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## MRS. BRENDLE DIES FRIDAY

Funeral Held At Bethel  
M. E. Church Saturday  
Afternoon

Mrs. Hermon D. Brendle, 68, died at her home in East Franklin at 1:30 o'clock last Friday afternoon after an illness of several months. She had high blood pressure and recently suffered three strokes.

Mrs. Brendle was a member of the Bethel Methodist church. Before her marriage, she was Miss Carrie Virginia Gibbs, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gibbs.

Funeral services were held at the Bethel Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, with the Rev. H. S. Williams officiating.

Pallbearers were Wayne McCracken, Dwight Wilson, Lee Poin-dexter, Kay Johnson, Charles Lewis Brendle, and Alex Deal.

Surviving are her husband, four daughters, Mrs. Reinard Harkana, of Raleigh; Mrs. B. E. Wilson, Mrs. J. P. Norton, and Miss Effie Brendle, all of Franklin; three sons, Charles J. Brendle, of Speedwell; J. W. Brendle, of Hopewell, Va.; and H. G. Brendle, of Franklin; 12 grandchildren; and two sisters, Mrs. Mary Saunders, of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. John Brendle, of Watauga.

## Azaleas On Wayah In Full Bloom

Visitors to the John Byrne Memorial Tower on top of Wayah bald in the Nantahala national forest during the next two weeks will find the vast azalea beds on top of this mountain in full bloom.

The flame azalea along the forest service road are now in bloom from Arrowood Glade to Wayah gap. Several varieties of azalea ranging from the fragrant white to the common flame and including a rare, fragrant scarlet, are to be found in the colorful mass of shrubbery covering this mountain peak.

The fragrant white azalea which forms a mass around the new 53 foot Byrne tower is the last to bloom and usually is at its peak about the third and fourth weeks in June.

An exceptional view of the Blue Ridge, Nantahala and Great Smoky mountains may be enjoyed from the rustic stone tower. From the balcony which encircles the tower 30 feet above the ground the full display of azalea and laurel unfolds and blends with the timbered slopes in the distance.

Wayah bald is reached from U. S. 64 six miles west of Franklin via the scenic Nantahala road, a forest service road directly to the top of the 5300-foot mountain.

## Baxter's Comedians Coming To Franklin

Baxter's Comedians coming to Franklin next Monday, June 13, will present plays and vaudeville. They will present plays of the type of "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" and "Trail of the Lonesome Pine." The comedian, Uncle "Billy" Boughton, 75 years of age, is the oldest comedian appearing with any show today. Mr. Baxter, manager of the show, was formerly with Reno's Show.

## Franklin Produce Market LATEST QUOTATIONS

(Prices listed below are subject to change without notice.)

Quoted by Farmers Federation, Inc.  
Chickens, heavy breed, hens 14c  
Chickens, light weight, lb... 10c

Quoted by Nantahala Creamery  
Butterfat, lb. .... 22c

## Three Winners



ZEBULON WEAVER  
Veteran Congressman Who  
Was Renominated



GEORGE B. PATTON  
Who Will Represent Macon  
County In Next Assembly



LESTER L. ARNOLD  
Who Won Out In Race For  
Register of Deeds

## How Macon County Voted in Democratic Primary

CANDIDATES	PRECINCTS												TOTAL
	Mills-hoal	Ellijay	Sugarfork	Highlands	Flats	Smith's Bridge	Cartoogechaye	Nanta. No. 1	Nanta. No. 2	Burningtown	Cowee	Franklin	
<b>State Ballot</b>													
<b>FOR U. S. SENATOR</b>													
Frank Hancock	42	118	5	33	1	58	80	9	2	14	27	238	627
Robert R. Reynolds	190	167	26	196	11	296	168	35	25	60	245	897	2316
<b>FOR UTILITIES COMMISSIONER</b>													
Paul Grady	156	61	12	85	9	127	69	24	8	35	99	354	1039
Stanley Winborne	50	76	7	113	2	171	148	9	17	27	104	591	1315
<b>FOR CONGRESSMAN</b>													
Zebulon Weaver	48	85	8	165	9	186	122	23	24	40	192	583	1485
R. L. Whitmire	187	111	36	62	4	187	136	24	3	36	104	565	1455
<b>County Ballot</b>													
<b>FOR SOLICITOR</b>													
Baxter C. Jones	193	139	34	60	5	195	181	38	27	45	168	650	1700
John M. Queen	48	58	8	172	8	167	73	7	6	31	125	535	1238
<b>FOR STATE SENATOR</b>													
Kelly E. Bennett	36	21	9	116	7	58	29	7	17	29	50	120	499
Guy L. Houk	149	165	24	91	6	250	134	9	8	42	160	777	1850
R. B. (Jack) Morphey	50	9	2	12	0	40	82	38	7	7	75	246	568
<b>FOR REPRESENTATIVE</b>													
George B. Patton	165	151	35	154	13	240	138	31	22	51	213	742	1955
R. A. Patton	66	58	10	77	0	123	125	19	13	28	91	425	1035
<b>FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS</b>													
Lester L. Arnold	58	207	38	205	11	241	176	20	30	52	204	760	2002
George R. Pattillo	183	7	1	31	2	125	87	28	0	25	85	409	983
<b>FOR CHM. COMMISSIONERS</b>													
R. Furman Anderson	22	7	2	7	3	22	12	0	0	20	12	41	158
E. B. Byrd	91	91	10	81	8	110	110	0	0	34	107	543	1185
George H. Guest	40	12	2	11	1	5	11	2	3	1	6	69	163
Frank I. Murray	49	80	17	113	1	207	104	42	26	21	153	439	1252
<b>FOR COMMISSIONERS</b>													
C. L. Blaine	142	118	17	160	9	191	172	26	21	42	195	851	1944
R. D. Brendle	132	32	7	12	6	42	43	10	4	23	29	142	482
C. A. Bryson	117	130	15	84	7	138	171	19	20	52	226	775	1754
Mann B. Norton	48	53	12	149	2	250	38	21	0	31	54	305	963
<b>Republican Ballot</b>													
<b>FOR STATE SENATOR</b>													
W. W. Jenkins	0	3	5	3	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	3	19
Frank W. Swan	3	1	0	9	1	0	5	3	0	0	2	5	29

## Trail Club To Arrive Here Sunday

The Atlanta unit of the Appalachian Trail club, under the direction of Wm. Whitaker, will arrive in Franklin on Saturday afternoon and will leave early Sunday morning for a hike. Going by motor as far as Wallace Gap, the party will hike to Wayah crest and go in cars to the top of Wayah mountain. They will end the day's outing with a swim in Arrowood park.

About 40 are expected, and will have headquarters at Trimont Inn.

## Revival Services To Begin At Iotla

A series of revival services will begin at the Iotla Baptist church on Sunday, June 19, at 11 o'clock, announced the Rev. R. F. Mayberry, pastor.

The Rev. J. C. Pipes, of Waynesville, will be in charge of the preaching. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## Rev. W. W. Davidson To Preach Here Sunday

Rev. W. W. Davidson, formerly pastor at Raleigh, and professor of Bible at Meredith college, will preach at the Franklin Baptist church at both morning and evening services next Sunday.

## Ice Cream Supper At Allison Watts

An ice cream supper will be given at the Allison-Watts school house on Saturday night, June 11, at 8 o'clock, for the benefit of the Maiden Chapel church. The public is cordially invited.

## Young People's Athletic Club To Meet

The young people's Athletic club will hold an important meeting in the courthouse on Tuesday night, June 14.

There are 50 members belonging to this club and it is hoped that every member can be present for the meeting.

## Singing At Morgan School June 19

The third Sunday afternoon singing of the Northern division of the Macon County Singing convention will meet at the Morgan school house near Stiles postoffice, on June 19, beginning at 1 p. m., it was announced by Walter H. Dalton, president.

All choirs, quartets, duets, soloists and all interested in singing are invited to attend.

## Young People's Club Extends Thanks

In appreciation of the splendid cooperation and help the young people's club has received, they wish to express their sincere thanks to all who have helped to make it possible in a financial way or helped otherwise in the erection of the tennis courts, volley ball courts and equipment for soft ball teams. They also solicit your future support in order to make the club reach all the young people in Macon county.

## GEO. PATTON ARNOLD WIN

Frank Murray Elected As  
Chairman Of Board;  
Weaver Elected

The Democrats of Macon county rolled up the largest vote ever polled in a primary election in this county last Saturday, and nominated George B. Patton for representative, Lester L. Arnold for register of deeds, Frank I. Murray for chairman of the county board, and gave Zebulon Weaver a majority of 30 over R. L. Whitmire for congress. Weaver's majority in the district was more than 15,000.

Notwithstanding the large crowd and heavy vote, the election was quiet and orderly, and no trouble was reported from any of the precincts.

George B. Patton won from R. A. Patton for representative by a majority of 920, and Lester Arnold defeated George R. Pattillo for register of deeds by 2002 to 983, a majority of 1019.

For state senator Guy L. Houk received a majority in the county of 793 over both opponents, Morphey and Bennett, however, received more votes in the district, with Morphey leading, though he did not receive a majority; and Bennett has the right to demand a second primary, but this is thought unlikely.

## Jones Carries County

In the race for solicitor Baxter C. Jones, of Bryson City, carried the county over John M. Queen, incumbent, by 1700 to 1238, a majority of 462. Queen carried Jackson, Haywood, Cherokee, Graham and Clay counties, while Jones carried Macon and Swain. Queen was renominated by a majority of more than 4000.

Frank I. Murray led the ticket for chairman of the county board, leading E. B. Byrd next highest, by 67 votes. C. L. Blaine and C. A. Bryson were nominated by safe majorities as commissioners over Mann B. Norton and R. D. Brendle.

Renolds Gets Great Majority  
Senator Robert R. Reynolds left his opponent, Frank Hancock, far behind in the Macon county voting, receiving 2316 to 627 for Hancock. Senator Reynolds also swept the state, his majority being more than 90,000.

Two Republican candidates for the state senate, W. W. Jenkins and Frank W. Swan, were voted on in Macon county, but the election was of small interest, Jenkins receiving 19 votes and Swan 29 in the entire county.

The vote polled by the Democrats Saturday totaled about 3000 which was more than 500 greater than that of two years ago.

## Mrs. Martha Jacobs Passes Sunday

Mrs. Martha Boston Jacobs, 50, wife of George Jacobs, of Franklin Route 3, died at her home Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, after a short illness with heart ailments.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2:30 Monday afternoon, with the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, pastor of the Franklin Presbyterian church, in charge of the services. Interment was in the Franklin cemetery.

Mrs. Jacobs was a faithful, consecrated member of the Franklin Presbyterian church.

Surviving are her husband, George Jacobs; a daughter, Mrs. Reba Stanfield; a grandson, Bobby Stanfield; her mother, Mrs. Mack Boston; a sister, Mrs. Bob Anderson, and two brothers, Will and Gene Boston, all of Franklin.

## New Pastor To Preach At Highlands

The newly elected pastor, Rev. J. G. Benfield, will preach in the Baptist church at Highlands at 11 a. m. next Sunday, June 11.