

Mrs. M. G. Brown Loses Her Sister

Mrs. Hayward Merritt, the former Minnie Lee Seigler, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Seigler of Winnsboro, died at her home in Mt. Airy, N. C., at 11 p.m. Tuesday night. 5/1962

Mrs. Merritt suffered a heart attack several weeks ago and had been a patient in a Mt. Airy hospital until last Thursday when she returned to her home where she died suddenly Tuesday night.

She is survived by her husband & four children, Hayward Merritt, Jr. of Mt. Airy; Mrs. Jack Childress of High Point; Mrs. Wendell Snapp of Roanoke, Va., and Jimmy Merritt of Greensboro; nine grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Marion G. Brown of Winnsboro, and one brother, W. J. Seigler of Mt. Airy.

Mrs. Alton P. Hoy Loses Her Father

Charles Clarendon McAliley, 85, died at 9 o'clock Monday night at the home of his son, Charles Childs McAliley, in Lake Worth, Florida. He was the son of the late William and Mary Wallace McAliley, of Chester, and had lived his entire life in Chester until his retirement in 1958, when he moved to Florida to be nearer his children. He was married to the former Mabel Norman Kittrell of Gadsden, Alabama, who died two years ago. 1962

Mr. McAliley was a farmer, and for a number of years he was purchasing agent for the Childs Restaurant Chain. He was a member of Purity Presbyterian Church, and since his early manhood had been an officer, and at the time of his death he was the oldest elder in service.

Survivors include four daughters: Mrs. Richard Steele (Mary) of San Antonio, Texas; Mrs. Alton P. Hoy (Nancy) Winnsboro; Mrs. Marvin L. Kokomoor, (Mabel) Gainesville, Florida; Mrs. Duro F. Oberhelman (Sarah) of Gilmore City, Iowa; two sons, Charles C. McAliley, USAFR, of Lake Worth, Florida, and the Reverend William S. McAliley, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, Linden, Alabama. Eighteen grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be conducted from Purity Presbyterian Church in Chester on Friday morning at ten o'clock by the pastor of the church, the Reverend Robert Dobbins. Interment will be in Old Purity Church cemetery, in the family plot, two miles south of Chester, on the Great Falls Road.

Final Rites Held In Ridgeway for Mrs. McCarrel, 81

Mrs. Arthur H. McCarrel, 81, died on April 11, at the Presbyterian Home in Summerville, where she had lived for the past several years. She had previously made her home in Columbia. 1962

She was the former Margaret Elliott Rosborough, daughter of the late Edward King and Arabella Caroline Walker Rosborough, one of the oldest families in Fairfield County. She was the last member of her immediate family.

Her husband, Arthur H. McCarrel, died in 1934.

Mrs. Medlin of Ridgeway Dies in Fairfield Hospital

RIDGEWAY — Mrs. Sallie Branham Medlin, died at the Fairfield County Memorial Hospital at 4:15 Tuesday morning after a lingering illness. 1962

Born in Fairfield County, she was the daughter of the late David Branham and Kisiah Watts Branham.

Mrs. Medlin was a member of the Centerville Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; a former president of the Women's Relief Society; and was very active in church work until she became ill a few years ago.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Mamie Nelson, Ridgeway; one son, William Medlin, Ridgeway; one sister, Mrs. Mattie Easter, Lugoff; twelve grandchildren; several great and great-great grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Centerville Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints by President Benjamin W. Wilkerson and Bishop Lawrence Branham. Interment followed in the Smyrna Methodist Church Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Press Wilson, Joe Wilson, Sam Albert, Clinton Branham, Caleh Peake, and Alfred Branham.

Mrs. Moseley, 64 Dies on Sunday at Fairfield Hospital

Mrs. Ora Boyd Moseley, 64, died at the Fairfield Memorial Hospital Sunday night. She had been in declining health for a number of years but was seriously ill only one week. 4/1962

She was born at Swainsboro, Ga., a daughter of the late N. D. and Laura Boyd.

Survivors include her husband, I. R. Moseley of Winnsboro; her step-mother, Mrs. N. D. Boyd of Collins, Ga.; three daughters, Mrs. Clyde Strom of Graniteville, Mrs. Marion Haigler of Aiken and Mrs. William Lail of Columbia, and one son, Dorsey Moseley, of Winnsboro; two half-sisters, Mrs. Clyde Glisson of Collins, Ga., and Mrs. Elton Collins of Cobb Town, Ga.; 8 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 4:30 p.m. Tuesday from the Stephen Greene Baptist church by the Rev. James P. Blackwelder. Interment followed in the Winnsboro Mills Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Jack Brinson, Charlie Mixon, Clyde Collins, Douglas Bass, George Osborne and Ed Woods.

The honorary escort was composed of the Board of Deacons of Stephen Greene Baptist Church and Herman Price, Baxter Boone, Dr. J. C. Buchanan, Andrew Price, L. B. Osborne, Sr., D. A. Slater, Sr., Vasco O'Daniels, Ollie Wilson, Lidge Wells, Joe Clark, Frank Carnell, Ellis Perry, Gene Haigler, E. W. Carter, Mendell Gladden, J. B. Hegler, George Bass, Milton Collins, Jack LeGrand, Ottis LeGrand, Charlie LeGrand, J. C. Mincey, Preston H. Wilson and Nick Collins.

Survivors include a son, Arthur H. McCarrel of Newberry; a daughter, Mrs. Kirkman Finlay of Columbia, and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Apr. 13 at the graveside in Aimwell Cemetery in Ridgeway by the Rev.

Mother of Dr. McMeekin Dies in Ocala, Florida

Mrs. Zilla Camille Mack, 79, died Sunday, April 15, in a hospital in Ocala, Florida. For more than 20 years she had made her home in Florida. Interment was in the family plot in Webster, Florida. 1962

Surviving are three sons, Joseph D. McMeekin of College Park, Georgia, Dr. J. Granger McMeekin of Georgetown, and Dr. Rowell McMeekin of Winnsboro.

Services Held on Saturday for Mrs. W. W. Marthers

Mrs. Virginia Wilson Marthers, 79, died Thursday at her home on West Washington Street in Winnsboro. 4/1962

She was born in Longtown and was the widow of William W. Marthers, and a member of the First Baptist Church of Winnsboro.

Survivors include nine daughters, Miss Eloise Marthers, Mrs. Dewey Morgan, Mrs. Robert Haygood, Mrs. Robert Boulware and Mrs. Phillip Timms of Winnsboro, Mrs. W. L. Hennessee of Columbia, Mrs. Mary Goldman of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mrs. Roy Martin of Henderson, N. C., and Mrs. R. M. Goodson of Quincy, Fla.; six sons, Charlie, William, George, Heyward and Claude of Winnsboro, and Frank Marthers of Pacolet; two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Campbell of Clinton and Mrs. Sarah Oakley of Society Hill; one brother, W. C. Peake of Columbia. Also surviving are 47 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 o'clock Saturday from the First Baptist Church by Dr. Ralph E. Lattimore. Interment was in the Longtown cemetery near Ridgeway.

Active pallbearers were six grandsons: Lindsay, Joel and Harry Hennessee, Marvin Haygood, Claude Marthers, Jr. and Marion C. Smith.

The honorary escort was composed of Dr. J. C. Buchanan, Jr., Dr. J. B. Floyd, W. W. Lewis, J. W. Jackson, J. C. Fant, W. O. Wissner, Ray Bartlett, Will Ameen, Gary Bass, Sr., and Clarence Dove, Sr.

Mrs. Melton, 76, Dies on Saturday

Mrs. Ola Steen Melton, 76, died at the home on Maple Street, Winnsboro, on Saturday. She had been in declining health for a number of years. 1962

Born in Chesterfield county, Mrs. Melton had lived in Fairfield most of her life. She was a member of the First Methodist Church of Winnsboro.

Surviving are two sons, Walter Melton of Orlando, Fla., and Donald L. Melton of Winnsboro; a sister, Mrs. Minnie Wilbanks of Long Island, New York; two brothers, Vernon Steen of Johnson City, Tenn., and Grover Steen of Chester. A number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the First Methodist Church by the Rev. L. E. Pope, pastor. Interment was in Oak Lawn Cemetery, Winnsboro.

Serving as active pallbearers were J. J. McLendon, K. C. Beasley, Brady McKay, Cliff Walsh, Ed Hollis and Robert Walsh.

C. R. Tapp.

Mrs. McCarrel spent her early years in Ridgeway where she was widely known and is survived by several nieces and nephews among them, Mrs. James S. Edmunds.

Edgar B. Lewis, Fairfield Native, Dies in Columbia

Funeral services for Edgar B. Lewis, 67, were held Jan. 24 in the Eau Claire Presbyterian Church, Columbia, and interment was in Crescent Hill Memorial Park. A retired Civil Service employe, he died at his home in Columbia on Jan. 23. 1962

He was born in Fairfield county, son of the late Robert Benton and Rebecca Harrison Lewis. During World War I he served in the 114th Machine Gun Battalion, 30th Division.

He moved to Columbia in 1932. His wife, Mrs. Frances Brock Lewis, died in 1956. He served as deacon and elder in the Eau Claire Presbyterian Church. He is survived by two daughters, two sisters and a number of grandchildren.

Final Rites Held On Tuesday for J. D. Lewis, 84

John D. Lewis, 84, died on Tuesday at his residence on the Great Falls Road. He was born in Chester County, a son of the late John and Elizabeth Wages Lewis. 9/1962

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mary Evans Lewis of Winnsboro; one sister, Mrs. Nannie Lewis of Chester, and one brother, Jim C. Lewis of Chester.

Funeral services were conducted at 5 p.m., Wednesday from the Bethlehem Methodist Church in Chester County by the Rev. J. A. Chandler. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were Buster Wages, Paul Lewis, Ed Lewis, Clarence Evans, Rayford Evans and James Bolick.

J. J. Lynn, 82, Dies in Hospital

James J. Lynn, Sr., 82, of Richburg and Winnsboro, died Saturday night at the Fairfield Memorial Hospital after a brief illness. He was the father of M. H. Lynn, Fairfield County farm agent. 1962

Born in Gaffney, he was the son of the late Matthew S. Lynn and Rebecca Jeffries Lynn. Mr. Lynn was a retired farmer and a member of the Pleasant Grove Methodist Church near Richburg.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Anna Hollis Lynn; one daughter, Mrs. Victoria L. Ewing, of Atlanta, Ga.; three sons, Arthur F., of Belle Glade, Fla., James J., Jr., of Rock Hill, and Matthew H. Lynn of Winnsboro; seven grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Monday from the Pleasant Grove Methodist Church. Burial was at the nearby Union A. R. P. Church cemetery. Services were conducted by the Rev. Sinclair Lewis of the Pleasant Grove Church and the Rev. L. E. Pope of the Winnsboro Methodist Church.

Active pallbearers were D. L. Hollis, R. M. Reid, D. S. Hollis Jr., H. T. Taylor, J. W. Lyle Jr., and the Rev. A. S. Rogers.

JONES FUNERAL WAS CONDUCTED SATURDAY

Funeral services for James Melton Jones were conducted Saturday at 4 p.m., in the Stephen Greene Baptist Church, by the Rev. James Blackwelder and the Rev. John T. Duckett. Interment was in the Winnsboro Mills cemetery. 1962

Mr. Jones was born in Winnsboro on Oct. 31, 1928. He was the son of Mrs. Gertrude Miller Jones and the late Marion Jones. Besides his mother, he is survived by his widow, Mrs. Carolyn Jones of Winnsboro; two daughters, Janice Lee and Marion Lynn Jones of the home; one son, James Jones of the home; a sister, Dorothy Jones of Winnsboro; and two brothers, J. W. and Marion L. Jones.

Serving as active pallbearers were Edward Hartin, Carson Waters, James Massey, Lindsay Welch, Spencer Kelly, and Charles Ban.

The honorary escort was composed of Bernie Enloe, Jim Arnette, Marvin Hammon, Lawrence Hinson, Coley Weed, Wilbur Collins, Albert Watts, Ed Bass, Gary Bass, Weston Bryant, Jimmy Johnson, Tommy Tolbert, Clarence Dove, Sr., Dallis Murphy, Joe Burley, Ellis Davenport, Luther Floyd, Ernest Walker, Jr., and Albert McDonald.

Final Rites Held For Mrs. Kee, 61, Sunday Afternoon

Mrs. Lillie Wooten Kee, 61, died at her residence here last Friday. She was born at Bowling Green, N. C., a daughter of the late Beulah Wooten and the late Frank Wooten. 4/1962

Survivors include her husband, Lonnie Kee of Winnsboro; five daughters, Mrs. Eloise Wessinger of Chester, Mrs. Beulah Haselden of Charleston, Mrs. Natlie Inmon of Columbia, Mrs. Bertha Wallace of Greenville and Miss Virginia Kee of Winnsboro; one son, Jesse J. Kee of Winnsboro; one sister, Mrs. Betty Garrison of Dallas, N. C.; one brother, Gus Wooten of Kannapolis, N. C. Also, 15 grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the Rockton Baptist Mission by the Rev. J. H. Ellenburg, and the Rev. Howard Smith. Interment was in the Winnsboro Mills cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Lonnie Walters, Bernie Enloe, J. C. Hugins, Dempsey Goldman, Rollin Goldman, and Olin Walters.

Honorary pallbearers were Leroy Smith, Albert McDonald, Frank Wright, Johnny Knight, Gary Bass, Sr., E. E. Bowers, H. H. Humphries and Dr. Allan Jeter.

Funeral Mass Held for Seaboard RR Conductor

Funeral Mass for Michael Joseph Leonard, 75, who died Saturday at the Chester County Hospital after several weeks illness, was conducted at 11 a.m., Monday from St. Joseph's Catholic Church by the Rev. Timothy Sullivan. Interment was in Chester Memorial Gardens. 11/1962

Mr. Leonard was born at Madison, Indiana, and was a conductor for the Seaboard Railroad for 47 years before his retirement.

Survivors include his wife, the former Louise Harrison of Ridgeway.