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S. Barry Locke, assistant coordinator of River Basin Studies for the Fish and Wildlife Service, U.S. Department of the Interior in Chicago, died of a heart attack during his sleep on October 11 at his residence in the Cass Hotel. Mr. Locke, who was 60 years old, had suffered from heart trouble for many years.

He is survived by his wife, Olive, who lives at Jamaica Plains, near Boston, and a daughter, Mrs. Donovan Worland, 582 Roscoe Street, Chicago. The body was shipped to Boston for funeral services and interment.

Prior to accepting his new appointment with the headquarters office of the Service in Chicago on September 3, Mr. Locke had served in the field as regional director for the Service at Boston, Mass., since May 1938. From 1931 to 1938 he was associated with the Izaak Walton League of America in Chicago as Conservation Director and as editor of Outdoor America.

Mr. Locke was born at West Paris, Maine, on October 3, 1885. He graduated in 1908 from the University of Maine with a B.S. in Forestry, going then to the Yale Forestry School for two years of graduate work. In 1910 he joined the United States Forest Service and, in various capacities, continued with that agency until 1930 when he transferred to the former Bureau of Biological Survey as an associated biologist. A year later he went to the Izaak Walton League.

Mr. Locke was the author of a number of publications on fishery and wildlife subjects and was a member of the Society of American Foresters, American Society of Mammalogists, American Fisheries Society, Cooper Ornithological Club, American Society of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists, Ecological Society, American Association for Advancement of Science, and the Wildlife Society.