

William W. Dixon. Dies At Longtown

Lawyer, Legislator,
Writer, Passed Sunday
At Age of 76.

Funeral services for William Woodward Dixon, who died Sunday, were held at the Longtown Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. Services were in charge of Rev. John MacEachern and interment was in the family plot in the cemetery. 1944

Mr. Dixon, who was 76 years old, died at the home of his sisters, Misses Lizzie and Douglas Dixon of Longtown, with whom he had lived for some time. He had been in declining health for about five years.

He is survived by another sister, Mrs. R. H. McKelvey of Ridgeway, his wife, Mrs. Edith Wallace Dixon of Spartanburg, and three sons, William Dixon, Jr., of St. Louis, Mo., Thomas W. Dixon, of the armed forces in the Pacific, and Glenn Dixon, of the Marine Corps.

Mr. Dixon was a graduate of The Citadel and he served as commandant of a Virginia Military prep school. He practiced law in Winnsboro and was associated with the late G. W. Ragsdale for a number of years, and for a long period he was captain of a local home defense unit.

He served in the legislature from Fairfield county one term, 1915-16, and was vitally interested in all that pertained to Fairfield county.

For a number of years he contributed historical articles to The News and Herald, and his incomplete "History of Fairfield" ran serially in this paper.