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Gunter

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ton, brought on the trouble. Gunter saw Ford and Miss Sutton together, and went a quarter of a mile to get his gun, and then walked a mile back to the house where the couple had gone. He saw them through a window and fired, hitting both with bullets. Miss Sutton and Ford were carried to a Newport Hospital, where Ford lingered three days, and Miss Sutton recovered.

Miss Sutton had cared for Gunter's mother while the latter was ill only a short time before the shooting.

Gunter separated from his wife about two years ago, and had two children. One lived with him and one with Mrs. Gunter. Both Ford and Gunter worked on the highway construction job in the Mt. Sterling area.

Ford, 23, is survived by his wife and a child who was three weeks old at the time of his death.

Eighty-one of the special venire of 100 together with the special jurors, reported to court Friday morning for the start of the case.

According to estimates of county auditor James Kirkpatrick this morning, the Gunter case has cost Haywood County about \$1,000.

Perhaps the only person disappointed that the trial did not go to the jury, was J. L. Swanger, a third grade student, who was named to draw the jury. For his services J. L. would have received a dollar, and the bright-eyed little fellow says he is definitely studying hard in school, because he wants to be a doctor.

The Friday session of court was "school day" because many students took advantage of the Thanksgiving holidays at school, to attend court.

Koreans Lose Gift

CHILLICOTHE, Mo. (AP)—Hal Glick thought it was odd that the girl collecting clothes for the cleaners was wearing shorts. But when she knocked at the door he gave her his wife's winter coat and two pairs of his trousers.

Mrs. Glick solved the mystery. She rescued the clothing from the church basement where the girls were collecting "clothes for Korea." Not "clothes for the cleaner."

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Lost Member

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mond has been their home for several years now. Miss Brock lived happily at home throughout the years, helping to keep house for the three sons of the Johnson family and establishing a worthy name as a good cook—always an asset to a minister's household. She made no effort to find her own family because her foster parents are still living and had been "wonderful" to her.

Finally not long ago, she mentioned the story of her adoption to good and influential friends in Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Rice, saying that she would like to trace her family. Strangely enough Mr. Rice had a young man living in his house who had come from the same orphanage. The boy remembered a kindly and long-time teacher there by the name of Miss Sally McCracken, who, incidentally has relatives in Haywood County.

A letter to Miss McCracken brought an immediate reply giving the full record of birth, adoption and family of little Rebecca Brock. Another letter by Mr. Rice to his Waynesville friend, and prominent lawyer, Ray Morgan, established the last link in the chain. Through inquiry of Brock relatives here in town, Mr. Morgan easily traced the family of Rebecca Brock, and about two weeks ago her nieces and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gilliland and Mrs. Carpenter Gilliland drove to Richmond to find their aunt whose loss had been a source of such grief to their parents. Miss Brock returned to Waynesville with them and expects to visit here until shortly before Christmas.

Miss Brock claims she "can't get over being found." I never dreamed the family had been looking for me all these years and that there were so many of them. I still can't get the nieces and nephews straight, to say nothing of the grand nieces and nephews. But they're all being just grand to me." Mrs. Thomas Gilliland, with whom Miss Brock is staying at her home on Howell Mill Road, says that she recognized her aunt immediately even though she had never seen her before. "She's just a Brock, that's all."

Miss Brock's closest relatives include her only living brother, Roy Brock, of Morrisville; and the nieces and nephews, the Thomas Gilliland's who are first cousins, and the children of the late Mrs. Charles Gilliland and Jim Brock, Jr., respectively, sister and brother of Miss Brock; Mrs. Carpenter Gilliland, of Killian St., Mrs. Ernest Robinson, of Hazelwood, George Putnam, also of Hazelwood, and Robert Putnam, of Allen's Creek, all children of the late Mrs. Robena Putnam, sister to Miss Brock. There are numerous relatives who have left Haywood County.

Miss Brock does not think that she will live on here in Waynesville. "I think I will probably go back to being Louise Burns soon and to Richmond where all my friends and family are. My foster father is elderly, and I want to be home to see that he has a merry Christmas."

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Court

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and costs. Robert Massey, violation of former sentence, for assault on female, given 2-year road sentence.

Robert Winfield Sprinkle, entered plea of guilty of operating motor vehicle while intoxicated. Fined \$100 and costs, 5-year suspended sentence.

Sam James, plead guilty of operating motor vehicle while intoxicated, given 5-year suspended sentence, upon payment of \$100 and costs.

Ray V. Shelton, abandonment and non-support of wife and three children, 12-month suspended sentence, ordered to pay \$45 every two weeks, and make \$500 bond.

Allen O'Neal, abandonment and non-support, given 12-month suspended sentence for 5 years, ordered to pay \$37.50 monthly.

Robert Mintz, non-support of three illegitimate children, given 12-month suspended sentence, upon payment of \$65 monthly.

Rufus Sutton, affray, six months on roads. Floyd Miller, Jr., affray, \$25 and costs, prayer for judgment for three years.

Linnuel Miller, affray, four months suspended sentence, pay costs. James Putman, larceny of goods, sentenced 18 to 24 months on roads.

Vernon Henson, pleads guilty of reckless driving, upon payment \$35.53 and costs.

Commutes By Plane

BURLINGTON (AP)—A Burlington man is convinced that it's cheaper, faster and easier on the nerves to travel by plane. John V. Isley commutes by plane daily to his job at Wake Forest as engineer of the Wake Finishing Plant of Burlington Mills. The distance is 47 miles by air and 63 by road, Isley, a pilot for nine years, says he travels the distance by air in half the time it takes to go by car.



PVT. MERRITT PARTON, JR., son of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Parton of Waynesville, Route 2, has been assigned to the 295th Quartermaster Bath Co. in Korea. Pvt. Parton entered the service in May of this year and completed basic training at Fort Jackson. He was previously engaged in farming with his father at Jonathan Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Die Within 24 Hours

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowe Thompson, parents of Mrs. Rufus Ratcliffe of Waynesville, died within several hours last week at their home in Mocksville.

Mrs. Thompson, 70, died of a heart attack at 12:05 p.m. Thursday and Mr. Thompson, who had been seriously ill for several days, died Friday at 3:30 a.m.

Mr. Thompson, 78, a merchant, was born in Davidson County, the son of Joseph H. and Cornelia Mock Thompson. He was formerly in business in Advance and was founder of the Thompson Wholesale Co., now Thompson and Son, in Mocksville.

Mr. Thompson was married three times. Following the death of his first wife, he was married to Miss Mary Henry of Haywood County and after her death he was married to Miss Ruby Reaves.

Double funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in the Mocksville Methodist church with the Rev. W. T. Grigg and the Rev. E. M. Avette officiating. Burial was in Rose Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson is survived by one son, C. L. Thompson, Jr., and six daughters, Mrs. Benson Jones of Beauford, Ga., Mrs. W. R. Kester, Mrs. F. G. Woodruff, and Miss Sue Thompson of High Point, Mrs. Ralph Ratledge of Advance, and Mrs. Ratcliffe of Waynesville.

Mrs. Thompson is survived by one son, C. L. Thompson, Jr., and one daughter, Mrs. Benson Jones, and the step-daughters.

DEATHS

MISS VIOLET DAVIS

Funeral services for Miss Violet Davis, 64, a resident of the Lower Fines Creek section, who died Thursday in the Waynesville hospital after a brief illness, were held Saturday at 2 p.m. in Belmont Baptist Church in Upper Fines Creek.

The Rev. Pete Hicks and the Rev. J. D. Pyatt officiated and burial was in the church cemetery.

Pallbearers were the following nephews: Floyd, Grover, Howard, and Frank Davis, D. J. Jackson and John Kury.

Nieces were flower bearers. Miss Davis was the daughter of the late Benjamin and Sarah Trantham Davis of Fines Creek, a native and lifelong resident of Haywood County.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Maggie Davis of Clyde, RFD 1, and Mrs. Cinda Ledford of Rutherfordton; two brothers, Patton and Harsh Davis of Clyde, RFD 1.

BURNETTE INFANT

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burnette of Canton died Thursday night in the Haywood County hospital.

Graveside rites were held Friday afternoon in Bon-A-Venture Cemetery with the Rev. Kenneth Crouse officiating.

Surviving, in addition to the parents, are the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Florence Burnette of Canton; and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Caldwell of Murphy.

Wells Funeral Home was in charge.

MRS. MAUDE B. ALLEN

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in the First Methodist Church for Mrs. Maude Bramlett Allen, 66, who died Thursday in the Waynesville hospital after a long illness.

The Rev. Earl H. Brendall, pastor, officiated and interment was in Crawford Memorial Park. Pallbearers were Rufus Sumner, Frank Jones, Joe Edwards, Roy Reese, John Boyd, and Ed Bright.

Mrs. Allen was a native of Haywood County, the daughter of the late J. M. and Lura Mooney Bramlette. She had resided in Detroit for 31 years prior to returning here recently to make her home.

Surviving are the husband, George W. Allen of Waynesville; two daughters, Mrs. E. W. Brown of Dearborn, Mich., and Mrs. Harry Yite of Detroit; and one brother, Lee Bramlett of Waynesville.

Haywood Farmers Win Top WNC Tobacco Show Prizes

Haywood County burley growers dominated the awards list in the annual Western North Carolina Tobacco Show held Friday at the Asheville City Auditorium.

Robert Brown of Iron Duff took top prize money of \$30 as the first-place winner in the general exhibit of four hands each of flyings, leaf, and lugs. In this same division, R. C. Francis of Ratcliffe Cove placed fourth; Woodrow Plemons of Crabtree was fifth, and Mrs. Roy Meador of Ratcliffe Cove was seventh.

H. F. Francis of Ratcliffe Cove won \$25 and first place in the individual lugs display. Mrs. Meador was second in this class, followed by Mr. Plemons, third; R. C.

Francis, fifth, and Mr. Brown, eighth. In the flyings exhibit, Mr. Brown placed second, Mrs. Meador third, Mrs. R. C. Francis, fourth, K. C. Francis, sixth, and Clinton McCairo of Iron Duff, eighth.

In the leaf exhibit, Mr. Brown placed seventh. Judges of the tobacco show were Roy Bennett and Harold Now, tobacco specialists of the N. C. State College Extension Service, and J. W. Van Arsdall of the U. S. Department of Agriculture Marketing and Grading Service, Lexington, Kentucky.

Five men from Haywood County have been enlisted in the U. S. Marine Corps and assigned to the Marine's Recruit Depot at Parris Island, S. C. It was announced today by recruiters T/Sgt. Joseph H. Lathrop and S/Sgt. Carl W. Ripley.

They are William Dewey Franklin, 24, son of Dewey Franklin of Rt. 4, Waynesville; Forest Eugene Conard, 18, son of Millard Conard of Rt. 2, Clyde; Verlin Lee Willis, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee E.

5 Haywood Boys Join Marines

Willis of Rt. 3, Canton. Bruce Austin Stamey, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Stamey of 16 First Street, Canton; Jerry Newton Trantham, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd J. Trantham of Rt. 3, Canton.

All five will be assigned to a ground, sea or air unit of the Marine Corps upon completion of a 10-week basic training period at Parris Island. Each will then become eligible to attend one of more than 140 specialist schools offering Marines training in 470 job skills.

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