

Rex T. Hall

Rex T. Hall, Sr., age 55, 2441 Glenview, Royal Oak, Mich., died last Tuesday, April 1, in William Beaumont Hospital, Royal Oak. He was a music teacher at Cass Technical High School, Detroit, Mich., and a parttime music teacher at Wayne State University, Detroit, Mich.

He was the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. James McCoy of Franklin.

Mr. Hall was born Jan. 29, 1914, in Hershey to the late Mr. and Mrs. John Hall (Nettle Stevens). He was married to June M. McCoy on April 21, 1946, in Murphy. She survives.

Also surviving are two sons, Rex T., Jr. and James M. at home; a brother, Harold J., 2433 Glenview, Royal Oak, Mich.; one sister, Mrs. Albert (Marjorie) Viganette, Detroit, Mich.; two step-brothers, George Showers, 902 Hoffman, Royal Oak, Mich., Floyd Showers, 806 Hawthorne, Royal Oak, Mich.; and a step-sister, Mrs. Clifford (Eileen) Knight, Corunna, Ont., Canada.

Mr. Hall received a BA degree in music from the University of Miami, Fla.; and his masters degree in music from Wayne State University, Detroit, Mich.

He was an organizer and first president of Phi Mu Alpha Fraternity, Wayne.

Mr. Hall served with the U. S. Army as a snare drum bandman from 1942 to 1945. He was leader and instructor of the award-winning Thomas Edison Drum and Bugle Corps, Detroit, Mich., from 1946 to 1956.

He was a member of Royal Oak Lodge 464, F and AM; Bohemians, Detroit; and the Detroit Federation of Musicians.