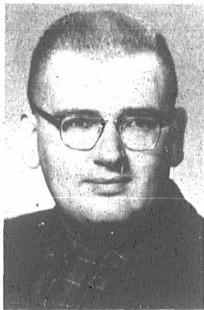


# Tundra Times Comptroller Dick Jones Dies

R.D. (Dick) Jones, 36, died unexpectedly last Sunday after a brief illness. He was the owner of R.D. Jones Business Service here. He was also comptroller for the Eskimo, Indian, Aleut Publishing Co., Inc., the firm that is publishing the Tundra Times.



**R. D. JONES**  
....dies at 36

His firm also took care of the books for the newspaper.

Born in Wisconsin, Mr. Jones had been living in Fairbanks for more than 12 years. He first came to Alaska in territorial days and served with the territorial government as an auditor.

In operating his business.

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Mr. Jones traveled extensively working books and tax returns in the outlying areas. Many of his clients were Native business people who became his friends of long standing.

"Lots of those Native people out there depended on him," said Mrs. Dawn Conant, Mr. Jones' secretary. "He was generous and kind to them and did a lot for them."

Mr. Jones is survived by his mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kilmer of Kenosha, Wis. The Kilmers flew up last Wednesday to attend the funeral of their son that took place at 1:30 p.m. at Fairbanks' Evangelical Lutheran Church.

The services were officiated by Rev. Oliver Everette of the Evangelical church. Rev. Everette is the executor of Mr. Jones' estate. He is also the poet laureate of Alaska.