

Alice Eshleman, Former Twin Lakes Librarian, Dies 3-26-53

Alice C. Eshleman, who with her husband sparkplugged the construction of the Twin Lakes branch of the city library, died today at a local rest home at the age of 80.

Mrs. Eshleman was a reporter, covering the Twin Lakes district for the Sentinel and the News before their consolidation, in the 1920s and '30s.

A resident of Santa Cruz for the last 32 years, Mrs. Eshleman was born in Wisconsin. She was the widow of the late Dr. Charles D. Eshleman. Her home was on Eighth avenue in Twin Lakes.

She was Twin Lakes librarian for a number of years after leading the move for neighborhood financing of construction of the branch library building.

Her son, Wallace C. Eshleman of Menlo Park, and a sister, Mrs. Dr. Menge of Chicago, survive her.

Private services were conducted by Dr. Heber S. Mahood in the Wessendorf chapel at 2 p.m. today. Private inurnment followed in the IOOF crematory.