

# Ruling Elder High Honor

## Men Named by the First Presbyterian Church Are Listed

The highest distinction that can come to a member of a Presbyterian church is to be made a ruling elder. While the denomination has rotary system whereby church officers serve for three year terms and then cannot succeed themselves, the ordination of a ruling elder is for life. It can be taken away only by ecclesiastical trial and judgment.

The following present resident members of the First Ardmore Presbyterian church were first elected to the office of ruling elder on the date following each name. Arthur C. Straehley, April 3, 1912; Perry Maxwell, April 16, 1915; Fred C. Carr, April 4, 1919; C. A. Wilson, April 6, 1923; C. E. Stewart, April 6, 1923; Sam P. Matthews, April 20, 1924; William Hutchinson, April 9, 1928; George R. Norris, April 3, 1929; L. S. Dolman, April 8, 1931; A. C. Hall, April 20, 1931; George R. Fish, March 28, 1934; D. C. Bostwick, March 28, 1934; T. E. Garrison, April 10, 1935; J. E. Williams, April 10, 1935; Arthur Kyle, April 2, 1936; Mort Woods, April 2, 1936.