
Born in 1868

Macon's oldest dies at 103 years of age

Macon County's oldest citizen, Mrs. Albie Magdeline Picklesimer McCall, who was 103 years of age on Memorial Day, died on June 2 at her home on Highlands, Route 2.

An independent little lady, well known in the Highlands area, Mrs. McCall, when she was well past her biblically allotted four score and ten years, raised vegetables in her garden, carried them to Highlands and sold them. Throughout life, she made her way and was beholden to no one.

She was the daughter of Benson and Mary Thompson Picklesimer and had married the late Rufus Perry McCall.

Funeral services were held last Friday at the First United Methodist Church in Highlands of which she was a member with Rev. Julian Aldridge, pastor, and Rev. Frank Reid conducting the service. Burial followed in the Clear Creek Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Charles Reed, Jimmy McCall, Wayne McCall, Steve Nix, Bruce Nix, and Novia Talley.

Mrs. McCall is survived by one son, Rev. Wiley McCall, of Route 2, Highlands; and two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Owens, of Route 1, Clayton, Ga., and Mrs. H. L. Wilson, of Route 2, Highlands.

Bryant Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.