## **Robert Randolph Cooke**

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**Cooke, Robert Randolph.** On Thursday, March 12, 1942, at his residence, 3024 Tilden st. n.w., Robert Randolph Cooke, beloved husband of Addie Stacy Cooke and brother of Mrs. Paul E. Lesh. Remains resting at the Lee funeral home, 4th st. and Mass. Ave. n.e. Services on Monday, March 16, at 11 a.m., at the Lee funeral home. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

The Evening Star, March 13, 1942, p. A2

## **Robert R. Cooke Dies After Long Illness**

Robert Randolph Cooke, 56, treasurer of the Fruit Growers' Express Co., died last night at his home, 3024 Tilden street N.W., after a long illness.

A native of Washington, Mr. Cooke was the son of the late Dr. Robert Randolph and Alice Morrow Cooke. He received his education in District schools.

Mr. Cooke had been with the express company 21 years and before that was with the Southern Railway as a cashier.

Prominent in fraternal circles, Mr. Cooke was a 32d degree Mason and past master of the Washington Centennial Lodge, No. 14. He also was a member of Almas Temple of the Shrine and of the Columbia Country Club.

Services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday, at Lee funeral home, Massachusetts avenue and Fourth street N.E. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

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## R.R. Cooke Dies; Fruit Growers' Express Official

Robert Randolph Cooke, 56, treasurer of the Fruit Growers Express Co. here, died Thursday after a long illness at his home, 3024 Tilden Street Northwest.

Mr. Cooke was a life-long resident of Washington. He was the son of the late Dr. Robert Randolph and Alice Morrow Cooke. He was a Thirty-second Degree Mason, past master of the Washington Centennial Lodge, F.A.A.M., No. 14, and a member of Columbia Country Club.

Mr. Cooke leaves his wife, Mrs. Addie Stacy Cooke, and a sister, Mrs. Paul E. Lesh, of this city. The funeral will be held Monday at 11 a.m., at the Lee funeral home, Massachusetts Avenue and Fourth Street Northeast. Dr. Charles T. Warner, of the Washington Cathedral, will officiate and burial will be in the Congressional Cemetery.