so ne emigrated to Palestine in 1946.

With his equally devout son, Solomon, he lived in an austerly furnished house in a Tel Aviv subirb. Solomon, who steadfastedly refused to discuss his sister, has been a teacher of history in the Mikve Isreal Agricultural School near Tel Aviv.

When the Rabbi became serously ill. Solomon reluctantly set out for Bucharest, to tell his sister. He was in Bucharest when death ame to his father. A cable was ent to him several days ago that is father's death was near, and he s expected back by Sunday. .

The Rabbi had not seen his laughter since he left Rumania, ifter being escorted to the border by guards provided by Ana.

## DR. JOHN W. DICKINSON

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

ALSTEAD, N. H., March 30-Dr. John Walker Dickinson, a practicing dentist in New York for many years, died here yesterday at the age of 71.

A graduate of Harvard he had practiced in Boston and Edgartown, Mass., before having gone to New York in 1913. Dr. Dickinson served as a captain of the Port Chester (N. Y.) Home Guard

sister, Mrs. Ann Tappey of Fairlington, Va.

## RICHARD W. WOLFE

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

CHICAGO, March 30-Richard W. Wolfe, former Commissioner of Public Works and for more than fifty years active in the business and civic life of Chicago, died today in South Chicago Community Hospital, He was 84 years old,

more than thirty years. He dropped into retirement on Feb. 12, 1912. his active business career in 1914 The passing of the Manchu dywhen the late Mayor William H. nasty and the birth of the Chinese Thompson appointed him Building Republic date from this period. Commissioner. He was also a member of the city's original zoning committee.

Commissioner of Public Works, Mr. Wolfe was credited with having begun the straightening of the Chicago River and having built a water filtering plant for the city.

Born in Althea, Ireland, he came to the United States as an immigrant youth in 1885. He was a descendant of Gen. James Wolfe, term of Ben Tillman, who had died. conqueror of Quebec.

REV. FINLAY M'DONALD STELLARTON, N. S., March 30

last was reported in Siberia, a Rus- doctorate sian captive after World War II. sity, was

Hsun once was Prince Regent of Fathers The Nationalist news here in China. agency said he virtually starved to death after the Reds seized his properties and cut off his income. It did not say when he died.

Prince Hsun, or Prince Chun in the old spelling, became Regent in August, 1908, when Pu Yi was  $2\frac{1}{2}$ years old. He abdicated at the end Mr. Wolfe had been retired for of 1911, and his son followed him

## CHRISTIE BENET

COLUMBIA, S. C., March 30 (A) -Christie Benet, former Senator and chairman of the Clemson College board of trustees, died today at the age of 71. He had been mopolis, critically ill for many weeks.

He served as Senator for six months in 1918, when he was appointed by the late Gov. Richard I. Manning to fill the unexpired Mr. Benet, an attorney, was an outstanding football lineman at the University of South Carolina and the University of Virginia. He

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