

### Sherman Messer

Sherman Messer, a retired farmer who was a native of Jackson County, died Saturday in a Rutherford County hospital. He had been ill for the past three months.

The son of Graham and Mattilda McMahan Messer, he married Miss Sissie Green, of Macon County, in 1927.

Services were held Tuesday at the Cowee Baptist Church with Rev. Jud Duvall, Rev. Howard Willis, and Rev. Harvey Laughter taking part in the service. Burial followed in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were Everette Raby, Dan Reynolds, Ralph Bradley, Willard McCoy, Paul Guy, and Hargrove Parrish.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Messer is survived by three daughters; Mrs. Everette Man, of Gastonia; Mrs. Kenneth Welch, of Gastonia; and Mrs. Eugene McGaha, of Bostic.

Neal-Potts Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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