

P. F. Flowers, Educator, Final Rites Held

Funeral services for Preston Franklin Flowers, longtime teacher and principal in the Lincoln County Public Schools until his retirement, were held July 25 at 3 p.m. from Ebenezer A.M.E. Church. The Rev. Loxey Boarden officiated at the rites. Burial was in Ebenezer Cemetery.

A native Lincoln Countian, Mr. Franklin was the son of the late George and Martha Allen Flowers. He died July 20 in Brookhaven.

Mr. Franklin joined Mt. Pisgah Church at an early age and later moved his membership to Ebenezer A.M.E. Church where he served as a faithful trustee, steward, Sunday School teacher, superintendent and choir director.

He received his B. A. degree at Tuskegee Institute in Alabama. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Mildred F. Williams of Detroit, Mich., three nieces, a nephew and other relatives and friends.

Active pallbearers were Frederick Collins, Levi Loyd Sylvester Johnson, Ed Gooden, Luther Tillman and John Henry Smith. Honorary pallbearers were R. C. Paige, Dr. A. L. Lott, Lawrence L. Prather, C. O. Tanner, A. A. Alexander, John Dow, T. J. Rance and Jesse Buie.