

# Rites Set Today Salem Church for W. D. Dickey, 49

William David Dickey, 49, of Rt. 1, Blair, died Tuesday night at the Fairfield Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

Born in Fairfield County on August 28, 1922, he was the son of the late John L. Dickey and Pinky Bolin Dickey.

Mr. Dickey was postmaster at Blair, and a veteran of World War II. He was a member of the Salem Presbyterian Church, where he served as a deacon and treasurer, a member of the Board of Directors of the Western Fairfield Community Development Co., and the American Legion Post 16.

Surviving is his wife Mrs. Marion Dye Dickey of the home; three sisters, Mrs. Mary D. White of Blair, Miss Pinky Dickey of Winnsboro and Mrs. J. W. Wolling of Savannah, Ga.; two half sisters, Mrs. O. L. Shytle of Chimney Rock, N. C., and Mrs. J. W. Branham of Winnsboro; two brothers, Charles B. and John L. Dickey of Blair.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday (today) at 3 p.m., in the Salem Presbyterian Church by the Rev. John Holmes. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be William B. Hendrix, R. A. Westbrook, Paul Ramsing, Jack P. Coleman, Mack Dickerson, and Albert Ladd.

# Mrs. Dickerson's Rites Conducted At Local Church

Mrs. Mary Boulware Dickerson, 87, of Blair, died Friday, April 28, at the Chester County Hospital after an extended illness. She was the widow of James Henry Dickerson.

Mrs. Dickerson was born in Fairfield County on October 23, 1884, a daughter of the late Fletcher E. Dickerson and the late Mrs. Cora Clark Dickerson. She was the oldest member of Cool Branch Baptist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. John M. White of Chester, Mrs. Grady Fuller of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Albin Lind of Arlington, Washington; and a son, Mack D. Dickerson, of Blair.

Services were conducted on Sunday at Cool Branch Baptist Church, with the pastor, the Rev. C. L. Smith, conducting, assisted by a former pastor, the Rev. R. J. Roberts. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Mrs. DuPre was born in Fairfield County, a daughter of the late Thomas K. and Carrie Aiken Elliott. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Union and had attended Converse College.

Graveside services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at the Grace United Methodist Church Cemetery in Union.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. James A. Berry of Union and Mrs. W. C. Moore of Greenville; a son, Robert F. DuPre of Fairfield, Conn.; a sister, Mrs. Kitt Rion McMaster of Winnsboro; two brothers, Charles F. Elliott of Columbia and Henry L. Elliott of Winnsboro; seven grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

The family suggests that those who wish may make memorials to the Presbyterian Home in Summerville.

# Mrs. Douglas, 71, Dies; Rites to Be Today, New Hope

Graveside services will be held at 3 p.m., Thursday (today) for Mrs. Geraldine McIlroy Douglas at the New Hope A.R.P. Church cemetery, conducted by the Rev. Frank L. Shannon. Mrs. Douglas, 71, died Tuesday night in the Chester Nursing Center, after a period of declining health.

Mrs. Douglas was born in Belfast, Ireland on July 3, 1900, a daughter of the late David and Catherine McCleave McIlroy, and was the widow of John L. Douglas, who died January 1, 1972. She was a member of Bethel A. R. Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Isabel Brown of Cordele, Ga.; five sons, James P. Douglas of West Palm Beach, Fla., David E., and Albert B. Douglas of Winnsboro, Dr. Leonard W. Douglas of Belton, and Malcolm Douglas of Eglin A.F.B., Fla.; a sister, Mrs. L. N. (Lillie) Moe of Jacksonville; and a brother, Robert McIlroy of Jacksonville.

Active pallbearers will be Charles Bratcher, Harold E. Douglas, Jr., Joe Douglas, Thomas Wilkes, Morris Douglas and Angus Stewart.

Those wishing to send memorials may make them to the New Hope A.R.P. Church Cemetery Fund.

# Graveside Rites Held Monday for J. L. Douglas, 73

Graveside services were held on Monday for John Lewis Douglas, 73, in the New Hope A.R.P. Cemetery, conducted by the Rev. F. L. Shannon. Mr. Douglas died Saturday, January 1, in an Anderson hospital, following a long illness.

A native of Fairfield County, he was born March 13, 1898, a son of the late Thomas J. Douglas and Georgia Shedd Douglas, and was a retired merchant, farmer and former magistrate of the New Hope district. He was a member of Behel A. R. P. Church.

Surviving are his widow, Geraldine McIlroy Douglas; a daughter, Mrs. Isabel D. Brown of Cordele, Ga.; five sons, James P. Douglas of West Palm Beach, Fla., David E. Douglas and Albert B. Douglas of Winnsboro, Dr. Leonard W. Douglas of Belton and Malcolm W. Douglas, Eglin AFB, Florida; a sister, Mrs. Irene Wilkes of Winnsboro; and three brothers, Harold E. Douglas, Thomas J. Douglas, Jr., and James Pryor Douglas.

Active pallbearers were H. E. Douglas, Jr., Thomas L. Douglas, Robert Ramsey, Charles Bratcher, John C. Stewart and W. E. Has-

# Mrs. Grant, 60, Dies in Columbia

Mrs. Ludie Belle Grant, 60, of Blackstock, died Wednesday, April 26, in a Columbia hospital.

She was born in Chester County, a daughter of the late Joseph Thomas and Mary Jane Wallace Brooks. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. James Alexander of Chester; a sister, Mrs. A. W. Boyd of Blackstock; and two half-sisters, Mrs. Virginia Crouch of Chester and Mrs. Martha Miller of Charleston.

Services were held on Friday in Pleasant Grove Presbyterian Church, with burial in Evergreen Cemetery.

# Church Rites for Mrs. Frick, 83, Held on Sunday

Mrs. Mae Ballentine Frick, 83, of Blythewood, widow of John R. Frick, died Saturday in the Columbia Hospital after a brief illness.

She was born in upper Richland County, a daughter of the late J. T. and Sallie Lever Ballentine. Mrs. Frick was the oldest member of Beulah United Methodist Church, where she was a member of the W. S. C. S. and the Ladies' Sunday School Class. She was a life member of the American Bible Society and of the Holly Grove Home Demonstration Club. She was affectionately known as "Mama" Frick.

Survivors include five daughters, Mrs. Annie Lee Liskey, Mrs. C. H. Turnipseed of Columbia, Mrs. E. P. Jennings of Greenville, Mrs. W. W. Stevenson of Great Falls and Mrs. D. D. Timms of Rion; two sons, J. Louie Frick and Thomas H. Frick,

both of Blythewood; three sisters, Mrs. Dewey Dorhmann, Mrs. W. D. Lever of Columbia, and Mrs. F. H. Rimer of Blythewood; three brothers, W. T. Ballentine, W. J. Ballentine and Herbert Ballentine of Blythewood; eleven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were held at Beulah United Methodist Church on Sunday, conducted by the Rev. John Griffith and the Rev. Marion B. Anderson. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were grandsons, Jack Stevenson, Frederick Jennings, Joe E. Smith, Johnny Frick, Tommy Frick, Daniel D. Timms, Jr., Glenn Frick and J. Rufus Timms.

# W. R. Goodson, 82, Dies; Rites To Be Held, Ridgeway

William Ralph Goodson, 82, of Ridgeway, died in Fairfield Memorial Hospital on Tuesday evening, 11 o'clock, after an extended illness.

He was born in Ehrhardt, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James William Goodson, and was a retired cashier and executive vice president, Bank of Ridgeway. He was serving as a bank director at the time of his death.

Mr. Goodson was an elder of Aimwell Presbyterian Church, Ridgeway, and served as treasurer of the Sunday School. He was a member of Ridgeway Masonic Lodge No. 30.

He was married to the late Ellen D. Goodson who died Dec. 30, 1955. Surviving are a daughter, Miss Gertrude V. Goodson of Ridgeway and a number of cousins in Columbia, Allendale, Wadley and Augusta, Ga.

Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. J. M. Bratton, pastor, and the Rev. J. D. Beale are to be held Friday, Jan. 21, in Aimwell Presbyterian Church and interment will be in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers are R. D. Arndt, Jr., James Coleman, Henry Gibson, Heyward Mattox, E. N. Miller and Haskell Smith. The honorary escort will be composed of elders of Aimwell Church, directors of the Bank of Ridgeway and James Lee Boney, Jones Smith, Charles Medlin, Henry Nichols and Harvey Amick.

# Final Rites Held Here Tuesday for Mrs. Gladden, 52

Sara Lounet Moss Gladden, 52, died Monday morning at Fairfield Memorial Hospital, after an illness of several months.

She was born in Hickory Grove on May 31, 1920, a daughter of the late Henry Hickson and Mary Brannon Moss. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Winnsboro, and was active in both church and civic affairs.

Mrs. Gladden is survived by her husband, W. S. ("Bill") Gladden; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Helen Terry of Winnsboro; a son, W. H. ("Bubba") Gladden of Winnsboro; a granddaughter, Mary Evelyn Terry of Winnsboro; and three sisters, Mrs. Cliff Jones of Sharon, Mrs. C. W. Brakefield and Mrs. Hershah Hardin of Hickory Grove.

Services were held on Tuesday in the First Baptist Church, conducted by the Rev. James P. Hawsey and the Rev. Douglas Blackwell. Interment was in the First Baptist Cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Tom Longshore, R. M. Hamilton, Dr. H. L. Taylor, L. W. Rutland, Matthew Dyches and Jesse Gladden.

The honorary escort was composed of deacons of the First Baptist Church, and Dr. W. S. Lyles, Dr. J. D. Turner, Billy Knight, W. J. Davis, James Clark, J. B. Hegler, E. A. Haskins, Forest Hughes, Carol Haskins and J. C. Fant.

# Mrs. W. C. Green Dies in Columbia



Mrs. Laura Hartley Green of 3020 Hope Ave., Columbia, widow of Walter C. Green, died on Monday at her home after an extended illness.

Mrs. Green was born on Dec-10, 1881 in Blowing Rock, N. C., the daughter of the late Birt and Kate Johnson Hartley. She was a member of Piney Advent Christian Church in Columbia.

Surviving is a son, L. H. Green of Ridgeway, with whom she made her home until her illness; three daughters, Mrs. J. H. Mead, Mrs. Simon O. Mims and Mrs. Jack Emlyn; three sisters, Mrs. Dona Harrison of Four Oaks, N. C., Mrs. Ethel Barefoot of Charlotte, and Mrs. Zilpha Austin of Patterson, N. C.; and a brother, the Rev. Victory Harrison of Charlotte.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Aimwell in the Dunbar Funeral Home, Gervais Street

# U. G. DesPortes Dies Suddenly at Hospital Sunday

Ulysse Ganvier DesPortes, 83, died Sunday evening about 7:30 o'clock at the Richland Memorial Hospital in Columbia. His unexpected passing was attributed to a massive heart attack suffered a few hours earlier at his High Street home, the site of the DesPortes residence for generations. He had attended church services that morning.

He was born in Winnsboro, July 6, 1888, the son of Ulysse G. and Sarah Wolfe DesPortes. A graduate of Mt. Zion Institute, he attended Davidson College and the University of South Carolina and was captain of the 1910 Gamecock football team. Subsequently, he was a "volunteer" coach at Mt. Zion High School.

Mr. DesPortes, a retired merchant, farmer and trucker, was a communicant of St. John's Episcopal Church, Winnsboro, where he served as past vestryman and as senior and junior warden. He was a charter member, and the sixth president of the local Rotary Club, a former member of the Winnsboro Town Council and, some years ago, was on the Mt. Zion School's Board of Trustees. Active in youth work, particularly with the Boy Scouts, he was the recipient of the Silver Beaver Award in 1955.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Sudie Smith DesPortes of the home; two daughters, Mrs. Norwood (Sarah) Obeare of Winnsboro, and Mrs. Charles P. (Mary) Cuthbert of Sumter; two sons, Ulysse G. (Buddy) DesPortes, Jr., of Staunton, Va. Seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren also survive. The grandchildren are Mrs. Susan K. True, Mrs. Michael Campbell, Robert A. DesPortes, Jr., James Hunter DesPortes, Mary DesPortes, Jacques DesPortes, and Laura DesPortes.

Funeral services, conducted by the Rev. William H. Rose, rector, and the Rev. Richard L. Sturgis, rector emeritus, were held Tuesday morning from St. John's Episcopal Church and interment was in the church cemetery.

Active pallbearers were Robert A. DesPortes, Jr., James Hunter DesPortes, Jacques DesPortes, Bernard Baruch DesPortes, Fay Allen DesPortes and Henry Clay Miller.

# Graveside Rites Held Wednesday For Mrs. DuPre

Mrs. Eloise W. Elliott DuPre, 90, widow of F. S. DuPre of Union, died Tuesday afternoon at her residence after a short illness.

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