

George W. Ellis, Police Officer's Father, Dead

George W. Ellis, 69, father of Robert G. Ellis, assistant chief of police, died at 2 a.m. Sunday. He had been ill for the last few years. He was a resident of 419 W. Walnut St.

Mr. Ellis was born in Trenton, N. J., Jan. 30, 1892; the son of Louis and Mary (Begley) Ellis. He came to Kokomo as a young man and married Madge Elizabeth Bassett on May 24, 1914 in the First Baptist Church.

A retired potter, he worked at the Perfect Equipment Corporation for several years.

Surviving with his wife are two sons: Robert, of Kokomo, and Jack E. of Indianapolis, who is a unit manager of Indiana Bell Telephone Company; two brothers and three sisters, Tom and James Ellis and Mrs. Mame Briggs, Mrs. Hazel Klucewick and Doris Ellis, all of Trenton; and five grandchildren.

Mr. Ellis was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church and the B.P.O. of Elks, Kokomo Lodge No. 190.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Eilers Funeral Chapel with the Rev. J. McFarlane Smith officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Memory Gardens.

Friends may call at the funeral chapel (114 W. Harrison St.) at any time.