

Leander and Maggie Hayes with their children, left to right, Euna, Eunice, and Robert Talmadge Hayes. Taken about 1895.

## Hayes Family



County Public Library Laura Johnson

Leander and Maggie Hayes were a typical rural couple living in Green County at the turn of the twentieth century on a farm with their three children; neighborly, Christian folks that worked hard and enjoyed life.

Leander Richard Hayes had been born January 7, 1866. His parents, James Garner Hayes and Elizabeth Ann Stubbs, were married in Green County in 1855 and made their home in the Haskinsville area. Their nine children were Nancy C., Alonzo M., Charles G., Leander, Lillie B., Benjamin Luther, Florence A., William, and Minnie Hayes.

Maggie's given name was Margaret Temple Rucker. She had been born February 2, 1867. Her parents, William Augusta Rucker and Loutitia Bratton Rucker, were married in Taylor County in 1850. Their eleven children were William Joseph, Robert F., Richard T., Sarah Francis, John B., Ann Elizabeth, Maggie, Letha Jane, Isiah David, James Allen, and Henry Alexander Rucker.

In their youth, Leander and Maggie each became members of Good Hope Cumberland Presbyterian Church at Lemon's Bend. They both completed school through the sixth grade.

Leander, age 24, and Maggie, age 23, were wed on October 9, 1890 at her family's home in Green County by Rev. T. W. Wells.

The newlyweds started a family of their own right away. Twin daughters, Eunice and Euna, arrived June 11, 1891. A bouncing baby boy, Robert Talmadge, was born August 15, 1893.

The Hayes lived around the Gresham community where Leander had a farm. They

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were always active in their church.

Eunice married James Grover Givens the Green County in 1917. They had 5 children: Margaret, Barbara Jean, James T., Maurice, and Buford Givens. Eunice passed away January 14, 1969 McCloughan will celand is buried in the Ebenezer Cemetery.

Euna married William Reed Moore in 1920. They had 7 children: Amelia, Leontine, diplomas - The 112 Peggy, W. T., Holland, and a set of twins, Helen and Clellan Moore. Euna died February 16, and Nathan Vaughn 1975 and is buried in were named valedicto-

Robert Talmadge of the class. was inducted into the Army during WWI. He Amanda Cave received served from September foot, leg and hand inju-1917 to July 1919, hav-ries when she was run ing spent 10 months of over by a truck in the that time overseas. He school parking lot afmarried Lena Pearl ter Class Night. Wilkerson in 1928. They had two sons: Floyd and Garland Hayes. Robert can Legion members, T. died March 15, 1979 and is buried in the Griffin Cemetery on Ebenezer Road located just over the Taylor County

Leander and Maggie were happily mar- mural - GCHS art ried for over 50 years. students, Anthony They enjoyed life with Shofner and Jonatheir children and four- than Milby, created a teen grandchildren and Dragon mural inside evengottoknowseveral the boys' basketball of their great grandchil- locker room.

Leander passed at the age of 78. His fu- Green County voters neral was conducted at went to the polls and Liberty Cumberland chose County Judge-Presbyterian Church Executive candidates, in Taylor County in the Republican Morris presence of his family Goff and Democrat and many friends. He Harry Kessler, Sheriff was buried in the cem-Ronnie Marcum, Demetery there.

four years later on May ed upon in the General 1, 1948 at the home of Election this fall. their daughter, Euna. Shewas 81 years old and GED certificate had been ill for about a Ruth Dowell earned vear and a half. Her funeral was conducted at Ebenezer Presbyterian four years old. During Church with burial by her husband's side.

Today, there are numerous descendants for seven years. of Leander and Maggie that carry the sur- Cissell, 91, May 9; Wilnames of Hayes, Moore, liam Ernest Ennis, 90. Givens, Coffey, Russell, Shuffett, Rowland, GCHS Future Farm-Clark, and so on.

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## Way Back When

By Carol Dial SPECIAL TO THE R-H

May 29, 2013 Memorial Day events - Family members and Veterans of Foreign Wars members remembered and honored deceased veterans at local cemeteries on Memorial Day.

Amnestyprogram - Green County Judge-Executive Misty Edwards announced that a tire amnesty would be held at the Kentucky Department of Transportation Headquarters on Columbia Highway.

**DYW chosen -** Kelsay Scott was chosen Distinguished Young Woman for 2014.

Golden Anniversary celebration - John and Bonnie ebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary

May 28, 2003

Seniors receive seniors of GCHS have received their diplomas. Kamini Tailor  $the\,Ebenezer\,\underline{Cemetery}.\ rian\ and\ salutatorian$ 

Cave injured -

Veterans honored -Three Ameri-Dr. Robert Simmons, Garnett Gupton and Brooks Edwards were recognized for fifty years of service to the American Legion.

Students create

May 26, 1993 May Primary away February 11, 1944 election winners ocrat, and Republican Maggie passed away Jeff Whitlow, to be vot-

Dowell earned her GED certificate when she was eightythe 1930s, Dowell delivered mail by horseback from Mell to Cork

Birthdays - Gene

FFA Banquet ers of America mem-



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Jennifer Davis, Brian Cowan and Daniel Scott. May 26, 1983 Crusade goal exceeded - Greensburg/ Green County Volunteer Firemen collected \$6,738.10 for the WHAS Crusade for Children. This amount exceeded the 1982 collection of \$6,447.79.

bers received recogni-

tion during the annual

banquet. Michael Su-

ratt was named Star

Chapter Farmer. Star

Greenhands were

Tops in academics - Valedictorian Melinda "Mindi" Milby and Salutatorian Todd Tucker represented the 1983 graduating class as the leading students in academics.

Henderson celebrated birthday - Ruth Henderson celebrated her ninetieth birthday with a large group of friends and family members.

Donansburg, Dol**lye Webb** - Plant beds are having to be mowed as the ground is to wet to work. Most gardens will be late this year.

May 31, 1973 Retiring teach**ers** - Seven teachers retired from the Green County School System. They were Rual Wilcoxson, 34 years, Virginia Squires, 38 years, Exie Tucker, 43 years, Elizabeth Curry, 39 years, Mary Lois DeSpain, 29 years, Nancy Henderson, 24 years, Valda

Russell, 31 years, Marie French, 7 years.

**Donates pillows -**Lona Lewis, Columbia, made and donated 76 pillows to Green Hill Manor.

**Obituaries** - Sidney Earnest Wright, 62, May 25; W.C."Chess" Whitlock, 81, May 21; Russell E. Root, 33, May 22; Zelpha May Clark, 69, May 25.

Four injured - Berniece Hudgins, Page Wilson, Ann Rayburn and Evelyn Bishop were injured in a twovehicle crash on Campbellsville Road.

May 31, 1963

**Attend Boys State** - Paul Wright, David DeSpain, Roger Davis, Randy Higgison, and Douglas Wilcoxson are attending Boys State in Richmond.

Polio vaccine available - Type III oral polio vaccine is available at the Green County Health Department. Seventy per cent of Green County residents have taken Types I and II.

Winners in gover-

**nor's race -** The winners in Green County in the governor's race are Democrat Edward "Ned" Breathitt with 1042 votes to A. B. "Happy" Chandler's 864 votes. The two will

face off in the General Election in November. The Dragon's Den ad - Hamburgers, 15 cents; tuna fish, 20 cents; hot dogs with chili, 15 cents; pimento cheese, 20 cents;



snow balls, 10 cents.

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> Time: 7:30-11am For only \$15 you will receive:

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## **NUMEROUS GIVEAWAYS** AND DOOR PRIZES!

Blood will be collected the day of the health fair. Pre-registration is REQUIRED! Registration will open May 1st and will remain open until June 12th. Register online at www.trhosp.org or by calling 270-283-5527, M-F 8 am-3 pm.

Vendor booth registration via online at www.trhosp.org 4/24-5/31

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