

BIG TRUCK KILLS WM. S. CULVER

Runs Him Down on Street, Wheel Passing Over Body; Driver Arrested.

William S. Culver, residing at 810 Wyoming street, was so seriously injured when he was run over by a large auto truck of the Texico Transfer company, at the corner of Overland and Stanton streets Wednesday morning at 9:45 o'clock that he lived only a little more than two hours after the accident. William Steele, a negro, was driving the truck.

In the effort to save Culver's life he was carried into the police emergency station for first aid and then sent to the new Rolston hospital, where he died. Dr. W. C. Klutz, who attended him, at the police station, said he had received dangerous internal injuries. One of the front wheels of the huge truck passed over the lower portion of Culver's body.

Bicycle Slips Under Truck.

The accident occurred when Culver, who was riding a bicycle, attempted to turn into Stanton street from Overland. The big truck was en route west on Overland on the right side of the street, Culver not seeing it until within a few feet of the front wheels. He then attempted to turn, but his bicycle slipped under the wheel of the truck. The truck was stopped within a few feet by Steele, who picked Culver up and started to the emergency hospital with him.

Steele was charged in Judge J. M. Deaver's court with negligent homicide and his bond was set at \$1000, which was furnished.

Lived Here 40 Years.

Culver's body was removed to McBean, Simmons & Hartford's chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

Mr. Culver had been a resident of El Paso for more than 40 years. He was a native of New York state and was 69 years old at the time of his death. He is survived by his widow and one son, Roy Culver.