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PIONEER CITIZEN PASSES

William Wallace Carpenter was born June 19, 1896 in Culpepper, Virginia. He was one of nine children born to the late Henry Tolbert and Nannie B. Carpenter. The Carpenter family moved to Mumford, New York in 1901, where Wallace spent most of his early life as a farmer.

He received his education in the public schools of Mumford. He was a proud veteran of World War I.

When Brother Wallace came to Rochester in 1948, he brought with him a letter of introduction from the pastor of Second Baptist Church, Mumford. He served as a Deacon and Trustee while a member of Second Baptist.

Wallace joined the "old" Trinity Presbyterian Church shortly after settling in Rochester with his wife, Georgia (Greenard) Carpenter. He was an active and faithful member of Trinity Emmanuel Presbyterian Church until the onset of his illness in the Fall of 1983. His record of service included over twenty-five years as a tenor in the Senior Choir; service as a Trustee and an Elder. Brother Wallace participated fully in the life of the church.

He retired after thirty-five years in the employ- ment of his dear friends, Dr. & Mrs. Daniel Peeler. In his retirement years until 1984, Wallace enjoyed the fellowship of his friends, especially those at the Southwest Nutrition Center. Among his many interests were bowling, gardening, carpentry, and good conversation.

Our dear Brother, Wallace Carpenter, entered into rest on Wednesday, May 8, 1985, leaving to cherish his mem- ory: his wife, Georgia Carpenter; five sisters-in-laws, Hattie May Winston, Ella Poles (Rochester), Wilma Brogden, Mary Lou Miles, Margaret Redd; one brother-in-law, Robert Spencer; other relatives, and hosts of friends.

Funeral Services were held at the Trinity Emmanuel Presbyterian Church, Jefferson Avenue at Shelter Street. The pastor, the Reverend Deborah F. Mullen, of- ficiating — assisted by Dr. Frederick D. Jefferson and Rev. Charles Thurman, of the Mumford Second Baptist Church and Milton Moss, Soloist.

Funeral arrangements by the Millard E. Latimer & Son.

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From left: Roy Wilkins, 1964; John H. Johnson, 1966; Robert C. Weaver, 1962; Mrs. Mabel Keaton Staupers, 1951; Kenneth B. Clark, 1961; Miss Leontyne Price, 1965; and Mr. Davis, 1968. (Layne photo).
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