

rites arranged in mine fatality

Funeral For W. M. Dempsey To Be Held On Friday

Funeral services for Wesley M. Dempsey, 2629 Fortieth Avenue, North, haulage foreman at the Sayreton Mines of the Republic Steel Corporation, who was fatally injured at the mine Wednesday, will be held at noon Friday at the residence. Burial will follow in Mt. Pisgah Church Cemetery, Dillon directing.

Mr. Dempsey was killed after rescuing a mine worker who was injured in a fall of rock. Mr. Dempsey had placed the injured man on his mine motor and had started to the head of the shaft when he fell in front of the motor, company officials reported.

Mr. Dempsey had been employed at the Sayreton Mines 15 years and had been a resident of the district all of his life.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dempsey; two brothers, John and Austin Dempsey, and a sister, Mrs. Ola Cardwell.

Nephews of the victim will serve as pallbearers.

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