

Colonel Arnette Dies in Hospital After Operation

Lt. Colonel Robert Evans Arnette, Jr., 56, died Wednesday, Oct. 27, in the Fort Sam Houston General Army Hospital, San Antonio, Texas, following heart surgery. He had been plagued with a heart ailment for many years and was retired from the service in 1946.

Born in Winnsboro on March 24, 1909, he was the son of the late Robert E. Arnette and Mrs. Sarah Hall Arnette. He was graduated from Mt. Zion Institute in 1927, attended The Citadel two years, and received the appointment to the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1929, graduating there four years later as an army lieutenant. A brother, Lt. Col. John Q. (Jack) Arnette, who is now stationed in Viet Nam, finished at The Point in 1949.

Col. Arnette served at a number of army posts in the States and also was stationed in the Philippine Islands. He was about to go overseas with Gen. George Patton's mechanized division when his heart condition was first discovered. He had undergone several previous operations.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jean Nipper Arnette of the home at 216 Newbury Terrace, San Antonio; two sons, Robert Evans Arnette, III, and Richard Hall Arnette, both college students; one grandson, Robert Scott Arnette; his mother, Mrs. R. E. Arnette of Winnsboro; one sister, Mrs. Robert M. Brice, Winnsboro; seven brothers, Berry F. R. Davis, Edward Mobley and William Julian Arnette, all of Winnsboro; Lt. Col. John W. (Dooley) Arnette of Panama, Lt. Col. John Q. Arnette, Viet Nam, and James Douglas Arnette of Swainsboro, Ga.

Funeral services were held Friday at St. David's Episcopal Church, San Antonio, with the Rt. Rev. J. Earl Dicus and the Rev. John DeForest officiating. Interment, with full military honors, was in Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Maj. Gen. William A. Harris, Maj. Gen. William R. Calhoun, Brig. Gen. Robert M. Blanchard, Brig. Gen. William Y. Frenzler, Col. James P. Pearson, Col. C. K. McClelland, Col. Ralph Alspaugh, Lt. Col. R. E. Myers.

The honorary escort was composed of the West Point class of 1933.

Final Rites Held On Tuesday for O. A. Barfield, 53

Otis Richard Barfield, 53, of Golf Course Rd., died Monday, May 24, at the Fairfield Memorial Hospital.

He was born in Winnsboro on Oct. 17, 1911, the son of the late Alice Pearson Barfield and William L. Barfield.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Fannie Pullen, Lumber City, Ga.; two brothers, Johnny Barfield, Coco, Fla., and Clifford Barfield, Sr., of Winnsboro; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Active pallbearers were W. H. Walker, Johnny Ray Barfield, Clifford Barfield, Jr., Jerry Ban, Hite Herring, and Jerry Kinnerly.

Mrs. Sara Bell Ridgeway Native, Dies in Florida

Mrs. Sara Ila Bell, Ridgeway native, died Thursday at St. Petersburg, Fla.

She was born in Ridgeway, daughter of Eli W. Parker and the late Emma Walker Parker. She was an 1895 graduate of Winthrop College, and moved from Rock Hill to St. Petersburg in 1927.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. L. R. Whitner of Arlington, Va.; two sons, Harry P. Hope of St. Petersburg, and Robert H. Hope of Honea Path; a sister, Mrs. David McCallum of Sumter, and three brothers, Harry E. and Albert B. of Sumter and Eli W. Parker of Ellorée.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, August 29, by the Rev. Kenneth W. Rabon from the Pope Funeral Home. Interment was in the Aimwell Presbyterian Cemetery, Ridgeway.

Rites Held for Mrs. Blackwell

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday for Mrs. Francis Thurmon Blackwell, 39, of Columbia.

Mrs. Blackwell died Monday night, March 22, after being hit by a truck on Main Street in Columbia. Also killed was Mrs. Blackwell's nephew, George Dean McDaniel, 29.

Survivors include a daughter and a son by a former marriage, Miss Johnnie Irene Muse, and George William Muse, both of Winnsboro.

J. C. Bolick, Jr. Dies in Union on Wed., June 16th

Joe C. Bolick, Jr., 60, was stricken fatally with a heart attack as he walked home from work, Wednesday, June 16, in Union. He was born in Fairfield County, son of the late Joe C. Bolick, and Maggie Clowney Bolick. Mr. Bolick was a carpenter, and he worked in the Charleston Navy Yard during World War II. In 1945, he moved to Union, where he was associated with the Smith Lumber Co. until the time of his death.

Mr. Bolick was a member of Salem Presbyterian Church, Salem Crossroads. He attended the First Presbyterian Church in Union.

Survivors include his widow, Thelma Jenkins Bolick, of Union; three sisters, Mrs. Marie Burley of Monticello, Mrs. Frances Yongue of Blair, and Mrs. Margie Locklier of Columbia; two brothers, Thomas E. Bolick, and John Spratt Bolick of Blair. Also, many nieces and nephews survive.

Graveside services were held Friday at Salem Presbyterian Church in western Fairfield, conducted by the pastor, the Rev. J. L. Russell.

Active pallbearers were all nephews: Charles Yongue, David Yongue, J. W. Yongue, Charles Locklier, Ralph Jenkins, and Randy Jenkins.

Honorary pallbearers were friends, associates and co-workers from Union, and the elders and deacons of Salem Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Bowen, 75, Ridgeway Native, Dies at Hospital

Mrs. Flossie Crumpton Bowen, 75, widow of Julius A. Bowen, died Saturday at Fairfield Memorial Hospital.

Born in Ridgeway, October 28, 1889, she was a daughter of the late H. L. and Caroline Hogan Crumpton and was the widow of the late Julius Anderson Bowen. She was a member of Aimwell Presbyterian Church in Ridgeway.

Surviving are a daughter-in-law, Mrs. James A. Bowen, Sr., of Columbia, two grandchildren, Kathy Bowen and Jim Bowen, and two sisters, Mrs. W. G. Whitlock and Mrs. S. C. Smith of Ridgeway.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at Pope Funeral Home by Chaplain Sidney Crumpton. Interment was in Aimwell Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Robert Thomas, Ed Tidwell, Walter Ruff, Ryan Lake, Louie Coleman, and Roy Hudson.

J. T. Branham, 43, Ridgeway Native, Dies in Columbia

James Talmadge Branham, 43, service station operator, of Columbia, died early Wednesday, June 23.

He was born in Ridgeway, the son of the late Samuel and Lillian Branham, and was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Surviving are a daughter, Miss Priscilla Branham of Ridgeway; five sisters, Mrs. Bessie Gardner, Mrs. Emma Floyd and Mrs. Lorene Rimer of Columbia; Mrs. Louise Mattox of Ridgeway and Mrs. Sadie Monroe of Charleston; and two brothers, Hyrum and Heber Branham of Columbia.

Funeral services were held on Friday, in the L. D. S. Church at the Centerville community near Ridgeway, conducted by Bishop B. W. Wilkerson and Bishop Lawrence Branham. Interment was in Smyrna Cemetery, Ridgeway.

Rites Held for Mrs. Broome, 76

Mrs. Strother Broome, 76, died Thursday, September 9, at the Fairfield Memorial Hospital, after a lingering illness.

She was born at Simpson, August 16, 1889, daughter of the late Jane Simpson Vaughn and John Madison Vaughn. She was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary and of Sion Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Mark L. (Jane) Stevens of Winnsboro; and one sister, Mrs. Sarah Blair, also of Winnsboro. Three granddaughters and one grandson also survive.

Funeral services were conducted on Friday at Sion Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Robert E. Smith and the Rev. Frank L. Shannon. Interment was in the Methodist Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were James G. McCants, Robert Shannon, Joe R. Haynes, Andrew Robinson, George Hutson, and F. E. Propst, Jr.

Rites on Friday For Mrs. Brazell At Bethel Church

Mrs. Mary Pearl Hudson Brazell, 55, died Wednesday, April 28.

She was born in Fairfield County in 1910, the daughter of the late William Smith Hudson and Margaret McConnell Hudson.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Joseph Cogburn of Fayetteville, and four sons, Frank A. Brazell of Columbia, Ernest C. Brazell of Fayetteville, Theodore H. Brazell of New Ulm, Germany, and James C. Brazell of Frankfurt, Germany.

Funeral services were held Friday, at Bethel Methodist Church, conducted by the Rev. Joseph W. Alley.

Rites Held For Mrs. Breedin On Wednesday

Mrs. Lillie Dixon Breedin of Great Falls died in a Columbia hospital Monday.

Mrs. Breedin was born in Chester County, daughter of William Howard and Lillie Gladden Dixon.

Surviving are her husband, William D. Breedin, two sons, W. D., Jr., and Alfred Breedin, her mother and father, four sisters, Mrs. Mildred Watts, Mrs. Mary Bell and Mrs. Kathryn Jacobs of Great Falls and Mrs. Gladys Douglas of Blackstock, and four brothers, J. Frank Dixon of Chester, W. H. Dixon, Jr., of Great Falls, Karl Dixon of Rock Hill and Jack W. Dixon of Columbia.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday morning at the Catholic Presbyterian Church.

Danny Brice, 21, Fatally Injured In Auto Mishap

McDaniel Hendricks (Danny) Brice, 21, a senior at Clemson University, was fatally injured in an automobile accident Wednesday night (Dec. 30), when his car hit a bridge abutment in Chester county. He died in the Chester Hospital early Thursday morning.

The son of Samuel M. Brice and Elizabeth McDaniel Brice of Woodward, he was graduated from Chester High School in the Class of 1962. He was to be graduated from Clemson next June, after completing the four-year course in three years, and had already been accepted at the Medical College of Virginia.

Surviving are his mother and father; one sister, Miss Camilla Brice of the home; three brothers, Samuel M. Brice, Jr., a student at Clemson University, John Scott Brice and Neville Brice, of the home.

Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. A. B. Plexico, were held at Concord Presbyterian Church on Friday, Jan. 1, and interment was in Evergreen Cemetery.

Mrs. Brown, 77, Dies; Rites Held At Union Church

Mrs. Bettie R. Brown, 77, widow of John S. Brown, Sr., died Monday, November 29, at her residence near Winnsboro, after an illness of one month.

She was born at Rockton on August 14, 1888, a daughter of the late Mrs. Wesley Ruff Rutland and Sheridan R. Rutland. Mrs. Brown was a member of the Union Memorial Presbyterian Church, and a life member of the American Bible Society Auxiliary.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Frank E. Pope, Jr., of Winnsboro, Mrs. Thomas H. Frick of Blythewood, Mrs. W. Lindsay Castles of Greenville, and Mrs. Lewis C. Ashford of Columbia; two sons, Robert R. and John S. Brown, Jr., of Winnsboro; a sister, Mrs. C. F. Voltaire, of Richmond, Va.; and a brother, Sheridan R. Rutland, Jr., of Winnsboro.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Union Memorial Presbyterian Church, conducted by the Rev. C. O. Gahagan, and the Rev. Arthur M. Martin. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Bobby Rutland, Herbert Rexrode, Grover Timms, Preston Timms, Jack Robertson, and R. L. Lemon.

T. L. Brown, 61, Dies; Rites Set Today at 11 A.M.

Timothy Lee Brown, 61, of Route 2, died Tuesday morning at the State Park in Columbia after being in declining health for several years.

Born in Rion, February 20, 1904, he was a son of the late Timothy Center Brown and Bertha Cunningham Brown. He was a retired stone cutter, and a member of the Mt. Olivet Presbyterian Church where he served as a deacon and Sunday School teacher.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lizzie Turner Brown of the home; one brother, T. R. Brown of Elberton, Georgia; one uncle; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday morning, July 8th, at 11 o'clock from the Pope Funeral Home by Rev. Robert E. Smith. Interment will follow in the Mt. Olivet Presbyterian Church cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be W. T. ...

Final Rites Held G. T. Buchanan, Winnsboro Native

Word has been received of the death of George Tillman Buchanan of McCormick.

Mr. Buchanan was the son of the late Judge Osmond Woodward Buchanan and Sophie Tillman Buchanan, of Winnsboro.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. L. W. Diamond of Pensacola, Fla.; one brother, William Buchanan of Pennsylvania; and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at the graveside in the family cemetery on Mr. Buchanan's plantation in McCormick.