

Mrs. W. P. Horton Dies In Pittsboro

Sam H. Mendenhall returned Monday from attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Cassandra Mendenhall Horton, who died in Pittsboro after an illness of two years.

Mrs. Horton was the wife of former Lieut. Governor Wilkins P. Horton and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mendenhall of Guilford county, a member of one of the oldest families in North Carolina.

After her graduation at Guilford college Miss Mendenhall pursued work at Bryn Mawr college, Bryn Mawr, Pa., and she engaged in special studies subsequently at University of North Carolina and Peabody college, Nashville, Tenn.

During the 1937 session of the North Carolina General Assembly Mrs. Horton was president of the Sir Walter cabinet, composed of the wives of legislators and other state officials.

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