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Henry Calvert, 44, Dead On Arrival At Hospital Here 8-5-57

Henry G. Calvert, Tollesboro carpentering contractor and builder, was dead on arrival at Hayswood Hospital at 12:10 p.m. Monday after a heart attack. He was 44.

Mr. Calvert, who lived a mile south of Tollesboro on Route 57, was being rushed to the hospital by his wife when he expired.

Member of a widely known Lewis county family, Mr. Calvert had been remodeling a house for Frank Browning during the morning. It was not until he returned home at noon that he complained of being ill.

The coronary victim, whose 80-year-old father, Marshall J. Calvert, lives alone at Tollesboro, was one of his community's most popular men. In consequence his death, coming with such merciless swiftness, has cast a pall of sadness in many circles.

Mr. Calvert will be especially missed by the membership of the Tollesboro Lions club. He was a charter member of this service group, organized April 13, 1954, and last May was elected to the office of Tail Twister. An active participant in his club's varied philanthropies and public welfare projects, his community service was outstanding. 8-5-57-mon

He was also a member of the Tollesboro Methodist church and the Lewis County Farm Bureau.

When "Modern Homes of Vanceburg" was incorporated last October to construct houses for the influx of personnel connected with the US Shoe Corporation, Mr. Calvert was one of the incorporators. Another of the original incorporators, J. F. Bertram, Jr., of Vanceburg, was killed in an auto crash last spring.

Mr. Calvert, who enjoyed life to the fullest and made a friend of each person whom he met, had a convivial nature and outgoing personality. Standing high in public esteem, his death will be felt by countless numbers as an individual loss.

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Born on March 27, 1913, Henry Gordon Calvert was the youngest of the eight children of M. J. Calvert and the late Elizabeth Deatley Calvert.

On September 18, 1935, he married Miss Ruth Polly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Polly, of Tollesboro, and also a Lewis countian by birth.

Two children were born of the union and they are Mrs. Sue Calvert Hull, wife of Lt. Wendell R. Hull, stationed with the U. S. Air Force at Phoenix, Ariz., and Tommy Calvert, 14, to be a freshman at Tollesboro High School this fall, who was expecting to ~~arrive~~ Wednesday for a visit with his brother-in-law and sister.

In addition to his widow, his children and his father, Mr. Calvert leaves four brothers and three sisters. They are George Will Calvert, Tollesboro; Fred Calvert, of the Mason-Lewis road; Charles Calvert, San Diego, Calif.; Isaac Calvert, Bellevue, O.; Mrs. Myrtle Helton, El Monte, Calif.; Mrs. Roy Meeks (Goldie), of Tucson, Ariz., and Mrs. Wesley Lackey (Alice), of Maysville. Also surviving is one grandchild, Wendy Sue Hull.

The Barbour, Merritt and Hamlin funeral home, at Tollesboro has charge of arrangements.

Tollesboro Grocer Passes In Hospital

Harvey (H) Brayfield, one of the best known and most highly respected residents of the Tollesboro community, died last Thursday at 5:30 p.m. in Hayswood hospital. He was a victim of Hodgkin's disease.

Mr. Brayfield was 52 years old and had spent most of his lifetime in the operation of a general store.

His first business operation in Tollesboro was started in 1939, when he moved there from Mt. Olivet and opened a small grocery.

He kept this store until 1942 when he entered the United States Army to serve during World War II. He was discharged in 1945 and returned to Tollesboro the following year and purchased another store.

This year his condition became so serious he was forced to sell the business and retire. He had been admitted to the hospital just a week ago.

Mr. Brayfield was born in Nicholas county, September 15, 1910, a son of the late Harvey and Cora Dray Brayfield. He was married to Lyda White, May 30, 1936, and she survives as does a daughter, Kathy, 16, who is a student at Tollesboro High school.

The deceased was known by both young and old alike and held the admiration of the entire community. He was noted for his honesty and integrity in business and as a man whose kindness radiated as a part of his every day life.

Surviving in addition to his wife and daughter is a nephew, Billy Brayfield, of Tollesboro, whom he had reared.

Burial was in Mt. Olivet cemetery, following services at Tollesboro last Sunday.

Ermen Boyd, 47, Lewis Co. Native, Dies In Florida ³⁻¹⁴ 1968

Ermen Boyd, 47, formerly of Tollesboro, died Monday afternoon after being stricken with a heart attack at his home on 113 Citrus Drive, Winter Haven, Florida.

Funeral services will be held at the Ott-Laughlin Funeral Home, Winter Haven, today at 2 p.m. Burial also will be in Florida.

A son of Mrs. Achsa Osborne Boyd, of Tollesboro, he was a brother of Harry Boyd, of the Maple Leaf Road and Mrs. Virginia Nute, of Route 2, Maysville.

Mr. Boyd, who was associated with the Ohio State Insurance Company here before going to Florida in 1960, was an insurance broker in Winter Haven.

He was a veteran of World War II and during 1943-44 served with the U.S. Navy in the South Pacific. He was a member of the Concord Chapter of the Masonic Lodge and was affiliated with the Tollesboro Christian Church.

Born May 26, 1921, in Lewis County, he was married to the former Virginia Paxen, of Concord. She survives.

His father was the late Edgar Boyd.

Mr. Boyd was a personable man who was liked by all who knew him. His unexpected death has caused much sorrow among his many friends in this area.

Besides his wife, his mother, brother and sister here, he is survived by one son, Ermen, Jr. at home; two other brothers, Burnett Boyd and Donald Boyd, both of Cincinnati, and another sister, Mrs. Bonnie Hamilton, of Cincinnati. One sister, Mrs. Sydna Carnes, predeceased him.

His mother accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Boyd and Mrs. Hamilton to Florida for the funeral. SERVICES

Feb 4, 1973

ORVILLE HIGHFIELD

Orville Samuel Highfield, 79, of Tollesboro, died at 3:20 a.m. Feb. 4th at Hayswood Hospital where he had been admitted the previous day. Death resulted from the effects of a stroke.

A retired farmer and for more than 15 years the operator of a general store in Tollesboro, Mr. Highfield had spent his lifetime in the Tollesboro community.

He was born in Lewis County on Dec. 22, 1893, a son of the late Abner A. and Ella Kissick Highfield. He was a member of the Tollesboro Christian Church.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Lucille Tucker, of Tollesboro; three brothers, Adrian Highfield, and Pleas Highfield, both of Tollesboro, and Grantford Highfield, of Maysville, asister, Mrs. Robena Parker, of Covington; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Russell Barbour and Son Funeral Home, Tollesboro. Rev. Larry Tucker, officiated, assisted by Rev. Phil Cornett. Burial was in the Maysville Cemetery.

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OWEN COOPER

12-16-81

Services for Owen Cooper, 7 were held at the Bryant Funer Home at 2 p.m. Monday, December 14, 1981. Burial was in Black Oak Cemetery in Vanceburg.

Mr. Cooper, a resident of Vanceburg, died at the Maysville Hospital at 10:10 a.m. Saturday, Dec 12. He was 71.

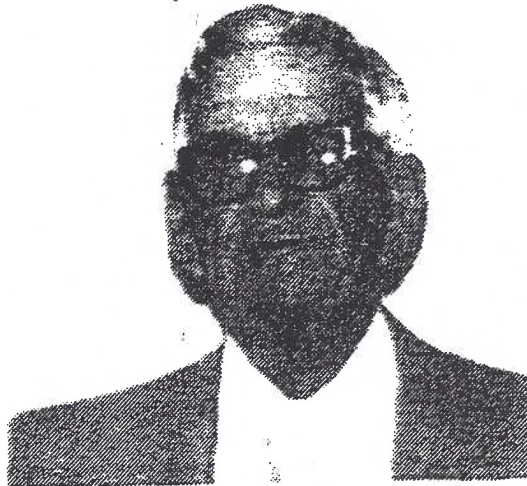
He was born in Tollesboro, Feb. 1, 1910, a son of the late Paris B. and Myrtle Beckett Cooper. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lovi Mavity Cooper, who died in December 1974.

A member of the Vanceburg United Methodist Church and the Vanceburg Lions Club, he served in the Navy in World War II. He was the recipient of a Kentucky Colonelcy.

Mr. Cooper was a retired accountant of the J. F. Bertram Chevrolet Company in Vanceburg, former owner of Cooper Hardware in Vanceburg and Cooper Chevrolet in Tollesboro. He formerly served as a deputy sheriff in Lewis County and was an employee of the State of Kentucky.

Surviving are his daughter, Mrs. Patricia Lewis, Vanceburg; a brother, Fred Cooper of Dayton, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Annabel Teager, of Middleton, Ohio and Mrs. Ruth Dixon, Tollesboro; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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Mr. Harrison

Mr. Harrison 7-5-93

TOLLESBORO — Services for Boyd Hise Harrison will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Tollesboro United Methodist Church with the Rev. Frank Cannon and Fred Calvert officiating. Burial will be in Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

Honorary pallbearers will be William Staton, Woodrow Hord, Charles Bane, John Monroe, Arch Meadows, Thomas R. Craycraft, Charles Hughes, Ted Earheart, Glenn Cole and Roy Bradford. Active pallbearers will be Charles T. Harrison, James R. Harrison, Max Doerle, Dr. John D. O'Cull, Lloyd Caskey, LaVae Secrest, Arthur B. Harrison and Jimmy McRoberts.

Mr. Harrison was a lifelong resident of Tollesboro and died Sunday at the St. Clair Medical Center in Morehead. Death was attributed to a heart attack. He was a prominent farm machinery dealer and was 75.

Visitation at the Barbour Funeral Home will be from 4 to 9 o'clock tonight.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the Boyd Harrison Memorial Fund of the Tollesboro United Methodist Church.

Mr. Harrison 7/4/83

TOLLESBORO — Boyd Hise Harrison, prominent farm machinery dealer, is dead at age 75.

The lifelong resident of Tollesboro died yesterday at the St. Clair Medical Center in Morehead. Death was attributed to a heart attack.

Mr. Harrison was born in Lewis County March 19, 1908. He was the son of the late Robert M. and Leona Hise Harrison and a member of the Tollesboro United Methodist Church.

In addition to his wife, Beulah Emmons Harrison, Mr. Harrison is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Wayne (Betty) Secrest, Vanceburg, Mrs. Allen (Sue) Bane, Tollesboro and Mrs. Steven (Patricia) Wright of Morehead.

Mr. Harrison was preceded in death by his sister, Mabel Hampton and a brother, Cartmal Harrison of Tollesboro. He also leaves 7 grandchildren and a great-grandchild.

Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Tollesboro United Methodist Church. Reverends Frank Cannon and Fred Calvert will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Tabor Cemetery.

Visitation at the Barbour Funeral Home has been scheduled for 4 until 9 p.m. tomorrow. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the Boyd Harrison Memorial Fund of the Tollesboro United Methodist Church.

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Mr. Secrest 3-16-89

TOLLESBORO -- Lawrence LaVae Secrest, 63, a resident of Route 1, Tollesboro, died Wednesday morning at 8:50 a.m. at Meadowview Regional Hospital after an extended illness.

Mr. Secrest was born May 12, 1925 at Stratford, Iowa, a son of Bruce E. and Christine Malone Secrest, of Trinity. He was manager of Hendrickson Paint Co. in Maysville where he had been employed for 40 years.

Mr. Secrest served as chairman of the board of trustees at the Tollesboro United Methodist Church. He was a charter member of the Tollesboro Lions Club in which he had held almost every office and was named Lions Club Outstanding Citizen in Tollesboro in 1973.

Mr. Secrest was among the first members of the Tollesboro Volunteer Fire Department. He was a Kentucky Colonel and an honorary admiral of Kentucky Waterways. A graduate of Tollesboro High School, he served in the U.S. Navy as a gunner on the USS Sea Tiger in World War II.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Doris Stevenson Secrest; a daughter, Miss Dorinda Lyn Secrest of Tollesboro and a sister, Mrs. Charles (Maxine) Mashburn of Gadsden, Ala.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Friday at the Barbour and Son Funeral Home in Tollesboro. Rev. William Bentley will officiate and burial will be at Hillcrest Garden of Memories.

Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Memorials may be sent to the Tollesboro United Methodist Church or to the Maysville Hospice of Hope.

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Mr. Secrest 3-17-89

TOLLESBORO -- Services for

Lawrence LaVae Secrest, 63, who died Wednesday at Meadowview Regional Hospital, will be conducted at 1 p.m. today at the Barbour and Son Funeral Home. Burial will follow in the Hillcrest Garden of Memories.

Mr. Secrest was manager of the Hendrickson Paint Company in Maysville where he had been employed for 40 years.

Mr. Secrest served as chairman of the board of trustees at the Tollesboro United Methodist Church. He was a charter member of the Tollesboro Lions Club in which he had held almost every office and was named Lions Club Outstanding Citizen in Tollesboro in 1973. He was among the first members of the Tollesboro Volunteer Fire Department, and a Kentucky Colonel.

Mr. Secrest was born May 12, 1925 at Stratford, Iowa, the son of Bruce E. and Christine Malone Secrest of Trinity.

Surviving besides his parents are his wife, Mrs. Doris Stevenson Secrest; a daughter, Miss Dorinda Lyn Secrest of Tollesboro and a sister, Mrs. Charles (Maxine) Mashburn of Gadsden, Ala.

Pallbearers include Rany Hughes, Mike Cole, Mike Boyd, Tom Hendrickson, Bob Hendrickson, Doug Hendrickson and Barry Caskey.

Honorary pallbearers are Glen Cole, Thomas Ray Cracraft, Bill Staton, James Beckett, Bud Hughes and members of the Tollesboro Lions Club.

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Eugene Fox, 66, dies; was THS principal, ⁵⁻²²⁻¹⁹⁹³ first BTADD director

Mr. Frye ^{8/29/1995}

TOLLESBORO — Howard (Buck) Frye, 75, of Aberdeen, died Monday in the Clermont Mercy Hospital, Batavia, Ohio. He had been ill since February of 1989.

A former owner and operator of Stan Harvey Gas Company in Tollesboro, Mr. Frye was a former fire chief at Tollesboro. He was a member of the Church of the Nazarene and had served as a Sunday School superintendent.

Mr. Frye was born in Lewis County on Nov. 4, 1919 and was the son of the late Arthur and Laura Belle Thoroughman Frye. His wife, Mrs. Dorothy Marie Cooper Frye, died April 17, 1995.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Judy Boyd of Pottsville, Pa., and Mrs. Joy Ackley of Mount Orab, Ohio; two sons, Shelby Frye of Aberdeen, and Mike Frye of Georgetown, Ohio; and nine grandchildren, Shelia Frye, Cathy Taylor, Kevin Ackley, Kelly Ackley, Domina Ackley, J.K. Frye, Christopher Frye, Sarah Taylor and Katie Frye. He was preceded in death by a sister, Lena Iery.

Graveside services will be 10 a.m. Thursday at Hillcrest Gardens. Rev. Donald Tipton will officiate.

Visitation at the Barbour and Son Funeral Home, Tollesboro, will be 6 to 8 p.m. Wednesday.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Hope, 1 West McDonald Parkway, Maysville, Ky., 41056 or Church of the Nazarene, Pottsville, Pa.

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TOLLESBORO — Eugene Fox, 66, of Tollesboro, died Friday after a long illness.

Mr. Fox was the first director of the Buffalo Trace Area Development District and a principal of the Tollesboro High School. He was of the Methodist faith and a member of the St. Mary's No. 240 Concord Masonic Lodge. He was an active member of the Tollesboro Lions Club and worked at the Department of Human Resources in Maysville and Vanceburg. He was the builder and at one time the owner of a supermarket in Tollesboro. He also was a substitute teacher.

Born on Jan. 9, 1927, he was a son of a coal miner, the late Harve and Edna Potter Fox.

Surviving are his wife of 44 years, Mrs. Edna Earl Fox; two children, John Fox and Sandy Skipper; three grandchildren, Kristin Eugene Kennedy, Sabrina Skipper, and Michelle Adams.

Funeral services are 1 p.m. Sunday at the Barbour and Son Funeral Home with burial in the Ebenezer Church Cemetery at Cabin Creek, Ky.

Visitation is from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home, with Masonic services at 8 p.m.

Pallbearers are Jeff Cooper, Herschel Polley, Jim Clark, Douglas King, Harry Stamm and John Grigson.



Eugene Fox

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Mr. Rudder 9/16/97

MAYSVILLE — Newell E. Rudder, 89, of Mason-Lewis Road, Maysville, died at 7:32 a.m. Sunday in the emergency room of Columbia Hospital Maysville. His wife is Flora J. McNutt Rudder.

A retired farmer and businessman, Mr. Rudder was the owner and operator of the Hillcrest Gardens Cemetery in Mason County for 25 years. He had acquired the cemetery in 1971.

Mr. Rudder was born in Lewis County on April 20, 1908, the son of the late Charles and Maude Cooper Rudder.

Surviving besides his wife are a daughter, Charlene Pullins of Paint Lick, Ky.; a step-daughter, Sonia Taylor of Gahana, Ohio; three grandchildren, James C. Pullman II, Leanne Clark and Janie Hughes Haeger; and two great-grandchildren.

Services will be 11 a.m. Wednesday at Brell and Son Funeral Home. Minister Mark O. Wingo will officiate at the service with burial in Hillcrest Gardens.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home from 6 to 8 p.m. today.

Mr. Merritt 10/12/97

TOLLESBORO — Chelsea A. Merritt, 76, of Tollesboro, died Wednesday morning at Ephraim McDowell Medical Center in Danville, Ky. after an illness of four months.

Mr. Merritt was a 1939 graduate of Tollesboro High School. He managed a farm in Fleming County. He attended Welders School in Cincinnati and worked in a shipyard in Baltimore, Md. He was a veteran of World War II and served in the Signal Corps for 37 months. He was in the European Theatre of Operations. He was a graduate of the Kentucky School of Embalming in 1946 and was a partner for 15 years with the Barbour-Merritt and Hamlin Funeral Home.

Born in Jefferson County on May 4, 1919, he was the son of the late Dr. C.C. Merritt and Minerva Martin Merritt.

Surviving are his wife, Edith Hensley Merritt; three children, Vicki M. Eby of Kissimmee, Fla., Vali M. Harrison of Danville, and Chelsea Claude Merritt of Palatka, Fla. Also surviving are his grandchildren, Charles B. Eby, Jr., Joseph A. Merritt, Hillary Merritt, Drew Harrison and Zach Harrison. He was preceded in death by one brother, George Merritt.

Services are 1 p.m. Saturday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home with Brother Doug Brown officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Gardens of Memories.

Visitation is from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday at the funeral home.

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Mr. Bane 1/30/98



Charles A. Bane
TOLLESBORO — Charles A. Bane, 85, of Tollesboro, died Wednesday at St. Joseph Hospital in Lexington.

Mr. Bane was a 1931 graduate of Tollesboro High School. After graduation he worked for Southern Railroad in Atlanta, Ga. He later worked for the Atlanta Postal Service until his return to Tollesboro in 1937 to

help the family farm during the Depression.

Mr. Bane served on the boards of the Citizens Deposit Bank, Western Mason and Lewis Water and Gas District, Tollesboro District of the Lewis County School Board and served 40 years as board member of the Huntington Interstate Milk Producers Association.

Born in Lewis County on Feb. 18, 1912, he was the son of the late Charles P. and Bessie Hord Bane.

Surviving are his wife, Georgia M. Hughes Bane; two sons, Robert and Alan Bane, both of Tollesboro; five grandchildren, Troy Bane, Todd Bane and Joe Bane, all of Tollesboro; and Susan Bane and Ann Stenzel, both of Winchester; and seven great-grandchildren.

Services are 2 p.m. Sunday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home with Rev. Donald Tipton officiating. Burial will be in Hillcrest Gardens of Memories.

Pallbearers are Troy Bane, Todd Bane, Joe Bane, Jim Boyd, Mike Boyd, Melvin Hughes and Jay Stenzel.

Visitation is from 6 to 9 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Tollesboro Junior-Senior High School.

Mr. Bane 1/30/98

TOLLESBORO — Charles A. Bane, 85, of Tollesboro, died Wednesday at St. Joseph Hospital, Lexington. He is survived by his wife, Georgia Hughes Bane.

Services 2 p.m. Sunday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home. Burial in Hillcrest Gardens of Memories.

Visitation 6-9 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

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2-18-2002

MR. GRANT

TOLLESBORO - William B. Grant, 83, of Tollesboro, died Monday, Feb. 18, 2002, in Meadowview Regional Medical Center after an illness of several months.

A member of the Tollesboro community for 62 years, Mr. Grant was a graduate of Maysville High School and attended Eastern Kentucky University. He was retired from the tobacco markets and sold insurance and farm equipment for 52 years. He was a member of the Orangeburg Christian Church and a charter member of the Tollesboro Lions Club. He also served as district governor of the 43rd Lions Club, served on the board of directors of the Farmers Mutual Insurance Company and served as counselor with the Lions Club International.



William B. Grant

Mr. Grant was a Kentucky Colonel and received the Melvin Jones Fellow Award in the Lions Club. He was the organizer of the Tollesboro Volunteer Fire Department.

He was born in Detroit, Mich. on March 8, 1918, to the late James Arthur and Pearl Blythe Grant.

Surviving are his wife, Alice Moore Grant; two children, Samuel K. Grant of Cincinnati, and Willa G. Sanders (Maxwell) of Kosciusko, Miss.; two grandchildren, Alicia Bolden (Jason)

of Oxford, Miss., and Shelley Sanders of Orlando, Fla.; one brother, Porter Grant of Flemingsburg; and one sister, Jenny Citron of Maysville; and several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by one brother, James Grant.

Services are 10 a.m. Friday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home with Rev. Norman Wasson, Dr. Michael Rice and Kenny Conlee officiating. Burial will be in Maysville Cemetery.

Visitation is from 5 to 9 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

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MR. HUGHES

TOLLESBORO – Charles Maurice Hughes, 89, of Tollesboro, died Saturday, March 29, 2003, at Hilltop Lodge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Owingsville.

He was a retired educator of 45 years and received his primary education at Cottageville School on Cabin Creek. He graduated from Tollesboro High School in 1931, graduated from Berea College in 1936 and received a master's degree from Morehead State University. He was a member of the Tollesboro United Methodist Church where he taught Sunday school class and served as Sunday school superintendent for more than 20 years.

After graduating from Berea in 1936, he taught and coached basketball at Tollesboro High School until 1943 when he moved his family to Morehead. He worked on his master's degree and taught at Haldman School in Rowan County.

He returned to Tollesboro High School in 1948 where he continued as agriculture teacher. He became principal of Tollesboro High School in 1960. When the Tollesboro Elementary School was built, he served as principal for both schools. He retired in 1981.

He took great pride in his garden and supplied the neighborhood with fresh vegetables. He was famous for his wit and humor.

He was a charter president of the Tollesboro Lions Club. He served on the policy council for the Licking Valley Head Start and was a very active member in the efforts to save Tollesboro High School.

He was also a great UK fan.

Mr. Hughes was born Sept. 7, 1913, on Cabin Creek in Lewis County, the son of the late Mackey and Rose Carpenter Hughes.

He was the widower of Lucille Gabbard Hughes whom he married in January, 1937. Mrs. Hughes died in 1989.

Survivors include his children, Terri Kinsler and Jim of Findlay, Ohio, and Dr. Charles Richard Hughes and Ann of Winchester; four grandchildren, James R. Kinsler of Orlando, Fla., Christopher Kinsler of Springfield, Ohio, Beth Ann Hughes and Richard Hughes, both of Lexington; one great-grandchild, John P. Kinsler of Springfield; a brother, Winn Hughes of New Bern, N.C.; and a sister, Dorothy Thomas of Newberg, Oregon.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, Cecil Hughes and Melvin Hughes; and three sisters, Lucille Boyd, Georgia Bane and Elizabeth Giffen.

Services are 3 p.m. Tuesday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home in Tollesboro with Rev. Charles Allen officiating. Burial will follow in the Hillcrest Garden of Memories with Bob Bane, Alan Bane, Jim Boyd, Melvin Hughes, Arthur Applegate, Larry Applegate and Don Tucker serving as pallbearers.

Visitation is from 6 until 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the Tollesboro United Methodist Church or Tollesboro Lions Club.

4-27-2003

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MR. CORNS

TOLLESBORO - Scott Scoville Corns, 87, of Bryant Circle, Maysville, died Thursday, May 30, 2002, at Meadowview Regional Medical Center after being in declining health for the last two years.

Mr. Corns was a retired insurance agent with Lewis County Farm Bureau and he was also a farmer. He moved to Maysville from Lewis County in 1983 and was a member of the New Hope Christian Church.

He was born in Tollesboro on Aug. 6, 1914, to the late Joseph Elmer and Myrnie Gillisepie Corns.

Surviving are his wife, Elizabeth Hendrickson Corns; one daughter and son-in-law, Ann Corns Slocum and Warren D. Slocum of East Lansing, Mich.; three stepchildren, Leonard Hendrickson, Darlene Applegate and Roger Hendrickson, all of Maysville; two grandchildren, Maria Slocum and Andrea Slocum Orten; five step grandchildren, Paula Hendrickson Walton, Jena Hendrickson, Jason Applegate, Kila Hendrickson and Kinley Hendrickson; two step-great-grandchildren, Bryan Walton and Lauren Applegate; one brother, Arthur W. Corns of Bowling Green, and one sister, Donna Corns Geagley of Tollesboro. He was preceded in death by his first wife of 48 years, Dorothy Bean Corns, who died in 1983; and his second wife, Margie Dickens Corns who died in 1985.

Services are 2 p.m. Sunday at Barbour and Son Funeral Home with Dr. Mike Rice and Bro. Trent Graves officiating. Burial in Clarksburg Cemetery.

Pallbearers are Kinley Hendrickson, Roger Hendrickson, Leonard Hendrickson, Jeff Geagley, Gordon Geagley, Kirsten Walton and Justin Orten.

Visitation is from 5 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.

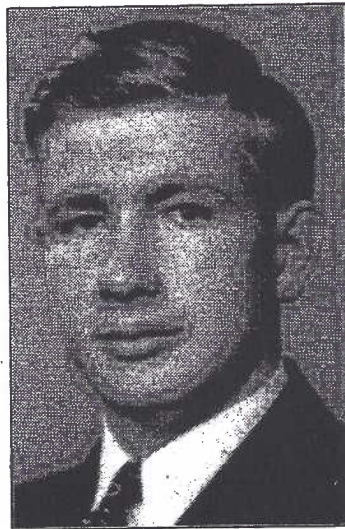
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Lewis County Herald
March 2, 2004

Mr. Gillespie

Julian Elmo Gillespie, 82, of Tollesboro, died Monday, February 23, 2004, at UK Medical Center in Lexington, due to renal failure and complications.

Born August 5, 1921, in Lewis County, he was a son of the late David Simpson and Sarah Edith Seybold Gillespie. He was a retired farmer and landowner. He graduated valedictorian from Tollesboro High School in 1938 and from the University of Kentucky in 1942 with highest distinction. He majored in agronomy, and was a member of Alpha Zeta and the Agronomy Club. He was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant at the time of graduation from UK. He served in the European Theater in World War II. After WWII, he taught Veterans Agriculture in Lewis County for seven years. He taught economics, history, and biology at Tollesboro High School 1956-1957. He was a member of the Lewis County Soil Conservation district for 34 years and served in all offices. He was a charter member of the Tollesboro Lions Club and was a member for 49 years. He held every office in the Lions Club to include President. He was always active in the Tollesboro Lions Club Fair and the Lions Club plays. In 1976, he was selected as Citizen of the Year in Tollesboro. He has been a member of the Tollesboro Christian Church since he was nine years old where he taught Sunday School for 41 years. He also served as treasurer, Deacon



and many other capacities. He will be greatly missed in the Tollesboro community.

Surviving are two daughters, Sarah Ann (Charles) Garrett of Dallas, Texas, and Julie Ann Gillespie of Tollesboro; one sister, Alethea (Robert) Sturdevant of Cynthiana; and one sister-in-law, Eloise Gillespie of Waverly, Ohio.

He was preceded in death by one brother, Stanley Otto Gillespie.

Services were conducted Saturday, February 28, 2004, at 2:00 p.m., at Tollesboro Christian Church. Pastor Roger Ellis, Bro. John Moore, and Bro. Kelly Bierly officiated with burial in the Maysville Cemetery.

Arrangements were under the direction of Barbour and Son Funeral Home in Tollesboro.

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OF APRIL 15, 1954,
MAY 13, 1954 AND
MAY 20, 1954.

The Ledger-Independent
Tue., Feb. 8, 1972.
Bruce Barkley

Bruce Hull Barkley, member of a prominent pioneer Lewis County family, died at 12:45 p.m. Monday at Hayswood Hospital. He had suffered from a heart condition for about a year and last Wednesday underwent abdominal surgery. Death was attributed to a coronary.

Mr. Barkley was a retired farmer and at one time had extensive land holdings in Lewis County. He was the agent for Farm Bureau Insurance Co. and held that position for many years.

A native of Lewis County, he was born Feb. 24, 1897, a son of the late George and May Hull Barkley. On April 19, 1924, Mr. Barkley married the former Leone Elliott in Germantown.

An elder in the East Fork Christian Church, Mr. Barkley was a Mason and a member of the York Rite Masonic Lodge of Concord. He also held membership in the Scottish Rite of Covington and Shriners Rite of Lexington.

Mr. Barkley was a member of the Eastern Star and a veteran of World War I with a rank of Fireman Third Class.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss Frances Elliott Barkley, a teacher at the Lewis County High School until the past year, and one sister, Mrs. Jenny Barkley Ferguson of Maysville.

Arrangements are incomplete at the Russell Barbour and Son Funeral Home in Tollesboro.

MARCH 6, 1975

Russell Barbour, 72 Funeral Director Dies



Mr. Barbour

Leonard Russell Barbour, of Tollesboro, the senior member of the firm of Russell Barbour and Son Funeral Home, died in Fleming County Hospital, at 3 a.m. on the morning of February 27. He had been ill about 10 years and death was due to a coronary.

The deceased was born in Burtonville, Ky., on January 1, 1903 and was a son of the late Thomas Tyler Barbour, who was the originator of the Barbour Funeral Home, which opened its doors in 1902. Russell Barbour conducted his first funeral at the age of 16 and took charge of his own business in Tollesboro in 1926. During the course of his business career, he received many awards. In 1961, he received an award from

the Kentucky Business Industries, in recognition of a half century of business. In 1971, the Tollesboro Lions Club presented him with its Outstanding Citizenship Award. He was commissioned a Kentucky Colonel, in 1968 during the administration of Gov. Louis Nunn.

Mr. Barbour is survived by his aged mother, Mrs. Nellie Philomine (Cole) Barbour, age 93, of Burtonville; his wife, Mrs. Emma (Himes) Barbour, whom he married in Maysville in 1922 with Rev. John Mullen officiating; four daughters, Iris, (Mrs. Jim Henderson) of Tollesboro; "Tootsie" (Mrs. Bill Gallenstein) of Tollesboro; Jean (Mrs. Milton Lykins); and Ginny (Mrs. Chandler Williams); and only one son, Tommy Barbour, the other partner in the family business.

Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. Margaret O'Cull, and a brother Howard Barbour, both of Burtonville.

Mr. Barbour was a member of the Burtonville Methodist Church.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Barbour Funeral Home, with Rev. Lester Johnson, of Plumville Church of Christ, and Rev. Charles Perry of Tollesboro Church of Christ, officiating.

Burial was in the Hillcrest Memorial Gardens in Mason County.

Casketbearers were: Clyde Barbour Emmitt Barbour, Leonard Barbour and Wendell Barbour of Maysville; Jack Barbour of Greenup; Elmer Douglas Barbour of Cincinnati; Donnie Barbour of Burtonville; and Lawrence Barbour of Aberdeen.

MR. OMER HAMLIN

Feb 16, 1978

Omer Hamlin, a former teller and assistant cashier at the State National Bank, Maysville, Ky. died at 9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 9, at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington. Mr. Hamlin, 83, resided at 2449 Larkin Road in Lexington.

At one time he was a partner in the Barbour-Merritt-Hamlin Funeral Home at Tollesboro, and was a cashier at the Tollesboro Bank.

Mr. Hamlin had served as elder, teacher and organist for the Tollesboro Christian Church. Also he had been a teacher in the Lewis County School System.

He was born Oct. 24, 1894 at Ribolt to the late Andrew J. and Georgiana Manley Hamlin.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Anna Will Teager Hamlin, a son, Omer Hamlin Jr., of Lexington, who is director of the University of Kentucky Medical Center library and communications system, a sister, Mrs. Omer Hunter of Tollesboro, and two grandsons, David and Stephen Hamlin of Lexington.

Services in Lexington under direction of the Kerr Brothers Funeral Home, were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Southern Acres Christian Church.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday at the Russell Barbour and Son Funeral Home at Tollesboro. Burial was in the Maysville Cemetery.

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