

## **Mamie Saunders**

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MRS. J.G. SANDERS [sic] BURIED HERE TODAY

Mrs. J.G. Saunders, prominent and pioneer resident of Lowndes county, who once resided in Brunswick, died yesterday afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J.P. Prescott, near Valdosta, and she was buried here at 4 o'clock this afternoon beside her husband, who died and was buried here several years ago. The funeral here was in charge of Mortician Edo Miller and followed funeral services conducted at the Lake Park Methodist church this morning.

Mrs. Saunders was the widow of the late J.G. Saunders, of Lake Park, a pioneer in the development of the peanut industry in south Georgia into commercial importance.

Since his death Mrs. Saunders continued to make her home at Lake Park, where she was influential in the religious life of that community. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Annie Hughes, Miami, Fla., and a number of nieces and nephews, Rev. J.W. Hitch, presiding elder of the Valdosta Methodist district, and formerly of Savannah, being among them.

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