

# Obituaries

**MRS. URBAN M. SWINFORD**  
Mrs. Mary Carpenter Swinford, 98, widow of Urban M. Swinford, a resident of the Edgemont Manor Nursing Home, Cynthia, formerly of Carlisle, died Saturday, March 11, 1978. She was a native of Millersburg, a daughter of the late James and Lily Worthington Carpenter. Mrs. Swinford was a member of the Carlisle Christian Church for over 50 years. She was a former member and worthy Matron of Marie Chapter 255 OES. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Quentin (Louise) Wieman, Counselor at Bryan Station Junior High School; two granddaughters, L. J. G. George Wieman, U. S. Navy, Norfolk, Va., and Mickey Wieman, University of Kentucky student; one sister, Mrs. Julia C. Shroat, Owingsville. Graveside services were conducted Tuesday at the Carlisle Cemetery by Rev. Eugene White, Mothers-Shearer Chapel, in charge.

**ROBERT O. HENRY**  
Robert O. Henry, 78, of Paducah, died Friday, March 10, 1978 in Western Baptist Hospital. A native of Carlisle, he was the son of the late Firman Henry and Lida Fisher Henry. He was a retired state highway engineer, 38 year veteran, retired in 1971, veteran of WW II U. S. Air Corp., member VFW Post No. 4075, Frankfurt, Society of Professional Engineers, and First Christian Church of Paducah. Survived by his wife Dorothy Bailey Henry; one son, Dr. Ben B. Henry; two granddaughters, one niece and one nephew. Funeral services were held Monday at the Roth Funeral Home by Rev. Herbert Simpson. Burial in Woodman Memorial Gardens, Paducah.

**MRS. HATTIE MARSHALL FUNK**  
Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. J. E. Funk, Windsor, Mo. on Feb. 14, 1978. Mrs. Funk was Hattie Marshall, a cousin of Mrs. T. H. Vice. She had been in failing health for several months. Funeral and burial took place in

Prophetstown, Ill. She is survived by one brother, Tommy Marshall, several cousins, and one nephew.

**MRS. JOHN R. PETERS**  
Mrs. Gertrude B. Peters, 97, widow of John R. Peters, died Friday, March 10, 1978 at the Johnson-Mathers Nursing Home after a long illness. She was a native of Nicholas County, but a lifelong resident of Bethel and Church. Survived by one nephew, M. C. Blair, Carlisle; two nieces, Mrs. Jean Rice, Florida, Mrs. Gay Abernathy, Louisville. Funeral services were held Sunday at the Mathers-Shearer Chapel, with burial in Longview Cemetery.

**AMBROSE A. CRUMP**  
Ambrose A. Crump, of Paris, died Friday, March 10, 1978 at the Bourbon Heights Nursing Home. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Pearl Barber Crump; four sons, Scott Crump, Owingsville; Charles Crump, Paris; Lloyd Crump, North Middletown; and Ambrose Crump, Jr., Lexington; four daughters, Mrs. Farris Craycraft, Paris; Mrs. Martha Reed, Owingsville; Mrs. Margaret Thompson, Owingsville; and Mrs. Yvonne Richards, Mt. Sterling; 24 grandchildren; three brothers, Adam Crump, Sharpburg; Raymond Crump, Nicholas County; and Walter Crump, Fleming County; two sisters, Mrs. Effie Lee Crump, Ohio, and Mrs. Mary Alice McFarland, Nicholas County. Funeral services were held Sunday at the Keel Funeral Home, Owingsville, with Rev. Robert Wallace officiating. Burial in the Longview Cemetery, Bethel.

**J. H. WATKINS**  
J. H. (Peter) Watkins, 77, died Wednesday, March 8, 1978 at the Nicholas County Hospital. Survived by one brother, Charles

Watkins, Cincinnati; and two cousins. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Mathers-Shearer Chapel, by Rev. Eugene White with burial in Carlisle Cemetery. Casketbearers were Carl Letcher, Reese Strook, Leonard Irwin, James Eads, William Dodson and J. W. Egan.

**CAPT. JAMES WARD REES**  
Capt. James Ward Rees, retired coach and athletic director at Millersburg Military Institute, died Wednesday, March 8, 1978, at St. Joseph's Hospital in Lexington. He was 79. Capt. Rees coached the 1927 state championship basketball team from MMI. In addition to his athletic director duties, Capt. Rees headed the history and science departments at the school. Since his retirement, he has made his home in Shannon with his sisters, Dorothy and Betty Rees.

A native of Mason County, he was the husband of the late Virginia Dare Wornack Rees. He was a member of the Millersburg Methodist Church where he taught men's Sunday school classes. Capt. Rees received his BA, BS and MA degrees from Kentucky Wesleyan College where he also coached a girls' basketball team. He did postgraduate work at Notre Dame and the University of Michigan. He is also survived by a son, Jimmy Ward Rees Jr., of Owensboro. Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 10, 1978 at the Millersburg Methodist Church with burial in the Shannon Cemetery.

## Basketball with Derby tradition

by Michael Deal  
The Kentucky Derby Festival Basketball Classic scheduled for 8 p.m. on April 29, at Freedom Hall in Louisville, is a unique blend of the best high school basketball players in the country combined with the atmosphere of the world-renowned Kentucky Derby. The Festival Classic Basketball Game is the number one high school All-Star game in the country, and this year the tradition will be continued.

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