## Rev. R. L Benn Passes At Home

Funeral Services For Retired Presbyterian Minister Conducted In Ridgeway Sunday.

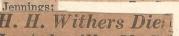
Benn, health. 1938

In Ridgeway Sunday. The Rev. Robert Lee Benn, prominent for half a century in the Southern Presbyterian church, died at his residence in Ridgeway, Friday night after having been in ill health for several years. Mr. Benn, who was a graduate of Southwestern university had been in the ministry for 44 years before his retirement in 1937. He was a Royal Arch Mason, a Kiwanian and was chaplin of the Cordele, Ga., American Legion. He was a writer of minute sermons; wrote many articles for the church papers and contributed constantly to the Christian Observer. Born on Benn's plantation near Milwood on the Shenandoah River, Mission and the state of the control to the Christian Observer. Born on Benn's plantation near Milwood on the Shenandoah River, Mission and the state of the control Mission before his retirement in 1937. He was a writer of minute sermons; wrote many articles for the church papers and contributed constantly to the Christian Observer. Born on Benn's plantation near Milwood on the Shenandoah River, Mission hear and the state of the church Mission hear and the state of the church Six papers and contributed constantly to the Christian Observer. Born on Benn's plantation near Milwood on the Shenandoah River, Mission hear and the state of the church did today (Thursday) at two o'-clock at Union church, by Rev. Six nephews of the de-ceased will be active pall-bearers

passing. ment in the cemetery. Pallbearers were Mack Dickerson, J. R. Boul-ware, Walker Tucker, W. T. Boulware, Jr., Joe M. Wishert and Davis Harold Boulware. The beautiful floral tributes showed how he was loved by all who

WILLIAM B. YARBOROUGH

William B. Yarborough, 56, died at his home in the Union section of Fairfield county, Wednesday morning, January fifth, at 10 o'. clock after a year's declining health. 1938 Mr. Yarborough was a stone cut-ter and a farmer, and a lifelong resident of the county. He was never married, and is survived by a his mother, Mrs. Annie E. Yar-borough; three sisters, Mrs. George s Hagood, Mrs. Henry Robinson, bis mothers, Thomas G., A. J., and H. S. Yarborough. Miss Annie Yarborough; three borough. Funeral services will be conduct-ced today (Thursday) at two o' clock at Union church, by Rev y G. G. Mayes, and interment will be in the family plot in the Union remetery. Six nephews of the de-tree to the family plot in the Union the cemetery. Six nephews of the de-



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# Funeral Services For One Of Communities Oldest Inhabitants Held Saturday. Death Claims Miss Agnes M. Stewart /938

Mitford was saddened when it became known, that just at twi-light, Friday evening, June 17th, Mrs. Addie Steele Thommasson, one of its oldest and best loved

residents, had passed away. Mrs. Thommasson was Mrs. Thommasson was the widow of the late James T. Thom-asson who preceded her to the <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text> asson who preceded her to the grave a number of years ago. She was born at Rock Hill, York county, April 27, 1854, and was the daughter of the late James B. Steele and Margaret Fewell Steele. Thirty five years ago she moved with her husband and fam-ily from her old home at Rock

**Tuesday Morning** Funeral services were conducted ed for Hugh H. Black, 84, at Bethesda Methodist church on Wednesday morning at ten o'-clock, and interment was in the church cemetery. Mr. Black died at his home in church cemetery. Mr. Black died at his home in the Mitford section of Fairfield

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Agnes M. Stewart 1939 Miss Agnes M. Stewart of Char-lotte, N. C., formerly of Atlanta. Ga., and the Lebanon community of Fairfield county, died at Char-lotte early Saturday morning, Au-gust 20th. Her earlier days were spent in the Leabnon section of Fairfield but she later moved to Atlanta and remained there until the death of her brother, John Campbell Stewart in 1924 then she moved to Charlotte with her brother, W. B. Stewart, who died in 1930 and she remained in Char-lotte until her death.

