



Mrs. Molly Cason Moss

Mrs. Moss was born in Nashville, Georgia, on November 19, 1918. Her father moved the family to Elko when Molly was four years old. She established roots there, attending grade school and graduating from Perry High School in 1936. While attending Georgia Teachers College in Statesboro, she began a teaching career that would span 37 years. She received an associate's degree from Georgia Teachers College in 1939, and a B.S. in Education in 1953.

Mrs. Moss began teaching in a one-room school house and worked in numerous schools throughout Georgia and Florida. She returned to her alma mater as a high school English teacher in 1954. She taught ninth-grade English at Perry High until 1970. She then taught at Houston Junior High until her retirement in 1974.

Mrs. Moss was an outstanding English teacher who set high standards and expectations for her students. Her commitment to excellence, approach in the classroom, and demeanor were admired by students and teachers alike.

Following her retirement in 1974, she continued to volunteer her time and talents to numerous causes in her community. The Molly Moss Memorial Bridge near Elko was dedicated in honor of her contributions to education and the community. Since the death of her husband, J.T., who was also a Perry teacher, she has lived near her daughter, Pat, and son-in-law, Lee Rush, in Cochran.