

Heath, John m.

d. 8-07-1931

J. M. HEATH DIED

FRIDAY IN OKLAHOMA

Word was received Saturday by Benton Shenkle of the death Friday at 2:45 a. m. at a hospital in Guthrie, Okla., of John M. Heath, former well-known resident of the Collins neighborhood. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis. Funeral services were held at Guthrie, Sunday, and interment was there.

John M. Heath was born in Marion county, Indiana, in 1868, a son of Robert and Rachel Heath. He came west with his parents when a lad of 13 years and they settled on what has since been known as the Heath homestead, four miles east of Collins.

Engaged in farming for a time, Mr. Heath took charge of a medicine route which he operated for a time and eventually became auditor of the company.

Later he moved to Oklahoma, about 21 years ago going to Meridan, Okla., where he engaged in the banking business.

Besides his wife, he is survived by two sons and a daughter, a sister, Mrs. Belle Fowler, and an uncle, Benton Shenkle of Collins.

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