

**COL. N. B. BORDEN
DIED WEDNESDAY**

**PASSED AWAY FOLLOWING AN
EMERGENCY OPERATION**

Nathaniel Barnett Borden, Sr., 76, retired lumberman of this city, died late Wednesday afternoon at St. Vincent's Hospital, Jacksonville, following an emergency operation.

Colonel Borden was prominent as president and owner of the Borden Lumber Company during the time when there was a tremendous shipping trade in Fernandina harbor, and prior to his retirement. He was Norwegian Consul during that period, also.

He was decorated and highly honored by the Cuban Government for his assistance to the small republic while in its infancy. His love for his native country and his choice to remain here prevented him from accepting various important Cuban Governmental positions at the close of the Spanish hostilities there.

The tugboat "Three Friends" still in use on the Jacksonville waterfront was one of those under charter by Col. Borden during his assistance to the Cuban government.

Besides having his name linked with Cuban history, it has been linked with that of Fernandina as he was most prominent in Civic circles here during his prime.

Survivors are his widow, Mrs. Florence Borden, one son, Nathaniel Barnett Borden, Jr., New York City; one brother, Ruffin Borden, one niece and one nephew, all of Bogalusa Point, Miss.; and one first cousin, Mr. T. B. Clark, this city.

Funeral arrangements will be from St. Michael's Catholic Church here in the morning at nine o'clock with interment in Bosque Bello cemetery in the family lot.

Pallbearers will be: active, John T. Ferreira, Louis A. Klarer, Thos. J. O'Hagan, Will L. Hardee, Dan Kelly Jr., Samuel R. Morrow. Honorary: Patrick C. Kelly, Everett Mizell, Walter S. Whitney, Hinton V. Baker, Thos. G. Ozmer, Glyndon H. Waas, Noble A. Hardee, Joe Bruni, Robt. B. Lockwood, Thos. J. Shave, Jr., Herbert Williams, Edwin R. Hood, Frank C. Davis, Capt. Edward F. Morse, Capt. W. Jones Davis, Louis Goldstein, Samuel H. Swearingen, G. C. Burgess, J. H. Swearingen, G. C. Burgess, Capt. J. H. Davis.

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