

W. S. Johnson

Funeral services for William Stanyarne Johnson, former owner of THE FRANKLIN PRESS, were held last Wednesday at the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd in Asheboro with Dr. Charles E. Canady, Jr. conducting the service. Burial followed in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Greensboro.

Mr. Johnson died Monday, August 21, in a Randolph County hospital following a sudden illness.

A long time resident of Franklin where he and his family were associated with

THE FRANKLIN PRESS for many years, he was a native of Roanoke, Va. Following World War II during which Mr. Johnson served in the Armed Forces, he moved to Asheboro where he operated the Johnson Printing Company until his retirement three years ago.

He was a member of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd and a graduate of Christ School, the University of North Carolina, and Carnegie Institute of Technology.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Eloise Smith Johnson; two daughters, Miss Helen Johnson and Miss Margaret Johnson, both of the home; three brothers, Willis C. Johnson of Madison, Francis B. Johnson of Buford, Ga., and Richard R. Johnson of St. Petersburg, Fla.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Heart Fund or the building fund of the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd.