

[Johns, Leon L.]

FORMER LIVONIAN DIES IN SYRACUSE  
Leon Johns Succumbs to Long Illness—Was Assistant  
Secretary of Syracuse Trust Company

Leon L. Johns, former Livonia resident, died last week Saturday morning at his home in Syracuse following an extended illness. He was assistant secretary of the Syracuse Trust company and a former president of Syracuse chapter, American Institute of Banking. Poor health obliged him to give up his work at the bank in September, 1933.

Mr. Johns was born in Sparta, Nov. 4, 1891, a son of the late Heman and Emma Johns. He was graduated from Syracuse University with the class of 1916, where he was affiliated with Delta Chi fraternity and was an honorary member of Pi Phi Mu.

After graduation, Mr. Johns was in his father's hoe store in Livonia, and in 1922 went to Dolgeville, near Syracuse, entering the employ of the Syracuse Trust company; he had been assistant secretary of the bank five years. He was a member of Livonia lodge 778, F. & A.M.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lena Helmer Johns; two sons, Wm. H. and George H. Johns, and a sister, Mrs. Elizabeth J. Hanna of San Diego, Calif.

Services were conducted at the home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon by the Rev. Ellsworth C. Reamon, pastor of Betts Memorial Universalist church, after which the body was taken to Dolgeville, where services were conducted in the Universalist church at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Burial was in that village.

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