Benjamin Walt
Dies In Sleep, Rites Monday

SANTA ROSA, July 10.—Funeral services for Benjamin Walt, widely known Santa Rosa insurance broker and former local shoe merchant, who died in his sleep Saturday, were held here yesterday. The rites were conducted by officers of the Santa Rosa Masonic lodge and Rabbi Goldstein of San Francisco. Interment followed in the Hills of Eternity, San Mateo county.

Walt is survived by his widow, Lilian Walt, the former Lillie Han Rosenberg of this city; and three sons, Lieut. Franklin Walt, U. S. N. R., on submarine duty in the Pacific; Malcolm Walt, chief stockkeeper, U. S. N. R., now in Philadelphia; and Robert Walt, a student at Stanford University and former bay-city newspaperman.

A brother, Malcolm Walt, lives in Oakland, while a sister, Miss Reba Walt, is a resident of San Francisco. Born in Iowa, Walt was 60 years of age and had been a resident of Santa Rosa for approximately 20 years. He established the Walt Shoe Company after being here with his bride, and had for many years resided at 1944 Fourth Street, where death claimed him.

As is natural, the representatives of 150 nations who struggled two