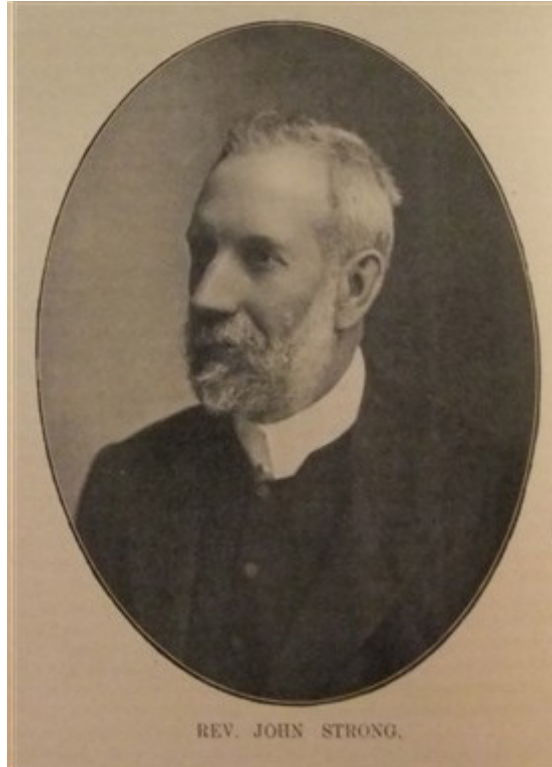


JOHN STRONG

John was born in 1846 in Consett, Co Durham

John married Catharine Gray in 1875 in Lanchester Co Durham. They had seven children

John died on 14 April 1925 in Hull, Yorkshire.



Very few newspaper records survive but more detail of his life can be found via:

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VETERAN MINISTER, DEATH OF JOHN STRONG, OF HULL.

KEEN IN CONTROVERSY.

We regret to record the death of the Rev John Strong, a retired Methodist Minister of Hull, which took place on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr Strong, who was in his 80th year, resided at 24 Clough-road. He appeared to be in his usual state of health only three or four days ago, and his many friends are shocked at his sudden end. Mr Strong was in charge of the schedule of religious services at the Northumberland avenue Almshouses, and was formerly in charge of Lambert-street P.M. Church, of which he was a member.

He was keenly evangelical, and was held in the highest esteem by all ministers, of whatever denomination, who knew him. A friend has described him as a bit of a controversialist, and Mr Strong wrote frequent letters to the "Mail" on the theory of evolution. No longer ago than last Thursday, when in company with some friends, he brought out the letters to re-read.

Mr Strong was a widower. A grown-up Family survives.

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