Mrs. Nevin Miller of Route Six, Decatur, Doris and Thelma, at home.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock (CWT) at the Willshire U. B. Church with Rev. Lawrence Dellinger officiating and burial will be in the Tricker Cemetery in Blue Creek Township.

The body was brought this morning to the Gillig & Doan Funeral Home. It will be taken from there to the parents' home in Willshire this evening and may be viewed there until time for the services.

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