

S. CHARLES ARNOLD DEAD.

SECRETARY OF THE PIEDMONT EXPOSITION CO.

DIES AFTER AN ILLNESS OF A FEW DAYS

It Was His First Illness, and Death Was Unexpected.

A Popular and Prominent Citizen—A Brief Account of His Life and Residence in Atlanta—The Funeral

Major Charles Arnold, secretary of the Piedmont Exposition company, president of the Georgia Hedge company, an expert accountant, and one of the best known citizens of Atlanta, died suddenly this morning at his home, 518 R. Spalding street.

Major Arnold was about his business Saturday morning in the best of health. During the day he contracted grip and was compelled to take to his bed. Attached to this attack was the remarkable fact that



MR. CHARLES ARNOLD.

It was the first illness he had ever had. He sank rapidly, and it was only a few hours before death came. His death was a surprise to his family and friends.

Major Arnold leaves a widow and one child, Mrs. George Robinson.

The funeral will take place tomorrow from St. Philip's church. It will be a prominent affair.

Major Arnold was forty-three years of age and a man of fine physique. He was born in Bremen, Germany, and came to this country in 1881, settling in Chicago. His last position there before coming to Atlanta, seven years ago, was that of bank cashier.

During his residence here he was identified with numerous enterprises looking toward the upbuilding of the city. He was one of the organizers and one of the most active members of the Piedmont exposition company.

Upon his shoulders rested much of the responsibility of arranging its annual events. His expert work as accountant was brought to bear upon the investigation of the books of the city officials a year ago. The task was no easy one.

Few citizens of Atlanta, now so many friends and retained them as their resident of but seven years. His death, coming suddenly will prove sad news to them.

REV. SAM JONES

HE TALKS ABOUT PARSON MASSEY, OF VIRGINIA.

Calls Him a Christian Who Says He is a Life Swallow.

Rev. Sam Jones was in the city this morning and was asked by a Journal reporter if he had read the letter of Parson Massey, of Virginia, in yesterday's Journal. He replied:

"I see he says he will not charge any with slander in what I had written of him. Mr. Massey is a gentleman, a scholar, and a Christian. He is a magnificent debater.