

The Burial Office

for

Mrs. Anna Haywood Cooper

AUGUST 10, 1859

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FEBRUARY 27, 1964

SAINT AUGUSTINE'S COLLEGE CHAPEL

RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 4, 1964

2:00 P.M.

*Grant unto Her, O Lord, Rest Eternal;
and May Light Eternal Shine Upon Her.*

ANNA J. COOPER, writer, teacher and school administrator, an alumna of Saint Augustine's College, and native of Wake County who celebrated her 105th birthday in August, died in her sleep Thursday, February 27, at her home 201 T Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Dr. Cooper, who began her education at Saint Augustine's as a young child under Dr. J. Brinton Smith, was one of the first Negro women to teach at Saint Augustine's. After teaching at Saint Augustine's and taking advanced studies with Dr. Smedes she attended Oberlin College, from which she was graduated in 1884, after three years. In 1887 she received the M.A. degree from the same college. After a few years of teaching at Saint Augustine's and elsewhere she became principal of the M Street High School in Washington, D. C., and was connected with the city schools of Washington until her retirement in 1930. In 1925 she received the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Paris. Her French works, *Le Pelerinage de Charlemagne*, and *L'Attitude de la France a L'Egard de L'Esclavage*, are widely known among scholars.

She founded and was president of Frelinghuysen University in Washington, an advanced adult education center.

Dr. Cooper is survived by two great-nieces, Regia Bronson and Marion Goodwin, and a nephew, Andrew Haywood, all of Washington.

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ORDER OF SERVICE

Opening Sentences (Congregation standing)

Hymn No. 126

Psalms 39 and 40 Pages 324 and 325 (stand)

THE LESSON — I Cor. 15:20 (seated)

Dean C. C. Gray

Hymn No. 91

The Apostles' Creed Page 15 (stand)

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The Blessing

Recessional Hymn No. 590

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