

FUNERAL HELD FOR F. E. CURTIS

Ill for Several Months
With Brights
Disease

Funeral services for Frank E. Curtis, 54, who died Saturday night about 11 o'clock at his home on White Oak street, were held at the Methodist church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Chester C. Herbert, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by the Rev. Eugene R. Eller, pastor of the Franklin Baptist church.

Mr. Curtis had been in ill health for several months. His death was attributed to Brights disease.

A son of the late W. F. Curtis, founder of The Franklin Press, Mr. Curtis for a number of years was a printer and newspaper man. In more recent years he has been in the plumbing business.

Pall bearers at the funeral were W. W. McConnell, C. T. Blaine, M. C. Grasty, Ralph Welch, J. H. Brookshire and Derald Ashe.

Mr. Curtis is survived by his widow, who before marriage was Miss Aileen Balrd; three daughters, Mrs. Fred Parrish and Annie Lee Curtis, of Franklin, and Miss Sue Curtis, of Durham; two sons, Hugh and Frank Smith Curtis; three brothers, Henry Curtis, of Sylva; W. F. Curtis, of Franklin, and Clarence Curtis, of Brooklyn, Wash.; and three sisters, Mrs. Jud Allen, of Cottage Grove, Ore.; Mrs. E. L. Ladd, of Gordonsville, Va., and Mrs. Florence Hampton, of Bryson City.

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