

W. E. JEANES

W. E. Jeanes was born December 25, 1884, died September 29, 1932. His father was Vinson S. Jeanes, who served as an officer in the Southern Confederacy. His mother was Rebecca (Stapleton) Jeanes. His father was a very prosperous farmer of Wilkinson County, Georgia. W. E. Jeanes was educated at Milledgeville, and he came to Sylvester in 1910, as a dealer in live stock, making a specialty of horses and mules. He conducted this business in a manner highly commendable for twenty-two years and was one of Worth's leading business men, conducting his business with such uprightness of principles that it reflected honor upon his name and built up a substantial and profitable business.

He was associated for a number of years as a partner with his father-in-law, W. T. Davis. This firm has been a benefactor to many farmers of the County who have been enabled to carry on because of its generosity.

W. E. Jeanes was a man of prominence in all public affairs. He took especial interest in religious work. He was a devout Christian, a member of the Sylvester Baptist Church to which he gave most liberally of his means and services.

He married Miss Alice Davis, of Sylvester, and they were blessed with one son, W. E. Jeanes, Jr.

Mrs. Alice (Davis) Jeanes takes a leading part in the civic organizations of the town and is an earnest worker in church activities. She was Recording Secretary of the Womans' Missionary Society of the Baptist Church for about ten years.

HENRY C. WOOLARD

The old "Tar Heel" state, North Carolina, contributed many of her citizens to Worth who came as turpentine operators and sawmill operators, bringing their families. None finer came than Henry Woolard and his good wife, Henrietta (Applewhite) Woolard. They first came to Berrien County, Georgia in 1880 and then moved to Worth in 1892 and settled near Tempy. In 1908, after his death, Mrs. Woolard built a beautiful home near Sylvester, now owned by Dr. Claude King. Their home was the center of hospitality and social refinement. He was a fine provider and his wife was a thrifty housewife who was kindly and generous to all.

He contributed freely of his time and abilities to public-spir-



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ited movements and in every way endeavored to advance the best interest of his community. He served on the first Board of Commissioners of Worth County and they were serving when the Court House was built in Sylvester. This edifice is a monument to them and to those on the building committee.

Henry Woolard was born in Columbus County, North Carolina, March 4, 1853, died February 23, 1907. Henrietta (Applewhite) Woolard was born in Columbus County, North Carolina, December 7, 1855, died March 14, 1909. They were married in North Carolina in 1876.

Their children are: Lee, married, first, Dr. Cleaborn Edwards, second, John H. Grace; Port, married Elizabeth Monk; Winnie, married J. Otis Holoman; Catherine, married Nicholas Ridley; Grover, married Nettie Hall; Gertie, married James R. Richardson; John S., married Ruby Frambo; Banks, married Leona Hainie; Ida Hope, married Lester Reynolds.

Only two of their children live in Worth County, Grover C. and Mrs. Winnie (J. C.) Holoman.

A. P. MAJORS

Ami P. Majors was born in Webster County, Georgia, December 30th, 1864, near the close of the War Between the States and grew up in the Reconstruction days when the South was going through the worst financial depression it has ever known. He grew up as other youths of that time with a determination to rebuild and resuscitate the land of his nativity. He spent most of his life on a farm and by force of his own diligence, his native ability, he forged ahead and advanced to the front ranks of progressive farmers. He is classed with those, and deserves the honor, that by their noble efforts were the makers of the New South. The finest trait of this good man was his tenderness to his family.

He married Miss Lilla Clements of Richland, Stewart County, Georgia, on January 27, 1892.

They moved from Richland to Worth County, Jan. 3rd, 1905. He bought a 987-acre farm two and one-half miles southwest of Sylvester on the old Thomasville road. He built a large and commodious home on the place and lived there 26 years.

He was a general agriculturist but gave special attention to the raising of live stock. He was the first man in the county to ship a car load of hogs, the first man in the county