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## Local Happenings.

Miss Ward of the Tennessee State Normal School of Murfreesboro was the week-end guest of her school friend Miss Margueritt Crick.

Miss Stella Cox who is attending the State Normal at Murfreesboro spent Sunday with homefolks.

Henry Hampton of Palmer was in to see the circus here Monday.

R. B. Cox, of Alto was in our city Monday.

Mrs. Robt. Frances and baby, of Cowan, were visiting friends here last week.

Geo. Watley, Jr., formerly of this place but now a resident of Arkansas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Clarence Myers.

Miss Maud Etter, of McMinnville, is spending a few days with her brother, Mr. Harry Etter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Myers have returned from Arkansas after a visit with relatives.

W. H. Gleaves, of Harriman, was in the city this week in the interest of the Cumberland Development Company.

Frank McGuire, whom, it will be remembered was proprietor of a confectionery store many years ago on the east side of town, was in the city this week as Manager of Haags Mighty Shows.

Misses Bernice Myers and Gillie Perry, of Coalmont, were in Tracy City this week.

The protracted meeting at the Methodist Church is progressing very favorably. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Dr. O. W. Hembree accompanied his Sunday School class on a fishing trip to Bells Mill, in Pelham Valley, one day last week. The party returned next day and the pleasure of the trip was reported somewhat marred by a heavy rain.

It is not generally known, but there is a law in effect in Tennessee by recent enactment that every public school must float an American flag of standard size.

A special term of the Circuit Court has been called to convene on Tuesday, April 26, to investigate recent killings and other disorders in Grundy County.

Mrs. Wilson Parker and Mrs. Geo. Sitz were in Tullahoma shopping Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kopp have returned from Alabama.

Messrs Pete Conry and son Lilliard, of Coalmont, attended the funeral of Will Petty Jr., here Tuesday.

Paul Brown, of Beersheba Springs, was here last week.

## New Bank Opens Its Doors for Business

The Coalmont Saving Bank opened its doors for business last Tuesday of last week. Its Capitalization is \$15,000. They have one of the finest buildings as well as the prettiest of any building in the county. They also have installed a burglar proof Vault for the safe keeping of the funds.

Dr. J. Cliff Conger was elected President of the Bank and Mr. J. C. Henley Vice President. Mr. Arthur Curtis is Cashier, and following gentlemen are directors of said bank:—Jno. E. Patton, O. W. Hembree, Jno. Schilds, James Adams, Vance Lasater, J. G. Northcut. About 50 of the leading citizens of the county are stockholders in this bank. The first day's deposit amounted to something over \$1000.00. We wish these gentlemen well in their new venture.

## Monteagle News

The Old Maid's Convention given last Friday night by local talent was a great, laughing success and financially profitable. Luther Parker as professor Makeover did some wonderful transformations. Many "Old Maids" came seeking help, Foust-like asking for the return of youth. Some had lost the roundness and the pink of cheek, the luster of eye, but the professor's Magic was equal to all emergencies. With impartial service each applicant was changed as she desired into a girl of beauty and charm, quite impatient to begin anew the age of youth and sweet heart time. One dear lady was accompanied by her dog and no persuasion could change her purpose to have her pet receive the same adolescent treatment which she herself was prepared to undergo. The professor vowed in his heart that his art should never be used on a dog, so he touched another button and the animal was restored to its mistress in the form of bolonga sausage. What would have happened if the professor had touched the wrong button as the old maid passed through?

Mr. Parker was assisted by a score of ladies who evinced surprising histrionic ability.

Mrs. Jno. Simpson and little neice, spent last Saturday in Decherd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Hunziker were in Beersheba Sunday.

**Wonder Cave is now open for visitors every day.**

## Memorial Association

The Ladies Memorial Association will hold their next meeting with Mrs. Allie Petty on the afternoon of the second Friday in May. The ladies of the association are busy now making articles to be sold at the bazaar which will be held some time in the early summer. At the last meeting, which was held at the home of Mrs. Martin Marugg, a quilt was made for this purpose. Plans are being made to further beautify the cemetery. Under the auspices of this commendable organization the cemetery has already been brought up to a high standard of beauty and orderliness. There will be a public working of the graves on next Tuesday, April 26. It is to be hoped that a large crowd will turn out to help the ladies in their laudable efforts. The most recent donations to the working fund is as follows: Brosi Marugg \$10.00, Radolph Schild \$10.00, Mrs. W. H. Foster, Decherd, \$3.00, Mrs. Joel Carpenter, Decherd, 2.00.

Do not forget the date of the public working at the cemetery, Tuesday, April 26.

## G. H. Lewis

### Dies in Memphis

G. H. Lewis, a former citizen of this place died in Memphis last Monday night and was brought here for burial Wednesday. The deceased was about 65 years of age. He lived in this place practically all of his life until about two years ago, when he went to Memphis to reside with his daughter. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. Lodge of this place who had charge of the funeral services here. Burial was in the City Cemetery.

## Rumored Married

It is rumored that on last Tuesday night Mr. G. D. Hayes and Miss Ruth Henderson were quietly married. Their many friends including "Mrs. Grundy" extends congratulations.

## Attention K. of P.

All members of Bryce Thompson Lodge 29 K. of P. are ordered to attend the regular meeting of this lodge Tuesday April 26th, 1921. By order of O. O. K. A. Banholzer, K. of R. S.

The drug store of Dorris & Cheek was broken into last Sunday night by unknown parties. A small amount of change was taken from the cash register.

Preliminary steps are being taken to erect a building on the vacant lot back of the Post Office Sand and other material has been placed on the ground.

## Shoot Up Haags Show

Monteagle was the scene of another shooting affray Tuesday night. Haags Show was giving an exhibition at that place and some fellows, who were full of bug juice picked a fight with some of the show men and when the smoke cleared up two negroes had been killed, and one negro wounded and two white men received wounds. This makes several men who have been killed in or near Monteagle lately and the officers of both Grundy County and Marion should put a stop to this kind of business.

## Mrs. J. D. Wiley Dies

Mrs. J. D. Wiley died at the Hospital at Sevanee last Tuesday afternoon after a illness of several months duration. Mrs. Wiley is the wife of Capt. J. D. Wiley of this place and was a woman who was liked by all who knew her. She was a member of the Methodist Church, having joined same when a young girl. Funeral services will be held at the home today and will be conducted by Rev. Lannon.

## P. B. Snapp

Peachey B. Snapp died at Jasper Monday of tuberculosis. He leaves a wife and little daughter, Marie. The funeral was conducted Tuesday from the home of John Phillips, a relative, and interment made at Pine Hill. He was a printer in his early days, and was one of the fastest compositors in the trade. He was of nomadic tendency, and many offices in the land recognized in him efficient aid when "Peach blue in." Later he took up house painting, and was a good wielder of the brush. He was unfortunate in some ways, but with all a pleasant, harmless fellow. The funeral was attended by Mrs. Nettie Griffith, of Pell City, Ala., an aunt.

The above article is taken from the Sequatchie Valley News, and the many friends here of "P. B." will be sorry to learn of his demise. P. B. Snapp was at one time an employee, of the Mrs. Grundy force and he was a good printer, and liked by all who knew him. We extend sympathy to the bereaved.

## Killgore-Greenlee

Mr. Sam Killgore and Miss Flora Greenlee were united in marriage last Sunday evening. Rev. Bob Cheek, officiating. The bride is the daughter, of Mr. W. J. Greenlee of Hobbs Hill, and the groom is a young man of this place. Mrs. Grundy extends congratulations.

## Will Petty, Jr., Killed

Will Petty, Jr., a popular young man of this City, was shot and fatally injured Sunday morning about one o'clock. He died Monday morning at a hospital in Sevanee. The tragedy occurred in a box car where several men and boys were congregated and it is alleged that Earnest O'Dear did the shooting. It is claimed that the shooting was the result of a general fight in which Baxter Norvell, John Henley and others were engaged. It appears that considerable shooting was done but it is claimed that Petty did not fire his revolver until after he was wounded. Immediately after the young man was shot he was removed to his home and medical assistance was rendered. He was removed to the hospital early Sunday morning when it was seen that his condition was very serious. The best of surgical aid attended him but failed to save his life. Both of the principals in the tragedy were ex-service men and saw hard and active service in France. Will was well known to everyone in Tracy City and was very popular. He was polite, genial and open hearted. He was born here January 1, 1902 and spent most of his life in this town. He attended the public schools, worked in the mines, was at one time a clerk in the Postoffice and was one of the first of Grundy County's boys to go over-seas. His war record was enviable and his discharge honorable. While in Europe he visited Scotland, England, Italy and perhaps other countries. Funeral services were conducted at his late residence Monday afternoon at three o'clock. The service was conducted by the Rev. O. A. Ladd, Pastor of the Baptist Church. The popularity of the young man was attested by the large concourse of friends who attended the funeral and burial and the many beautiful floral offerings. The remains were interred at the City Cemetery. The deceased is survived by his father and mother, four sisters and two brothers, all of this place. The pall bearers, active and honorary, were all ex-service men. The stricken family has the heartfelt sympathy of Mrs. Grundy and the entire Community.

## Minchoff-Gibbs

Mr. Chris Minchoff and Miss Thelma Gibbs were married Wednesday afternoon at the office of Esq. Wright. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gibbs of this place and the groom is an employee of the Flat Branch Coal Co. Mrs. Grundy extends congratulations, and wishes for them many years of happiness.