

Pearl Webb Cemetery Newsletter

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History & Facts:

By June Burks

Civil War Soldiers

In this newsletter, we will feature two local men, who were Civil War soldiers and are buried in the old Gilead Cemetery, Henry B. Garvin and Samuel H. Booher. The Garvin's were a well-known family of the Canmer community.

Henry Baskin Garvin

Henry B. was the son of David and Melvina (Richardson) Garvin. Henry was one of several children in this family. He was born January 9, 1834 and died July 22, 1877. He joined the Confederate Army on November 19, 1861 at Cave City, Kentucky. He was in the 6th KY Inf. Company D.

He served until rising from Pvt. to first sergeant at the time of his discharge. He fought in Vicksburg. They were in a heavy battle at Jonesboro on August 31, 1864, where they lost several men. Many of their group was captured here. The remainder of the company spent the winter in Dalton, Georgia.

They were in the delaying tactics of Sherman's march to the sea. Col. Joseph H. Lewis of Glasgow was their leader. Their losses were heavy. They lost 180 men, 94 killed, 3 were missing, three died in prison camps, and 80 died of diseases and illnesses. Nine were still in

prison camps, when their enlistment was up.

Two of the men that were prisoners were killed on the way home, when the over-crowded steam boat exploded and burned north of Memphis, Tennessee.

Henry B. is buried in the old Gilead Cemetery, along with his parents and seven brothers and sisters. One wonders of all the stories that could be told by these men, who are buried in this old cemetery.



Henry B. Garvin's Tombstone

Civil War Soldier's, Continued

Samuel H. Booher

The Booher family came from Pennsylvania to Kentucky and Tennessee. We do not know what brought them to Hart County. Samuel Booher is the only person we can find by this name buried in Hart County. He was the son of Martin and Margaret Booher and one of seven children. Samuel was born February 6, 1840 and died July, 7, 1883.

We find the family living in Clinton County in the 1860's and 1870's. In 1880, they were living in the Hardyville area with three of the Carden children with them. One wonders, if they were related, but later, we found that Mr. Booher had married Victoria Brown in Clinton county on January 12, 1864. Later, we find one of the Carden children moving to Nevada and died there. We never found any connection between the two families.

Mr. Booher was a farmer. Samuel H. fought for the Union Army, enlisting as a Pvt. and came out a Pvt. He was in the 13th Kentucky Calvary, which was put into active duty on December 22, 1863 at Columbia, Ky.

He was mustered out January 10, 1865 at Camp Nelson. Col. James H. Weathford was their commander. This group saw duty at Lebanon, Cumberland River, Creelsboro, and Celina, Tennessee. They were also at Cynthia, Canton, Mt. Sterling, Lexington, and Crab Orchard. They fought against Morgan and his men in May and June of 1864. They lost 94 men, 10 killed, 84 died of diseases. Mr. Booher is buried

near the front of the cemetery, making one to believe, he was buried there soon after the cemetery started.

The Epitaph on his stone reads, "Jesus lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly."

Kentucky played an important part in the Civil War. President Lincoln once stated, "I hope to have God on my side, but I must have Kentucky." If anyone has any more information on this family, please let us know.

Note: Thanks to Jean Hedgepeth for gathering information for this article.



Samuel H. Booher's Tombstone

President's Desk:

By: Larry Rogers

I am very pleased with the way people have responded to my suggestion to have corner markers installed at their burial plots. This is a tremendous help to us and the funeral homes, in properly placing our deceased in the proper place.

Again, if you decide to do this, be sure to have me or some other board member present to ensure proper placement. See our ad page for monument markers, who I'm sure will be glad to assist you with this project.

Any questions, feel free to contact:

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Canmer, KY 42722
(270) 528-3818 home
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Treasurer's Desk:

By: Brenda Dudderar

I can't believe it's newsletter time again. It seems like we just sent them out. I want to thank everyone for their response in sending their e-mail addresses, so they can receive the newsletter by e-mail. If you want to be added to the e-mail list, please let me know.

Our contributions continue to cover our expenses, thanks to your donations. Our only other income is the sale of lots and interest. As you know, the interest incomes have dwindled to almost nothing. Luckily, we had invested our money in some CD's that were paying fairly well a few years ago. They are

coming due and our interest will be even less.

We have had some donations recently in honor of Dorothy Melvin, Teresa Melvin, Earl C. Gill, and Bretia Ennis Stumbaugh.

We are thankful for all of your donations. It seems those who contribute are either passing away or getting older. The same is true for those, who are willing to do the physical labor at the cemetery. There is so much that needs to be done, but due to our ages, we just don't seem to get it all accomplished. If any of you would like to help, you are more than welcome. Just contact us, as there is always a job to be done.

As always, everyone is invited to our annual meeting in March. Again, thank you for supporting our cemetery and for supporting the businesses who purchase ads in our newsletter.

Persons buried at Pearl Webb since the last newsletter:

Christopher Scott Hagan

DOB: 4/8/1972 DOD: 6/12/2012

Mary B. (Bumgardner) Evans

DOB: 6/7/1932 DOD: 6/23/2012

Linda Lou Montgomery Smith

DOB: 4/28/1948 DOD: 7/16/2012

Eugenia Evelyn Atwell

DOB: 5/7/1920 DOD: 9/20/2012

Donald McDonald

DOB: 3/22/1921 DOD: 10/22/2012

**Persons buried at Pearl Webb
Since last newsletter, continued:**

Bretia Mae Ennis Stumbaugh
DOB: 4/24/1924 DOD: 10/27/2012

Earl C. Gill
DOB: 9/16/1918 DOD: 11/1/2012

Teresa Melvin
DOB: 5/22/1971 DOD: 11/9/2012

Dorothy Melvin
DOB: 5/26/1929 DOD: 11/12/2012

Steven "Andy" Whisman
DOB: 4/29/1956 DOD: 8/28/2012

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Happy New Year!!!**



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