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W. D. KING.

LOUIS R. JONES.

Rev. Louis R. Jones was with us in cheerfulness and a happy interest in all life's affairs until a recent date, when he passed from our sight, no more to be seen until the Resurrection morn; he is not, for God has taken him. He had but recently passed his seventy-ninth birthday, and thus had reached a good old age.

Some months ago he had a light stroke of paralysis from which he gradually recovered; but on the 24th of March, at the breakfast table, he had a second stroke, and a few days later a third stroke, which resulted in his death. Anticipating the approach of the end, he had made every arrangement for the same.

Brother Jones was the son of Washington B. and Sarah A. Jones, and was born in Baltimore City, February 25th, 1835. His education was secured in the Baltimore City schools, and he became a "elerk in the wholesale grocery house of the well-known firm of Levering & Co., Commerce St."

He was happily "converted and joined the Methodist Church at the age of sixteen years when a member of Wesley Chapel Sunday School, Baltimore City Station." While engaged in business he felt moved by the Holy Ghost to preach, but he resisted for some years. At last, however, he yielded and was admitted on trial into the travelling connection at the Conference at Winchester, Va., March. 1860. Bishop Simpson, presiding. This Conference began its session, Wednesday, February 29th, in the M. E. Church. The year before, 1859, Brother Jones traveled as Junior Preacher under the Presiding Elder, Dr. John S. Martin, and Alfred B. Buhrman, Preacher in Charge of the old Fincastle Circuit.

His first regular appointment after being admitted on trial into the Conference was to Salem Circuit as Junior Preacher, together with Rev. John C. Dice, Preacher in Charge. He was ordained Deacon and Elder at the session of the Holston Conference held at Bristol, Va., 1863, by Bishop Early. He was "compelled to go to the Holston Conference for ordination because of the disorganized condition of the church in our territory at that time." The following is a list of the appointments he served during his long ministry:

1860, Junior Preacher on the Salem Circuit; 1861, Roanoke Circuit; 1862-63, Christiansburg Circuit; 1864-65, Blacksburg; 1866-67, Lewisburg; 1868, Trappe; 1869, E. Baltimore Circuit; 1870, Taylor's Circuit; 1871-72, Hookstown Circuit (now Arlington); 1873-74, Reisterstown; 1875-76, Hillsboro, Va.; 1877-80, Bladensburg; 1881-82, West River; 1883-84, Milnes; 1885-88, Linganore; 1889-92, Brucetown; 1893-4, Bridgewater; 1895-8, Luray; 1899-1902, E. Rockingham; 1903-1906, Shenandoah City; 1907, Sudly Circuit.

At the end of this year Brother Jones was compelled to superanmuate on account of being injured by the wheels of his buggy, his horse strating too soon. From the injury he never entirely recovered. He located in Luray, Va., where he lived until the time of his death.

Brother Jones was most happily married September 23rd, 1862 to Miss Mary E. V. Anderson, of Christiansburg, only daughter of Rev. E. R. Anderson. This union was blessed with six children, three daughters and three sons. Three daughters and one son, together with his widow, survive him. Rev. L. R. Jones was a clean, high-toned, Christian gentleman, faithful in the discharge of his duties as a Christian minister, a good preacher of the Word, interested in all that concerned the life and well-being of the community in which he lived.

In his last days he loved to have his friends visit and talk with him in his home. A good man has gone to his reward in the "Better Country," and his memory is as ointment poured forth. His mortal remains were laid to rest in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Baltimore.

W. H. BALLENGEE.