

# DEATH CLAIMS LOCAL WOMAN

## Mrs. J. R. Pendergrass Dies After Short Illness

Funeral services for Mrs. J. R. Pendergrass, 73, who died at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at her home on Palmer street, were held at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the First Baptist church. Burial was in the Franklin cemetery.

Mrs. Pendergrass had been ill since Saturday.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. W. M. Burns, pastor of the Baptist church. Pallbearers were J. J. Moore, A. R. Higdon, Ben McCoilum, George Dean, Henry W. Cabe and Roy Carpenter.

Mrs. Pendergrass, a native of Darlington county, South Carolina, had lived in Franklin for 44 years. Her husband, the Rev. J. B. Pendergrass, Baptist minister and prominent Franklin merchant, died about a year ago. She is survived by two sons, C. L. and J. B. Pendergrass, of Franklin; a daughter, Mrs. J. C. Patrick, of Waynesville; two sons by a former marriage, O. W. Hill and Carl G. Hill, of Canton; and five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

