

FALLS IN HARNESS.

Full of Years and After Earnest Labors. Rev. J. C. Yongue Answers The Master's Call.

For several months, Rev. J. C. Yongue, that Godly man, faithful servant and beloved pastor of the Pickens Methodist charge, has been a paralytic, an uncomplaining and cheerful sufferer. He suffered in all, three strokes. In May he had a severe attack and had not really fully recovered from it, when he was fatally stricken Sunday, while in the pulpit delivering the message of his Master to his flock, it being the first attempt at preaching since he had been suffering.

It was his desire to preach and he did so, with the stewards and friends begging him to abandon the idea. He said he felt that he must deliver his message. As he stood in the pulpit, he faltered, Capt. T. J. Maudin went and stood by his side, and as he saw he could not go on, begged him to stop. Bro. Yongue, realizing his condition, managed to pronounce a benediction on his friends and congregation. These were the last words he ever spoke. He lingered until 4 o'clock, when his soul was wafted to the God who gave it.

It was Bro. Yongue's wish that he die as he did, and be buried where he fell. His wishes came true. Oh! his was a beautiful life and a triumphed death. How few of us, who read these lines, can hope for such a glorious ending of time and happy beginning of eternity as he experienced?

At 5 o'clock Monday evening, after appropriate services by Revs. P. F. Crawford of the Baptist church, A. H. Best of the Easley circuit and W. M. Duncan the presiding Elder of the Greenville District, the solemn cortage took up its measured march to the city of the dead. The burial service being thereread by Revs. Duncan and Best.

Seldom has it been our duty to record so sudden a death—a death fraught with such import. A dark gloom spread over the whole community when it was whispered from one to another that "Rev. J. C. Yongue was dead."

There was a daily beauty about the life of this Godly man which won every heart. He exemplified, by his pure and honorable life, the teachings of the Golden rule, and unflinchingly evinced a practical piety that will long be remembered as the best of professions. In temperament he was mild, conciliatory and candid; and yet remarkable for an uncompromising firmness. He gained confidence when he seemed least to expect it.

He believed that "Men and women, youth and children, seek the friendship of the sunny-faced." That "all doors are open to those who smile." That "All social circles, welcome cheeriness." That "A sunny face is the open sesame to hearts and homes."

He was a firm believer in the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man; he believed that the man who scatters flowers in the pathway of his fellowmen, who lets into the dark places of life the sunshine of human sympathy and human happiness, is following in the footsteps of his Master. His was a heart of gold. He was one of nature's noble-

men in its truest sense—brave, generous, manly. His was the soul of honor, and his friends and friendships were sacred to him.

But, the silver cord is loosed, the golden bowl is broken, the dust has returned to the earth as it was; the spirit to the God who gave it. This man, who, as a devoted boy remembered his Creator in the days of his youth, ere the evil days came, or the years drew nigh when he should say I have no pleasure in them, has finished his course and reached the heavenly goal while yet an infant in the race of life.

In "Twentieth Century Sketches of the S. C. Methodist Conference, M. E. Church, South," by Rev. Watson B. Duncan, A. M., issued in 1901, we find the following sketch of this beloved Christian gentleman:

"James Carson Yongue, second son of Robert Aiken Yongue and Margaret Richardson Yongue, was born in Columbia, S. C., October 15, 1855, and was dedicated to God in baptism by Rev. Dr. Shand, rector of Trinity (Episcopal) Church, in that city. When the boy was four and a half years old his father died. The mother with her two boys, the subject of this paper and his brother, Robert A., entered the family of her brother-in-law, the late Rev. Dr. Francis A. Mood, who was at that time a member of the South Carolina Conference and who afterwards became Regent of Southwestern University, at Georgetown, Texas. Thus the boy had an early training in the itinerancy. His first efforts at Christian work were made during these boyhood days as a missionary to the little negroes on the plantations, teaching them the Scriptures and catechism and exercising his gifts as a singer. This last fact, doubtless, accounts for the ease with which our friend to this day charms his congregations with song. After a few years, the boy left his native State and went to Alabama, and lived with his uncle, Dr. Thomas M. Logan. He returned to South Carolina in 1868. From this time till 1884, Mr. Yongue resided in various places in the State and at one time lived in Philadelphia, Pa., for a while. During these years he had a varied experience in occupations—going to school, farm work, teaching, reading law, etc.

The subject attended school for a while at the Porter Academy, Charleston, S. C., and at a German and English Classical Institute, the principal of which made an everlasting impression upon our friend—in mind and body.

On October 15, 1878, Mr. Yongue was married to Miss Caroline Juliet Stroman, Rev. N. K. Melton, performing the ceremony. He and his wife then united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at Rocky Swamp. Wishing their home to bear the marks of their religion, the young couple established the family altar. The death of his mother, Feb. 8, 1880, was used of God to the good of the son, leading to his conversion that year during a meeting conducted by Rev. George H. Pooser at Rocky Swamp Church. Shortly afterward he was divinely called to preach. Mr. Yongue was first licensed as an exhorter, and in June, 1882, was licensed to preach. In 1884 he served as a supply as junior preacher on the Boiling Springs Circuit, Rev.

W. H. Wroton, pastor. In the fall of that year he was admitted on trial in the Conference, since which time he has served many charges.

Mr. Yongue has five children living on earth—Robert Miller, Charles Stroman, Selina Moss, Mary Carolina and Samuel Marvin. One—little Maggie—lives in Heaven.

Mr. Yongue is a zealous pastor, a strong preacher, and an excellent man. He has had much trouble, but bears it silently and patiently laboring."

At all times, under all circumstances, he walked the well beaten paths of righteousness, and when fully conscious that he was nearing the end of life's journey, and that the last of earth would soon recede from his sight, he was fully impressed with the idea that at the end of time eternity began, and that the bright faith that sustained him during those trying hours of suffering would only grow brighter and brighter as he journeyed toward the infinite, and the final gloom of death be dispelled by the radiance of God's love. Could all live the just and upright life that James C. Yongue lived, and died in his trusting faith, death could no longer be called "The King of Terrors" for he inspired no terror there.

This man of God looked upon the temporary separation as an eternal reunion, where the Hosts of Heaven sang Hosannas to the King? Besides a wife and one brother the deceased leaves five children, three sons and two daughters. We can only remind these chief mourners that he is not dead, he is only asleep resting after a long and well-spent life here in the Master's service; he cannot, and would not, if he could, return to us; we can, if we will, go to him. Behind the storm clouds always lurks the rainbow and when the storm is past it weeps upon the flowers of the land and the pearls of the sea. Darkness precedes the dawning and out of the blackness of night comes the sunshine and the joy of the day. And so from the beauty of his life take an inspiration and go forth to live as he lived, so that when the summons comes, you may say as he did, "All is well with my soul."

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Social Liberty.

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For the purpose of this election all qualified electors shall be allowed to vote; and "qualified electors" shall include all male citizens who are patrons of the Pickens cotton market, resident within the county of Pickens, who shall on or before the third day before the day fixed for such election, upon the production of his registration certificate, procure from the Clerk of the Town Council of the town of Pickens an additional certificate that he is a duly qualified elector, under the laws governing general elections in the State of South Carolina, and entitled to vote in the annual election for Cotton Weigher. Books of registration for this purpose are open and will be continuously kept open until the day before the said election for the purpose of registering all who may desire to vote in said election. The person receiving the highest number of votes cast in this election shall be the Cotton Weigher for the town of Pickens, and his term of office shall be for one year, and until the election and qualification of his successor.

J. T. Ashmore, Clerk. B. B. LaBoon, Mayor.

State of South Carolina County of Pickens. Court of Common Pleas. Summons for Relief. Complaint not served. J. T. Bailly, Robert P. Brooks, Mary E. Bailly, and Sidney J. Bailly, Ralph Bailly, Thomas T. Bailly, James O. Bailly and Genie M. Bailly by their guardian ad litem C. E. Robinson, plaintiffs, against E. A. Lindsey individually and as administrator of the estate of W. K. Lindsey, deceased, L. L. Keister, Annie Streater, Lillie Beshere and Fannie Keister. Defendants. To the Defendants above named: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of Court at Pickens, S. C. July 22nd 1910, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office at Pickens, South Carolina within twenty days after the service hereof, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the complaint within the time aforesaid, the Plaintiff in the action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint. Dated July 22, A. D. 1910.

C. E. Robinson, Plaintiff's Attorney. A. J. Boggs, (seal) C. C. P. To Lillie Beshere and Fannie Keister infant defendants over fourteen years of age: You are hereby summoned and required to apply for the appointment of guardian ad litem to represent you in this action within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, and if you fail, application for such appointment will be made by the plaintiff herein.

C. E. Robinson, Plaintiff's Attorney. To the absent defendants L. L. Keister and Annie Streater: Take notice that the summons, of which the foregoing is a copy, and the complaint in the above stated action was filed in the office of the Clerk of Court at Pickens S. C. on the 22 day of July 1910, and is now on file in said office.

C. E. Robinson, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Next to Holland, Finland is the best customer for American flour on the continent of Europe. It has no mills for grinding wheat and imposes no import duty on flour. The annual import of flour is placed at 800,000 sacks of 230.46 pounds each, and of this the American miller furnishes about half.

These Pies of Boyhood. How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pie now ever tastes so good what's changed? No! Its you. You've lost the strong, healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed? A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels—Try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and appreciation of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c at all Druggists.

At a trial in New York, in which the claimant was suing for damages for alleged permanent injuries to one of his hands by an ice-crushing machine, in question, weighed nearly half a ton, hoisted from the street into the court house for exhibition to the jury.

There Has Recently Been Placed In all the drug stores an aromatic, pleasant herb cure for woman's ills, called Mother Gray's AUSTRALIAN LEAF. It is the only certain regulator. Quickly relieves female weaknesses and Backache, Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles. At all druggists or by mail 50 cts. Sample FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

A New type of machine gun, the invention of Major Cauchat, is being constructed at the French small arms factory at Etinne. Among other advantageous features, it is claimed that the weapon, weighing less than 10 pounds, is easily handled by a single man and will fire 300 rounds per minute.

A frightful wreck of train, automobile or buggy may cause cuts, bruises, abrasions, sprains or wounds that demand Bucklen's Arnica Salve—their greatest healer. Quick relief and prompt cure results. For burns, boils, sores of all kinds, eczema, chapped hands and lips, sore eyes or corns, its supreme, surest cure. 25c at all Druggists.

Big Ben, the clock at Westminster, has never been more than three seconds away from the correct time. But the three best clocks in the world are at the naval observatory at Washington, and the observatory at Greenwich and Berlin. The two former are the best and show a mean deviation of .015 of a second a day.

Railway Mail Clerks Wanted The Government pays Railway Mail Clerks \$800 to \$1,200, and other Employees up to \$2,500 annually.

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