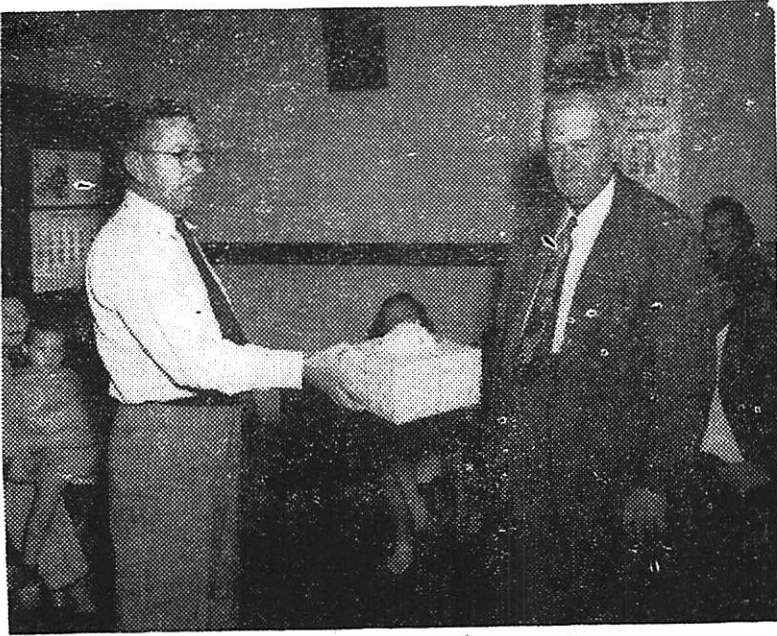


# Town Honors Dr. J. E. Douglas



**Serves on Council Thirty Years**

Pictured here is Dr. J. E. Douglas receiving a silver cup from Mayor W. R. Elliott, as a token of appreciation from the Town Council for long and meritorious service on the council. Dr. Douglas, a Winnsboro physician, established a record by serving continuously from 1925 to 1955, a period of 30 years. He retired voluntarily on account of his health.

The presentation took place in the town hall on October 30 prior to a regular council meeting, in the presence of old and new councilmen and twenty members of Dr. Douglas' family. The inscription on the cup reads: "Presented to Dr. J. E. Douglas for 30 years faithful

service as councilman, 1925—1955—Town of Winnsboro."

This appropriate recognition was authorized at a meeting in April, 1955, when the council was composed of Dr. Douglas, J. M. Hall, Berry Arnette, Ernest Ferguson, S. D. Ellison, Jr., and T. W. Evans. W. R. Elliott was Mayor. The motion was made by T. W. Evans, seconded by Mr. Ferguson and passed unanimously in Dr. Douglas' absence.

All officials of the town, past and present, spoke appreciatively of pleasant associations with Dr. Douglas and agreed that he richly deserved the honor accorded him.

—Photo by Ferguson

# Dr. Douglas Has Served 30 Years On Town Council



**DR. JAMES E. DOUGLAS, JR.**

Dr. James Edgar Douglas, Jr., has served for thirty years as a member of the town council in Winnsboro. In April, 1925, he was elected to this position and has served continuously since that date.

This is quite a record and attests to the confidence and esteem in which he is held. His sense of fairness, his serenity, his excellent judgement and his cooperativeness have made him popular with every one.

Although Dr. Douglas did not offer for re-election this year he will continue to be interested in civic affairs.

Dr. Douglas, son of the late Dr. J. E. Douglas and Mrs. Jeanette Stevenson Douglas, has spent most of his life in Winnsboro. He is a member of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, a graduate of Erskine College and of the Medical College of Charleston. He is a well-loved physician in Winnsboro, is a Mason and a member of the local American Legion Post, having served in the Medical Corps at Camp Greenleaf in Chicamauga, Tennessee during World War I.

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## Miss Douglas, Former Teacher, Dies

WINNSBORO — Miss Mayme Emma Douglas, 77, died Friday at her home.

Born in Fairfield County, she was a daughter of the late Dr. James E. and Jeanette Stevenson Douglas. She was a retired school teacher, a graduate of Erskine College, and taught in school for 45 years, retiring in 1950.

Surviving are one sister, Miss Lillie D. Davis of Winnsboro, and two brothers, Dr. R. T. Douglas Jr. of Winnsboro and Dr. Charlie M. Douglas of Columbia.

Funeral services will be at 3 p.m. Sunday at Bethel ARP Church.

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Dr. Douglas, N.

Kelly Clayton Rambo, wife of Rev. Peter Rambo: SP4 Kelly J. Clayton (in 1992, Rambo) served as a *Dental Hygienist* in several *DENTAC* units from January 1986 to January 1992. Kelly Rambo was serving in *Berlin* when the *Great Wall* came down. (The Rambo family is now proud to have, in their possession, a piece of "original" *Wall*). In July, 1991, Kelly lost both of her hands in a parachuting accident at *Ft. Bragg*. During *Desert Shield/Desert Storm*, Kelly Rambo served in a support role at *Ft. Bragg*.

*Veterans of :*

*The Revolutionary War* - Captain Robert Wilson (1727 – 1807) served in the *Revolutionary War* and is believed to be the *first Officer* to serve *New Hope Church*.

*The War Between the States* - Charles B. Boyce, James Meredith Witherspoon, Col. Hugh Stevenson, J. L. Rosborough, David Wilson, John Wilson, C. S. Brice, Captain James Michael Brice, Captain Robert Brice, and *Surgeon*, Dr. Thomas Goulding Douglas.

*World War I* – Alexander Douglas, Thomas Wilkes, and Harold Eugene Douglas. (Sergeant Harold Eugene Douglas served as a "*Medic.*")

*World War II* - John M. Douglas, William Douglas, Leslie B. Douglas, John L. Douglas, Jr., Jr., Paul H. Dove, Fitz H. Dove, Jr., Lynn Millen Lewis, John Wallace McKeown,

Brice, daughter of William Brice; married Rev. D. P. Robinson; Margaret Jane Simonton, married Rev. E. E. Boyce; Ella Brice, married Rev. S. L. Morris; Mary Ann Boyce, married Rev. James Brice; Johnnie Brice, first wife of Rev. John T. Chalmers; Bessie Mitchell, second wife of Rev. John T. Chalmers; and Willie Kirkpatrick, wife of Rev. James Calvin Douglass, and after his death, wife of Rev. W. B. Lindsay.

### *Veterans of Armed Services*

Over the years, a large number of young men in the *congregation of New Hope Church* have served in the *armed forces of the United States*.

Reverend Peter Rambo: Reverend Peter Rambo served as an *Airborne Ranger* in the *1/325 AIR of the 82<sup>nd</sup> Airborne Infantry Division*. During his term, he served as a *Medical Platoon Leader in Saudi Arabia and Iraq during Desert Shield/Desert Storm*. In addition, he served a tour in the *2<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Division in Korea, near the DMZ. (1/72 Armor Battalion)*. Reverend Rambo's Years of Service: June, 1989 - May, 1993.