

Mrs. Woodall Dies After Long Illness

Mrs. Mabel Whitner Woodall, 45, died about five o'clock Saturday morning at her home, after a lingering illness. She was born and reared in Mecklenburg county, North Carolina, but had lived here for the past twenty years.

Mrs. Woodall is survived by her husband, J. G. Woodall, two daughters, Miss Ruby Lee Whitner of the home, and Mrs. W. B. Jackson of Columbia, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the Stephen Greene Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, by the pastor, the Rev. James I. McGill. Interment followed in the family plot in the Winnsboro Mills cemetery. 11/30/1950

Mrs. J. W. Wessinger Dies Suddenly Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Deacy Crapps Wessinger, 80, were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Pentecostal Holiness church by the pastor, the Rev. W. C. Player, assisted by the Rev. D. L. Smith. Interment was in the Lybrand cemetery in Lexington county at four o'clock.

Mrs. Wessinger was the daughter of the late Henry and Harriett Crout, and was born in Lexington county, but had lived in Winnsboro for the past fifteen years.

She is survived by her husband, J. W. Wessinger, and two children by a former marriage, Burney Crapps and Mrs. G. G. Sloan of Columbia, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Two brothers, Duncan and Frank Crout, both of Columbia, also survive.

16-Year-Old Girl Dies at Home in Union Community

Miss Wesley Elizabeth Yarborough, 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. T. G. Yarborough and the late Mr. Yarborough, died at her home in the Union community, Fairfield County, the afternoon of July 4th. She had been in ill health for a period of five years.

She is survived by her mother, Mrs. T. G. Yarborough; five brothers, Thomas, Jr., Albert, James, William, and Henry Yarborough; three sisters, Nannie Lee, Mary Catherine, and Bessie Lillian; by her maternal and paternal grandmothers, Mrs. J. W. Brown and Mrs. Annie E. Yarborough. One nephew also survives.

Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. Arthur M. Martin, were held July 6, at the Union Memorial Presbyterian church and interment was in the family plot of the cemetery.

L. P. Yates Dies Saturday

Luther Perry Yates, 72, died Saturday morning after being in declining health for about six years. He was born in Kershaw county, near Camden, the son of the late John Raines and Mary Stokes Yates. He had lived in Winnsboro for the past eleven years and was a member of the Stephen Greene Baptist church.

Mr. Yates is survived by his wife, Mrs. Sallie Street Yates, one daughter, Mary Virginia Yates, and two sons, Harmon H. Yates and Luther C. Yates, all of Winnsboro. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Love of Gastonia, N. C., and Mrs. Ida Belvin of McColl, and one brother, John Harrison Yates, of Bishopville.

Funeral services were held in the Stephen Greene Baptist church at four-thirty Sunday afternoon, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. J. I. McGill. Interment was in the Winnsboro Mills cemetery in the family plot.

Mrs. Traylor of Ridgeway Passes In Spartanburg

Mrs. Marion Hartwell Traylor, a life-long resident of Ridgeway, died Tuesday morning at the Spartanburg General hospital following an extended illness.

Long active in the social and religious affairs of the town, Mrs. Traylor, who was the former Miss Isabel Ruff, was a devoted member of St. Stephen's Episcopal church, of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, the Ridgeway Garden club and of other civic organizations.

She is survived by her husband, Marion Hartwell Traylor of Ridgeway; three sons, David Gaillard Traylor of Spartanburg, Marion H. Traylor, Jr., of Norris, Tenn., and William R. Traylor of Ridgeway; two grandchildren, Rhonda Marion Traylor and David G. Traylor; her mother, Mrs. W. Herbert Ruff of Ridgeway; one sister, Mrs. Hammond Salley of Salley, and one brother, W. H. Ruff of Columbia.

Funeral services, conducted by Bishop Robert E. Gribbin, were held Wednesday afternoon from Ridgeway's St. Stephen's Episcopal church.

Mrs. Maggie B. Traylor

Mrs. Maggie Boufware Traylor, 75, widow of Thomas Traylor, prominent woman of the Cool Branch community of Fairfield County, died at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon at Pryor hospital following an illness of some time.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon from Cool Branch Baptist church with the minister, the Rev. A. L. Willis, officiating, after which interment was made in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Traylor is survived by four daughters and seven sons, Mrs. Eunice Stevenson of Fairfield county, Mrs. Clyde Carter of Leeds, Herbert Traylor of Georgia, Conrad Traylor of Woodward, John Traylor of Chester, William Traylor of Leeds, Chesley Traylor of Toledo, Ohio, Harvey Traylor of Leeds, Mrs. Edith Kirkpatrick of Greensboro, N. C., Carl Traylor of Spruce Pines, N. C., Mrs. Pauline Stewart of Fairfield county; one sister, Mrs. Richard Gist of Carlisle; one brother, Bud Boulware of Fairfield county; 48 grandchildren, 39 great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild.

She was a daughter of the late Chesley and Ellen Severson Boulware.

Mrs. Traylor was a member of the Beaver Creek Baptist church and took a wide interest in all phases of that church's activities.

Q. A. Williford Dies in Kershaw

Quay Alexander Williford, 51, son of Mrs. Addie J. Williford of Winnsboro, died suddenly at his home in Kershaw Tuesday afternoon. He was born and reared in Winnsboro, attended Mt. Zion Institute, and had lived in Kershaw for a number of years where he was a successful cotton buyer and the owner of the Q. A. Williford Cotton Company.

He had served as mayor of the town for several terms, was a trustee of the Kershaw school district, a member of the Lancaster county board of education, president of the Kershaw Real Estate and Insurance Company. A veteran of World War I, Mr. Williford was a member of Leroy Belk post of the American Legion, a past president of the Lions club, a deacon in the Presbyterian church, and he was affiliated with the Shriners of Omar Temple, Charleston.

Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, the former Miss Gladys Segars of Hartsville; one son, Quay, Jr., a student at the University of South Carolina; one brother, Dr. Lantye Williford, of Camden; one sister, Mrs. S. R. McMaster, of Winnsboro.

Andrew Timms Dies at Home

Well-Known Winnsboro Merchant Passes Monday After Illness of Weeks.

Andrew Coleman Timms, life-long resident and well-known merchant of Winnsboro, died at his home on West College street Monday morning at 6:15 o'clock. He had been seriously ill for several weeks.

The son of the late Andrew M. and Savilla C. Timms, he was born Dec. 22, 1872, and had spent virtually his entire life in Winnsboro where he was a merchant for the past 40 years. He was a ruling elder of the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church.

Mr. Timms was married to Miss Minnie Stevenson and she and one daughter, Mrs. F. H. Dove, Jr., survive. Also surviving are three grandchildren, Andrea, Fitz, III, and Martha Dove; a sister, Mrs. Robert Y. Turner, all of Winnsboro; and the following nieces and nephews: Misses Betty and Isabel Turner, Winnsboro; Mrs. John Erwin, Spartanburg; W. A. Turner, Sylacauga, Ala.; Fred Turner, Atlanta, Ga.; Andrew and Charles Turner, Winnsboro.

Funeral services conducted by the Rev. Russell M. Kerr, pastor, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church and interment was in the family plot in the A.R.P. cemetery.

Serving as active pallbearers were Andrew Turner, Fred Turner, George Rion, Julian Bolic, W. A. Singleterry and Conrad Hall.

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Charles L. Timms Dies Monday

Funeral services for Charles Leslie Timms, 75, who died Monday afternoon at the home of his brothers, Leighton and Archie Timms in the Hickory Ridge section of Fairfield county, were held at eleven o'clock Wednesday morning at the Fairfield Baptist church. The Rev. J. P. Isenhower conducted the service, and interment was in the family plot in the church cemetery.

Mr. Timms, the son of the late Thomas L. and Sarah Amanda Timms, was born on October 12, 1875, in the Jackson Creek section of Fairfield county. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Sarah Park and Mrs. Mary E. Boulware, both of Winnsboro, four brothers, Jesse M., Archie, Leighton, all of Winnsboro, and John B. Timms of Opelika, Ala.

Serving as active pallbearers were Riley Paul, Chalmers Timms, Charlie Timms, Tommy Timms, Philip Timms and Young Park.

L. E. Ward, Navy Yeoman, Is Killed In Auto Accident

Llewellyn Eugene Ward, a yeoman in the United States navy, was killed in an automobile accident near Key West, Fla., last Friday Sept. 8. He had been in the navy for seven years, was a veteran of World War II, and, at the time of his death was stationed at Boca Chica Field, near Key West.

Funeral services conducted by the Rev. John L. Sandlin, were held Wednesday, Sept 13, at Gordon Memorial Methodist church, Winnsboro Mills, and interment was in the town cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, Frances E. Ward, and one daughter, Joe Ellyn Ward; his father, J. P. Ward of Barnwell, and his mother, Mrs. Margie Holtzendorf of Lake Geneva, Fla.; two brothers, Fred Ward of Elfers, Fla., and Leon A. Ward of Hastings, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Jacqueline Kelly of Blaney.

H. C. Schatz, Prominent Parr Civic Leader & Churchman, Dies Suddenly

S. C. Electric & Gas Company's Plant Superintendent Passes at Home Tuesday Morning. Funeral Services Set for Thursday Afternoon. 8/1950

Death Claims Mrs. E. L. Stevenson

Winnsboro Woman Dies Early Wednesday After Long Illness.

Mrs. Annie Stone Stevenson died at seven o'clock Wednesday morning at the home on West College street, after a lingering illness. She was the daughter of the late Jacob C. and Minnie Pope Stone, and was born December 28, 1890.

Mrs. Stevenson was married to Edward Lee Stevenson on October 6, 1910, and he and the following children survive: Mrs. Leroy Montgomery, Miss Ann Stevenson, Marion L. Stevenson, Edward L. Stevenson, Jr., and Coleman Stevenson, all of Winnsboro; Mrs. Marion Burley of Monticello; Mrs. John Kelly of San Antonio, Texas, Miss Erleen Stevenson of Lexington, N. C. Also surviving are three brothers: J. Colvin Stone of Atlanta, Ga.; John M. Stone of Panama City, Fla.; J. Wilbur Stone of Winnsboro, and one sister, Mrs. John I. May of Columbia, and eleven grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at eleven o'clock Thursday morning at the First Baptist church in Winnsboro by the pastor, the Rev. Ollin J. Owens, assisted by the Rev. H. Floyd Surles of Society Hill. Interment will be in the family plot in the Lebanon Presbyterian cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be six nephews, and the honorary escort will be composed of the deacons of the First Baptist church and Dr. John C. Buchanan.

J. F. Stewart Dies Wednesday

Julius F. ("Sergeant") Stewart, 74, died Wednesday morning at 7:15 o'clock, at his home on Zion street, after a brief illness. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Mr. Stewart received the last rites of the Catholic church, of which he was a member, on Sunday evening. He was administered to by Father James of Lancaster.

Funeral services, conducted by Father Robert of Chester, will be held Thursday afternoon at four o'clock in the Associate Reformed Presbyterian church and interment will be in the Methodist churchyard.

Mr. Stewart is survived by his widow, Mrs. Lucy Matthews Stewart, and a brother and sister of Washington, D. C. A native of Washington, he was a veteran of the Spanish-American war. In recent years, he had served as court crier and he also held a post with the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. He was intensely interested in baseball and at one time played the game professionally.

Mrs. Stewart, 75, Dies in Columbia

Mrs. Susan Stewart, 75, died Tuesday afternoon at the Providence hospital in Columbia. She had been in declining health for eight years.

Mrs. Stewart, the wife of J. H. Stewart, who died a number of years ago, was born and reared at Blythewood, but had lived in Winnsboro for 45 years.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Lillian Raley, two grandchildren, Betty Gene and Charles Raley, and one brother, A. L. Dunn, of Chester.

Funeral services will be conducted at 4:30 Thursday afternoon at the Pentecostal Holiness church by the pastor, the Rev. W. C. Player. Interment will be in the Winnsboro Mills cemetery.

Henry Charles Schatz, 59, prominent Fairfield county citizen and superintendent of the Parr power plant, died suddenly Tuesday morning at 10:15 o'clock, at his home in Parr. He had just stepped into his automobile, preparatory to driving to Columbia, when he became ill. Death, which was attributed to a heart attack, was almost instantaneous. Mr. Schatz had been in declining health for some time but he had continued to fulfill his business, civic and religious obligations which were many.

The son of the late Nathaniel Charles Schatz and Youwarke Sacks Schatz, he was born July 18, 1891, in Spring Valley, Pa. He attended the public schools in Spring Valley and in Philadelphia and later studied in the John Wannamaker Commercial Institute, also in Philadelphia.

On January 1, 1911, Mr. Schatz was employed by the Collegeville Plant of Montgomery County, Pa., traction subsidiary of the Metropolitan Edison Company, as a coal wheeler and six months later he was promoted to fireman. In 1914, he was made night engineer and the next year he was transferred to the West Reading Plant, where he served, successively, as operating shift engineer, maintenance supervisor and

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turbine room foreman. He came to the Parr plant February 13, 1926, as chief engineer, and in 1930 was made superintendent of the Parr Steam and Hydro Plants, which position he held at the time of his death.

Long active in the civic, religious and educational affairs of his town, county and state, Mr. Schatz had served as president of the Winnsboro Lions club, deputy district governor and district governor of Lions International and International counselor. He was chairman of the board of trustees of Jenkinsville school and chairman of the Fairfield county library board, and his interest remained keen and constant in all of these organizations.

His chief and consuming concern, however, seems to have been with the Trinity Lutheran church at Parr, an institution which he, to a very large degree, was instrumental in founding. Mr. Schatz arranged for the first meeting of the congregation in July, 1926, only a few months after he had come to the community. He was a lay reader for a long period, served as the superintendent of the Sunday school, and was responsible for the construction of the new chapel there a number of years ago. Trinity church signally honored him by electing him vice chairman of the church council for life. He was also state president of the U. C. L. A. Brotherhood of South Carolina and was one of the key men in the church's synod.