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8 MOURNING THE DEATH OF MRS. ROXIE L. BATTLES.
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10 WHEREAS, with profound sorrow and regret, we receive
11 news of the death of Mrs. Roxie L. Battles of Sand Rock,
12 Alabama, on February 12, 2011, at the age of 92 years; and

13 WHEREAS, the passing of Mrs. Battles leaves a void
14 in the lives of her loving family, her many friends, and the
15 entire community, where she was well-known and highly
16 regarded; and

17 WHEREAS, a native of DeKalb County, Mrs. Battles was
18 a dedicated homemaker and a member of Pleasant Hill Baptist
19 Church; and

20 WHEREAS, preceding her in death were her husband,
21 Fred Battles; son, Charles Battles; and parents, Harry and
22 Cora Howard Durham; and

23 WHEREAS, she is survived by her son, Donald (Martha)
24 Battles; daughter, Dorothy (Loy) Rasmussen; sister, Nell
25 Blaylock; six grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and
26 several nieces and nephews; and

1 WHEREAS, Mrs. Battles was a valued member of the
2 community; although her presence will be missed, her memory
3 will be cherished in the hearts and minds of those who were
4 fortunate to know her; now therefore,

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
6 THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That the death of Mrs. Roxie L.
7 Battles is recorded with deep sadness, and this resolution is
8 offered in tribute to her life, along with heartfelt sympathy
9 to her grieving family.