

OBITUARY OF JAMES ELLINGTON

James Ellington, son of Thomas Ellington and Polly Ellington, was born July 2, 1851 and died February 3, 1931, being 79 years, 7 months and one day old.

He professed faith in Christ at about the age of 17. Joining the church at Laurel Branch, was a member of that church about 45 years. Moving his letter to Long Branch Baptist church December 20, 1914, and remained a faithful member until death, living with the people of God for 62 years.

Brother Ellington was always ready to do his part to the advancement of the cause of our Lord, being one of our most faithful members to our church and Sunday school. We feel that in the going of Brother Ellington the church has lost one of its most faithful members, and the community one of its best neighbors. But we know from the life that he lived among us that our loss is his eternal gain. "Blessed are the dead that died in the Lord from henceforth, yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them."

Respectfully submitted,
LEONARD FISHER,
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M. C. FAULKNER.

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JAMES ELLINGTON DEAD

Mr. James Ellington, age 79, died at his home on Marshall, Route 3, about 1 o'clock A. M. Tuesday, February 3, pneumonia and complications being given as the cause of his death. Mr. Ellington had been sick for about a year, but had been seriously ill only one day. Funeral services will be from the Long Branch Baptist church, Wednesday at 11 A. M., conducted by his pastor, Rev. D. K. Cohn, who will be assisted by Rev. V. C. Fisher, interment to follow in the family cemetery. Mr. Ellington was a faithful member of the Long Branch church for many years, and will be greatly

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