

The Lewisville Enterprise

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Jack Lewis, Editor-Publisher, Dies

Funeral services for Jack Lewis, 63, editor and publisher of the Lewisville Enterprise since 1920, who died Saturday, March 3, in a Denton hospital, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church by the pastor, Dr. Robt. E. Robinson, assisted by Rev. J. H. Burns, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. L. W. Shivers, pastor of the First Methodist Church. Music at the services was sung by the choir directed by J. A. Hatcher and accompanied by John Keith DeLay, pianist.

Lewis was born April 13, 1881, in London, England where he lived until 1902 when he came to the United States and became a citizen. He was educated in the London public schools until the age of 13 when he started working in the foundry of H. W. Caslon & Co., designers of the famous Caslon faces of type. For about three years prior to his coming to the United States, he was in the employ of publication offices on "Newspaper Row," Fleet Street, London.

Lewis followed a number of vocations in various parts of the States and became a Texan in 1913. A year later he became publisher of the Keller Journal. It was in this city that he met and married Miss Alma Maxey, October 25, 1915. In 1920 he bought the Lewisville Enterprise which he had published continuously since that date.

A member of the Presbyterian Church, he had been a member of the session of that church for 27 years and served as clerk of the session for 18 years. He had also served as Mayor of the City, Chief of the local fire department and secretary of the Chamber of Commerce.

Burial was in Old Hall Cemetery and men who donated blood during Lewis' illness, with the exception of his son-in-law, acted as pall-

bearers. These men were Hope Womack, Ed Hudson, R. I. Whitmore, Paul Berndt, Charlie Stockard, Frank Stockard, Johnnie Stockard, and H. C. Boyd.

Survivors include his wife, one daughter, Mrs. John H. Crawford, one granddaughter, Marijohn Crawford, and his son-in-law, all of Lewisville.

CARD OF THANKS

Words seem so inadequate when it comes to thanking one's friends for expressions of sympathy, acts of kindness and comforting words extended to us during our recent experience of anxiety and bereavement. We especially want to again thank the blood donors who made it possible for our husband and father to undergo the operation which seemed the only possibility that he would enjoy better health.

We wish to thank the patrons of the Lewisville Enterprise who have so loyally supported us during the past 25 years. When publication of the Enterprise is again resumed, all subscription dates will be moved up to take care of any issues that were missed.

Mrs. Jack Lewis

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Crawford
and Marijohn.

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