

Name:	William B Gunter
Death Date:	14 Dec 1931
County of Death:	Jackson Co GA
Certificate:	32390

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### MR. W. B. GUNTER CLAIMED BY DEATH

Mr. William Barrett Gunter, 45 years of age, was found dead in bed at his home on North Broad street late Monday afternoon. His death was supposedly due to heart trouble.

Mr. Gunter was originally from Social Circle where his family was one of the most prominent in that section. He came to Commerce some twenty more years ago and became identified with the cotton business here and was a local cotton factor at the time of his death.

He was located at Charlotte, N. C., and at Dallas Texas and Augusta, Ga., at different times during these twenty years. He was recognized as having unusual ability in the cotton business. He was a Mason and a member of Hella Temple in Dallas, Tex.

Mr. Gunter was a man of unusually keen intellect, a rare wit that was the delight of those who knew him best. His was a kind nature. He maintained a deep feeling for those whom he loved and was a man of unexcelled courtliness. In his home as husband and father he was held in tender esteem and it is here that the shadow falls deepest.

The funeral was held from the home on Wednesday morning with Rev. H. R. Foster conducting the service. The body was then carried to Social Circle for interment.

Mr. Gunter is survived by his wife, the former Miss Hettie Carson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Carson, Sr., and three children, Mrs. Jack Faraabee, Master Billie and little Henrietta Gunter. His sisters are Mrs. Spearman, Mrs. Stanton, and Miss Jessie Gunter of Social Circle, Mrs. Charles Marshall, of Winter Haven, Fla., and one brother, Mr. Harry Gunter, of Atlanta.