

## Rites Set For J. W. Lorentzen



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Funeral services for J. W. Lorentzen who died in a hospital yesterday will be held at 4 p. m. Monday in St. Clements' Episcopal Church. The Rev. B. M. G. Williams will officiate. Other arrangements are pending with Harding and Orr Funeral Home. He was 72.

Mr. Lorentzen, outstanding civic leader, came to El Paso in 1904 from Detroit, Mich., for his health. He became an associate of the William H. Speer brokerage firm. In 1905, Mr. Lorentzen became owner of the firm and its name was changed to J. W. Lorentzen and Co.

Mr. Lorentzen was a 33rd degree Mason. He held several high posts in the Masonic organization. He was a member of St. Clements' Episcopal Church and the J. J. Ormsbee Club.

He served on the El Paso Civil Service Commission in 1935 and served as chairman of the El Paso County Library Board.

He was a Rotarian and a member of the Chamber of Commerce.

In 1907, Mr. Lorentzen married Miss Ada Vavrian Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan D. Lane. His widow is among survivors. Other survivors: a daughter, Mrs. Julia Fink; two sons, John N. Lorentzen and Dr. Wayne L. Lorentzen; three brothers, Dr. Edwin Lorentzen and George Lorentzen of Delfoit, and Frank of Kalamazoo, Mich.; five grandchildren.