

## History & Facts

By: Jean Hedgepeth

The World War II soldiers that I have chosen to write about for this newsletter are Raymond Louis Bale and Claude Allen Biggs.

Raymond Louis Bale was in the navy and Claude Allen Biggs was in the army.

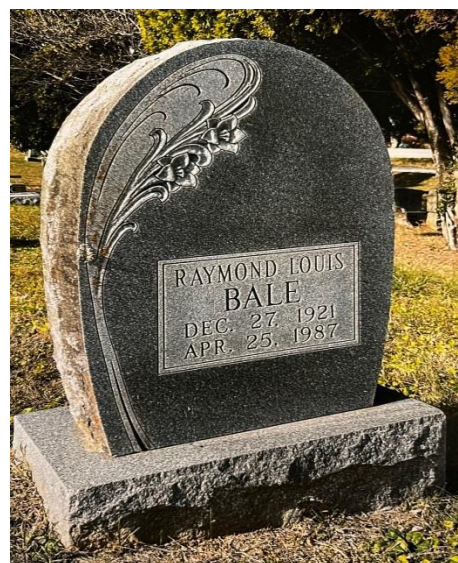
### **Raymond Louis Bale**

Raymond Louis was born December 27, 1921 in Green County and died April 25, 1987 in Louisville, KY.

He was married to Bonita (Bonnie) Puckett. They got married on April 4, 1942 in Indiana. He enlisted in the navy on August 4, 1942 and was discharged on July 19, 1948.

Raymond and Bonnie lived on the south end of Canmer. Although he was born in Green County, Raymond chose to be buried in the Pearl Webb Cemetery at Canmer. He was the son of Elu and Alma Lewis Parish Bale.

We would like to thank him for his service to help keep us free.



*Raymond Louis Bale's Tombstone*

### **Claude Allen Biggs**

Claude Allen Biggs was born on November 1, 1915 in Hart County and died on November 21, 1978 in Canmer, KY. He was the youngest of two sons born to James Archie Biggs and his first wife, Virginia (Adams) Biggs.

His older brother, Rober Paul Biggs, was born on August 6, 1913. Claude Allen never married. He worked for his great uncle, Mr. James T. Reynolds, on the farm.

Mr. Reynolds was the older brother of Claude Allen's grandmother, Rosa Ann. She was the wire of Samuel Robert Biggs. Sam and Rosa were the parents of two children: Doy Clinton Biggs, who

married Emma Linna Thompson and James Archie Biggs. Mr. Archie was married three times and left a large family.

Claude Allen enlisted in the army at Fort Knox on January 14, 1941. On his tombstone, it says "Tec 5, US Army, WWII. He is buried in the Pearl Webb Cemetery, near where he lived.



*Claude Allen Biggs's Tombstone*

## **From the Treasurer's Desk**

By: Brenda Dudderar

We at Pearl Webb would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy 2023.

We continue to do stone repairs as donations become available. We had a few stones to fall off of their base this year. One is very large. It is on the list for Harold and Ross

Thompson to repair. Anytime you want to donate for stone repairs, please write stone repair in the memo of your check.

We still hope to have a day to clean stones. The project of trimming trees and leveling stones is also on our list. As I have stated many times ALL of the work except for mowing at the cemetery is strictly volunteer.

If anyone is willing to donate their help please contact us as it would be greatly appreciated.

As always, you are so faithful to donate for the upkeep of Pearl Webb Cemetery, that we met the cost of mowing once again.

## **Persons buried at Pearl Webb Cemetery, since our last newsletter:**

**Dixie Ann Burks Chaney**

DOB: October 21, 1925

DOD: June 6, 2022

**Louise Logsdon Carroll**

DOB: September 16, 1927

DOD: July 3, 2022

**Ruth Logsdon Jagers**

DOB: November 6, 1931

DOD: August 15, 2022

**Gary Carver**

DOB: May 22, 1944

DOD: September 11, 2022

**Martha Sue Sturgeon Young**

DOB: December 21, 1941

DOD: September 18, 2022

**Roger Dale Walthall**

DOB: May 15, 1952

DOD: September 20, 2022

## **From the President's Desk**

By: John C. Rogers

Thank you to everyone that has worked hard to keep our cemetery beautiful this year. As I have said many times before, Pearl Webb is the largest cemetery in Hart County not supported by a municipality or a religious organization. This makes the hands on work from volunteers, and the donations we receive each year so important.

Mr. Junior Priddy, who has mowed the cemetery for years, retired this year. We thank him for his years of dedicated service toward the maintenance of upkeep of the cemetery. Mr. Mark Byers stepped up and started mowing mid-year. I appreciated so much his willingness to take on the large, and sometimes daunting, task of mowing the cemetery, weed eating, and removing grass from stones on such short notice.

After some recent high winds, I saw many flower arrangements that

had blown off monuments. As a reminder, if you put your loved one's name on the arrangement members of the board will gladly return them to the correct monument.

Thank you everyone for your support. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

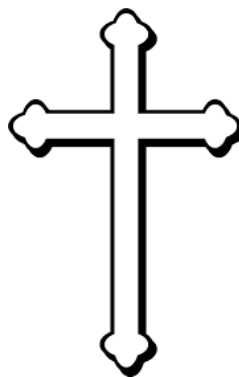
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