Monday, February 19, 1962

Joseph Lester, 96, Montezuma Area Resident, Succumbs

Joseph S. Lester, 96, lifetime resident of the Montezuma vicinity, succurabed Friday at a nursing home in Montezuma.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon from the United Presbyterian church at Gibson. Conducting the services were the Rev. Cassius McKnight of Gibson and the Rev. Walter Stewart of Washington. Burial was at Sixteen cemetery near What Cheer.

Mr. Lester is survived by a daughter. Mrs. Cecil Bates of Deep River and several grand-children and great grandchil-edren.