

Abraham L. Collins

Occupant Name: Abraham L. Collins

Location: Section 2, Lot 12

Date of Birth: 8/19/1869

Date of Death: 1961

Date of Burial: 1961

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: H. L. Collins

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Rites Held Today For Aged Medora Accident Victim

Abraham Lincoln Collins, Father Of Local Business Man, Dies At County Hospital, Sunday Evening, From Injuries Suffered Five Hours Earlier In Highway Crash.

Funeral rites were held this afternoon from the Spurgeon Funeral Home, here, for 92-year-old Abraham Lincoln Collins, Medora, R.I. father of Charles O. Collins, Brownstown business man, victim of a pre-Independence Day traffic accident.

Mr. Collins died in the Jackson county hospital at 8:15 o'clock Sunday evening from injuries suffered five hours earlier when the automobile in which he was riding figured in a two-car collision at the intersection of U. S. Highway 50 and State Road 135.

Also injured were the victim's 83-year-old wife, Mrs. Louise Collins, who suffered skull injuries and injury to her right ankle; his son, Roy Lee Collins, 47, 216 Belle Avenue, Hamilton, Ohio, driver of the car, his wife, Mrs. Rosemary Collins, 41, and Mrs. Robert Hehman, Vallonia, R.I. driver of the other automobile involved.

Mr. Roy Lee Collins suffered a right knee injury, his wife underwent a skull X-ray and an X-ray of her right ankle and Mrs. Hehman underwent chest and knee X-rays. All were released from the hospital Sunday.

According to Deputy County Sheriff Harvey Green, Sr., the investigating officer, the Collins car was being driven east on U. S. 50 and Mrs. Hehman, who was traveling west, made a left turn onto State Road 135, in front of the oncoming Collins automobile.

Charges of failure to yield right-of-way were filed against her in the Justice of the Peace Court of William Eoley.

The Collins' automobile, according to Deputy Green, was a total wreck and the Hehman car was damaged approximately \$275.

Victim Is Native Of Harlan, Kentucky

Mr. Collins was born in Harlan, Kentucky, August 19, 1869, a son of the late Benjamin and Minerva Farley Collins, and had lived in Jackson county the past eighteen years.

He was married in Harlan, in October of 1911 to Louise A. Hensley who survives.

A retired farmer he was a member of the First Methodist Church at Harlan.

Surviving, in addition to the widow, and the son here, owner of Collins Radio Service, are two other sons, Roy Lee Collins, of Hamilton, Ohio, and Malon J. Collins, of Railford, Florida, and two daughters, Mrs. Naomi Cox, of Westport and Mrs. Izetta Fox, of Columbus.

Mr. Collins was the last in his family of six children, three brothers and two sisters having preceded him in death.

The Rev. Ernest Jones, pastor of the Brownstown Methodist Church, conducted the last rites this afternoon. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery here.

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