

Ollie (McGinness) Farmer Obt.

Farmer Rites Held Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Ollie McGinness Farmer, 86, widow of Dr. W. S. Farmer, were conducted at the Carthage Methodist Church Monday afternoon by the pastor, Dr. J. W. L. Matlock, assisted by the Rev. Herbert Leslie, minister of the Christian Church. Burial was in Ridgewood Cemetery.

Mrs. Farmer died in Smith County Hospital Sunday shortly after noon from a stroke she suffered in February.

She was born and reared in Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN, a daughter of the late Felix P. and Victoria Jared McGinness.

She was married to Dr. Farmer who for many years was superintendent of Central State Hospital in 1936. Dr. Farmer, who had previously practiced medicine in Cookeville, died 1940. She had lived here since his death.

She was a member of the Carthage Methodist Church, being very active in various women's organizations of the church and in numerous church activities, in all of which she had an interest and pride.

Survivors are three brothers, H. B. and Roscoe McGinness, Carthage, and Dewitt McGinness, Carthage; two nieces, Mrs. J. B. Gore, Carthage; Mrs. Kenneth Robinson, Atlanta; and one nephew, Houston McGinness, Los Angeles.

Sanderson Funeral Home was in charge.

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