

A. McA. Pittman was born in Robeson county, N. C., in 1854. He was of preacher stock, his father and two of his brothers being Baptist ministers. He was educated at Wake Forest College, and upon graduation became pastor at Washington in his native State for a short while, then attended the Seminary, from which he came to South Carolina. He began his labors in this State at Santuc, and was at later periods pastor at Winnsboro, Blackstock, Elloree and Lake City. While pastor at Lake City he founded the South Carolina Baptist, and moving to Greenwood, gave most of his time and strength to that paper for several years, though he still preached as occasion offered. He was a man of decided convictions and had the courage to uphold them. When his connection with the paper ceased, he moved to Carlisle, serving the church at that place and other churches nearby. For forty-five years he was in active service for the denomination, forty of them in South Carolina. He passed beyond, February 2, 1920.

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