

THOMAS E. HOLDING CLAIMED BY DEATH

Well Known Former Business
Man of Wake Forest
Passes Away 1932

Wake Forest, Oct. 7.—Thomas E. Holding, prominent citizen of the town for many years, died early Friday morning at the age of 66 years following an extended illness. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Minta Royall Holding, and the following children: Thomas E., Jr., Harvey, Misses Bessie and Leila Holding, of Wake Forest; Robert P. Holding of Smithfield and Mrs. Edgar E. Folk, Jr., of Shawnee, Okla. Two brothers also survive him, Henry G. Holding, Wake county auditor, of Raleigh, and Dr. S. P. Holding, of Wake Forest.

Mr. Holding was one of six sons of the late Willis and Nancy Pace Holding, life-long residents of Wake county. He was a graduate of Wake Forest College and prominent in many of the activities of the county, town and college, having been at one time a member of the State Legislature and for years a druggist in Wake Forest, with varied business interests. He organized the Bank of Wake, of which he was cashier until five years ago when his health failed. He was a loyal member of the Wake Forest Baptist Church, having been converted when a young man during a revival led by Dr. William E. Hatcher.

Funeral services will be held in the Wake Forest Baptist Church at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.