

Jones, Eli Edward

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## Services Held For E. E. Jones, Feb. 8

Funeral services were held for E. E. Jones Monday afternoon at two o'clock in the Christian church with Rev. R. A. McDonald officiating. Mrs. Kenneth Tomlinson sang "Be Still, My Soul" and "Beyond the Sunset" and was accompanied by Mrs. Hugh Fertig.

Mrs. Mercie Wear and Mrs. Marie Morrison took care of the flowers. Casket bearers were William Huntrods, Wilford Barrett, Richard Holland, C. R. Stone, P. J. Wetrich and Harold Hale.

Burial was in the Collins Evergreen cemetery in charge of the Brouhard Funeral Service of Zeoring.

### Obituary

Eli Edward Jones, son of James Madison and Loucinda Jones, was born in Collins May 9, 1880 and died at the Wilden Hospital in Des Moines Feb. 5, 1960 at the age of 80 years, eight months and 27 days.

He lived his entire life in the Collins area, being in the grocery and car selling business and at the time of his death was in the insurance business.

On March 1, 1899 he was united in marriage to Nina Pearl Evans, who died Dec. 27, 1902. To this union were born two boys, Clarence and Cecil. On Dec. 31, 1905 he was married to Rhoda Cooper and to this union were born two children, Velma and Edwin.

On April 11, 1928 he was married to Ann Crabb, who survives him. Mr. Jones is also survived by his sons Clarence Jones of Merced, Calif., Cecil Jones of San Jose, Calif. and his daughter Velma, Mrs. Frank Boozell of Collins. Six grandchildren, twelve great grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Flora Luing of Canby, Minn., three nieces and a host of friends also survive.

Ed suffered a heart attack in September and spent much of the

time in the hospital since then. His son Edwin died Feb. 27, 1932.

Mr. Jones and his sons Clarence and Cecil became members of the Collins Christian church on Sept. 14, 1913 under the ministry of Rev. A. V. Hart.