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TUE 1 JUNE 1982

PAUL ADAMS SR.

Paul Adams Sr., 68, of Castlewood, died Thursday in Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

He was a member of the Fort Gibson United Methodist Church, a member of the National Historical Society of Virginia and attended the Agriculture College of Spartanburg, S.C.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary Ellen Adams; one son, Paul Adams Jr., Richmond; one daughter, Mrs. Garnett (Mary Ann) Taylor Sr., Castlewood; his foster father, C.G. Dickenson, Bristol; one brother, Ralph Adams, Robisonia, Pa.; two foster brothers, Forest Dickenson, Memphis, Tenn. and James T. Dickenson Sr., Knoxville, Tenn.; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Huff-Cook

Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Efford Adams, the Rev. Harry Hight and the Rev. Orlando Salazar officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

Tuesday, August 17, 1982

CHARLES W. ADAMS

Charles W. Adams, 68, of Knoxville, Tenn., died Thursday at East Tennessee Baptist Hospital.

He was a member of the Colonial Heights Methodist Church and the South Knoxville Lions Club. He was retired from National Life and Accident Insurance Co. and was the former owner and manager of Adams Market in Appalachia.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Carter Adams; one son, Aden C. Adams of Ohio; one daughter, Mrs. Glenda Adams Hughes of Maryland; five sisters, Mrs. Mae Myers and Mrs. Marie Smith, both of Knoxville, Mrs. Juanita Callahan, Akin, S.C., and Mrs. Frances Barker and Mrs. Fay Huff, both of Appalachia; three brothers, H.B. Adams and Carl Adams, both of Appalachia, and Wayne C. Adams, Knoxville; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Berry Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ronald Hammond officiating. Burial was in the Ashbury Cemetery.

Thur 4 Nov 1982

ERNEST W. ADAMS

Ernest W. Adams, 71, of Appalachia, died Wednesday at his home in Dunbar.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of the UMWA Local 7276.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Margaret Adams; two sons, Ernest Robert (Bobby) Adams, Christiansburg, and Don Adams, Dunbar; two brothers, Willard Adams and Claude Adams, both of

Norton; four sisters, Lora Jones and Gladys Flanary, both of Norton, Goldie Simmons, Richmond, and Marie Maples, Raymond, Wash.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with burial in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

TUE 1 JUNE 1982

MRS. JEANETTE M. ADAMS

Mrs. Jeanette Mullins Adams, 77, of Pound, died Wednesday at her home.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Pound.

She is survived by three daughters, Joyce Varner and Ruth Maggard, both of Pound, and Evelyn Sartain, Munster, Ind.; two sons, James E. Adams, Fox River Grove, Ill., and Mayburn Adams, Lumbard, Ind.; two sisters, Maude Osborne, Pound, and Ruby Bolling, Wise; one brother, Johnnie Mullins, Fairborn, Alaska; 21 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Baker Funeral Home Chapel in Pound with Elder Lester Baker officiating. Burial was in the Adams Cemetery.

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KEDRIC H. ADAMS

Kedric H. Adams, 75, of 116 Second Ave., Richlands, died of an apparent heart attack Thursday, Dec. 16, in the Bluefield Community Hospital.

He had resided in Dorchester and West Norton until the death of his wife, Mrs. Frances Adams, four years ago.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Mildred Robbins of Manassas; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday, Dec. 19, at 1 p.m. in the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Glen Sturgill officiating. Interment was in the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUE 16 MAR 1982

SUSAN M. ADAMS

Susan M. Adams, 79, died Sunday morning at St. Mary's Hospital in Norton.

She was a member of the Mayking, Ky., Holiness Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Sams of Norton and Mrs. Imogene Moore of Wise; two brothers, Mose Mullins of Whitesburg, Ky., and Charles Mullins of Jenkins, Ky.; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel in Wise, with the Rev. Jim Ramey officiating. Burial will be in the Wise cemetery.

TUESDAY 2 FEB 1982

MRS. AUGUSTA ADKINS

Mrs. Augusta Mae Ring Adkins, 74, of Coeburn, died Saturday in a Wise hospital.

She was a member of the Bull Run Freewill Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her mother, Mrs. Nancy Margaret Ring, on Jan. 12.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Donald (Mari) Huff of Yuma, Ariz., Mrs. David (Kitty) Brooks of Coeburn, and Mrs. Michael (Flossie) Blindin of Denver, Colo.; four sons, Samuel Adkins of Fort Walton Beach, Fla., Earl Adkins of Spaulding, Ohio, Donald Adkins of Highland Springs, Va., and Roger Adkins of Defiance, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph (Irene) Morrell and Mrs. Elmer (Ellen) Kerns, both of Edgewater, Fla.; one brother, Everett Ring of Gary, Ind.; 20 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Charles Ruff and the Rev. Cecil McConnell officiating. Burial will follow in the Greenwood Cemetery in Coeburn.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that contributions be made to the American Cancer Society.

Tue 3 Aug 1982

EFFIE J. ADKINS

Effie J. Adkins, 77, of Clintwood, died Saturday at Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport.

She was a member of the Clintwood Baptist Church and a retired schoolteacher.

She is survived by four sons, Herman Adkins, Clintwood, Dr. Bruce Adkins, Gate City, and Buford Adkins and Don Adkins, both of Kingsport, Tenn.; one brother, Vernon Adkins of Wise; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday in the Clintwood Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Breder and the Rev. Henry Garris officiating. Burial followed in the Phipps Memorial Cemetery. Grandsons and grandsons-in-law served as pallbearers. Clintwood Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Tue 31 Aug 1982

EUGENE C. ADKINS

Eugene C. Adkins, 69, of Wise died Saturday in Wise.

He practiced law in Wise County. He was a former football player in Whitesburg, at the University of Kentucky and played professionally for seven years. He was a former Kentucky state policeman.

He is survived by three daughters, Linda Greg, Arlington, Ingrid Monaco, Arlington, Noel Adkins, Florida; one son, Travis Adkins, Wise; four sisters, Klara Adkins, Whitesburg, Danola Andrews, Alexandria, Betty Joe Woody, Sterling, Anita Spencer, Los Angeles, Calif.; two brothers, Ray Adkins, Whitesburg, Blair Adkins, of Florida; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held in the Banks Funeral Home Chapel in Whitesburg, Ky. at 2 p.m. Tuesday (today) with the Rev. Joe B. Brown officiating. Burial will be in the Sand Lick Cemetery in Whitesburg.

TUE 13 APR 1982

MRS. FLORA ALDRICH

Mrs. Flora Aldrich, 79, of Pound, died Thursday morning at her home.

She was a member of the Long Pine Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are one daughter, Charlotte Robinson, Wise; one sister, Martha Collins, Coeburn; one brother, Charlie Thomas, Roanoke.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Baker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lester Robinson officiating. Burial was in the Aldrich family cemetery, Pound.

Thursday, December 9, 1982

STEPHEN ALLEN

Stephen Allen, 72, of Big Stone Gap, died Sunday morning in the Lomesome Pine Hospital.

He had lived in Big Stone Gap for the past 37 years and was a member of the First Baptist Church. He was a retired miner, a member of the UMWA Local 6229 and a member of the New Bethel Masonic Lodge 209.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Willie Mae Allen; one step-son, Eddie Squire, Cleveland, Ohio; one step-daughter, Mrs. Meadie Hill, Detroit, Mich.; four sisters, Mrs. Melissa Agee and Mrs. Annabelle Collier, both of Demopolis, Ala., and Mrs. Hattie Hill and Mrs. Jannie Pollard, both of Bristol; three brothers, Boston Allen, Demopolis, Eddie Finch, Detroit, and Nathan Jones, Kingsport, Tenn.; 13 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jasper Burrell and the Rev. E.G. Bossard officiating. Burial will be in Oakview Cemetery.

Tue 6 July 1982

RICHARD AMBURGEY SR.

Richard Amburgey Sr., 77, of Wise, died Sunday at Wise General Hospital.

He was a retired coal miner, employed by Wise Coke and Coal Co. He was a retired engineer for the D.C. Childrens Center of Laurel, Md. He attended the Guest River Pentecostal Church of God.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary S. Amburgey; four daughters, Mrs. Ruth Vann of Montgomery, Ala., Mrs. Jodie (Ruby) Wells of Norton, and Mrs. George (Juanita) Necessary and Mrs. Arnold (Catherine) Miles, both of Wise; four sons, Richard Amburgey Jr. of Laurel, Roy Amburgey of Byranton, Md., Jim Amburgey of Kingsport, Tenn., and Robert Amburgey, Church Hill, Tenn.; one sister, Mrs. Fletcher (May) Thacker of Lusby, Md.; one brother, Gilbert Amburgey of Norton; 17 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise, with the Rev. E.B. Bolling and the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating. Burial will follow in Wise Cemetery.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

PAULE AMOS

Paul E. Amos, 71, of Cleveland, died Sunday morning at Russell County Medical Center in Lebanon.

He was a lifelong resident of Russell County and a retired farmer. He was a member of Nash's Ford Baptist Church.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nola V. Bullins of Abingdon; one son, Farley D. Amos of Lucas, Ohio; four sisters, Mrs. Betsy Artrip and Mrs. Margie Owens, both of Cleveland, Mrs. Virginia Starling of Bluefield, W. Va. and Mrs. Ernestine Wallace of Radford; eight brothers, Thomas Amos, Leamon Amos, Giles Amos and Noah Amos, all of Cleveland, Clyde Amos of Clintwood, Sam Amos of Newhall, W. Va., Claude Amos of Mansfield, Ohio, and Duward Amos of Christiansburg; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday (today) at the Russell County Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bobby Hobbs officiating. Burial will be in the Amos family cemetery.

THURSDAY 11 MAR 1982

WILLIAM H. AMOS

William H. (Bill) Amos, 78, of Cleveland, died Sunday night in Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Russell County and was employed by the N & W Railroad for 48 years before his retirement. He attended the Spring City Baptist Church.

Surviving are four sons, William H. Amos Jr., Bradley Amos, Brewster Amos and James Amos, all of Cleveland; one daughter, Mrs. Josephine Parks, Marion; nine brothers, Paul Amos, Tom Amos, Leamon Amos, Giles Amos and Noah Amos, all of Cleveland, Claude Amos, Mansfield, Ohio, Clyde Amos, Haysi, Deward Amos, Radford, and Sam Amos of West Virginia; four sisters, Mrs. Margie Owens and Mrs. Bessie Artrip, both of Cleveland, Mrs. Ernestine Wallace, Radford, and Mrs. Dare Starling, Bluefield, W.Va.; 17 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Lebanon Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ralph Taylor and the Rev. Harold Sykes officiating. Burial was in the Amos family cemetery, Route 1, Cleveland.

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Tuesday and Thursday

Combined edition

MORGAN ANDERSON JR.

Morgan Anderson Jr., 60, of Warren, Mich., died in a Rural Oak, Mich., hospital on Saturday.

He was a former resident of Dickenson County and was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Didema Wright Anderson; three daughters, Paula VanCleve, Kathy Fields and Sherry Anderson, all of Sterling Heights, Mich.; one son, Richie Anderson of Warren, Mich.; one brother, Shelby Anderson of Route 1, Clinchco; four sisters, Mrs. Hallie Taylor, Star Route, Birchleaf, Mrs. Julia Edwards, Route 1, Clinchco, Mrs. Nannie Farmer of North Carolina and Mrs. Virgie Edwards of Clintwood.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Haysi Funeral Home with elders Franklin Viers, Ostel Smith and Garnell Gilbert officiating. Burial will follow in the Anderson Cemetery, Route 1, Clinchco.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

MRS. LETTY A. ANDERSON

Mrs. Letty Arlene Anderson, 61, of Alexandria, died there Sunday.

She is survived by four sons, George Anderson and David L. Anderson, both of Neon, Ky., and Dewey Anderson and Sidney Anderson, both of Alexandria; four daughters, Mrs. Clara Belcher, Ash Camp, Ky., and Mrs. Nancy Mullins, Brenda Anderson and Deborah L. Anderson, all of Alexandria; one brother, Harrison Bryant, Clintwood.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Miller Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. L. Myers Mullins officiating. Burial will be in the Bryant family cemetery at Route 2, Clintwood.

Tue 19 Oct 1982

MRS ALTA F. ARRINGTON

Mrs. Alta Fuller Arrington, 86, of Haysi, died Thursday in a Grundy hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Haysi and was a retired school teacher. She was a member of the Retired Teachers' Association, the Virginia Historical Society and the Clinchco Senior Citizens. She was also a member of the Missionary Baptist Church and had been associated with the Haysi Church of Christ for many years.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Harold T. (Katy Jo) Powers, Haysi; two sisters, Mrs. Edna Arrington and Mrs. Zona Cook, both of Detroit, Mich.; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Haysi Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Jim Viers and the Rev. Ross Lindley officiating. Burial was in Russell Memorial Cemetery, Lebanon.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

BERTHA MAE ARTRIP

Bertha Mae Artrip, 49, of Clinchco, died at Wise General Hospital Saturday.

She is survived by her husband, Freeman Mack Artrip; two daughters, Debra Ann Artrip, Clinchco, and Glenda Artrip Davis, Birchleaf; five brothers, Malloy Turner, Buford Turner, Orbie Turner and Charlie Turner, all of Clinchco, and Ray Turner, Haysi; and one sister, Ganell Sykes, Clinchco.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Old Regular Baptist Church, Clinchco, with the Rev. William Compton officiating. Burial was in the Turner Cemetery, Clinchco.

Miller Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 25 MAY 1982

GEORGE G. ARTRIP

George G. Artrip, 72, of Clintwood, died Thursday night in the Wise General Hospital, after a lingering illness.

He was a retired miner and a member of the Cumberland Church of the Brethren.

He is survived by his wife, Thelma Artrip of Clintwood; one daughter, Mrs. Frankie Ponnell of Falls Church; one sister, Mrs. Emma Sluss of Clintwood, Gordon Artrip of Roanoke, Pridemore Artrip of Hampton, and Glen Artrip of Clintwood; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Sunday in the Clintwood Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. L. Myers Mullins officiating. Burial followed in the Phipps

Memorial Cemetery at Clintwood.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

MRS. MINNIE P ARTRIP

Mrs. Minnie P. Artrip, 89, of Big Stone Gap, died last Wednesday in the Lonesome Pine hospital

She was a native of Lee County but had lived in Big Stone Gap for the past 34 years.

She was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church.

Surviving are one son, Eugene Artrip, Seabrook, Md.; two daughters, Blanche Estep, Loveland, Ohio, and Willie May Artrip, Big Stone Gap; six grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and several neices and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Thomas officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

Thursday, August 5, 1982

ROBERT KYLE ARTRIP

Robert (Bobby) Kyle Artrip, 50, of Tacoma, died Monday night in a Norton hospital.

He was a retired salesman for the Armour & Co., and was a member of the Tacoma United Methodist Church. He was a member of the Coeburn Masonic Lodge No. 97.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Jeanette Chiles Artrip, Coeburn; one daughter, Mrs. Richard (Sharon) Riggs of Tacoma; his mother, Mrs. Bessie Artrip, Cleveland, Va.; three brothers, Edgar Artrip and Arnold Artrip, both of Cleveland, and Raymond Artrip, Virginia Beach; three sisters, Mrs. Iris Elkins, Coeburn, Mrs. Inez Brown, Virginia Beach, and Mrs. Kathleen Anderson, Lebanon; and one grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Coeburn, with the Rev. Steve Maddox and Dr. Sam Neeley Jr. officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Norton.

Thursday, April 8, 1982

MAMIE ASHMORE

Mamie Ashmore, 70, of Big Stone Gap, died Saturday night at Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She was a former employee of Jack's Department Store in Big Stone Gap and a member of Kennedy United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, James R. Ashmore; one son, James L. Ashmore of Blountville, Tenn.; five sisters, Mrs. Midge Hall of Big Stone Gap, Mrs. Anna Aldridge of Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. Grace Wood of Vallejo, Calif., Mrs. Lois Warren of Seymour, Ind., and Mrs. Dean Warren of Andrews, Texas; one brother, Albert White of Benicia, Calif.; one granddaughter.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Don Scott officiating. Burial followed in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

TUE 23 MAR 1982

CHARLES AUSTIN

Charles Woodrow Austin, 57, died Friday. 19 MAR

He was a resident of Auburndale, Fla., where he had been a citrus worker. He was a World War II veteran.

He is survived by one son, Chuck Austin, Brooklyn, N.Y.; one daughter, Connie Austin, Brooklyn; one sister, Mrs. Virginia McQuire, Big Stone Gap.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Church of God with the H.G. Kiser officiating. Burial was in the American Legion Cemetery.

Holding Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Thur 14 Oct 1982

EMMITT T. AUSTIN

Emmitt Thomas Austin, 72, of Dungannon, died Monday.

Surviving are one son, Thomas Edgar Austin, York, Pa.; one brother, Jeter Austin, Castlewood; three sisters, Mrs. Thelma Lucas, Dungannon, Mrs. Nancy Robinson, St. Paul, and Mrs. Dora Strong, Gate City; one step-son, H.E. Christian, St. Louis, Mo.; two granddaughters and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Doug Smith officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

Thursday, February 25, 1982

MRS. PAULINE O. AUSTIN

Mrs. Pauline Opal Austin, 69, of Trammel, died Friday in Wise Regional Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, O.T. Austin; two sons, Ace E. Austin, Trammel, and Jerry E. Austin, Jasper, Tenn.; one daughter, Mrs. Dennis (Sandra) Boggs, Clintwood; one brother, Elmer Painter, Canton, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Fleming and Mrs. Gertrude Atkins, both of Oak Hill, W.Va., and six grandchildren.

Huff-Cook Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Funeral service were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at the Trammel Baptist Church with the Rev. Joe Johnson and the Rev. Don Smith officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

THURSDAY 25 FEB 1982

MRS. NELLIE E. BABER

Mrs. Nellie E. Baber, 83, died Sunday in Memorial Hospital in Monroe, Mich.

She was a member of the Church of God in Carlton, Mich.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Frances Back and Mrs. Fred Catlett, both of Maybee, Mich., Mrs. William Adkins, Topeka, Kan., and Mrs. Arthur Christian, Napoleon, Ohio; two sons, William Baber, Warren, Mich., and the Rev. Kenneth Baber, Swansea, S.C.; one brother, Eugene Robinson, Longacre, W.Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Andrew (Laura) Johnston, Norton, Mrs. Able (Dora) Oney, Castlewood, and Mrs. Bruce (Meda) Monk, Bristol, Tenn.; 17 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel, Coeburn, with the Rev. I.C. Collins officiating. Burial will be in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

THURSDAY 1 APR 1982

GEORGE H. BAILEY SR.

George Hugh Bailey Sr., 70, of Dante, died Monday in Memorial Hall in Bristol.

He was a member of the Clinchfield Masonic Lodge No. 256, AF & AM and was a member of the Union Baptist Church of Dante.

He was employed by the Clinchfield Railroad for 33 years before retiring in 1974. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Railway and Airline Clerks and was a former employee of the Clinchfield Coal Co.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Kade Bailey; one son, George H. Bailey Jr., Wise; one brother, Joe Bailey, Washington, D.C.; one sister, Miss Elizabeth Bailey, Dante; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lee Kidd officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the Dante Rescue Squad, the American Cancer Society or a favorite charity.

Thur 26 Aug 1982

MRS. MARTHA A. BAILEY

Mrs. Martha A. Bailey, 63, of Olinger, died Monday at her home.

She was a lifelong resident of Lee County and was a Baptist.

She is survived by four sons, Clay Bailey, Wayne Bailey and Ralph Bailey, all of Big Stone Gap, and Clarence Bailey, Dayton, Ohio; six daughters, Blanche Baldwin and Linda Wade, both of Big Stone Gap, Rebecca Woods, Dryden, Juanita Decaussin, Utica, Mich., Joann Coker, Waynesville, Ohio, and Maudie Ruth Lucas, Dallas, Texas; one brother, Doc Waddell, Greenwood, Ind.; four sisters, Mary Fugate and Lelia Horner, both of Beckley, W.Va., Hazel Delp, Baltimore, Md., and Cathleen Delp, Roanoke; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday (today) in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Pennington Gap with the Rev. K.K. Culbertson officiating. Burial will follow in the family cemetery.

THURSDAY 18 FEB 1982

MRS. ALLIE M. BAKER

Mrs. Allie Manis Baker, 92, of Appalachia, died Monday in the Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Appalachia and had lived at Heritage Hall Nursing Home for the past four years. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, James Baker, of Heritage Hall; one daughter, Mrs. Edith M. Willis, Norton; one son, Neil Manis, Big Stone Gap; four stepsons, Jeff Manis, Murray, Ky., Arnold Baker, Kings Mill, Ohio, Bulfort Baker, Norwood, Ohio, and Tommy Baker, San Diego, Calif.; six grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Hagy Funeral Home of Norton is in charge of arrangements.

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MRS. BERTIE M. BAKER

Mrs. Bertie Minton Baker, 95, of Wise, died Wednesday in a Norton hospital.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Millard (Nora) Vaughan, Duffield, Mrs. Letcher (Eliza) Baker and Mrs. Jack (Mary) Miller, both of Wise, and Mrs. Janie Cheatwood, Kent, Ohio; three sons, Walter Minton, Andover, Robert Minton, Church Hill, Tenn., and Bascom Minton, Duffield; one brother, Edgar Rhoton, Gate City; 63 grandchildren, 129 great-grandchildren and 23 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Leroy Mullins officiating. Burial followed in the Minton family cemetery.

TUE 13 APR 1982

IRAC BAKER

Ira C. Baker, 52, of Wise, died Wednesday in the Rocky Hill Hospital in Rocky Hill, Conn.

He was a veteran of the U.S. Army.

He is survived by two sons, Wayne Baker and Dale Baker, both of Southbury, Conn.; one daughter, Miss Karen Lynn Baker, Manassas; his mother, Mrs. Emma Pridemore Baker, Pound; three sisters, Mrs. Della Sturgill and Mrs. Helen Hash, both of Wise, and Mrs. Frances Cordes, Eagle Lake, Fla.; three brothers, Bernard Baker, Richmond, Rufus Baker, Mechanicsville, and Bill Baker, Merrimack, N.H.; one grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 12 noon Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with Elder Lester Baker and the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating.

Tuesday, November 16, 1982

JAMES AARON BAKER

James Aaron (Cotton) Baker, 58, of Blountville, Tenn., died Thursday morning.

He was a native of Wise County and had lived in Scott County before moving to Sullivan County, Tenn. He was a heavy equipment operator for Penley Construction Co., a member of the Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ida Berry Baker; six daughters, Miss Betty Baker of the home, Mrs. David (Charlotte) Ashley, Mrs. Jerry (Sue) Lawson, Mrs. Ken (Anita) Bates, Miss Kathy Baker and Miss Donna J. Baker, all of Kingsport, Tenn.; four sons, Wayne Baker of the home, Jimmy Baker and J.M. Baker, both of Kingsport, and Bobby Baker, Johnson City, Tenn.; one brother, Richard Baker, Blountville; two sisters, Mrs. Loretta Stallard and Mrs. Thomas Page, both of Nickelsville; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Sunday in East Lawn Funeral Home with the Rev. R.D. Stallard and the Rev. Odell Beecham officiating.

TUE 8 JUNE 1982

LORAH BAKER

Lora H. Baker, 39, of Louisa, died Thursday at St. Luke's Hospital in Richmond.

She was a former resident of the Dry Fork community near Coeburn.

Surviving are her husband, Millard Ray Baker; one daughter, Donna Kaye Peregoy of Houston, Texas; one son, Lincoln P. Baker of Louisa; several half-brothers and half-sisters; one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Larry Addington and the Rev. Willia Ashworth officiating. Burial was in the Carter Cemetery.

Tue 6 July 1982

MRS. MARGARET S. BAKER

Mrs. Margaret Stallard Baker, 83, of Blountville, Tenn., died Wednesday morning in Holston Valley Community Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport.

She was a Wise County native, but had lived in Tennessee for the past 36 years. She was a member of the Baptist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Warren (Loretta) Stallard and Mrs. Thomas (Mildred) Page, both of Nickelsville; three sons, W.D. Baker of Nickelsville, James Baker and Richard Baker, both of Blountville; one sister, Mrs. Jalie Bevins of Pound; and 16 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the East Lawn Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ralph Cook and the Rev. R.D. Stallard officiating. Burial was in the East Lawn Memorial Park.

THURSDAY 4 FEB 1982

OTIS V. BAKER

Otis Van Baker, 33, of Pound died Sunday morning of an apparent heart attack.

He was employed by Mullins-Stanley Trucking Co. of Clintwood. He was a veteran of the Vietnam conflict and a member of the VFW Post No. 9600 in Pound.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Yvonne Baker, Martinsville, Va.; one son, Gary W. Baker, Martinsville; two daughters, Sherry L. Baker and Kathy A. Baker, both of Martinsville; five brothers, Norman Baker and James Baker, both of Pound, Bruce Baker, Richmond, Bob Baker, Kremning, Colo., and Arnold Baker, U.S. Air Force, Omaha, Neb.; two sisters, Brenda Harris, North Wilksboro, N.C., and Carol Hale, Richmond.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Wise County Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Emmitt Mullins and Lester Robinson officiating. Burial will be in the Baker Cemetery at Route 2, Pound. Graveside services will be conducted by the VFW Post 9600 of Pound and the American Legion Post No. 66 of Jenkins.

Tue 7 Dec 1982

CLAUDINE H. BALL

Claudine H. Ball, 74, died Saturday at a Norton hospital.

She was a native of Russell County and a retired employee of the Russell County public schools and the Norton public schools. She was a member of the Norton United Methodist Church and taught the Philathea Sunday School class for a number of years.

Survivors include her husband, E.L. Ball; one daughter, Elizabeth Owens of Abingdon; two step-sons, William S. Ball of West Palm Beach, Fla., and David Ball of Norton; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Jackson of Lewis Center, Ohio, Mrs. F.L. (Nancy) Ball of Kingsport, Mrs. S.E. (Ruth) Harman of Norton and Mrs. Harry (Audrey) Whitehurst of Tempe, Ariz.; one brother, Rader Hale of Stone, Ky.; two grandchildren; three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. today (Tuesday) at the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel in Norton with the Rev. Claude Quillen officiating. Burial will follow in Russell Memorial Park at Lebanon.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

MRS. FLORA M. BALL

Mrs. Flora M. Ball, 88, of Honaker, died Teusday morning in a Sabina, Ohio, nursing home.

She was a native of Buchanan County and a former resident of Davenport. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Cuba Robinson, Covington, Ky., Mrs. Virginia Dare Ball, Edgewood, Md., and Mrs. Helen Flake, Clarksville, Ohio; seven sons, Charlie Ball, Seattle, Wash., Titus Ball, Fredericksburg, Va., Willard Ball and Gorman Ball, both of Norwood, Ohio, Burton Ball and Norman Ball, of Loveland, Ohio, and Harlin Ball, Draper; three sisters, Alt Breeding, Davenport, Mrs. Bertha Hale, Beckley, W.Va., and Mrs. Grace VanWinkle, Cincinnati, Ohio; four brothers, Clyde Davis and Floyd Davis, Cincinnati, Ohio, Howard Davis, of Indiana, and Henry Davis of Haysi; 22 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in the Honaker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ancil Childress and the Rev. Walker Wampler officiating. Burial will be in Russell Memorial Cemetery at Lebanon.

Tue 3 Aug 1982

ERMA BARKER

Erma Barker, 50, of Blackwater, died Tuesday at the Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

She had been a resident of Blackwater for the past seven years and was formerly of Dayton, Ohio. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church in Appalachia.

She is survived by her husband, Ralph Barker of Blackwater; four sons, Ralph Barker Jr. and Rocky Barker, both of Dayton, Ohio, Michael Barker, Big Stone Gap, and Blaine Barker, Blackwater; two daughters, Rozhon Collier and Robin Osborne, both of Blackwater; three sisters, Georgia Seale and Edna Marcum, both of Sneedville, Tenn., and Billie Fultz of Rogersville, Tenn.; five grandchildren.

Tue 10 Aug 1982

DELBERT L. BARTON

Delbert Leo Barton, 57, of Wise, died Tuesday in Baltimore, Md.

He was employed by Bethlehem Steel in Baltimore.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Blanche Ramey Barton; three daughters, Mrs. Joyce Ann Kruml, Baltimore, Mrs. Teresa Fedder, Boston, Mass., and Mrs. Anna Joan Robinson, Memphis, Tenn.; his mother, Mrs. Ada McClellan, Anderson, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Frances Hargis and Mrs. Garnett Shupe, both of Anderson, and Mrs. Sue Herman, Houston, Texas; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Wise Cemetery.

Tue 13 July 1982

JIM BARTLEY

Jim Bartley, 78, of Racoon, Ky., died Wednesday in a Pikeville, Ky. hospital.

He was a former resident of Dickenson County and a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Emma Bartley; four sons, Carroll Bartley and A.J. Bartley, both of Haysi, Denver Bartley and Sade Bartley, both of Chicago, Ill.; three daughters, Virginia Thomas, Bristol, Tenn., Alleen Fassanella, Germantown, Md., and Ada Wallace, Haysi; two sisters, Susie Marshall and Mary Jane Taylor, both of Honaker; 32 grandchildren and 44 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Sandlick Primitive Baptist Church with elders Franklin Viers, Teddy Ball and Paul D. Justice officiating. Burial was in the Bartley-Hill Cemetery.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

MRS. EMMA C. BARTON

Mrs. Emma C. Barton, 70, of Bee, died Sunday in a Grundy hospital.

She was the widow of Caney F. Barton and was a member of the Duty View Primitive Baptist Church.

Surviving are five sons, Delmar Barton, Abingdon, Danny Barton, Council, Ferrell Barton, Jack Arrington and Bobby Arrington, all of Bee; two sisters, Bethel O'Quinn and Martha Tiller, both of Bee; 20 grandchildren, nine great-grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at Duty View Primitive Baptist Church with elders Ostil Smith, Garnell Gilbert and Elmer Brown officiating. Burial was in the Duty Cemetery at Bee. Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUES 16 NOV 1982

MRS. HADIE V. BARTON

Mrs. Hadie Violet Barton, 88, of Birchleaf, died Thursday morning in the Heritage Hall Health Care Center, Clintwood.

She was the widow of Henry Barton. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Naomi Owens, Birchleaf and Mrs. Millie Shampo, Clintwood; five sons, Clayton Edwards, Abingdon, Marion Edwards Jr., and L.C. Edwards, both of Haysi, Palmer Edwards, Birchleaf and Maloy Edwards, Clinchco; one sister, Mrs. Lula Wood, Clinchco; 36 grandchildren and 37 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sandlick Primitive Baptist Church with elders Andrew McGlothlin, Garnell Gilbert and Franklin Viers officiating. Burial was in Edwards Cemetery.

TUE 1 JUNE 1982

FRANKLIN D. BATES

Franklin D. Bates, 49, died Saturday at his home in Lilburn, Ga.

He was a former resident of Wise and an administrative manager for the American Motors Sales Corp., of Atlanta, Ga.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bernice Hall Bates; two sons, John Martin Bates and George F. Bates, both of Lilburn, Ga.; his mother, Mrs. Mary Lou Bates of Wise; six sisters, Mrs. Carie Kilgore of Wise, Mrs. Mary Holcomb of Norton, Mrs. Dixie Cox of Coal City, W.Va., Mrs. Ruth Puckett of Muncy, Ind., Mrs. Jacqueline Hubbard and Mrs. Jean Hillman, both of Kingsport, Tenn.; five brothers, Russell Bates, of Virginia Beach, Robert Bates of Arlington, Martin Bates of Abingdon, James Bates of Wise and Donald Bates of Norton.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the R.T. Patterson Funeral Home Chapel in Lilburn, Ga. Graveside services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens with the Rev. W.M. Lovelady officiating. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Sturgill Funeral Home in Wise.

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WILLIAME. BAUGHSR.

William Edgar Baugh Sr., 77, of Wise, died Monday afternoon here.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lola Stallard Baugh; two daughters, Mrs. Barbara Campbell of Jacksonville, Fla., and Mrs. Sandy Dotson of Virginia Beach; five sons, Bill Baugh Jr. and James Baugh, both of Wise, Larry Baugh and Maurice Baugh, both of Jacksonville, and Roger Baugh of New York, N.Y.; one brother, Buford Baugh of Princeton, W. Va.; 13 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday at the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel in Wise with the Rev. Bill Baker officiating. Burial was in the Wise Cemetery.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

LILLIE MAE BELL

Lillie Mae Bell, 56, of Wise, died Thursday at Grady Memorial Hospital, Atlanta, Ga., of injuries sustained in an automobile accident.

She was born in Lee County.

Surviving are her husband, Billy G. Bell Sr., Wise; three sons, Chuck Skidmore, Dryden, Edward Skidmore, Wise, and Billy G. Bell Jr., Atlanta; five daughters, Mildred Dale, Coeburn, Freda Musik, Dryden, Patsy Taylor, Clinton, Tenn., Jackie Hibbits, Wise, and Darlene Bell, Atlanta; two brothers, Short Osborne,

Woodway, and Wilburn Osborne, Ben Hur; one sister, Mrs. Maxie Burgan, Jonesville; nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday at Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel, Pennington Gap, with the Rev. David Dale officiating. Burial was in Lee Memorial Garden.

TUE 27 apr 1982

ELLWOOD BAUSELL

Ellwood B. Bausell of Lebanon died at his home early Sunday morning.

He was a member of Lebanon Memorial United Methodist Church, Lebanon Masonic Lodge No. 251 and Kazim Temple of Roanoke. He had been the owner and editor of the Lebanon News for 35 years. He was a former member of the Russell County School Board and a former clerk for the Virginia General Assembly.

Surviving include his wife, Aldah Little Thigpen Bausell; one daughter, Mrs. William V. (Kris) Keith of Big Stone Gap; one brother, Bernace K. Bausell of Bristol.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday (today) at Russell Memorial Cemetery at Lebanon with Rev. Charles Lockerby and the Rev. James A. Shugart officiating. Lebanon Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 24 JUN 1982

MRS. MARY BELLEW

Mrs. Mary Ellen Lawson Bellew, 24, and her 2½ year-old son Jason Bellew, died Saturday from injuries received in an automobile accident near Orlando, Fla.

She is survived by her husband, Michael Bellew, Clewiston, Fla.; two sons, James Bellew and Jeremy, Bellew, both of the home; her mother, Mrs. Missouri (Tootie) Lawson, Banner; her father, Garland (Pete) Lawson, Haysi; two brothers, James (Doc) Lawson, Clintwood, and Ronnie Lawson, Coeburn; two sisters, Mrs. Bill Addington, Lawton, Okla., and Mrs. Fred Hughes, Clewiston, Fla.; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Nan Lawson, Banner.

In addition to family members listed, Jason Bellew is survived by his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bellew of Clewiston, Fla.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Coeburn, with the Rev. Hasting S. Ward officiating. Burial will be in Greenwood Cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until the time of the service.

Thursday, October 7, 1982

CAMPBELL B. BENNETT SR.

Campbell Bascom Bennett Sr., 69, of Wise, died Sunday in a local hospital.

He was a retired miner and farmer, formerly employed by Westmoreland Coal Co., a member of the UMW, a member of the Freewill Baptist Church, the Wise Masonic Hoge Lodge No. 8, AF & AM, the IOOF Hugh Latham Lodge No. 107 of Coeburn.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lillian Collyer Bennett; two daughters, Mrs. Steve (Glenda) Hubbard, Wise, and Mrs. Richard (Susie) Fogle, Knoxville, Tenn.; two sons, Charles Bennett and Bascom (Corky) Bennett Jr., both of Wise; one brother, Canara Bennett, Wise; and five grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel, Wise, with the Rev. Leroy Mullins and the Rev. Robert Smith officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Coeburn.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

ALONZO BENTLEY

Alonzo Bentley, 76, of the Cadet community, died Friday.

He was a lifelong Big Stone Gap resident, a retired miner and a member of United Mine Workers of America Local 1405.

He is survived by his wife, Ethel Bentley; five daughters, Lavada Yeary and Wilma Jean Wells, both of Big Stone Gap, Patsy Sturgill, Exeter, Daisy Maye Harless, Pennington Gap, and Joyce Dunn, East Stone Gap; three sons, Robert H. Bentley and Buford H. Bentley, both of Big Stone Gap, and Curtis L. Bentley, Virginia Beach; two sisters, Rosie Culbertson, Josephine, and Margaret Stidham, Big Stone Gap; 23 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. U.L. Graham officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Thursday, February 11, 1982

DELLA D. BENTLEY

Della D. Bentley, 57, of Norton, died Tuesday morning at a Norton hospital after a long illness. She had been a lifelong resident of Norton and had been in Clinch Valley Manor Nursing Home for two years.

She is survived by one son,

Tillman Bentley of Norton; two sisters, Mrs. Ellen Wells of Big Stone Gap and Mrs. Eppie Hamilton of Norton; four brothers, Raymond Bentley Sr. of Norton, Woodrow Bentley of Big Stone Gap, Clyde Bentley of Orlando, Fla., and Kelly Bentley of Dayton, Ohio; 12 grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Glen Sturgill officiating. Burial will be in White Oak Gap Cemetery.

Thur 8 July 1982

JOHN WILLIAM BENTLEY

John William Bentley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bentley, died Monday in the Johnson City Medical Center.

Other survivors include two brothers, Brit Bentley and Jason Bentley, both of the home; paternal grandmother, Mrs. Faye Bentley, Castlewood; maternal grandparents, James and Eileen Boatwright, Castlewood; maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Blevins, St. Paul; and the maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lotus Blevins, St. Paul; and the maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Boatwright, Detroit, Mich.

Graveside services were conducted Tuesday in Temple Hill Memorial Park with the Rev.

Harry Whitaker officiating. Huff-Cook Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday, June 29, 1982

LATISHA G. BENTLEY

Latisha Gail Bentley, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Bentley, died Tuesday in the Johnson City Medical Center, Johnson City, Tenn.

Other survivors include the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bentley, Norton; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minor, Wise; the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Breeding, Millstone, Ky; and the maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Mary Minor, Wise.

Graveside services were conducted in the Perry cemetery, Wise, with the Rev. Nelson Sloce officiating.

Minor Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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CARROLL BEVERLY

Carroll (Corky) Beverly, 36, of Wise, died Friday at Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a veteran of the Vietnam conflict.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Beverly; three daughters, Amanda Beverly, Brandy Beverly and April Beverly, all of the home; his mother, Mrs. Avie Beverly, Wise; two brothers, Albert Beverly, Wise, and Lloyd Beverly, St. Paul; three sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Miller, Granite Falls, N.C., Mrs. Evelyn Jennings, Salem, and Mrs. Hazel Reeves, Hudson, N.C.

Funeral services were conducted at Sturgill Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. David Powers and the Rev. Kelly Rose officiating. Burial was in the Kilgore cemetery.

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MRS. EMILY KATE BEVERLY

Mrs. Emily Kate Beverly, 67, of Wise, died Thursday in Wise General Hospital.

She was a member of the Bethel Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Luther Beverly; one daughter, Mrs. Bertha Bevins, Wise; one step-son, Richard Horne, Greensboro, N.C.; three brothers, John W. Bevins, Castlewood, Crate Bevins, Ocoee, Fla., and Joe Bevins, Independence, Ore.; one half-sister, Mrs. Lottie Taylor, Wise; 10 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday in the Bethel Chapel Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. David Powers, the Rev. Ben Powers and the Rev. Denver Dean officiating. Burial was in Roundtop Cemetery.

TUE 22 JUNE 1982

BOBBY F. BISE

Bobby F. Bise, 46, of Clintwood, died Tuesday in the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Bise; two sons, Billy Bise and Mark Bise, both of Clintwood; one daughter, Sherry Hayes, Clintwood; his mother, Mrs. Delphia Reedy Bise, Clintwood; one brother, Roy Bise, Clintwood; three sisters, Anna Lee Stanley, Mildred Mullins and Beulah McCowan, all of Clintwood.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the Peuther Chapel Church with the Rev. Joe Glenn Sluss and the Rev. Derwood Yates officiating. Burial followed in the Peuther Chapel Church Cemetery. Miller Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 23 MAR 1982

MRS. RUBY BISHOP

Mrs. Ruby Bishop, 66, of Exeter, died Thursday at her home.

She was a member of the Imboden United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband, M.B. Bishop Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. Joe (Marglo) Rose and Mrs. Johnny (Joan Lee) Kilgore, both of Big Stone Gap; two brothers, Quinton Watkins, Imboden, and Warren Watkins, Exeter; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral service were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John McCarroll, the Rev. Dan Jervis and the Rev. J.C. Osgoode officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

MRS. MARGARETS. BLAIR

Mrs. Margaret S. Blair, 54, of Norton, died Wednesday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

She is survived by her husband, Millard Blair; two daughters, Mrs. Susie Maggard, Exeter, and Mrs. Gertrude Cochran, Las Vegas, Nev.; three sons, James Blair and Billy Blair, both of Norton, and Hughey Blair, Wise; her mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Burchette, Woodway; two sisters, Mrs. Nola Mullins, Tazewell, Tenn., and Mrs. Lizzie Paul, Cumberland Gap, Tenn.; one brother, Billy Seabolt, Tazewell, Tenn.; one half-brother, F.J. Burchette, Jonesville; two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with the Rev. J.C. Osgood officiating.

TUE 22 JUNE 1982

SAMBLAIR

Sam Blair, 66, of Derby, died Thursday in the Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a retired miner and had lived in Derby for the past 10 years.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Calanthe D. Blair; five daughters, Bertha M. Gray, Alexandria, Bethealla F. Smith, Big Stone Gap, Vindetta Blair, Coeburn and Ruthie M. Thomas and Princess G. Blair, both of Derby; two sons, Ernest L. Blair and Charles Donalson, both of Derby, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with burial in Powell Valley Memorial Gardes.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

LOUISA J. BLANKENSHIP

Louisa J. Blankenship, 74, of the Breaks, died Friday in the Bristol Memorial Hospital.

She is survived by five daughters, Cressie Blankenship and Chloe Blankenship, both of the home, Goldie Griffith of Breaks, and Jarlene Mullins and Dorothy Mullins, both of Haysi, four sons, Byrd Blankenship, Thomas Blankenship, and Jerry Blankenship, all of Breaks, and Donnie Blankenship of the home; three sisters, Alice Reynolds, Clinchco, Rebecca Blankenship, Breaks, and Credie O'Quinn, Haysi; 32 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Little Josie Church in Breaks with

Elders James O'Quinn, Frank Newsome, Freeline Yates and Paul McClanahan officiating. Burial was in the Little Josie Cemetery.

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MRS. BETTY JO BLEVINS

Mrs. Betty Jo Stump Blevins, 54, of Danville, died after a long illness Sunday morning, Nov. 21, in Hillcrest Convalescent Center.

Born in Pike County, Ky., she grew up in Grundy and graduated from Grundy High School and Radford University. She was a former resident of Norton.

She had been a resident of Durham, N.C., for several years and was a former member of Guest Road Baptist Church. At the time of her death, she was a member of Colonial Avenue Baptist Church in Roanoke.

Survivors include her husband, William P. Blevins, Danville; two daughters, Sue B. Granklin, Durham, and Elizabeth B. Perkins, Roanoke; one sister, Mrs. Dovie Sue White, Bristol; and one grandchild.

A memorial service was conducted Nov. 23 in Clement Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ernest Holt officiating.

Thur 21 Oct 1982

CHRISTI LEA BLEVINS

Christi Lea Blevins, a 28-day-old infant, died Sunday at Johnson City, Tenn., Medical Center.

She is survived by her parents, A.C. and Vicki Blevins of Coeburn; one sister, Jenni Lynn Blevins of Coeburn; her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cowan Blevins of Coeburn and her maternal grandparents, Claude Elkins and Virginia Shull of Clintwood.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at Valley

View Freewill Baptist Church in Clintwood, with the Rev. Derwood Yates officiating. Burial followed in the Rugby Cemetery at Coeburn. Clintwood Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Thursday, November 11, 1982

MRS. HATTIE E. BLEVINS

Mrs. Hattie Elizabeth Blevins, 73, of Norton, died Monday in the Indian Path Hospital, Kingsport, Tenn.

She attended the Pentecostal Church in Norton.

Survivors include seven daughters, Mrs. Mary Dorton, Columbus, Ga., Mrs. Marcella Dalton, Mrs. Henrietta Collins, Mrs. Betty Jo Salyers and Mrs. Sarah Frances Dorton, all of Kingsport, Mrs. Shelia Taylor, Norton, and Mrs. Irma Kay Marsh, Stockbridge, Mich.; three sons, Buddy Blevins, Norwood, Ohio, Harold Blevins, Jackson, Mich., and Gary Blevins, Norton; one sister, Mrs. Sarah Sigman, Kansas City, Mo.; 20 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Norton Pentecostal Church with the Rev. Nelson Sloce and the Rev. E.B. Bolling officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Grove Cemetery. Minor Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Thur 30 Dec 1982

RALPH T. BLONDELL

Ralph T. Blondell, 71, of Route 1, Big Stone Gap, died Saturday morning in Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a veteran of World War II.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Eura Kilbourn and Mrs. Mary Alice Riles, both of Big Stone Gap; and one brother, Howard Blondell of Big Stone Gap.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. Thursday in the chapel of Roy A. Green Funeral Home with the Rev. E.H. Insko officiating. Burial will be in the American Legion Cemetery.

THURSDAY 25 FEB 1982

HORACE BOARDMAN

Horace Boardman, 87, of 1028 Beach Manor Center East, Venice, Fla., died Feb. 13 at Venice Hospital.

A native of England, Mr. Boardman moved to Venice from Albuquerque, N.M., 23 years ago.

He was a former purchasing agent for the Division of Plant Design and Construction, Department of the Interior. He was a member of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

He was also a life member of Lebanon Lodge No. 22 AF & AM, the Navajo Chapter No. 18 R.A.M., the Baldwyn Commandery No. 12 K.T., all in Gallup, N.M. He was a member of the Ballut Abyad Shrine Temple in Albuquerque, N.M., and was a life member of the Shrine Hospital for Crippled Children.

Survivors include his wife, Elma Boardman of Venice; and two grandchildren.

Memorial services were held Tuesday at St. Mark's Episcopal Church with the Rev. John Hiers officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Shrine Hospital Association Ballut Abyad Temple in Albuquerque, N.M. Rawles Funeral Home of Venice, Fla., was in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday, February 23, 1982

CARLOS G. BOGGS

Carlos Gene Boggs, 34, of Pound, died Wednesday in a Norton hospital of an apparent heart attack.

He is survived by two daughters. Shannon Boggs and

Joyce Boggs, both of Baltimore, Md.; his mother, Ella Sturgill Boggs of Pound; two sisters, Faye Bolling of Wise and Terry Parrott of Whitesburg, Ky.; two brothers, Ralph Boggs and Roger Boggs, both of Pound.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Baker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Arnold Powers and Elder Lester Baker officiating. Burial was in the Boggs family cemetery.

THUR 27 MAY 1982

MARY BOGGS

Mary Leona Skeen Boggs, 90, of Alexandria, Va., died Monday in Oak Meadows Nursing Home in Alexandria.

She was a former resident of the Powell Valley section.

Survivors include one son, Lazell Boggs of Kingsport; four daughters, Devona Lee Mitchell of Detroit, Beulah Whatman and Ruth Ellis, both of Alexandria, and Lillian Noble of Potsdam, Ohio; 20 grandchildren; 31 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ralph Cook and the Rev. Joe Hickman officiating. Burial will follow in the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUE 20 APR 1982

ODUS M. BOLLING

Odus M. Bolling, 76, of Cumberland, Ky. died Saturday in a Lexington, Ky. hospital.

Bolling was a native of Flat Gap near Pound.

He is survived by his wife, Maude Ison Bolling; five sons, Glen Bolling, Ann Arbor, Mich., Donnie Bolling of Carlton, Mich., Bobby Gene Bolling, Howell, Mich., James Otis Bolling, Flat Rock, Mich., Richard Franklin, Washington, Mich.; three daughters, Alma Lou Carter, Vienna, Va., Margaret Ann Garrett, Levonia, Mich., Betty Evelyn Carter, Newport, Mich.; two step-daughters, Corinne Dossett and Una Faye Russell,

both of Frankfort, Ky., 34 grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren; three brothers, Conard Bolling, Pound, Jamie Bolling, Bristol, Tenn., Gene Bolling, Mount Airy, Md.; five sisters, Hattie Bolling, Fla., Alma Sturgill, Pound, Ollie Bolling, Hyattsville, Md., Flora Adams, Clarksburg, Md., Gladys Alcaresy, Lutherville, Md.

Services will be held in Detroit, Mich. on Wednesday, April 21.

Tue 3 Aug 1982

MARVIN BONE

Marvin Bone, 64, of Coeburn, died Saturday at St. Mary's Hospital in Norton.

He was an army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Della Sluss Bone; one son, Marvin K. Bone, of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Aires Stanley of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Mrs. Beulah Howard of West Palm Beach, Fla.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at Sturgill

Funeral Home Chapel in Coeburn with the Rev. Noah Kiser officiating. Burial followed in Greenwood Cemetery at Coeburn.

TUE 30 MAR 1982

MRS. ALTHA BONHAM

Mrs. Altha Morgan Bonham, 79, of Inman, died Tuesday at Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She was a lifelong Inman resident.

Survivors include her husband, Lawrence Bonham; three daughters, Mrs. Ruth Bush of Big Stone Gap, Mrs. Thelma Sanders of Coeburn, and Mrs. Peggy Munsey of Hialeah, Fla.; one son, George Bonham of Hialeah; one sister, Mrs. Ollie Waddell of Tazewell, Tenn.; 20 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. John McCarroll officiating. Burial followed in the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Tue 14 Dec 1982

CLIFFORD BOOHER

Clifford Booher, 57, of Bristol, died at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Russell County, but had made his home in Bristol most of his life. He was a retired driver for the Overnite Transportation Co.

Survivors include one son, Gary Booher of Greensboro, N.C.; two daughters, Mrs. Barbara George and Miss Micki Booher, both of Bristol; two brothers, Doug Booher of Montgomery, Ala., and Buford (Tag) Booher of Manassas; three sisters, Mrs. Billie Wilson of Manassas; Mrs. Inez Breeding of Coeburn, and Mrs. Judy Marion of Hollywood, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Blevins Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Gary Garland and the Rev. Roy Lee officiating. Burial followed in the Russell Memorial Cemetery in Lebanon.

Tue 27 July 1982

ROSA HICKS BOOTHE

Mrs. Rosa Hicks Boothe, 91, died Thursday at Norton Community Hospital.

She was a native of Russell County and a former resident of the Cross Roads community. She was a member of the Caney Ridge Freewill Baptist Church and was the widow of Clint Booth.

She is survived by one son, Jessie James Davis of Lebanon; four daughters, Mrs. Heda Collins, Norton, Mrs. Edith Patrick, Bristol, Mrs. Ethel Morrison, Coeburn and Mrs. Udell Boothe, Richmond; one brother, Frank Hill, Coeburn; one sister, Mrs. Minnie Hibbits, Tazewell; 24 grandchildren, 63 great-grandchildren and 36 great-great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Lebanon Funeral Home Chapel on Saturday with the Rev. Jimmy Vento of Coeburn officiating. Burial was in Russell Memorial Cemetery at Lebanon.

TUE 13 APR 1982

RAY H. BOWEN

Ray H. Bowen, 75, of Duffield, died Thursday morning at his home.

He was a native of Scott County, a veteran of World War II and a retired miner and sawmill operator.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eva Mae Bowen; six daughters, Mrs. Betty Jo Bowen, Wise, Mrs. Ida A. Wade, Greeneville, Tenn., Mrs. Violet R. Bowen and Miss Bonnie E. Bowen, both of Duffield, and Mrs. Anita Mullins and Mrs.

Joyce M. Bishop, both of Clinchport; four sons, Ray H. Bowen Jr., Church Hill, Tenn., Lonnie E. Bowen and Samuel P. Bowen, both of Duffield, and Randy Bowen, U.S. Navy, California; two sisters, Mrs. Ruby Hill and Miss Della Carter, both of Mt. Carmel, Tenn.; 25 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Hills Chapel Church with the Rev. Clifton McDavid and the Rev. Lonnie Townsend officiating.

Tuesday, December 14, 1982

NELLIE L. BOWMAN

Nellie L. Sutherland Bowman, 94, of Stratton, died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bea Kiser, at Stratton.

She was a member of the Sulphur Springs Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include four sons, Ernest Bowman of Kingsport, Tenn., Raymond Bowman and

Noel Dean Fletcher, both of Dante, and Noah Bowman of Erwin, Tenn.; five daughters, Mrs. Bea Kiser of Stratton, Mrs. Clyde (Gutha) Burke and Mrs. Ralph (Joyce) Burke, both of St. Paul, Mrs. James (Madeline) Amburgey of Madisonville, Tenn., and Mrs. Doyal (Grace) Buchanan, of Atlanta, Ga.; one sister, Mrs. Bessie Sutherland of Stratton; 21 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Dyer's Chapel Church with Elder Franklin Viers officiating. Burial will follow in the Dyer Cemetery at Stratton. Miller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Thursday, March 25, 1982

ELLIS BOYD

Ellis Boyd, 61, of Bee, died Sunday at his home.

He was a retired miner and a member of the UMW Local 7170. He was a member of the Duty Church of God.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lona Boyd; two daughters, Lisa Boyd and Peggy Boyd, both of the home; one son, James Boyd, of the home; one brother, Herbert A. Boyd, Leemaster, Va.; two sisters, Mary Jane Ball, Mavisdale, Va., and Kezia B. Boyd, Raven.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Duty Church of God with the Rev. James Todd, the Rev. Claude Hale and the Rev. Roy Stevens officiating. Burial was in the Boyd family cemetery in Davenport.

Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 18 MAR 1982

ELWOOD BOYD

Elwood Boyd, 26, of Haysi, died Sunday in Wise General Hospital.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Lou Boyd; one daughter, Tiffany Sarilda Boyd, of the home; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd of Haysi; two brothers, Ivan Boyd and Mackie Boyd, both of Haysi; four sisters, Mrs. Marie Deel, Haysi, Mrs. Arbutus Justus and Mrs. Polly Smith, both of Lynchburg, and Mrs. Minnie J. Deel, Prater.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the home of his parents with elders Freelin Yates, Andy Deel, Frank O'Quinn, and Frank Newsome officiating. Burial was in the Boyd

family cemetery at Route 2, Haysi.

Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

MOSSHOLLANDBOYD

Moss Holland Boyd, 76, of the Hurricane Creek community near Vansant, died Friday in a Grundy hospital.

He was a lifelong resident of Buchanan County, a retired farmer and was of the Methodist faith.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Imogene Compton, Vansant, Mrs. Kathleen Caskey, Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Irene Turner, Columbus, Ga.; two sons, Cecil Boyd and Darnell Boyd, both of Vansant; two sisters, Mrs. Martha Presley, Mount Vernon, Ohio, and Mrs. Caroline Sutherland, North Tazewell; three brothers, Clarence Boyd, Clintwood, and Albert Boyd and Lee Boyd, both of Davenport; 10 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Honaker Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ancil Childress, the Rev. Carter Boyd and the Rev. Clyde Lambert officiating. Burial was in Jackson Cemetery on Hurricane Creek.

Tuesday, April 20, 1982

DENVERBRANHAM

Denver Branham, 70, of Pound,

died Saturday in Mountain Home Veterans Hospital.

He was a U.S. Army World War II veteran.

He is survived by one sister, Lola Morris, Buffalo, N.Y.; and one brother, Milbourn Branham, Pound.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday at the Baker Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Larry Branham officiating. Burial was in the Bolling Cemetery where V.F.W. Post 9600 conducted graveside services.

13 July 1982 Tue.

MAXIE HAY BRANHAM

Maxie Hay Branham, 69, of Haysi, died Saturday at Buchanan County Hospital in Grundy.

She was a lifelong resident of Dickenson County and a member of the Little Sarah Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Loyall Hay and Carl Hay, both of Haysi; five daughters, Mrs. Faye Harrocks of Cream Ridge, N.J., Mrs. Theda Jewell Toucher of Bristol, Mrs. Beulah Ann Wallace, Mrs. Dorothy Younce and Mrs. Lilly Wallace, all of Haysi; three sisters, Gladys Tipton of Marion, N.C., Edna Willis of Grundy and Cora Mae Hickman of Columbus, Ohio; three brothers, Parker Stanley of Haysi, Tivis Stanley of Marion and Tilden Stanley of Galax; one half brother, Quincy Deel of Birchleaf; 11 step-children; 24 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Tivis Chapel Church, Route 1, Haysi, with elders Frank O'Quinn, James O'Quinn, Paul McClanahan and Frank Newsome officiating. Burial will follow in the Mullins cemetery at Tivis. An evening service will be held at Haysi Funeral home at 7 p.m. Tuesday.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

MRS. STELLA BRANHAM

Mrs. Stella Branham, 60, of Haysi, died Wednesday morning in the Clinch Valley Community Hospital.

She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Aubra Branham; five sons, Roger Branham and Billy Branham, both of Haysi, Michael Branham of the home, Kirby Branham, Chicago, Ill., and Jessee Branham, Clintwood; two daughters, Norma Branham of the home, and Debbie Dotson, Coeburn; one brother, Kemper Hill, Haysi; one sister, Mrs. Ollie Sloan, Vansant; 13 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Friday in the Haysi Funeral Home Chapel with elders Dallas Ramsey, Frank Newsome, Paul McClannahan and James O'Quinn officiating. Burial was in the Fitzhugh Colley Cemetery in Haysi.

Thur 14 Oct 1982

RAYMOND B. BRICKEY SR.

Raymond Boyd Brickey Sr., 40, of Fort Blackmore, died Tuesday at his home.

He was a lifelong resident of Scott County and was a self-employed carpenter.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ruth Ann Brickey; his mother, Mrs. Helen Steadman Brickey, Fort Blackmore; one son, Raymond B. Brickey Jr., Fort Blackmore; two daughters, Miss Cassandra Ann Brickey and Miss Amanda Lynn Brickey, both of Fort Blackmore; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lizzie Malone, Elkton, Md.; one brother, Sankler Brickley, Johnson City, Tenn.; six sisters, Mrs. Joyce Sawyer, Fort Blackmore, Mrs. Peggy Summey, Gate City, Mrs. Beulah Hall, Dungannon, Mrs. Janice Summey, Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Dorothy Begley, Wise, and Mrs. Loretta Wesolowski, Hammond, Ind.

Gate City Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 3 JUN 1982

MRS. MARGARETBROOKS

Mrs. Margaret Brooks, 54, of Lebanon, died Tuesday in the Russell County Medical Center.

She Attended the High Light Assembly of God Church in Lebanon and was employed by Russell Manufacturing Co. in Lebanon.

Surviving are her husband, Kenneth Brooks; one son, Kenneth Lynn Brooks, Cleveland, Va.; one daughter, Mrs. Villa Gordan, Lebanon; one brother, L. C. Gordan, St. Paul; two sisters, Mrs. Pauline Parrott, Cleveland, and Mrs. Ellen Turner, St. Paul; and one grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p.m. Thursday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Kenneth Sheeks and the Rev. Clarence G. Dishman officiating. Burial will be in the Greenhills Memory Garden, Claypool Hill, Va.

TUE 9 FEB 1982

WILLIAM P. BROOKS

William Paul Brooks, 53, of Englewood, Ohio, died recently of an apparent heart attack.

He was a former resident of Exeter, a graduate of Appalachia High School in Appalachia and a graduate of Berea College in Berea, Ky. He received his Master's degree from Xavier University in Cincinnati, Ohio.

He was employed by the city Board of Education in Dayton, Ohio. He was a member of the United Methodist Church and a veteran of the Korean conflict,

serving in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ann G. Brooks; two daughters, Mrs. Steven (Karen) Magoteaux, Pittsburg, Ohio, and Miss Lisa Ann Brooks of the home; his mother, Mrs. Dora Brooks of Exeter; five sisters, Mrs. Ethel Short of Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Betty Young of Chesapeake, Miss Nila Brooks of Exeter, Mrs. Earl Houser of Stonega, and Mrs. Mary Johnson of Clinchport; one brother, Charlie Brooks of Bristol; and two grandsons.

Funeral services were held in Dayton, Ohio.

TUESDAY 20 JUL 1982

CLYDE M. BROWNING

Clyde M. Browning, 78, of Oliver Springs, Tenn., died Saturday at his home.

He was a former resident of Dickenson County and a member of the United Mine Workers of America.

He is survived by four sons, James Browning and Cecil Browning, both of Georgia, Archie Browning of California, and Thelmer Browning, Oliver Springs; two daughters, Mrs. Madagleen Harmon, Shorts Gap, and Mrs. Emma Jean Hale, Garden Creek; one brother, Walcie Browning, Tazewell; 25 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday at the Haysi Funeral Home with Elders Casby Conaway, Clifford Colley, John Lane, James O'Quinn and Frank O'Quinn officiating. Burial was in the Deel Cemetery, Haysi.

Tuesday, October 12, 1982

FRED BRUMMETT

Fred Brummett, 76, of Wise died Thursday morning in Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport.

He was a retired miner and a member of the UMWA, Local 6281 in McRoberts, Ky. He attended the Indian Creek Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Oma Brummett; two sons, Ronald Brummett, Crossville, Tenn., and Kenneth Brummett, Wise; one daughter, Mrs. Elmer (Jackie) May, of Holt, Mich.; one brother, Ervin Brummett, Clinton, Ind.; one sister, Mrs. Allie Weyand, Seaman, Ohio; 11 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Indian Creek Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Eddie Sturgill and the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden. Estes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 1 JUNE 1982

LYNNS. BRUMMITT

Lynn S. Brummitt, 75, of Norton, died Thursday night in a local hospital.

He was a member of the West Norton United Methodist Church, a veteran of World War II and a member of the United Mine Workers of America Local 1148.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Frances Hatfield, Norton; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Darnell, Wise; one brother, Charlie Brummitt, Whitesburg, Tenn.; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Hagy Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Claude Quillen officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

Thur 19 Aug 1982

ARTHUR LOIS BUCHANAN

Arthur Lois Buchanan, 59, of Titusville, Fla., died on Monday, Aug. 9 at Lacer Hospital in Orlando, Fla.

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He was originally from Coeburn and had lived in Titusville for three years.

Surviving are two daughters, Tina Buchanan, Titusville, Fla. and Shirley Kilgore, Bristol; two sons, Robert Shouse, Popular Camp, Missouri and Emmitt Wayne Buchanan, Coeburn; his mother, Mary E. Buchanan, Coeburn; four sisters, Mildred Forester, Portsmouth, Ann Greer, Titusville, Fla., Kay Allen, Cincinnati, Ohio and Martha Bond, Coeburn; eight brothers, Claude A. Buchanan, Oregon, Sam Buchanan, Maryland, Roy Buchanan, Cleveland, Ohio, Jimmy Buchanan, and Earl Buchanan, Cincinnati, Dean Buchanan, Lebanon, Joe Jack Buchanan and Harold Buchanan, both of Coeburn.

Funeral services were held Thursday at Brevard Memorial Funeral Home in Cocoa, Fla.

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ENOCH N. BUCHANAN

Enoch Nelson Buchanan, 67, of Clintwood, died Wednesday in the Community Hospital in Bluefield, W. Va.

Survivors include two brothers, Madison Buchanan, Clintwood, and Charles G. Buchanan, Valencia; two sisters, Melinda Welch and Alpha Arnold, both of Clintwood.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Miller Funeral Home chapel with the Elder Jennings Short officiating. Burial was in the Buchanan Cemetery.

THURSDAY 3 JUN 1982

MRS. LILLIE M. BUCHANAN

Mrs. Lillie Matilda Buchanan, 94, of Coeburn, died Sunday at her home.

She was a member of the Mt. Olivet Presbyterian Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Mary Boyd, Winter Haven, Fla., Mrs. Ehtel Cook, Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Meford Hall, Coeburn; two sons Edison Buchanan and Claborn Buchanan, both of Coeburn; one sister, Mrs. Cora Hall, Fincastle; 15 grandchildren, 38 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday at 2 p.m. in the Campbell Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Charles Ruff and the Rev. Bill Crawford officiating. Burial was in the Buchanan family cemetery. Estes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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ENOCH N. BUCHANAN

Enoch Nelson Buchanan, 67, of Clintwood, died Wednesday in the Community Hospital in Bluefield, W. Va.

Survivors include two brothers, Madison Buchanan, Clintwood, and Charles G. Buchanan, Valencia; two sisters, Melinda Welch and Alpha Arnold, both of Clintwood.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Miller Funeral Home chapel with the Elder Jennings Short officiating. Burial was in the Buchanan Cemetery.

Tue 7 Dec 1982

GUY C. BUCKLES SR.

Guy C. Buckles Sr., 54, of Joppatowne, Md., died Friday at Fallston General Hospital in Maryland.

He was born and raised in Pardee and had lived in Maryland for the past 35 years. He was a veteran of World War II and a retired foreman for Bethlehem Shipyard.

Survivors include three daughters, Cathy Howard of Dunkirk, Md., Debra Bray of Severn, Md., and Pamela Bartlett of Joppatowne; one son, Guy C. Buckles Jr. of Joppatowne; three sisters, Opal Hubbard of Dundalk, Md., Orpha Warf of Big Stone Gap and Alta Buckles of Norton; two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Nick Warf officiating. Burial will follow in Laurel Grove Cemetery at Norton.

TUE 16 MAR 1982

ASHLEY LEEAN BUCKLES

Ashley LEEAN Buckles, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude (Buddy) Buckles III, died Saturday in Bristol Memorial Hospital

Other survivors include one sister, Amy Buckles, of the home; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude (Bud) Buckles Jr., Castlewood; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Smith, Wise; the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Buckles, Dante; and the maternal great-grandfather, Ray Brason, Castlewood.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Temple Hill Memorial Park with the Rev. Jack M. Carnley officiating.

Huff Cook Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 13 APR 1982

MAFY H. BURDEN

Mary H. Burden 81, of Coeburn, died Wednesday in a Norton hospital.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Norton.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. F.G. (Annetta) Brawley, Silver Springs, Md., and Mrs. Robert E. (Doris) Hillman, Sumter, S.C.; four sons, Sidney Burden, Castlewood, John Burden, Coeburn, Edwin Burden, Norton, and Joseph Burden, Farmville; one sister, Mrs. Annie Kilgore, Cumberland, Ky.; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church of Coeburn with the Rev. Clyde Simms and the Rev. Ben Newell Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Temple Hill Memorial Park in Castlewood.

Thursday, April 22, 1982

CHARLES CLYDE BURDINE

Charles Clyde Burdine, 41, of Wise, died Monday night in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a member of Nash's Chapel and was employed as a heavy equipment operator for River Coal Co.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Nadine Burdine; one son, Charles Odell Burdine, of the home; five daughters, Becky Burdine, Karen Burdine and Teresa Burdine, all of the home, Mrs. Charlene Corder, Coeburn, and Mrs. Sherry Ring, Wise; three brothers, Odell Burdine, Wise, and Ray Burdine and John R. Burdine, both of Richmond, Ky.; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday (today) at 2 p.m. in the Sturgill Funeral Home, Wise, with the Rev. Charles Turner officiating. Burial will be in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

THURSDAY 4 FEB 1982

ROBERT H. BURTON SR.

Robert Howard Burton Sr., 73, of Big Stone Gap, died Tuesday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center.

He was a retired miner and a member of the UMW Local 7425. He was also a member of the First

Baptist Church, the Big Stone Gap Masonic Lodge No. 208, the Stevenson Royal Arch Chapter 19, and the Cyrene Commandry No. 21 of Norton.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ethel B. Burton, Big Stone Gap; two sons, Robert H. Burton Jr., Big Stone Gap, and E. David Blevins, Winston-Salem, N.C.; two sisters, Jeanette McKinney, Knoxville, Tenn., and Ruby Hubbard, Astatula, Fla.; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Charles Edmonds and the Rev. Silas Culbertson officiating. Burial will be in Glencoe Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church or the Oak Grove Freewill Baptist. Holding Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday, August 31, 1982

DOROTHY BRIGHT BYRD

Dorothy Bright Byrd, 59, of Wildwood, Fla., died Aug. 20 at St. Vincent's Hospital in Jacksonville, Fla. after a long illness.

She was a native of Dorchester.

She was a former resident of Jacksonville, but had lived in Wildwood for three years. She was a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband, Wilbur P. Byrd; two daughters, Holly Oliff and Nanette Carmody, both of Miami; one brother, Jimmy Joe Bright, Jacksonville; two sisters, Nelle Bright, Norton, and Molly Bolger, Jacksonville; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the T.J. Beggs Jr. & Sons Funeral Home in Madison, Fla. with burial in the Evergreen Cemetery in Greenville, Fla.

Tue 30 Nov 1982

KELLYE CAIN

Kelly E. Cain, 80, of Kingsport Health Care Center, died Friday morning in Indian Path Hospital, Kingsport.

He was a native of Stonega and had lived in Bristol for 42 years. He was a former employee of Universal Molded Products and Morrison Molded Products for 26 years as an electrician. He was a member of Brookside Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Vondus (Willia) Goins, Bristol, Tenn.; one grandson,

Eddie Goins, Knoxville, Tenn.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Weaver Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Fred Potter officiating. Burial was in Mountain View Cemetery.

TUE 20 APR 1982

WAYMAN E. CALLAHAN

Wayman E. Callahan, 74, a local artist of East Stone Gap, died Thursday evening in the Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a lifelong resident of the area and was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church, Big Stone Gap.

He was a member of the Bristol Art Guild and of the Cumberland Anthropology Society. He also was a wildlife artist.

Surviving are his wife, Martha Davis Callahan; one son, Jerry Callahan, San Diego, Calif.; one step-daughter, Mary Lou Fulcher, Miami, Fla.; one step-son, Billy

Charles Taylor, Richmond; four brothers, Jennings (Booger) Callahan and Ralph Callahan, both of Big Stone Gap, Edgar Callahan, Dover, Mass., and Paul Callahan, Little Rock, Ark.; two sisters, Virginia Shaw, Tampa, Fla., and Katherine Poorman, Pontiac, Mich.; and eight step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. David Knight officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

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JOHNNY W. CANTRELL

Johnny Webster Cantrell, 84, of Neon, Ky., died at the home of a daughter on Tuesday.

He was a retired miner and attended the First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lula Johnson Cantrell; seven daughters, Glessie Wolford, Oakwood, Gletia Wright, Cincinnati, Ohio, Christine Mullins, Norton, Ruby Mullins, Manassas, and Linda Mullins, Anna Faye Mullins, and Mary E. Mullins, all of Pound; five sons, Glenn Cantrell, Buffalo, Texas, Frank Cantrell and Buddy Cantrell, both of Pound, Berlin

Cantrell, Wall Lake, Mich., and Dod Cantrell, Clintwood; five sisters, Bessie Mullins and Okie Boggs, both of Pound, Bertha Meade and Nell Mullins, both of Glen Burnie, Md., and Bertie Mullins, Manassas; five brothers, Everette Cantrell, Early Cantrell, Houston Cantrell and Delmer Cantrell, all of Pound, and Acie Cantrell, Gate City; five step-daughters, June Mullins, Pikeville, Ky., Lois Dye, Cromona, Ky., Dorothy Mullins, Neon, Ky., Phyllis Collins, Wise, and Mary Lou Cook, Bowling Green, Ky.; one step-son, Dean Bentley of Neon, Ky.; 64 grandchildren, 74 great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren and 23 step-grandchildren.

Baker Funeral Home of Pound is in charge of arrangements.

Tue 13 July 1982

SAMUEL P. CANTRELL

Samuel P. Cantrell, 96, of Jacksonville, Fla., died Wednesday in the Orange Park Community Hospital.

He was a former resident of Pound and attended the Fairview Old Regular Baptist Church.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Ida Mullins, Pound, and Mrs. Nannie Newsome, Welston, Ohio; one son, Conley Cantrell, Jacksonville; 10 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. in the Baker Funeral Home Chapel with Elders Dewey Cantrell and Willie Cantrell officiating. Burial was in the Cantrell family cemetery in Pound.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

FLORENCER. CARD

Florence R. Card, 89, of Winter Haven, Fla., died Sunday at Bartow Memorial Hospital.

A native of Hamilton County, Tenn., she came to Winter Haven 18 years ago. She was a housewife and a member of the Bartow Church of God.

Surviving are her sons, Clarence Card, Winter Haven, Kenneth L. Card, Norton, and Billy A. Card, Vancouver, Wash.; her daughters, Mrs. Dale Martin and Mrs. Jack W. Hart, both of Merritt Island; a brother, Damon Ricketts, Salem, Ark; a sister, Mrs. Harry Milton, Salem; 15 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Bartow Church of God with the Rev. Paul S. Shoemaker officiating. Burial followed in the Card Cemetery in Soddy-Daisy, Tenn. Whidden Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 7 Dec 1982

ERNEST L. CARICO

Ernest Leul Carico, 71, of St. Paul died Tuesday at Wise General Hospital.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of UMWA Local 1098, District 28.

He is survived by his wife, Bannie Hamm Carico of St. Paul;

three sons, Carson Carico of Indianapolis, Ind., Dale Carico and Jerry Carico, both of St. Paul; six daughters, Mrs. Sue C. Large of West Germany, Mrs. Faye Kidwell of Herndon, Mrs. Margaret Mitchell and Mrs. Rita Wallace, both of Dale City, Mrs. Belle Call of Berryville, and Mrs. Lynn Burnette of Manassas; his mother, Mrs. Lucy Meade Carico of St. Paul; four sisters, Mrs. Rose Gibson of Pineville, Ky., Mrs. Faye Patana, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Rilda Allen of Zuberlu, N.C., and Mrs. Edith McElyea of Coeburn; two grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Glen Ritchie and the Rev. Louie Meade officiating. Burial was in the Carico Cemetery.

Thur 2 Dec 1982

PAUL H. CARTER

Paul H. Carter, 58, of Big Stone Gap, died Tuesday night at Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center.

He had been employed by Westmoreland Coal Co. for the past 40 years and was a member of the Local 1355 of the UMW. He was a veteran of World War II.

He is survived by his wife, Lucille Carter of Big Stone Gap; two daughters, Jamie Ann Lawson of Big Stone Gap and Paula Lynn Johns of Azores Air Force Base, Portugal; one son, Randy Carter of Andover; one sister, Mrs. Buena Hasty of Townsville, S.C.; six grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Holding Funeral Home chapel in Big Stone Gap with the Rev. Charles M. Edmonds officiating. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

Thur 11 Nov 1982

MRS. RUBY G. CARTER

Mrs. Ruby G. Carter, 61, of Wise, died Monday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, Kingsport.

She was a member of the Ramsey Church of God in Norton.

Survivors include her husband, Harry Carter; one daughter, Mrs. Bob (Agnes) Farmer, Wise; two brothers, Eugene Vincil, Richmond, and Moss Vincil, Detroit, Mich.; five sisters, Mrs. Stella Mitchell, Fayetteville, N.C., Mrs. Janet Short, Munsey, Ind., and Mrs. Imogene Robinson, Mrs. Edith Newbill, and Mrs. Peggy Elliott, all of Richmond; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Ramsey Church of God in Norton, with the Rev. I.C. Collins officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Grove Cemetery. Sturgill Funeral Home of Wise is in charge of arrangements.

TUE Apr 27, 1982

MRS. LOMARUTH CARTY

Mrs. Loma Ruth Carty, 78, of Coeburn, died Tuesday in a Norton hospital.

Survivors include six daughters, Mrs. Verna Freeman, Mrs. Maxie Wright and Mrs. Carol Bond, all of Coeburn, Mrs. Beulah Winebarger, Monroeville, Ohio, Mrs. Sylvia Nolan, Sandusky, Ohio, and Mrs. Evelyn McCoy, Huron, Ohio; four sons, Virgil Carty, Raymond Carty and Blaine Carty, all of Coeburn, and Fred Carty, Wise; two sisters, Mrs. Rosa Bare, Huron, and Mrs. Bessie Large, Coeburn; 39 grandchildren and 31 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Vestus Jessee officiating. Burial was in the Edwards Cemetery.

TUE 9 MAR 1982

TESSABELL COLYER CARTY

Tessabell Colyer Carty, 54, of Wise, died Sunday at Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport.

She was a former employee of the Wise Middle School cafeteria and a member of the Mountain View Freewill Baptist Church. She was also a member of the Mountain View Home Demonstration Club.

Survivors include her husband, Bill E. Carty; one son, Bill E. Carty Jr. of Atlanta, Ga.; two daughters, Miss Lisa Carty of the home and Mrs. Pam Lane of Pound; three brothers, Billy Colyer of Bristol, Va., Frank Colyer and Bob Colyer, both of Wise; four sisters, Mrs. Lillian Bennett and Mrs. Marie Sanders, both of Wise, Mrs. Geraldine Pitman of Bostic, N.C., and Mrs. Janice Owens of Clarksville, Tenn.; two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with the Rev. Jeff Reynolds and the Rev. Mark Ball officiating. Burial will be in the Greenwood Cemetery at Coeburn. The family will receive friends after 6 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home.

Tuesday, October 5, 1982

FRANK CARUSO SR.

Frank Caruso Sr., 89, of Norton, died Thursday in Norton Community Hospital Nursing Home.

He was founder of Frank's Little Store in Norton and was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

Surviving are five sons, Dominic (Nickey) Caruso, Cincinnati, Ohio, Joey Caruso, and J.T. Caruso, both of Norton, Frank Caruso Jr., Wise, and Charles Caruso, of California; one daughter, Ann Barbara Short, Norton; 16 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral Mass of The Resurrection for Frank Caruso Sr. was celebrated at 11 a.m. Saturday in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Norton with the Rev. Richard D. Dollard officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery. Hagy

Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Memorial contributions may be made to St. Anthony's Catholic Church building fund.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

JAMES GORDON CAUDILL

James Gordon Caudill, 75, of Route, 1 Duffied, died Friday in the Norton Community Hospital.

He was a retired coal miner with the Stonega Coke and Coal Co., and was a member of the West End Baptist Church in Big Stone Gap.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alene Caudill, Jasper; two daughters, Mrs. Catherine Homes, Jasper, and Mrs. Doris McElyea, Big Stone Gap; one son, Denneth Caudill, Appalachia, two sisters, Mrs. Nettie Hickman, Harrogate, Tenn., and Mrs. Della Dalton, Waverly, Ohio; one brother, Alfred Caudill Deland, Fla.; four grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be conducted at 2 p.m. today in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home with the Rev. U.S. Graham officiating. Burial will be in the American Legion Cemetery.

THURSDAY 13 MAY 1982

JAMES D. CHAFFIN

James Dallas Chaffin, 42, of St. Paul, died Sunday in Russell County Medical Center in Lebanon.

He was employed by the Town of St. Paul.

Surviving are three sons, James D. Chaffin Jr., Jessie G. Chaffin, and Michael D. Chaffin, all of St. Paul; one daughter, Nancy Mae Chaffin, St. Paul; his mother, Mrs. Nancy Robinson, St. Paul; his father, Ebbie Chaffin, Tazewell; one brother, Homer (Ruffy) Chaffin, St. Paul; and one sister, Mrs. Irene Sparks, North Tazewell.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jessee Jones officiating. Burial was in the Austin Cemetery in Russell County.

Tue 30 Nov 1982

ELIZABETH C. CHANDLER

Elizabeth C. Chandler, 90, of Big Stone Gap, died Saturday at her home.

She was a native of Wise County and was a member of Durham's Chapel Freewill Baptist Church.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. George (Christine) Chandler, Big Stone Gap, and Mrs. Betty Begley, Kingsport, Tenn.; eight grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were to be conducted today (Tuesday) at 2 p.m. in Durham's Chapel Church with the Rev. Walter Begley and the Rev. Jonah Shoope officiating. Burial will be in Gilley Cemetery.

Warren Funeral Home in Weber City is in charge of arrangements.

Tue 31 Aug 1982

RANDY CHANDLER

Randy Chandler, 27, of East Stone Gap, died Friday evening at Lonesome Pine Hospital in Big Stone Gap.

Surviving are his mother, Mabel Chandler of East Stone Gap; four brothers, Charlie Chandler of Bristol, Johnny Chandler of Seattle, Wash., Robert Chandler of Kingsport, Tenn., and Roy Chandler of East Stone Gap; two sisters, Christine Hall and Evelyn Lovell, both of Bristol; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tonker of East Stone Gap.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. U.L. Graham officiating. Burial was in the Gilley Cemetery in the Cracker's Neck section of Big Stone Gap.

Tue 31 Aug 1982

EDDIE DEAN CHILDRESS

Eddie Dean Childress, 29, of Breaks, died Wednesday night in Haysi.

He was an employee of the Clinchfield Coal Co. and was a member of UMWA Local 7170.

Survivors include his parents, Bill and Elsie Childress, Breaks; one brother, Curt Childress, Breaks; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Maxie Childress, Breaks; and several aunts and uncles.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Haysi Funeral Home Chapel with Elder Franklin Viers officiating. Burial was in the N.B. Colley Cemetery in Breaks.

TUES 16 NOV 1982

DORA C. CHURCH

Dora C. Church, 72, of Haysi, died Sunday morning at her home.

She was a member of the Sand Lick Primitive Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Tyrie Church; three sons, Herman Church of Vansant, Jack Church of Haysi and Jim Church of Sulphur, La.; three sisters, Mrs. Florence Ramey of Elkhorn City, Ky., Mrs. Nora Perlman of California and Mrs. Mary Richardson of Wilmington, Ohio; two brothers, Buck Cure of Gary, W.Va., and Earl Cure of Elkhorn City; 11 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; eight step-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday at Sand Lick Primitive Baptist

Church with elders Franklin Viers, Garnell Gilbert, Ostel Smith and Bobby Arrington officiating. Burial will follow at the Church family cemetery at Haysi. An evening service will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday at Haysi Funeral Home.

Tue 2 Nov 1982

MRS. NORA CHURCH

Mrs. Nora Church, 73, of Pound, died Tuesday in a local hospital.

She was a member of the Canepatch Primitive Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Monroe Church; three daughters, Juanita Daugherty, Wise, Kathleen Keith, Pound, and Mary Walters, Detroit, Mich.; one son, Charlie Shortt, Raymond, Wash.; three sisters, Hila Sturgill and Lola Kiser, both of Pound, and Dollie Johnson, Detroit, Mich.; one brother, Howard Church, Charlotte, N.C.; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Baker Funeral Home chapel with elders F.O. Sanders and Ben Blevins officiating. Burial was in the Dewey Memorial Cemetery.

Tue 2 Nov 1982

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Mrs. Nora Church, 73, of Pound, died Tuesday in a local hospital.

She was a member of the Canepatch Primitive Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband, Monroe Church; three daughters, Juanita Daugherty, Wise, Kathleen Keith, Pound, and Mary Walters, Detroit, Mich.; one son, Charlie Shortt, Raymond, Wash.; three sisters, Hila Sturgill and Lola Kiser, both of Pound, and Dollie Johnson, Detroit, Mich.; one brother, Howard Church, Charlotte, N.C.; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Baker Funeral Home chapel with elders F.O. Sanders and Ben Blevins officiating. Burial was in the Dewey Memorial Cemetery.

TUE 27 APR 1982

ARTHUR C. CLARK

Arthur C. Clark, 71, of Bristol, Tenn., died Friday in Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a lifelong resident of Sullivan County and was a retired engineer for the Smith Sheet and Metal Shop, Kingsport. He also was a part-time employee of State's Toyota, Bristol. He was a member of the Cross United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Blanch Tallman Clark; two sons, Cecil C. Clark, Bluff City, Tenn., and Jerry W. Clark, Bristol; one sister, Mrs. Mary Darnell, Norton; one brother, Lee Clark, Bristol, Tenn.; four grandchildren; one great-grandchild; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Blountville Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Eddie Noe, the Rev. A.D. Cobble and the Rev. Eddie Zimmerman officiating. Burial was in the Johnson Cemetery.

TUE 11 MAY 1982

CHARLES B. CLARK

Charles Bronson Clark, infant son of Charles (Smiley) and Camellia Collins Clark, died Wednesday in a Wise hospital.

Other survivors include the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Collins Sr., Norton; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Clark, Wise; the maternal great-grandparents, the Rev. and Mrs. Henry Collins,

Norton, and Mrs. Goldie Wright, Wise; the paternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Herron, Norton.

Graveside services were held at 1 p.m. Thursday in Laurel Grove Cemetery with the Rev. E.B. Bolling officiating.

THURSDAY 25 FEB 1982

TAYLOR CLARK

Taylor James Clark, 93, of Appalachia, died Friday at Johnston Memorial Hospital, Abingdon.

He was a retired coal miner for the Westmoreland Coal Co.

Survivors include three sons, James Clark and Hack Clark, both of Appalachia, and Earnest Clark, Lynchburg; three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Smith, Derby, Mrs. Elizabeth Cavanaugh, Puyallup, Wash., and Mrs. Hazel Asbury, Kettering, Ohio; 17 grandchildren and 34 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Sam Clifton officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Tuesday, July 20, 1982

WILLIAM R. CLARK.

William Robert (Bob) Clark, 65, of Wise, died Wednesday in a local hospital.

He was a retired truck driver.

Surviving are four brothers, Rufus Clark and Luther Clark, both of Wise, Wesley Clark, Ligonier, Ind., and Thomas Clark, Detroit, Mich.; one sister, Mrs. Christine Morgan, Melvindale, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral service were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with the Rev. Joe Freeman officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Grove Cemetery, Norton.

Tuesday, July 20, 1982

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He was a retired truck driver.

Surviving are four brothers, Rufus Clark and Luther Clark, both of Wise, Wesley Clark, Ligonier, Ind., and Thomas Clark, Detroit, Mich.; one sister, Mrs. Christine Morgan, Melvindale, Mich.; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral service were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with the Rev. Joe Freeman officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Grove Cemetery, Norton.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

ELBERT CLAY

Elbert Ira (Will) William Clay, 92, died Monday, Feb. 15, at a Norton hospital.

He was a member of Hugh Latham Lodge No. 107 and was a retired member of the Brotherhood Maintenance N & W (50 years).

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Gale Cox and Mrs. Jack Quillin, both of Coeburn; one son, Charlie Clay, also of Coeburn; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday from Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ben Newell officiating. Burial was in the Greenwood Cemetery.

Thur 30 Dec 1982

EMANUEL COHEN

Emanuel Cohen, a former resident of Norton and Bristol, died Tuesday at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Miami, Fla.

He had been a resident of Bristol for 43 years before moving to Florida in 1969.

He was the owner of The Fashion Shop on State Street in Bristol. He was a lifelong member of the Elks and a member of the Bristol Masons.

He was one of the founders of the Bristol B-nai Sholom congregation and a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include his wife, Ann Taylor Cohen of Miami Beach; one daughter, Anita Borenstein of Baltimore, Md.; two brothers, Wallace M. Cohen of Washington, D.C., and William B. Cohen of Louisville, Ky.; and two grandchildren.

Riverside Memorial Chapel, North Miami Beach, Fla., is in charge of arrangements.

TUES 16 NOV 1982

JOHNNY E. COLLEY

Johnny Ellis Colley, 68, of Route 2, Haysi, died Saturday evening at Buchanan General Hospital at Grundy.

He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include his wife, Goldie Colley; two sons, Donald Ray Colley of Haysi and Benford C. Colley of Riverdale, Md.; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Edwards of Hazel Park, Mich., Mrs. Etta Jane Turner of Abingdon, Mrs. Alice Faye Williams of Haysi and Mrs. Cathy Chaffin of Stafford; one brother, Eddie Colley of Haysi; two sisters, Mrs. Alpha Yates and Mrs. Odra Willis, both of Haysi; 14 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Rebecca Willis Chapel, Route 2, Haysi, with elders Conrad Stallard and Willy Cantrell officiating. Burial will follow at the Colley family cemetery, Route 2, Haysi. Haysi Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

JIMMY RAY COLLIER

Jimmy Ray Collier, 53, of Fielddale, was dead on arrival at Memorial Hospital of Martinsville in Henry County Tuesday night.

Born Wise County, he was the son of the late Prentis and Emma Greer Collier.

He operated the Valley Drive Sitgo Service Station in Fielddale, where he had lived for over 20 years.

He was a Korean war veteran.

Surviving are his wife, Ella Sue Jarrett Collier; two daughters, Mrs. Sheila Martin, Martinsville, and Miss Debra Lynn Collier, of the home; two sons, Roger Dale Collier, Lynchburg, and Larry Wayne Collier, of the home; three sisters, Mrs. May Dobson, Mrs. Garnett Jessee and Mrs. Pearl Thomas, all of Norton; one brother, Cecil Collier, Norton; three grandsons.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday at the Collins Funeral Home chapel, Bassett. Rev. L.M. McGrady officiated. Burial was in Henry Memorial Park.

Tue 19 Oct 1982

MRS. LUCILLE F. COLLIER

Mrs. Lucille F. Collier, 71, of Big Stone Gap, died Thursday morning in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

She is survived by her husband, Robert Earl Collier; four daughters, Brenda Bowen, Phyllis Carter and Janice Rogers, all of Big Stone Gap, and Shirley Williams, Keokee; two sons, Charles Collier, Big Stone Gap, and Robert J. Collier, Patterson, La.; eight grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

Funeral service were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Robert Dean Cornett and the Rev. Lawrence Wolfe officiating. Burial was in the American Legion Cemetery.

Tue 7 Dec 1982

MRS. MARY MABEL COLLIER

Mrs. Mary Mabel Collier, 81, of Andover died Wednesday at Park Avenue Hospital in Norton.

Surviving are two sons, Russell Lee Ross of Ashland, Ky., and Billie R. Collier of Andover; two sisters, Mrs. Martha Rankin and Mrs. Ruby Morrison, both of Ashland, Ky.; seven grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Andover United Methodist Church with the Rev. Dan Jervis officiating. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

Tue 2 Nov 1982

WILLARD C. COLLIER

Willard C. Collier, 81, a resident of the Wildcat section of Big Stone Gap, died Wednesday morning in Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a lifelong resident of Big Stone Gap, a member of Robinette's Chapel Church, a member of the UMWA Local 1405 and the IOOF. He was a retired miner.

He is survived by six daughters, Patricia Coryell, Indianapolis, Ind., Virginia Burns, Fort Wayne, Ind., Dorothy McKinley, Kendaville, Ind., Billie Robinette, Milwaukee, Wis., and Gloria Lawson and Jackie Robinette, both of Big Stone Gap; four sons, James Collier, Louisville, Ky., Don Collier, Milwaukee, Wis., and Ted Collier and Doug Collier, both of Big Stone Gap; four sisters, Evangie Wells, Stockport, Iowa, Wilhite Johnson, Knoxville, Tenn., and Sally Collier and Ida Percy, both of Big Stone Gap; one brother, Carl Collier, Rogersville, Tenn.; 21 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Robinette Chapel Church with the Rev. Don Childress and the Rev. Gene Swinney officiating. Burial was in the American Legion Cemetery. Holding Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUESDAY 2 FEB 1982

WOODROW COLLINS

Woodrow (Big Daddy) Collins, 70, of Coeburn, died Saturday at Mountain Home, in Johnson City, Tenn.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Ruth Kilgore, Mrs. Patricia Sturgill and Miss Rebecca Lynn Collins, all of Coeburn, and Mrs. Bonnie Renfro of Greenfield, Ind.; one son, Jim Collins of Tacoma; 27 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Hagy Funeral Home chapel in Norton with the Rev. Joe Dearry officiating. Burial will follow in the Collins family cemetery.

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Woodrow (Big Daddy) Collins, 70, of Coeburn, died Saturday at Mountain Home, in Johnson City, Tenn.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Ruth Kilgore, Mrs. Patricia Sturgill and Miss Rebecca Lynn Collins, all of Coeburn, and Mrs. Bonnie Renfro of Greenfield, Ind.; one son, Jim Collins of Tacoma; 27 grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Hagy Funeral Home chapel in Norton with the Rev. Joe Dearry officiating. Burial will follow in the Collins family cemetery.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

JOSEPH COLLINS

Joseph (Uncle Joe) Collins, 65, of McLean Dr., West Carters Valley, Kingsport, Tenn., died at 9 a.m. Tuesday at Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center.

He was born in Roda. He was a resident of Kingsport for 25 years and had lived in New Orleans, La. for 30 years, before returning to Kingsport last year. He retired from Sea Fares International after 30 years of service and was a Boatswain with the U.S. Navy in World War II. He was a member of the Baptist Church, a member of VFW Post 933, the Disabled American Veterans, the Fraternal Order of Eagles of Colonial Heights and Kingsport Moose Lodge No. 972.

He is survived by one son, Ernest (Butch) Whitaker of Church Hill, Tenn.; five sisters, Mrs. Bertha McLean and Mrs. Louise Adams, both of Kingsport; Mrs. Nadine Keller of Mechanicsville, Md.; Mrs. Georgia Queen of Canton, N.C. and Mrs. Grace Hoffman, of Evansville, Ind.; four brothers, Otis Collins of Cleveland; Joseph L. Collins of Baltimore, Md.; Travis Collins and Ben Collins, both of Kingsport and two grandsons.

Oak Hill Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 27 APR 1982

MRS. MARTHA ANN COLLINS

Mrs. Martha Ann Collins, 73, of Norton, died Wednesday in a local hospital.

She is survived by nine sisters, Mrs. Marie Garrette, Milford, Mich., Mrs., Monette McCurry, Spartansburg, S.C., Mrs. Gladys Gardner, Lynco, W. Va., and Mrs. Maggie Dingus, Mrs. Arkie Dingus, Mrs. Eva A. Dingus, Mrs. Louise Bledsoe, Mrs. Gracie Bolling and Miss Elsie Clark, all of Norton; one brother, James Clark, Pound; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Haggy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. David Powers officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

Tue 2 Nov 1982

MRS. MARTHA C. COLLINS

Mrs. Martha Catherine Collins, 78, of Coeburn, died at her home in the Cranes Nest section on Wednesday.

Survivors include one son, Rufus Collins, Falls Church; four daughters, Faye Lowery, Mt. Vernon, Ill., Edith Dooley, Clinchco, Alice Adams, Pulaski, and Stacy Gibson, Coeburn; one half-brother, Charlie Thomas, Roanoke; 27 grandchildren and 36 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Cranes Nest Bible Church with the Rev. Mack Mullins and the Rev. Mike Owens officiating. Burial was in the Greenwood Cemetery in Coeburn.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

VENCIL COLLINS

Vencil Collins, 61, of Wise, died Thursday at Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of the Wise Mountain Christian Church of God.

Survivors include six sons, Sgt. First Class Benny F. Collins, Fort Rucker, Ala., Wendell L. Collins, Auburndale, Fla., Riley H. Collins, Lakeland, Fla., and Vencil Reese Collins, Michael Ray Collins and Jeffery J. Collins, all of Haines City, Fla.; five daughters, Mrs. Jean Stallard, Lake Hamilton, Fla., Mrs. Val Doris Hodges, Auburndale, Mrs. Pat McGee, Lakeland, Mrs. Laura Varney, Lake Wales, Fla., and Miss Jetta Collins, Wise; two brothers, Berry C. Collins, Michipongo, and Arville Collins Jr., Haines City; five sisters, Mrs. Della Locke, Mrs. Margie Huff and Mrs. Jerlene Maggard, all of Haines City, and Mrs. Margaret Hibbittes and Mrs. Mary Bowling, both of Wise; 15 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Joe Freeman and the Rev. E. B. Bolling officiating. Burial was in the Collins Cemetery.

TUE 22 JUNE 1982

WILLIAME. COLYER

William E. Colyer, 82, of Dublin, died Tuesday morning in a Pulaski hospital.

He was a former Coeburn resident, a retired miner and a World War I veteran.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Crawford officiating. Burial followed in the Colyer family cemetery.

Thur 1 July 1982

CARSIE G. COMBS

Carsie G. Combs, 81, of Big Stone Gap, died Sunday morning in Colonial Hills Health Care Center in Johnson City, Tenn.

She had lived in the Big Stone Gap area for 65 years and was a member of the Derby Methodist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Helen Sharrett of Appalachia, Norma Arnold of Sanford, Fla., and Blanche Costellio of Cicero, Ill.; three sons, John Combs Jr. of Cicero, Gale Combs of Big Stone Gap and Johnny Ray Combs of Appalachia; two sisters, Elizabeth Myers and Eva Sergent, both of Elizabethton; 13 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Henry Lane Jr. and the Rev. U.I. Graham officiating. Burial followed in Glencoe Cemetery.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

MRS. BESSIE M. COMPTON

Mrs. Bessie May Compton, 79, of Lebanon, died Sunday in the Abingdon hospital.

She was a native of Wise County but had spent most of her life in Dickenson and Russell counties. She was a member of the Hansonville Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Dewey Compton; four sons, Bill Compton and Jack Compton, both of Clintwood, Charles Compton, McClure, and Bobby A. Compton, Lebanon; three daughters, Mrs.

Thelma McKinney, Miami, Fla., Mrs. James (June) Stierwalt, Middletown, Ind., and Mrs. Chelis (Janice) Patterson, Princeton, N.J.; one sister, Mrs. Mary Pickett, Blountville, Tenn.; 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Albert Harding and the Rev. Lester Sexton officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

TUE 9 FEB 1982

RICKY ALAN COMBS

Ricky Alan Combs, 20, of Spartanburg, S.C., died Tuesday.

He was a native of Clintwood and a son of Mrs. Zora Edwards Massing of Spartanburg and the late Frank Combs.

He was a graduate of Warsaw High School in Warsaw, Ind. He attended Spartanburg Methodist Church and was employed by the R.R. Donnelly and Sons Co.

Other survivors are a step-father, Terry Massing of Spartanburg; four brothers, Roger and Larry Combs of Clintwood, Jimmy Combs of Wise and Michael Combs of California; two step-sisters, Mrs. Cathy Shermacher and Diana Massing, both of Warsaw; and his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Belle Edwards of Leesburg, Ind.

Floyd's Greenlawn Chapel of Spartanburg was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 25 MAR 1982

ELLIS COMPTON

Ellis Compton, 68, of Haysi, died Monday at his home of an apparent heart attack.

He was a miner and a member of the UMWA Local 7170.

Surviving are his wife, Virgie Compton; one son, Ronald Compton, Levonia, Mich.; five daughters, Patsy Adkins, Kingsport, Tenn., Nina Faine, Roanoke, Helen Kane, Oxen Hill, Md., Gloria Jean Breaky, New Baltimore, Mich., and Debra Hill, Haysi; three brothers, Swanson Compton, Bee, Bill Compton, Honaker, and Clinton Compton, Columbus, Ohio; three sisters, Chloe Sutherland, Arlington,

Emma Caudy, Columbus, Ohio, and Lynn Mullins, Bee; and 17 grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Haysi Funeral Home Chapel with elders Garnel Gilbert and Franklin Viers officiating. Burial will be in the Jimmy Deel Cemetery, Route 2, Haysi.

TUE 27 apr 1982

LESLIE COMPTON

Leslie Compton, 68, of Grundy, died Saturday in Bristol Memorial Hospital

He was a retired miner and a member of the Bethlehem Regular Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Grace Cantrell Compton; three daughters, Mrs. Janet Hayes, Clintwood, Mrs. Brenda Hall, Sterling Heights, Mich., and Mrs. Debbie Kiser, Dryden, Mich.; one son, Norman Compton, Tyron, Mich.; three step-daughters, Mrs. Gaynell Morris, Charlottesville, Mrs. Ruth Earnest, Bluff City, Tenn., and Mrs. Helen Matney, Grundy; two brothers, Rufus Compton and Bill Compton, both of Christiansburg; 11 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday (today) at the Bethlehem Regular Baptist Church on Poplar Creek with the Elders Paul McClanahan, Arnold Clevenger and Frank Newsome officiating. Burial will be in Cantrell Cemetery.

THURSDAY 18 FEB 1982

MRS. MARGARET COMPTON

Mrs. Margaret Fuller Compton, 99, died in Columbus, Ohio on Thursday.

She was formerly of Dickenson County.

She is survived by three sons, Graham Compton, Earl Compton and Eddie Compton, all of Columbus; six daughters, Mrs. Vesta Davenport, Mrs. Fonda Duty, Mrs. Prince Leonard and Mrs. Ruby Sutherland, all of Columbus, and Mrs. Beulah Leonard and Mrs. Phronia Green, both of Johnson City, Tenn.; two sisters, Mary Cane of Orlando, Fla., and Bertie Sutherland of Davenport; 28 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday in the Haysi Funeral Home with elders Franklin Viers and Bobby Arrington and Garnell Gilbert officiating. Burial was to follow in the Compton cemetery at Bee.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

CALLIE COOK

Callie Cook, 80, of Frankfort, Ky., died Saturday morning at a Frankfort hospital.

She was the widow of Abraham Cook and formerly of Bee. She was a member of the Duty View Primitive Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sons, Granville Cook of Richlands, and Walter Cook of Honaker; four daughters, Mrs. Nancy Edwards of Haysi, Mrs. Nora Ellen Hughes of Oakwood, Stella Barton and Ruby Martin of Owenton, Ky.; one foster-daughter, Mrs. Cathy Runyon of Vansant; 36 grandchildren and 35 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Monday at Haysi Funeral Home with Elders Franklin Viers and Andrew McGlothlin officiating. Burial was in the Sutherland Cemetery at Bee.

Tue 10 Aug 1982

OAK LEE COSBY

Oak Lee Cosby, 50, of Appalachia, died Wednesday night in a Norton hospital.

She was a member of the Macedonia Baptist Church in Appalachia and had been a resident of Southwest Virginia for the past 40 years.

Surviving are her husband, Alphonso Cosby; two sons, William L. Foster Jr., Fort Leonardwood, Mo., David Lee Foster, Albuquerque, N.M.; three daughters, Christina Cosby of Appalachia, Mary Ellen Cosby and Alfreda Walton, both of Coeburn; her mother, Bertha Shuford Daniels, St. Paul; two sisters, Calanthe Blair, Derby, and Rosemary Cox, Hampton; four brothers, David Daniels, St. Paul, Joseph Daniels of Germany, Pythian Daniels, St. Paul, and Ezekiel Daniels, Norton; and several grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. D.P. Jones officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUE 13 APR 1982

J. BRUCE COUNTS

J. Bruce Counts, 80, of St. Petersburg, Fla., died April 5 in Florida.

A native of Wise County, he moved to Florida in 1975 after living in Knoxville, Tenn.

He was a Methodist and was a heavy equipment salesman for 35 years before retiring.

Survivors include his wife, Elizabeth Muse Counts; one son, Joe B. Counts Jr., Knoxville; one brother, Charles Counts, Staten Island, N.Y.; five sisters, Inez Jenkins, Elizabethton, Tenn., Lynette Clarke, Amonato, Bernice Nightengale, Fredericksburg, Ruth Coddington, Williamsburg, and Jean Welty, Perry, Fla.; one grandson and one granddaughter.

Memorial services were held at the home of his son in Knoxville at 2 p.m. Monday. The National Cremation Society was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 25 FEB 1982

RUBY E. COX

Mrs. Ruby Ellen Cox, 68, died Wednesday at the home of a daughter in Richmond.

She was a member of the Birchfield Old Regular Baptist Church and was dietician at the Pound Elementary School.

Surviving are two daughters, Faye Bowen, Richmond, and Rita Vickery, Daleray, Fla.; two sons, Ernest Bryant, Check, and Bill Bryant, Austin, Texas; her mother, Mrs. Callie Dickenson, Pound; four sisters, Tina Phillips, Jenkins, Ky., Cora Phillips and Bea Perry, both of Pound, and Irene Church, Royal Oakes, Mich.; two brothers, Bill Dickenson, Coeburn, and Worley Dickenson Jr., Detroit, Mich.; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Baker Funeral Home Chapel with the Elder Lester Baker officiating.

Tue 6 July 1982

DIED 31 MAY 1982

MRS. BLANCHE S. COX

Mrs. Blanche Stidham Cox of Albuquerque, N.M., died recently at her home.

Graveside services were held in Laurel Grove Cemetery in Norton with the Rev. Spencer Price officiating.

Hagy Funeral Home of Norton was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 15 JUN 1982

MARY CRESS

Mary Cress, 86, of Norton, died Saturday morning at Norton Community Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her husband, the Rev. J.W. Cress in 1972. She attended the Guest River Pentecostal Church.

Survivors include one son, Jimmy W. Cress of Norton.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday at Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. D.B. Bolling officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

TUE 29 JUNE 1982

MRS. ROSA B. CULBERTSON

Mrs. Rosa B. Culbertson, 74, of Norton, died Friday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport.

She was a member of the Little Stone Gap Primitive Baptist Church in Essersville.

Surviving are her husband, James Culbertson; eight sons, James Culbertson Jr., Colonial Heights, Coy Culbertson, Ray Culbertson, Gerald Culbertson, Earnest Culbertson and Johnny Culbertson, all of Norton, Glenn

Culbertson, Maxton, N.C. and Don Culbertson, Wise; four daughters, Mrs. Nellie Wyatt, Colonial Heights, Mrs. Ruth Sturgill and Mrs. Lena Hunt, both of Norton, and Mrs. Della Harrison, Petersburg; two brothers, Charles Bentley, Bluff City, Tenn., and Otis Wolfe, Big Stone Gap; one sister, Mrs. Margaret Stidham, Big Stone Gap; 37 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Little Stone Gap Primitive Baptist Church with elders Jimmy Short, Carlos Williams and Ray Flanary officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

Minor Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 24 JUN 1982

HARRY STEWART CYPHERS

Harry Stewart Cyphers, 81, of Route 6, Warrior Subdivision, Elizabethton, Tenn., died Saturday evening in the Veteran's Administration Hospital Mountain Home.

Cyphers was a native of Wise County but lived most of his life in Elizabethton. He was the son of the late Boyd and Mary Presley Cyphers. He was a retired employee of North American Rayon Corporation, after 35 years of service.

He was a veteran of World War II and had served with the U.S. Army, Navy and Marines. He was a member of the VFW, Captain Lynn H. Folsom Post 2166, and was a member of the Immanuel Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Cahutta Frost Cyphers of the home; one son, Guy Cyphers of Rock Falls, Ill.; one daughter, Mrs. Rosie Gahlbach of Elizabethton; six grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and seven nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday from the Sunset Chapel of Hathaway-Percy Funeral Home with the Rev. John Perkins officiating. Burial followed in National Cemetery, Mountain Home, Tenn. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Carter County Rescue Squad, the Salvation Army or the Immanuel Baptist Church.

Tue 14 Dec 1982

FREDR. DANIEL

Fred Rome Daniel, 65, of Big Stone Gap, died Tuesday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a retired mechanic, a veteran of World War II and he attended the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Eliza Daniel, Big Stone Gap; two daughters, Linda Franklin, Winchester, Ky., and Diana Nipper, Tallahassee, Fla.; three sons, Jerry W. Daniel, Big Stone Gap, Tommy J. Daniel, Lexington, Ky., and Ronnie F. Daniel, Chicago Heights, Ill.; one sister, Arlene Halstead, Big Stone Gap; two brothers, Rufus Daniels, Englewood, Ohio, and Coy Daniel, East Stone Gap; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Charles M. Edmonds officiating. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

Tuesday, October 26, 1982

CARYS. DAUGHERTY

Cary Schemmel Daugherty died Saturday from an apparent heart attack at his home in Teaneck, N.J.

He was formerly of Big Stone Gap where he graduated from high school. He was a graduate of the University of Kentucky and was a retired colonel from the U.S. Army.

He was also a retired electrical engineer for AT&T, with 45 years of service.

Survivors include three nieces and two nephews.

Memorial services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel in Big Stone Gap with the Rev. Charles E. Edmonds officiating.

TUE 16 FEB 1982

VERNON DAVENPORT JR.

Vernon Davenport Jr., 63, of Big Stone Gap, died Tuesday in Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a member of the First Christian Church, a member of the Appalachia Masonic Lodge No. 229, and was past worthy patron of the Order of the Eastern Star Lodge No. 26 of Appalachia. He was a member of the UMWA and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Joyce Thompson Davenport; two daughters, Mrs. Katherine D. Trent and Mrs. Kimberly D. Trent, both of Big Stone Gap; one son, Samuel V. Trent III of Big Stone Gap; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Delph of Big Stone Gap and Mrs. Ruth Wallen of Inman.

Funeral services were held at noon Friday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Horne and the Rev. H.G. Kiser officiating.

Tue 7 Dec 1982

CHARLIE DAVENPORT

Charlie Davenport, 65, of Pittsburg, Calif., died Sunday night at the Los Madonas Hospital of Pittsburg.

He was a former resident of Appalachia and was a member of the First Christian Church of Pittsburg.

Surviving are four daughters, Rosemary, Charlotte, Judy and Jeanie, all of Pittsburg; one son, Jack Davenport of Pittsburg; two brothers, Roy Davenport of Defiance, Ohio, and Edmond Davenport of Appalachia; one sister, Mrs. Ralph (Mildred) Neeley of Appalachia; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday at the Pittsburg Funeral chapel with the Rev. Don White officiating. Burial was in the Antioch Cemetery in Antioch, Calif.

Thur 22 July 1982

MRS. NANNIE E. DAVIDSON

Mrs. Nannie E. Davidson, 76, of Dayton, Ohio, died Sunday in Dayton.

She was a resident of Big Stone Gap for many years but had lived in Dayton for the past 20 years.

She was a member of Crest View Baptist Church in Dayton.

Surviving are five daughters, Frances Ramey, Virginia Davis, June Sutton and Billie Stapleton, all of Dayton, and Doris Gilly, Big Stone Gap; one son, James Edward (Jim) Davidson, Big Stone Gap; one sister, Mrs. O.M. Skeen, Big Stone Gap; one brother John Dulaney, Dayton; 16 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Hugh Bowers and the Rev. David Prather officiating.

Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

THURSDAY 15 APR 1982

MRS. SOPHIA L. DAVIDSON

Mrs. Sophia Lindgren Davidson, 68, of 847 30th St., Roanoke, died Monday night, March 29, at a Roanoke Hospital

after a long illness.

She was a native of Coeburn and graduated from Coeburn High School.

Survivors include her husband, Miles Davidson; one son, Gary Davidson of Hardy, Va.; five daughters, Mrs. Carla Lynch of

Pemberton, N.J., Mrs. Doris LeGault of Hardy, Mrs. Kay Pearson of Naperville, Ill., Mrs. Janice Wilkerson of Roanoke, and Mrs. Helen Hastings of

Charleston, W.Va.; one sister, Mrs. Edna Hileman, Coeburn.

Oakley Funeral Home of Roanoke was in charge of funeral arrangements.

TUE 16 FEB 1982

MRS. MARGARET C. DAVIS

Mrs. Margaret Collier Davis, 77, of Osaka, died Wednesday in Lonesome Pine Hospital in Big Stone Gap.

She was a member of the Andover United Methodist Church, the OES and was a former school teacher in Lee County.

Survivors include her husband, Sheridan E. Davis; one daughter, Margaret D. Coney of Towson, Md.; one son, J.C. Davis of St. Petersburg, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Flora Stewart of Marietta, Ohio; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. T.O. Willis officiating. Burial followed in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Thursday, February 18, 1982

HOLIDAY DAVIS

Holiday Davis, 73, of Route 1, Haysi, died there Friday.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Pearl Davis; one daughter, Mrs. Genevia Yates of Whitewood; one son, Gaylord Davis of Bristol, Tenn.; one step-daughter, Miss Helen Lemoneds of Haysi; one step-son, Tommy Lemoneds of Haysi; three brothers, Stewart Davis of Narrows, and Arthur Davis and Mackadoo Davis, both of Haysi; three sisters, Delphia Newberry, Stella Sykes and Dorothy Newberry, all of Haysi; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday at Haysi Funeral Home with elder Franklin Viers

officiating. Burial was in the Newberry Cemetery at Route 1, Haysi.

Thur 15 July 1982

WILLIE A. DAVIS

Willie Arnold Davis, 89, of Kingsport, died Tuesday in the Veterans Hospital, Mountain Home, Tenn.

He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Church of Latter-Day Saints in White Sulphur Springs, W.Va.

He is survived by his wife, Ethel Davis; one son, Jerry Davis, Kingsport; two step-daughters, Mrs. Hilda Bobbitt, Johnson City, Tenn., and Mrs. Lucille Kershner, White Sulphur Springs, W.Va.; one brother, Arthur Davis, Norton; one half-brother, Blanchard Davis, Fort Springs, W.Va.; one half-sister, Mrs. Macie Watkins, Brunswick, Ga.; several grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Huff-Cook Funeral Home of St. Paul is in charge of arrangements.

TUE 29 JUNE 1982

DOUGLASM. DAY

Douglas M. Day, 28, of Appalachia, died Friday at his home.

He was a supply clerk for the Holton Mine of Westmoreland Coal Co. and a member of the United Methodist Church. He attended the Freedom of Worship Church on Thackers Branch.

Surviving are his wife, Thelma Ballard Day, Dunbar; his parents, Paul and Thelma M. Day, Dunbar; two brothers, Gerry P. Day, U.S. Navy, Phillipines, and Roger Day, Norton; six sisters, Shelby Summers, Patrica Bishop and Hope Day, all of Norton, and Deanna Adams, Regina Wilson and Jamie Day, all of Dunbar; his paternal grandmother, Amanda T. Day, Dunbar.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Freedom of Worship Church with the Rev. Glen Sturgill, the Rev. Gary Bradshaw and the Rev. Henry Lane Jr. officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Norton.

Hagy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 31 Aug 1982

MRS. NORMA PAGEDAY

Mrs. Norma Page Day, 73, of Coeburn, died Friday morning in a Wise hospital.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jewell Smith, Cocoa, Fla.; one sister, Mrs. Leah Kiser, Coeburn; one half-sister, Mrs. Leola Powers, Titusville, Fla.; one brother, Gordon Edwards, Bristol; two half-brothers, Hershel Edwards and Harless Edwards, both of Titusville, Fla.; six grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Noah Kiser Jr. officiating. Burial was in the Edwards Cemetery.

THURSDAY 13 MAY 1982

VICTORIA DAY

Victoria Lillie Day, 94, of Knoxville, Tenn., died here Sunday morning at St. Mary's Hospital.

She was formerly of Pound.

Survivors include two sons, Bennett C. Day of Beckley, W.Va., and Thomas Day of Crab Orchard, W.Va.; five daughters, Mrs. Harold (Faye) Bellomy and Mrs. Estel (Virginia) Hamilton, both of Knoxville, Mrs. David (Irene) Hill of Tarboro, N.C., Mrs. R.W. (Ruth) Hill of Orlando, Fla., and Mrs. William (Leato) Beason of Leesburg, Fla.; 14 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Wise County Funeral Home of Pound is in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 13 MAY 1982

VICTORIA DAY

Victoria Lillie Day, 94, of Knoxville, Tenn., died here Sunday morning at St. Mary's Hospital.

She was formerly of Pound.

Survivors include two sons, Bennett C. Day of Beckley, W.Va., and Thomas Day of Crab Orchard, W.Va.; five daughters, Mrs. Harold (Faye) Bellomy and Mrs. Estel (Virginia) Hamilton, both of Knoxville, Mrs. David (Irene) Hill of Tarboro, N.C., Mrs. R. W. (Ruth) Hill of Orlando, Fla., and Mrs. William (Leato) Beason of Leesburg, Fla.; 14 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Wise County Funeral Home of Pound is in charge of arrangements.

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DELMAR RAY DEAN

He was a former employee of Cumberland Collieries in Norton. He was a Vietnam War veteran and was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

He is survived by his wife wife, June J. Dean; two sons, Jimmy Dean and Todd Dean, both of the home; his mother, Mrs. Ethel Dean, Wise; four sisters, Virginia Waddell, Molly Smith and Polly Clark, all of Wise, and Peggy Badcock, Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, Karl Dean, Dayton, Ohio, and Johnny Dean, Esserille.

Funeral Mass of the Resurrection was celebrated Monday at 11 a.m. from St. Anthony's Catholic Church with the Rev. Father Richard Dollard officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

Hagy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUESDAY 6 APR 1982

KINGS. DEEL

King S. Deel, 68, of Wise, died Wednesday at Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center.

He was a retired coal miner of Harmon Coal Co. and a member of the United Mine Workers of America.

He attended the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Martha Fuller Deel; one daughter, Mrs. James (Frances) Atkins of Richmond; three brothers, Paul

Deel of Wise, Bart Deel of South Carolina, and Carmel Deel of Marion; six sisters, Mrs. Cora Deel, Mrs. Stella Deel, Mrs. Lula Deel, Mrs. Lottie Sutherland and Mrs. Maxie Belcher, all of Haysi, and Mrs. Pearly Coleman of North Carolina; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Friday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with Elders Evans Bailey and Dexter Church officiating. Burial was in the Deel Family Cemetery.

Tue 13 July 1982

GERTHA DEEL

Gertha Deel, 81, of Davenport, died Saturday at a Tazewell nursing home.

She was a lifelong resident of Buchanan County.

Survivors include one son, Roley Deel of Oakwood; one daughter, Dolly O'Quinn of Haysi; one sister, Dulcia Hessler of Council; two brothers, Charlie Presley and Matt Jackson, both of Davenport.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Haysi Funeral Home with elders Bobby Arrington, Garnell Gilbert, Franklin Viers and Andrew McGlothlin officiating. Burial will follow in Russell Memorial Cemetery at Lebanon.

THURSDAY 13 MAY 1982

ISABELLE DEEL

Isabelle Deel, 80, of Birchleaf, died Saturday in Wise Regional Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Quincey Deel; two sons, R.J. Deel, Haysi, and Granville Deel, Clintwood; one daughter, Mrs. Earnest Edwards, Birchleaf; one sister, Mrs. Ellen Cartwright, Alexandria; five brothers, Richard Fuller and Arnold Fuller, both of Hanover, W.Va., Arvil Fuller, Parkis Fuller and Garney Fuller, all of Gallion, Ohio; 10 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at Haysi Funeral Home chapel at 11 a.m. Monday with the Elders Teddy Ball, Bobby Arrington and Franklin Viers officiating. Burial was in the Fuller Cemetery, Birchleaf.

THUR 27 MAY 1982

MRS. CORA E. DICKENSON

Mrs. Cora Ellen Jessee Dickenson, 79, of the Cracker's Neck community, died Sunday at her home.

She was a native of Tacoma but had lived in the Big Stone Gap area for the past 64 years.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Ruth Shoop, Big Stone Gap; two sisters, Mrs. Ada Webber, Lebanon, and Mrs. Mary Jane Witzel, Newtown, Conn.; one brother, Charles Jessee, St. Petersburg, Fla.; six grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Jonah Shoop officiating. Burial was in Barker Cemetery, Cracker's Neck.

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TIVIS D. DEEL

Tivis Dexter Deel, 64, of Haysi, died Thursday in the Buchanan General Hospital in Grundy.

He was a deacon and assistant clerk of Pilgram Home Church and was a retired miner and member of the UMWA Harmon Local 7025.

Surviving are his wife, Samantha Deel; five sons, Wayne P. Deel, Haysi, William C. Deel, Abingdon, Estes Deel, Atwood, Ill., Everette Deel, Vansant, and Kent Deel, Clintwood; five daughters, Mrs. Ida Mae Coleman, Mrs. Janice Faye Coleman, Mrs. Bettie Ruth Coleman and Mrs. Barbara Ellen Yates, all of Haysi, and Mrs. Thelma June Ruby, Roanoke; one sister, Mrs. Marie Yates, Haysi; two grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Sunday in the Pilgrim Home Church with elders Freddie Ramey, Ernest Leonard, Dexter Church and Evans Bailey officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery in Haysi.

Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURS 7 OCT 1982

FRENCH W. DINSMORE

French Wilburn Dinsmore, 67, of Route 1, Castlewood, died Monday morning at Memorial Hall, Bristol.

He was a veteran of World War II, retiring from the U.S. Marine Corps in 1958 after 22 years of service. He was a member of the DAV, and a member of Lake Bonaventure Country Club where he served as golf pro and manager for 19 years.

He was a life member of the Loo-Choo Coral Lodge No. 142 AF & AM in Okinawa of the Grand Lodge of the Philippines. He was also a member of Royal Arch Chapter No. 34, Castlewood, a member of the Cyrene Commandry No. 21, Knights Templar, Norton, the Roanoke Consistory of Scottish Rites, the Kazim Temple Order of Shrine of Roanoke and the Wise County Shrine Club. He was a member of the Clinchfield Chapter No. 152, OES, of St. Paul.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Clara (Billye) Dinsmore; two brothers, the Rev. Maret Dinsmore, Accokeek, Md., and Jack Dinsmore, Pensacola, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Constance Rhoderick, St. Cloud, Fla., and Mrs. Charlotte Rogers, Beltsville, Md.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home, St. Paul, with the Rev. Lee Kidd officiating. Military graveside services were conducted in the Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests that donations be made to the Dante Rescue Squad.

THURSDAY 1 APR 1982

CLIFFORD DIXON

The Rev. Clifford W. Dixon, 72, of Bristol, died Friday at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Arno and had lived in Harlan, Ky., before moving to Bristol in 1956. He was the former pastor of the Ruth

Street Church of God, where he was a member at the time of his death.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Maude Hartsock Dixon; three sons, Charles Dixon, Dallas Dixon and Calvin Dixon, all of Bristol; two daughters, Mrs. Ceda West, Selah, Wash., and Mrs. Helen Ringley, Galion, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Edith Sturgill, Bluff City, Tenn.; three half-brothers, Jack Dixon, Daman Dixon and Charles Dixon; one half-sister, Miss Carolyn Dixon; 19 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Weaver Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Cecil Duke, the Rev. Grady McMurray, the Rev. Jessee Neal and the Rev. Paul Stanley officiating. Burial was in the Mountain View Cemetery.

Tue 14 Dec 1982

WILLIAMS. DIXON

The Rev. William S. (Bill) Dixon, 58, of Nora, died Saturday at his home.

He had served for 27 years as a minister in the Dickenson County Freewill Baptist Conference. He was pastor of several Freewill Baptist churches, including Mills Chapel Church in Castlewood and Bearwallow Freewill Baptist Church in Dante.

He was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Opal Dixon; one daughter, Mrs. Arville S. Dingus, Castlewood; one son, David L. Dixon, Nora; one brother, Ray S. Dixon, Castlewood; six sisters, Mrs. Virginia Dickenson, Castlewood,

Mrs. Jane Oliver, Hampton, Mrs. Mae Wiggs, Erwin, Tenn., Mrs. Ludie Ellis, Johnson City, Tenn., Mrs. Estelle Jackson, Wylliesburg, and Mrs. June Farris, Beckley, W. Va.; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Mills Chapel Church with the Rev. E.B. (Junior) Lee and the Rev. J.R. Hartsock officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

Huff-Cook Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday, November 9, 1982

MRS. ELLA F. DOBBS

Mrs. Ella F. Dobbs, 88, of Indianapolis, Ind. died in Indiana on Tuesday.

She was a former resident of Stonega, but had lived in Indiana for the past five years.

She is survived by five sons, Claude Dobbs, London, Ky., Clarence Dobbs, Marion, Ind., Clyde J. Dobbs, David Dobbs Jr., and Billy R. Dobbs, all of Indianapolis; four daughters, Mrs. Thelma Hampton, Exeter, Mrs. Norma Nichols and Mrs. Lucille Chamberlain, both of Indianapolis, Mrs. Ruth Sullivan, Fredericksburg; 40 grandchildren, 55 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Stonega Baptist Church with the Rev. Hubert Hylton officiating. Burial was in the Glenwood Cemetery. Roy A. Green Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

A.M. DORTON

A.M. (Mack) Dorton, 75, of Coal Mountain, W. Va., and formerly of Wyoming, W. Va., died in a Beckley hospital Thursday.

He was born in Wise County and had made his home in the Wyoming County area for the past 25 years. He was a retired mill superintendent for the Georgia Pacific Lumber Co. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Thacker, El Paso, Texas, and Mrs. Betty Jo Hanshaw, Coal Mountain; four sons, Gene Dorton, Los Angeles, Calif., Bill Dorton, Paintsville, Ky., Bob Dorton, Coal Moutnain, and Harold Dorton, Clairmont, Calif.; two sisters Mrs. Kate Cole, Whitewood, and Mrs. Byrd Skeens, East Stone Gap; one brother, Walter Dorton, Cincinnati, Ohio, 15 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral service were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home chapel with

the Rev. Clarence Greeleaf officiating. Burial was in the Green Hills Memory Garden in Claypool Hill.

TUESDAY 2 FEB 1982

MRS. GUSSIE DORTON

Mrs. Gussie Fannon Dorton, 85,

died Saturday at a Dayton, Ohio, hospital.

She was a member of the Clay Morgan Chapel Freewill Baptist Chgurch.

She is survived by two sons, Donald (Blackie) Dorton, Hagar Hill, Ky., and Henry Ray Dorton, Elizabethtown, Ky.; four daughters, Mrs. Jessie Breeding, Hi Hat, Ky., Mrs. Margaret Brown, Dayton, Ohio, Mrs. Reita Jo Bonnack, El Paso, Texas, and Mrs. Shirley Adams, Vandello, Ohio; one brother, Richard Fannon, Appalachia; two sisters, Miss Erie Fannon, Manor, and Mrs. Inez Bond, Marietta, Ga.; 21 grandchildren and several great-and-great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted today at 11 a.m. at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise with the Rev. Hobart Addington, the Rev. J.B. Adams and the Rev. Lars Dorton officiating. Burial will follow in the Wise Cemetery.

Tuesday, May 11, 1982

MRS. JO ELLA DORTON

Mrs. Jo Ella Dorton, 48, of Wise, died Saturday at Wise General Hospital.

She was a cashier at Wise Orbit Service Center.

Survivors include her husband, William (Bud) Dorton; one son, Ernest Ray Holbrook of Lakeland, Fla.; two daughters, Mrs. Judy White of Coeburn and Mrs. Janie Beverly of Wise; her mother, Mrs. Lena Rucker of Coeburn; one brother, James Kaiser of Bristol; five sisters, Mrs. Jean Foster of Norton, Mrs. Anna Dingus of Manesfield, Ohio, Mrs. Ruth Aker and Mrs. Louise Hillman, both of Coeburn, and Mrs. Ruby Hensley of Wise; two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 3 p.m. Tuesday at the Sturgill Funeral Home in Wise, with the Rev. J.C. Osgood and the Rev. Lars Dorton officiating. Burial will follow in Wise Cemetery.

Coalfield Progress
Thur 16 Dec 1982

CRYSTAL DAWN DOTSON

Crystal Dawn Dotson, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Dotson of Coeburn, died Tuesday in the Johnson City Medical Center, Johnson City, Tenn.

Other survivors include the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Dotson, Coeburn; and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Stanley, Coeburn.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Miller Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ayres Kennedy officiating. Burial will be in the Blevins Cemetery, Route 2, Coeburn.

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WILLIAM G. DOTSON

William Guy Dotson, 77, of Coeburn, died Sunday night.

He was a retired construction foreman, a member of the UMWA and a member of the Coeburn Masonic Lodge No. 97 AF & AM.

He was also a member of the Coeburn United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Guyanne Parker, Alexandria; one sister, Mrs. Lillian Harris, Norfolk; two grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Coeburn United Methodist Church with the Rev. Frank Bauman officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park in Castlewood.

Estes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to a memorial fund of the Coeburn United Methodist Church.

COMBINED EDITION
TUES 21 DEC 1982
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CONLEY DURHAM

Conley Durham died Sunday morning in Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

He was a former resident of the Big Stone Gap area but was a resident of the Highlands Retirement Village in Abingdon at the time of his death.

Farris Funeral Service in Abingdon is in charge of arrangements.

TUES 9 NOV 1982

TIMOTHY ERVINDURHAM

Timothy Ervin Durham, 17, of Jasper, died at his home Thursday.

Survivors include his mother, Audrey Millhorn, Jasper; his father, Charlie Durham, Keokee; five brothers, Mark Durham, Ronald Durham, Dennis Millhorn and Robert Sturgill, all of Jasper, and Charles Sturgill, Manvel, Texas; two half-brothers, Adam Durham and Brian Durham, both of Keokee; his maternal grandmother, Mrs. Donia Chandler, Pennington Gap; and his paternal grandparents, George and Ruth Durham, Big Stone Gap.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday in the Jasper Central Baptist Church. Burial was in the family cemetery in Jasper.

Holding Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 11 FEB 1982

L.E. (EDD) DUTY

L.E. (Edd) Duty, 63, of Route 1, Honaker, died Monday in a Lebanon hospital.

He was a native of Duty and a retired coal miner, formerly employed by the Island Creek Coal Co. He attended the Free

Christian Church on Big A Mountain and was a member of the UMW.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Duty; two daughters, Mrs. Thelma Cornette, Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Sandra J. Mitchem, Pineville, W.Va.; three sons, Jack Duty, Dayton, Larry Duty, Pineville, and L.E. Duty Jr., Bristol, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Aileen Stevens and Mrs. Norma Nash, both of Duty, and Mrs. Eura Belitsky, Akron, Ohio; seven brothers, Banner Duty, Akron, Ohio, Ernest Duncan, Haysi, Gene Duty, Detroit, Mich., and Bob Duty, Richard Duty, Randall Duty and Rodney Duty, all of Duty; one step-daughter, Mrs. Brenda Rasnake,

Lebanon; one step-son, Chuck L. Price, Abingdon; 20 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Honaker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Clyde Lambert officiating. Burial will be in Russell Memorial Cemetery.

TUE 8 JUNE 1982

WILLIAM C. (DOCK) DYSART

William C. (Dock) Dysart, 79, 310 Park Ave., Appalachia, died Sunday morning at the Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a resident of Appalachia for 53 years and was a retired railroad car man for Southern Railway Co. He was a member of the Appalachia United Methodist Church and was a member of Lodge No. 521 of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Beatrice Thomas Dysart; five daughters, Mrs. Zirkle (Ella) Jenkins of Knoxville, Tenn., Ms. Caroline Marley of Vineland, N.J., Ms. Rachel Henningson of Appalachia, Mrs. Walter (Beatrice) Hall of Kingsport and Mrs. Bobby (Gloria) Gillenwater of Belmont, Md.; four sons, William A. Dysart of Big Stone Gap, Thomas C. Dysart and Matthew C. Dysart, both of Appalachia; one brother, Erskine C. Dysart of Hickory, N.C.; 13 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday (today) at the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. T.O. Willis officiating. Burial will follow in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

THURSDAY 8 APR 1982

MRS. ZELLA MAE EARLS

Mrs. Zella Mae Earls, 69, of Norton, died Tuesday evening after a long illness.

She attended the First Church of God in Norton and was a member of the Lonesome Pine Chapter No. 134, O.E.S. She was also a member of the Norton Garden Club and the U.C.T. Auxiliary.

She is survived by her husband, W.H. Earls of Norton; two sons, William Roger Earls and Donald E. Earls, both of Norton; one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Sue Arney, Wise; one sister, Mrs. Hattie Beverly, Norton; three brothers, Harold Hunnicutt, Princeton, W.Va., and George Hunnicutt and Warren Hunnicutt, both of Norton; six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Friday at the First Church of God with the Rev. Don Fletcher officiating. Burial will be in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens. The body will be taken to the church one hour before services. The family will receive friends from 7-9 p.m. Thursday at Minor Funeral Home.

THURSDAY 29 APR 1982

ELMER L. EASTERLING

Elmer Lee Easterling, 69, died in Richmond on Monday.

He was a retired conductor for the Seaboard Coastline Railroad.

Surviving are his wife, Vivian Skeen Easterling; three sons, Robert O. Easterling, C. Ray Easterling and Richard L. Easterling, all of Richmond; his mother, Mrs. G.H. Easterling of Wise County; one sister, Mrs. Ruth E. Steele, Wise; two brothers, Cecil A. Easterling, Wise, and Kyle Easterling, Bristol, Va.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral and burial services are to be conducted in Richmond. Joseph W. Blily Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Thur 18 Nov 1982

THOMAS D. EASTERLING

Thoms Darrell Easterling, 39, of Wise, died Thursday in the University of Virginia Hospital in Charlottesville.

He was a veteran of the Vietnam War, serving in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include two brothers, Raymond Easterling, Wise, and Edgar Easterling, Cincinnati, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Hazel Ramsey, Wise; and one half-sister, Mrs. Helen Lawson, Richmond.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel in Wise with the Rev. Charles Turner officiating. Burial was in the Easterling family cemetery in Wise.

TUE 13 APR 1982

MARGARET C. EDMONDSON

Mrs. Margaret Cole Edmondson, 83, Glade Spring, died Friday morning in Johnston Memorial Hospital.

She had been a resident of the Friendship community in Washington County since moving from Radford in 1952. She was a member of the Friendship Baptist Church where she was active in the Women's Missionary Union. She was a former Sunday School teacher and church musician.

She was also a former school teacher and music teacher.

She was an active member of the Senior Citizens in Damascus.

Survivors include one daughter, Miss Irene Edmondson, Glade Spring; four sons, William C. Edmondson, Bristol, Tenn., James R. Edmondson, Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Charles E. Edmondson, Coeburn, and Roy H. Edmondson, Bel Air, Md.; one half-brother, Carroll Cole, Muskegon, Mich.; two half-sisters, Mrs. Pauline D. Johnson, Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Jaunita C. Jarrell, Goldsboro, Md.; eight grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Farris Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Joe Bill Brown and the Rev. Cecil Sturgill officiating. Burial was in Mountain View Cemetery.

TUE 11 MAY 1982

CLARENCE EDWARDS

Clarence Edwards, 78, of Birchleaf, died Wednesday in an Abingdon hospital.

He was a member of the Sandlick Primitive Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Bertha Edwards; four sons, Bob Edwards, Carl Edwards, Ray Edwards and Ralph Edwards, all of Birchleaf; one daughter, Lorena Edwards, Clintwood; two brothers, Ernest Edwards, Birchleaf and Vernon Edwards, Abingdon; three sisters, Bertha Owens and Prince Deel, both of Haysi, and Ruby Roinson, Clinchco; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Haysi Funeral Home Chapel with elders Garnell Gilbert, Franklin Viers and Bobby Arrington officiating. Burial was in the Robinson Cemetery in Clinchco.

TUES 12 OCT 1982

HOBART M. EDWARDS

Hobart M. Edwards, 87, of St. Paul, died Sunday morning at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of UMWA Local 1098 at Carbo.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Bonnie Meade and Mrs. Hazel McClellan, both of St. Paul, and Mrs. Lois Palmer, Clearwater, Fla.; three sons, Hubert Edwards of the home, Ival Edwards, St. Paul, and Joel Edwards, Sandusky, Ohio; five sisters, Mrs. Ida Davis, Mrs. Emma Meade, Mrs. Dove Rose, Mrs. Sarah Farmer and Mrs. Maxie Tunnell, all of Coeburn; 18 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Estes Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. James Kilgore officiating. Burial will be in the Lawson family cemetery.

Thur 18 Nov 1982

RUSSELL M. EDWARDS

Russell M. Edwards, 78, of Haysi, died Monday at his home.

He was a retired employee of the Virginia Department of Highways.

Survivors include four sons, Robert Edwards, Utica, Mich., Claude Edwards, Birchleaf, and Cecil Edwards and Tivis Edwards, both of Clinchco; three daughters, Betty Edwards of Haysi, Pearl Lyle, Clinchco, and Roxie Edwards, Birchleaf; one brother, Whetsel Edwards, Haysi; four sisters, Mrs. Rachel Yates, Mrs. Delphia Yates, and Mrs. Virgie Sykes, all of Haysi, and Mrs. Valley Counts, Birchleaf; 42 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Sandy Basin Primitive Baptist Church in Birchleaf with elders Otis Fields, Gallie Raines, Nathan Edwards and Joe Edwards officiating. Burial was in the Edwards Cemetery, Route 1, Clinchco. Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Thursday, November 18, 1982

MRS ELLA COX ELAM

Mrs. Ella Cox Elam, 85, of Wise, died Saturday morning at St. Mary's Hospital in Norton.

She was a member of the Wise Trinity United Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Kathleen Elam Jennings, Wise; one son, William L. Elam, Wise; one sister, Mrs. Lela Frazier, Gray, Tenn.; three brothers, Teddy R. Cox, Williamsburg, Willie Cox, Dungannon, and John H. Cox, Weber City; five grandchildren, B.G. Jennings Jr., William C. Elam Jr., Mrs. Susan Jennings Smith, and Mrs. Lora Elam Williams, all of Wise, and Jennifer Jennings Kelly, Charlottesville; and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Wise Trinity United Methodist

Church with the Rev. Robert G. Smith and the Rev. W.M. Lovelady officiating. Burial was in

the Wise Cemetery.

Sturgill Funeral Home in Wise was in charge of arrangements.

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THURSDAY 4 FEB 1982

MRS. SANDRA M. ELAM

Mrs. Sandra Meade Elam, 43, of Wise, died Tuesday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, Kingsport.

She was a retired employee of the UMW where she served as secretary for 18 years.

Surviving are her husband, James W. Elam; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Meade of Pound; five sisters, Mrs. Jackie Skeen,

Lake Mary, Fla., Mrs. Peggy Johnson and Mrs. Linda Gardner, both of Sanford, Fla., and Mrs. Betty Robinson and Mrs. Patricia Pearce, both of Hilton, N.Y.; one brother, Donald Meade, Pound.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel, Wise, with the Rev. W.M. Lovelady officiating. Burial will be in Laurel Grove Cemetery, Norton.

Tue 3 Aug 1982

BILLY JOE ELY

Billy Joe Ely, 35, of Kingsport, died Thursday.

A native of Dryden, he resided in Kingsport for eight years and was a veteran of the Vietnam conflict serving with U.S. Army.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Bonnie Jessee Ely; one daughter, Nellina Ely, New Jersey; mother, Vera Culley, Colonial Heights; one

sister, Mrs. Doyle (Patricia) Flanary, Appalachia, one brother, Gene Ely, Pennington Gap.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday at Mountain Home National Cemetery with the Rev. Joe Byrd officiating. Hamlett-Dobson Funeral Home was in charge of the services.

American Legion Hammond Post No. 3 will conduct military rites.

Tuesday, April 13, 1982

JIMMY RAY FALIN JR.

Jimmy Ray Falin Jr., five-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ray Falin Sr., died Saturday in a Lynchburg hospital.

In addition to his parents, he is

survived by his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Falin, Pound; and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Johnson, Pound.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Wise County Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Lee Burnham officiating. Burial was in the Dewey Memorial Cemetery, Pound.

TUE 11 MAY 1982

BERTIE A. FARMER

Bertie Allene Farmer, 60, of Appalachia, died Friday afternoon at her home.

She was a member of Green Hill Apostolic Church, Woodway, and a retired cook for Appalachia High School.

Surviving are her husband, Guy Farmer; one son, Tim W. Farmer, Appalachia; two daughters, Mrs. Joann Boyd, Nepolean, Ohio, and Mrs. Barbara Williams, Richlands; her mother, Mrs. Molly Bozzell, Appalachia; eight brothers, Andy Bozzell, Miami, Fla., James Bozzell, George Bozzell Jr., Hugh Bozzell, Richard Bozzell, Burton Bozzell and Hadley Bozzell, all of Appalachia, and Bobby Bozzell of South Dakota; one sister, Mrs. Jeneva Lakins, Miamisburg, Ohio; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Johnny Ray Flannery officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Coeburn.

TUE 22 JUNE 1982

HOWARD T. FARMER

Howard Taggart Farmer, 88, of Dryden, died Wednesday at his home.

He was a retired miner and a member of the UMWA Local 1607.

He is survived by three sons, Chester B. Farmer, Miami, Fla., Howard T. Farmer Jr., Dryden and Olaf C. Farmer, Appalachia;

three daughters, Mrs. Marion Rudder, Lynchburg, Mrs. Jewell Reasor, Louisville, Ky., and Mrs. Joyce Butterworth, Hopewell; and 17 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Pennington Gap with the Rev. K.K. Culbertson officiating. Burial followed in the Powell Valley Cemetery in Dryden.

TUE 13 APR 1982

JANELLE HALL FARMER

Janelle Hall Farmer died at her home in Alexandria on April 5.

Born in Coeburn, she was the daughter of the late Floyd and Lizzie Hall. She and her husband, Col. William Kenneth Farmer, U.S. Army-Retired, were married in 1948.

In addition to her husband she is survived by two daughters, Kathy Farmer, Alexandria, and Mrs. Craig (Patricia) Anson, Manassas; two grandchildren; two sisters, Ruby H. Steele, Summerville, S.C. and Peggy Franz, Lawrence, Mass.; two brothers, Harry C. Hall, Temple, Tex., and George P. Hall, Coeburn; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Thursday, April 8, at Ft. Myers Chapel. Interment was at Arlington National Cemetery.

Thur 15 July 1982

MRS. NELLIE G. FEAGINS

Mrs. Nellie G. Feagins, 96, of 224 Spruce St., Appalachia, died Monday at her home.

She had lived in Appalachia for the past 86 years and was a charter member of the First United Methodist Church.

She was the widow of Jake D. Feagins.

There were no survivors.

Funeral services will be private. In lieu of flowers,

contributions may be made to the church of the donor's choice in Appalachia. Holding Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

BEECHER J. FERGUSON

Beecher Jessee Ferguson, 66, of Coeburn, died Sunday at his home.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Linda Betty and Mrs. Brenda Davidson, both of Waverly, Tenn.; one step-daughter, Mrs. Betty Hunter, Coeburn; three sisters, Mrs.

Gladys Lundy, Coeburn, and Mrs. Lucille Ball and Mrs. Claudia Acres, both of Norfolk; one brother, Thomas B. Ferguson, Norfolk; two grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ben Newell officiating. Burial was in the Mills Cemetery.

THURSDAY 25 FEB 1982

MRS. LUCY FERGUSON

Mrs. Lucy Clapp Ferguson, 74, of Saltville, died Sunday morning at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

Survivors include four sons, Clyde L. Ferguson Jr. of Rock Falls, Ill., Lewis Ferguson of Wise, Thomas Ferguson of Saltville and Jerry Ferguson of Glade Spring; five daughters, Mrs. Rachel Hayden and Mrs. Phyllis Sweat, both of Glade Spring, Mrs. Mildred Elmore of Augusta, Ga., Mrs. Betty Billings of Chilhowie, and Mrs. Helen Funk of Saltville; five sisters, Mrs. Edna Hanes, Mrs. Laura Sword, Mrs. Elizabeth Barrett, Mrs. Wiley Helton, all of Saltville, and Mrs. Geraldine Smith of Kingsport, Tenn.; 19 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 4 p.m. Tuesday at the Quarry Methodist Church with the Rev. Carl Looney and the Rev. Cliff Reynolds officiating. Burial was in Elizabeth Cemetery. Henderson Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 1 JUN 1982

JAMES D. FERİ

James D. Feri, 49, of Hammond, Ind., died Thursday in an Indiana hospital.

He was a former resident of Roda.

Survivors include one sister, Joyce Swinney, Stonega; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Sam Clifton and the Rev. Robert Fraley officiating. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

TUE 29 JUNE 1982

ARTHUR JAMES FIELDS

Arthur James Fields, 80, of Gate City, died Sunday at his home.

He was a retired farmer and attended Riverview Baptist Church at Wood, Va.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Venus Fields; one daughter, Mrs. Ellen Fields Eastep of Gate City; one son, Jack Fields of Gate City; one half-sister, Mrs. Margie Sweeney of Clintwood; one brother, Charles Fields of Portsmouth; two grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one step-grandchild; three step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Gene Falin Memorial Chapel of the Gate City Funeral Home with the Rev. Wrightly Sallings officiating. Burial will follow in the Fields family cemetery.

TUE 11 MAY 1982

HOYTM. FIELDS

Hoyt M. Fields, 69, of Big Stone Gap, died Thursday night at his home.

He was a lifelong resident of the area, a retired miner and a barber.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Sylvania Fields; four daughters, Calesta Bowser, Kingsport, Tenn., June Martin, Alexandria, and Pauline Frazier and Nellie Garrett, both of Big Stone Gap; four sons, Orville H. Fields, Big Stone Gap, Marvin G. Fields, Narrows, Roy M. Fields, Warren, Mich., and Larry A. Fields, Alexandria; three sisters, Martha Coomer, Big Stone Gap, Ethel Keen, Johnson City, Tenn., and Reba Akers, Hillsville; 29 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. H.G. Kiser officiating. Burial was in Glencoe Cemetery.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

CHARLES ALLEN FLANARY

Charles Allen Flanary, 76, of Bristol, died Thursday in Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Partridge, Ky., but had lived in Bristol for the past 28 years. He was a former employee of Stonega Coal and Coke Co. in Wise County before moving to Bristol where he owned and operated Charlie's Watch Repair Shoppe until his retirement in 1977.

He was a member of House of Prayer Independent Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Shirley Snead and Mrs. Louise Kress, both of Bristol; one son, Edward Flanary of Big Stone Gap; four sisters, Mrs. Myrtie Tate of Hampton, Mrs. Hazel Smith of Williamsburg, Mrs. Dora Horton of Clinchport, and Mrs. Charlotte Cox of Marietta, Ohio; one brother, Homer Flanary of Newport News; 11 grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Weaver Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lester MacKinnon and the Rev. I.N. Leonard officiating. Burial was in Mountain View Cemetery.

TUE 20 APR 1982

EDDIE R. FLANARY

Eddie Ray Flanary, 27, of St. Charles, died Thursday from injuries received in an automobile accident.

He was a lifelong resident of St. Charles and was employed as a coal truck operator.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mae Flanary, St. Charles; three sisters, Donna Parson, St. Charles, Jessie West, Pennington Gap, and Dora Lee Tonker, Big Stone Gap; four brothers, Bobby Jack Flanary, Larry Flanary and Leonard Flanary, all of St. Charles, and Chester Flanary, Big Stone Gap.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Sunday in the Province Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. W.L. Henderson officiating. Burial was in Lee Memorial Garden, Woodway.

TUE 13 APR 1982

MYRTLE MYRA FLANARY

Myrtle Myra Shortt Flanary, 76, of Big Stone Gap, died Saturday evening at Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She had lived in Big Stone Gap for the past 51 years and was a retired seamstress for Royal Laundry and Dry Cleaners. She was a member of Oak Grove Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Gifford (Delores) Franks of Big Stone Gap; one brother, John Luther Shortt of Big Stone Gap; two sisters, Mrs. Hagan (Bertie) Hamilton of Waynesville, N.C., and Mrs. Corbette (Virgie) Bowen of Duffield; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel at 2 p.m. with the Rev. David Knight officiating. Burial will follow in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

THURSDAY 8 APR 1982

MAZIE FLEMING

Mazie Fleming, 73, of Route 1, Haysi, died at Wise General Hospital on Monday night.

She was a member of the Old Regular Baptist Church.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Fleming of Clintwood, Mrs. Maude

Fleming and Mrs. Hazel Rose, both of Haysi; seven sons, Noah Fleming, Willie Fleming, Clayton Fleming, Patton Fleming, Mack Fleming, Ed Fleming and Farley Fleming, all of Haysi; two sisters, Mrs. Melster Swiney and Mrs. Bessie Mullins, both of Haysi; 38 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Thursday at Bartlick Old Regular Baptist Church at Haysi with elders Freddie Ramey, Dexter Church and Claude Conn officiating. Burial is to be in the Mitchell-Senter Cemetery at Haysi. Haysi Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

THURS 9 DEC 1982

LOUISE FLETCHER

Miss Louise Fletcher, 88, a resident of the Virginia Baptist Home in Culpepper, died Friday evening at 6 p.m.

She came to Norton in 1930 as a missionary and opened a goodwill center in a Norton Coal Co. building on East Park Avenue. Miss Fletcher was well known for her service to the Stoney Lonesome community. Her work also led to the establishment of the East Park Avenue Baptist Church.

She left Norton in 1941 and eventually wrote a book about her experiences as a missionary. She had been a resident of the Virginia Baptist Home for the past several years.

Funeral services and burial were conducted Monday.

Thursday, October 28, 1982

MRS. SUSANA K. FLETCHER

Mrs. Susana K. Fletcher, 90, of Dante, died Sunday in Bristol Health Care Center.

She is survived by one son, Curtis Fletcher, Dante; one daughter, Mrs. Helen Stanley, Coeburn; three sisters, Mrs. Matilda Turner, Bristol, Mrs. Edna Perry, Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Julia Monty, Richmond; seven grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday in Martin Chapel Church with the Rev. Joe Johnson and the Rev. Wayne Keith officiating. Burial was in the Rasnick Cemetery, Route 1, Dante. Miller Funeral Home of Clintwood was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 31 Aug 1982

WILLIAM C. FLETCHER

William C. Fletcher, 67, of Norton, died Thursday afternoon.

He was a member of the Ramsey Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Jackie Sue Fletcher, Hyattsville, Md., and Mrs. Freddie Martin, Castlewood; three sons, B.D. Fletcher, Norton, Gary Fletcher, Richmond, and Marvin Fletcher, Del Rio, Texas; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Fisher, Fort Blackmore, Mrs. Thelma Swiliavan, Mossie Fletcher and Martealy Fletcher, all of Norton; two brothers, Milford Fletcher, Lexington, Ky., and Mack

Fletcher, Phenix City, Ala.; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jim Ramey officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

THURSDAY 10 JUN 1982

MATILDA B. FOLKERTS

Matilda (Tille) Barta Folkerts, 67, of Coeburn, died Thursday of an apparent heart attack.

She was a member of the Catholic Church.

Survivors include two nieces, Paula Barta of Michigan and Margaret Barta of Ohio; two nephews, Johnny Barta and Frankie, Barta, both of Ohio.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Coeburn, with Father Richard Dollard officiating. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery. Estes Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUE 15 JUN 1982

MRS. CORAL FREEMAN

Mrs. Cora Lee Freeman, 85, of Esserville Road died Wednesday in a local hospital.

She was a member of the Christian Church of God on Wise Mountain.

Survivors include four granddaughters, Charlotte Amburgey of the home, Bessie Thompson, Norton, Cora Maggard, Burdine, Ky., and Florence Gibson, Portsmouth; one grandson, Emory Bolling, Canton, Ohio; 20 great-grandchildren and 21 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services for Mrs. Cora Lee Freeman were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Christian Church of God on Wise Mountain with Bishop Charles G. Adams officiating. Burial was in the Wells Cemetery in Esserville. Hagy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 11 MAY 1982

JOSEPH C. FREEMAN

Joseph C. (Joe) Freeman, 73, of Norton, died Saturday morning at his home.

He was an employee of Cline, McAfee & Adkins law firm for 15 years and had served in the U.S. Army. He was a member of Wise Booster Club, supporting J.J. Kelly High School and all sports as a follower and a leader.

Surviving is one brother, Bascom Freeman, Jenkins, Ky.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday in the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ben Powers officiating and Tim McAfee speaking. Burial was in Jesse Cemetery.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

ANDREW J. FRITZ

Andrew J. Fritz, 83, of Big Stone Gap, died Wednesday in a Harlan, Ky. hospital.

He was a retired miner, a member of the UMWA Local 6229, District 28 and attended the Westend Freewill Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Minnie Fritz; three sisters, Elsie Fleenor, Big Stone Gap, Stella Dingus, Kingsport, Tenn., and Lula Dulaney, Wise; two brothers, Oscar Fritz, Oak Hill, W. Va., and Henderson Fritz, Meadowview; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Edgar Baltimore and the Rev. Jack Clark officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUES 5 OCT 1982

LEE FUGATE

Arthur Lee Fugate, 88, of Coeburn, died Sept. 28 at Lutheran Hospital at Fort Wayne, Ind.

He was a retired employee of the Commonwealth of Virginia and a former employee of Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke Company.

Survivors include two sons, Campbell D. Fugate of Fort Wayne and Arthur L. Fugate Jr. of Miami, Fla.; six grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ben Newell officiating. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery.

TUE 23 MAR 1982

MAUDE FIELDS FULLER

Maude Fields Fuller, 88, of Clinchco, died Saturday at an Abingdon hospital.

Survivors include five sons, Frank Fuller, Claude Fuller, Fred Fuller and Rush Fuller, all of Clinchco, and Clarence (Nick) Fuller of Tallahassee, Fla.; five daughters, Alva Sloan of Clinchco, Juanita Sutherland of Haysi, Gaynelle Johnson of Sandusky, Ohio, Bernice Reaundea of Cleveland, Ohio, and Jeanette Robinson of Bee; one brother, Jack Fields of Abingdon; two sisters, Rosa Mae Couch of Dante and Mary Ellen Smith of Castlewood; 32 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Miller Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Hopkins and the Rev. Gary Robin officiating. Burial will follow in Temple Hill Memorial Park at Castlewood.

TUES 17 AUG 1982

MRS. VIRGINIA R. FULLER

Mrs. Virginia Ring Fuller, 76, of

St. Paul, died Tuesday in a hospital in Abingdon.

She was a member of the St. Paul United Methodist Church and also a member of the Clinch Valley Chapter No. 152, OES.

She is survived by her husband, S. Vernie Fuller; one daughter, Mrs. D. Kent (Linda) Watkins, Washington, D.C.; two brothers, Joe Ring, Winston-Salem, N.C., and John Ring, Dante; two sisters, Mrs. Kate Allen, Castlewood, and Mrs. Della Doff, Appalachia; and one grandchild.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the St. Paul United Methodist Church with the Rev. Harry Hight officiating. Burial was in the Ring Cemetery on Copper Ridge in Russell County. Huff-Cook Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the St. Paul United Methodist Church building fund.

Tuesday, July 13, 1982

JOSEPH ANGELO GABRIEL

Joseph Angelo Gabriel, 73, of Appalachia, died Saturday afternoon at his home at 312 Blondell Ave., Appalachia.

He was a retired engineer for the Interstate Railroad Co. and was an employee of the Roy A. Green Funeral Home for the past 15 years. He was a member and deacon of the First Baptist Church of Appalachia. He was also a member of the United Transportation Union Local 1601. He was a life member of the Appalachia Rescue Squad and a member of the Appalachia Masonic Lodge No. 229 A.F. & A.M.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Estelle Wells Gabriel; one son, Donald L. Gabriel of Kingsport, Tenn.; one daughter, Joan Gabriel Lyons of New Haven, Ind.; three sisters, Mrs. Delina Bucca of Kingport, Mrs. Rose Yount of Ormond Beach, Fla., and Miss Edith Lilly Gabriele of Norton; two brothers, James Gabriele of Colonial Heights, Va., and Thomas Gabriele of Ormond Beach; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Roy A. Green Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. E.C. Tull officiating. Burial will follow in Glencoe Cemetery at Big Stone Gap.

The family requests that memorials be made to the Appalachia First Baptist Church and to the American Cancer Society.

THUR 17 JUNE 1982

MACK E. GADDIS

Mack Eugene Gaddis, 59, of Stonega, died Tuesday in Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Stonega and was employed by the Westmoreland Coal Co. He was a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. June Gaddis; two sons, Michael Gaddis, Roda, and Ricky Gaddis, Stonega; one brother, Fred

Gaddis, Stonega; five sisters, Mrs. Nell Gaddis, Stonega, Mrs. Elizabeth Hodge, Warrenton, Miss Katherine Gaddis, Big Stone Gap, Mrs. Rachel David, Johnson City, Tenn., and Mrs. Mabel Creasy, Newport, Tenn.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Truman Smith officiating. Burial will be in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

THURSDAY 4 FEB 1982

MRS. THELMA M. GALLEGOS

Mrs. Thelma Martin, (Sug) Gallegos, 57, died Sunday in the University Hospital, Birmingham, Ala.

She was a former resident of Dickenson County, a member of the OES and attended the Assembly of God Church.

Surviving are her husband, Gilbert Gallegos; four sons, Mason Cooper, Warren, Mich., Donald Dingus, Columbus, Ohio, Carl Dingus, Follansbee, W.Va., and David Gallegos, Vance, Ala.; three daughters, Mrs. Peggy Yawn, Whitesburg, Ky, Mrs. Linda Kimbler, Columbus, Ohio, Mrs. Wanda Potter, Vance, Ala; five brothers, Vernon Martin, Castlewood, Reed Martin, Dante, Carl Martin, St. Paul, Gerald Martin, Pikeville, Ky., and Mack Martin, Detroit, Mich.; three sisters, Mrs. Helen Hollifield, Wakenva, Va., Miss Jean Martin, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Rita Bush, St. Paul; and 13 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel in St. Paul with Mr. Gerald Bush officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

TUE 8 JUNE 1982

GEORGEROBERTGALLIHER

George Robert Galliher, 75, of 1110 Shelby Street, Bristol, Tenn., died Sunday evening at the Veteran's Hospital in Mountain Home, Tenn.

He was a retired railroad machinist, and served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and the Korean conflict. He is a member of the Disabled American Veteran in Bristol and a member of the Anderson Street United Methodist Church.

He is survived by two sisters, Miss Ida May Galliher of the home, Mrs. Mary Barr of Bristol, Tenn.; three brothers, W.C. Galliher of Bluff City, Tenn., Joe J. Galliher of St. Paul, Elmer F. Galliher, of Fort Mill, S.C.; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday (today) in the Weaver Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lee Olin Boye officiating. Burial will follow in Weaver Cemetery.

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MRS. BEULAH R. GARDNER

Mrs. Beulah R. Gardner, 68, died Sunday night at Norton Community Hospital.

She attended the Glamorgan Chapel Freewill Baptist Church and was a member of the Gladeville chapter of the Rebekah Lodge at Wise.

Survivors include four sons, W.P. Gardner of Big Stone Gap, Jimmy Kyle Gardner, Charles C. Gardner and Richard E. Gardner Jr., all of Norton; one sister, Mrs. Pearlie Dean of Norton; five brothers, Earlie Roberts of Wise, Ted Roberts and Harliss Roberts, both of Lynch, Ky., Henry H. Roberts of Anderson, Ind., and Woodrow Roberts of Clinton, Tenn.; two half-brothers, Frederick Dean and Hagan Dean, both of Norton; seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at Glamorgan Chapel Freewill Baptist church with the Rev. Harold Kilgore, the Rev. Hobart Addington and the Rev. E.B. Bolling officiating. Burial followed in the Gardner family cemetery, Route 1, Norton.

Sturgill Funeral Home of Wise was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 13 APR 1982

NOAH J. GARRISON

Noah J. (Andy) Garrison, 84, died Friday in a Marietta, Ga., hospital.

He was a native of Wise County and was a World War I U.S. Army veteran. He was a retired shovel operator, formerly employed by the Virginia Department of Highways.

He was the last surviving member of his immediate family.

He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. Mary G. Keffer, Newport, Mrs. Grayce Taylor, Marietta, Mrs. Jean Jessee, Narrows, Mrs. Ann Hall, Honaker, and Mrs. Caroline Hutchinson, Roanoke; two sons, Deward Garrison, Princeton, W.Va., and N.J. Garrison Jr., Honaker; 20 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m Monday at the Honaker Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Kyle Hubbard officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park, Castlewood.

THURSDAY 15 APR 1982

EWELL GENTRY

Ewell Gentry, 72, of Wise, died Monday at his home.

He was a retired employee of Clinchfield Coal Co., and a member of the Indian Creek Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Blanche T. Gentry; one daughter, Mrs. Donna Hall of Christiansburg; one step-daughter, Mrs. Charlene Rodgers of Lebanon, Ohio; two step-sons, the Rev. Tommy Taylor of Virginia Beach and Frankie Taylor of Dungannon; three sisters, Miss Dolly Gentry of Pound, Mrs. Blanche Baldwin of Richmond, and Mrs. Ruth Baker of Bristol; two brothers, Delmar Gentry and Goffery Gentry, both of Pound; two grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise, with the Rev. Tommy Taylor and the Rev. Jeff Reynolds officiating. Burial followed in the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUES 16 NOV 1982

LYNN J. GIBSON SR.

Lynn J. Gibson Sr., 63, of Dickensonville, died Sunday at Mountain Home Veteran's Hospital in Johnson City, Tenn.

He was a member of the Sulphur Springs United Methodist Church, the Lebanon Masonic Lodge No. 251 and Local 934 of the I.B.E.W. He was also an Army veteran of World War II.

Survivors include six sons, Lynn J. Gibson Jr. of Des Moines, Iowa, Craig L. Gibson of Kingsport, Tenn., Homer R. Gibson of Nora, Larry W. Gibson and Richard N. Gibson, both of Castlewood, and John H. Gibson of Lebanon; three brothers, Homer L. Gibson and Oscar D. Gibson, both of Castlewood, and Woodrow Gibson of Oxen Hill, Md.; five sisters, Mrs. Grace Jones of Bristol, Va., Mrs. Mollie Latham, of Ridge, Md., Mrs. Cleo Taylor of Washington, D.C., Mrs. Janie Jessee of Lynchburg and Mrs. Patsy Speth of New Carlton, Md.; eight grandchildren.

Lebanon Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUE 16 MAR 1982

CHARLES D. GIBSON

Charles D. Gibson, 66, of Bristol, died Tuesday at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Wise County and had lived in Bristol for the past 28 years. Before retiring, he had served as a sales representative for the Williams Son Co. He was a member of the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, a veteran of World War II, a member of the Air Force Reserve and a member of UTC.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Estella Hensley Gibson; one son, Gregory S. Gibson of Galax; one daughter, Miss Mary Hope Gibson of Radford; one sister, Mrs. Hazel Still of Norton; and two grandsons.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday at Akard Funeral Home Chapel with Dr. Ron McKinney officiating. Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Powell Valley Memorial Gardens in Big Stone Gap with Bob Horne, minister, officiating.

TUES 5 OCT 1982

LUCY B. GIBSON

Lucy Birtle Gibson, 71, of St. Paul, died Saturday at a Norton hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Wise County.

Survivors include three sisters, Mrs. Ballard McCoy and Mrs. Clarence Helbert, both of St. Paul, and Mrs. Fred Hamm of Sandusky, Ohio; two brothers, Carl Bond of Brooksville, Fla., and Buster Bond of St. Paul; a host of friends and relatives.

Funeral services will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Hagan Sexton officiating. Burial will follow in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

TUESDAY 20 JUL 1982

KENNETH R. GILLENWATER

Kenneth Roosevelt Gillenwater, 71, of Route 1, Fort Blackmore, died Wednesday night at Indian Path Hospital in Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a lifelong resident of Scott County. He was a retired farmer and a member of the Gillenwater Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Iona Williams Gillenwater; three

daughters, Mrs. Janie Muril of Fort Blackmore, Mrs. Charles (Madeline) Davidson of Gate City, and Mrs. Paul (Allena) Davis of Mount Pelier, Ind.; five sons, Charles Gillenwater and Jonah Gillenwater, both of Mount Pelier, Barney Gillenwater and Garney Gillenwater, both of Kingsport, and Roy Carroll Gillenwater of Morrison City, Tenn.; two sisters;

Miss Monnie (Granny) Gillenwater of Fort Blackmore and Mrs. Mae Francisco of Mount Carmel, Tenn.; two brothers, Claude Gillenwater of Gate City and Wrightly

Gillenwater of Ramsey, Va.; 14 grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and four step-grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at the Gate City Funeral Home with the Rev. Walker Darnell, the Rev. G.W. White, the Rev. Claude Lane, the Rev. Wrightly Saulings and the Rev. Paul Bradshaw officiating.

TUES 12 OCT 1982

MRS. ADDIE E. GILLEY

Mrs. Addie E. Gilley, 102, of Big Stone Gap, died Friday in Heritage Hall Health Care Center, Big Stone Gap.

She had spent most of her life in Big Stone Gap and was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church. She was a member of the UDC and had been active in many civic affairs.

Surviving are one son, James M. Gilley II, Lynchburg; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Another son of Mrs. Gilley, I.T. Gilley Jr., died on the same day as his mother.

Joint funeral services for the two will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Don Scott and the Rev. S.B. Culbertson officiating. Burial will be in Glencoe Cemetery.

Tue 13 July 1982

EARL F. GILLEY

Earl F. Gilley, 134 Sycamore Dr., Bristol, Tenn., died Sunday morning at his home.

He was a native of Mayfield, Ky., and had made his home in Bristol for the past 35 years. He was a retired employee of Associated Transport Co. and a member of Teamsters Local No. 649. He was a member of the First Freewill Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mildred Greene Gilley; one son, David Gilley of Bristol; six sisters, Mrs. Edith Keller of Lakeland, Fla., Mrs. Margaret Bradley of Wise, Mrs. Juanita Gibson of Pikeville, Ky., Mrs. Paulene Hilliard of Neon, Ky., Mrs. Helen Kinser and Mrs. Fayette White, both of Dayton, Ohio; four brothers, Raymond Gilley of Pikeville, Johnny Gilley and Eddie Gilley, both of Dayton, and Forrest Gilley of Reno, Nev.; one granddaughter.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at the First Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Edward Swartz officiating. Burial will follow in Glenwood Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to the First Freewill Baptist Church or to the Bristol Lifesaving Crew.

Weaver Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUES 12 OCT 1982

I.T. GILLEY

I.T. Gilley, 75, of Big Stone Gap, died Friday night in Holston Valley Hosital and Medical Center in Kingsport.

He was a lifelong resident of Big Stone Gap, a veteran of World War II, U.S. Army, and a member of Trinity United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mary Hill Gilley; one daughter, Ann Gilley Harris, Bristol; one son, Johnny Hill Gilley, Imperial Beach, Calif.; one brother, James M. Gilley II, Lynchburg; and one grandchild.

Gilley's mother, Mrs. Addie E. Gilley, died the same day as her son.

Joint funeral services for the two will be conducted at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Don Scott and the Rev. S.B. Culbertson officiating. Burial will be in Glencoe Cemetery.

Tuesday, February 16, 1982

ELMO GILLIAM

Elmo Gilliam, 60, died Saturday evening at Mountain Home Veterans Administration Center in Johnson City, Tenn.

He was a lifelong resident of Big Stone Gap, and a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include four sisters, Paulene Phillips of Big Stone Gap, Myrtle Gilliam and Bertha Gilliam, both of Johnson City, and Betty Villgen of Florida; two brothers, Alfred J. Blevins of Big Stone Gap and Ernest Gilliam of Johnson City.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Hills Chapel Church with the Rev. E.G. Bossard, the Rev. Thurmond Holcomb and the Rev. Harold Gilley officiating. Burial will follow in the Blevins family cemetery at Mabe.

Thursday, July 8, 1982

JAMES W. GILLIAM

James William Gilliam, 74, of Wise, died Saturday at his home.

He was a retired carpenter and coal miner.

He was a member of the Glamorgan Freewill Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ruble Smith Gilliam; two sons, Don Gilliam of Jenkins, Ky., and Cecil Gilliam of Wise; one brother, Frank E. Gilliam of Manassas; seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Harold Kilgore and the Rev. Hobart Addington officiating. Burial followed in the Gilliam Cemetery.

DIED 3 JUL 1982

TUE 30 MAR 1982

MRS. JANIS R. GILLIAM

Mrs. Janis Rae Wood Gilliam, 35, died Thursday at Dwight D. Eisenhower Army Medical Center, Fort Gordon, Ga.

Mrs. Gilliam was the wife of Frank C. Gilliam, a former Wise resident.

Born in Lancaster, Calif., she was the daughter of Jacob E. and Alice A Mauck Wood. She was a professional framer and worked at the Framery in Sumter, S.C.

Survivors include her husband; a daughter, Miss Sue Autumn Gilliam of the home; her parents of Batesville, Ark.; two sisters, Mrs. Lynn Edge, Ferndale, Ark. and Mrs. Tamyan Chapin, Houston, Tex.

Memorial services were held Saturday at Chapel No. 2, Shaw Air Force Base.

The family suggests that those who wish may make memorials to the American Cancer Society or to North Arkansas Christian School Library Fund, Route 1, Box 163C, Batesville, Ark. 72501.

Elmore Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 27 July 1982

JONATHON R. GILLIAM

Jonathon Ray Gilliam, the 3^{1/2}-month-old infant of Donald and Darlene Gilliam of Big Stone Gap, died at Lonesome Pine Hospital Thursday.

Surviving in addition to his parents are one brother, Donald Van Buren Gilliam, Big Stone Gap; his paternal grandparents, Homer and Dorothy Gilliam, Big Stone Gap; his maternal grandparents, Martin and Margaret Sluss, Big Stone Gap; and his great-grandparents, Joe and Sarah Blanton, Big Stone Gap.

Graveside services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday at the American Legion Cemetery, Big Stone Gap, with the Rev. Hugh Bowers officiating.

Holding Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

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9 Dec 1982

MRS. MARTHA M. GILLIAM

Mrs. Martha McLemore Gilliam, 102, died Tuesday at Clinch Valley Manor in Wise.

She was a member of the Hurricane Baptist Church.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Litsy Holyfield of Wise; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Hurricane Baptist Church with the Rev. Terry Herman officiating. Burial will be in the Beverly Cemetery. Sturgill

COALFIELD PROGRESS
TUESDAY 1 JUNE 1982

MRS. PEARL K. GILLIAM

Mrs. Pearl Kilgore Gilliam 89, died Thursday in a Norton hospital.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. June Dotson, Wise; four sons, Arnold Gilliam, Wise, L.H. Gilliam, Anderson, Ind., Edd Ray Gilliam, Waynesboro, and Manson L. Gilliam, Athens, Ala.; one brother, Jasper Kilgore, Newark, Del.; three sisters, Mrs. Carrie Miller, Wise, Mrs. Maudie Fannon, Coeburn, and Mrs. Nora Dorton, St. Petersburg, Fla.; 16 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Leon Hartwig officiating. Burial was in the Wise Cemetery.

Tue 3 Aug 1982

MRS. NELL F. GLASS

Mrs. Nell F. Glass, 89, of Jonesville, died Thursday at her home.

She was a lifelong resident of Lee County and a member of the Jonesville United Methodist Church.

She is survived by one daughter, Lois Glass, Kingsport, Tenn.; one half-brother, Emmette Flanary, Carrollton, Ohio; eight half-sisters, Mabel Dixon, Big Stone Gap, Golden Gilley, Jonesville, Maudell Edwards, Johnson City, Tenn., Mattie Glass and Emmer Glass, both of Emmitsburg, Pa., Eula Hurd and Josephine Musick, both of Toughkeenamon, Pa., and Lorene Standifer, Wilmington, Del.; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Jonesville with the Rev. C. C. Mize officiating. Burial was in Lee Memorial Garden in Woodway.

TUE 9 MAR 1982

ELMER H. GLOVIER

Elmer Howard Glovier, 66, of St. Paul, died Wednesday in a hospital in Abingdon.

He was a veteran of World War II, a retired miner and a member of the UMWA.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mable Glovier; five sons, Bobby Glovier, Detroit, Mich., Jim Glovier, Baltimore, Md., Howard

(Bud) Glovier, and Larry Glovier, both of Tampa, Fla., and Billy Glovier, Abingdon; four daughters, Mrs. Betty Cook, Port Clinton, Ohio, Mrs. Sandra Chaffin and Miss Donna Glovier, both of St. Paul, and Mrs. Christina Dotson, Pound; two brothers, Bill Glovier and Henry Glovier, both of St. Paul; two sisters, Mrs. Bessie McCamey and Mrs. Sophia Taylor, both of St. Paul; 18 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Assembly of God Church in St. Paul with the Rev. Jack Carnley officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

Thur 8 July 1982

Anne Graham, mine operator

Mrs. Anne Fleming Graham died, Monday, in the Adare Medical Center, Rockledge, Fla., after a lengthy illness.

She was born January 21, 1889 in Lehigh, Iowa, and lived her major life in Norton, after moving to this area with her parents, Christina and Robert Fleming, a coal pioneer of Wise County.

She was the widow of the late Robert S. Graham, banker, coal operator and attorney in Norton and Wise County, Mrs. Graham and her brothers, Bill and Jim, operated a number of coal and land companies in this area. Since 1968, Mrs. Graham resided in her home on Indian River Drive in Cocoa, Florida.

She is a member of the Norton Presbyterian Church and has kept her membership in that church since residence in Florida.

Survivors include: two nieces, Ann Randolph Fleming Kilgore, Coeburn, and Elizaeth Fleming White, Baltimore; two nephews, James Edward Fleming, Mountain Side, and Robert M. Fleming of Bristol.

She is also survived by grandnieces and nephews: Catherine Fleming, Elizabeth Fleming, Theresa Fleming, and Anne Christina Fleming; William Fleming, James Fleming, James White, Douglas Kilgore, and Robert M. Fleming, Jr.

Funeral services were held at Hagy Funeral home today (Thursday), with the Rev. Ben Wheless officiating. Burial followed in the Highland Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Carroll Tate, William F. McElroy, William T. Clements, E.D. "Bill" Vicars, Douglas Kilgore, Robert M. Fleming, Jr., Kenneth P. Asbury, James White, William R. Fleming, Bruce Fraley, Clifford Stallard, and Dr. Charles Fuller.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations to the Norton and Coeburn units of the Wise County Rescue Squad.

Tue 13 July 1982

WANDALEE GRAY

Wanda Lee Gray, 61, of Wise, died Sunday at Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She was a retired chief operator for the C&P Telephone Co., having worked 21 years.

Survivors include her husband, Robert Gray Jr.; two sons, Robert Lee Gray and Richard Allen Gray, both of Wise; one brother, Denver J. (Bud) Osborne of Wise; one sister, Mrs. Ira (Ina) Mullins of Wise.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Beverly Hills Tabernacle Church with the Rev. J.C. Osgood and the Rev. Ben Powers officiating.

Burial will follow in Laurel Grove Cemetery. The family will receive friends after 6 p.m. Tuesday at Beverly Hills Tabernacle Church. Sturgill Funeral Home of Wise is in charge of arrangements.

Tuesday, August 24, 1982

MISS AUGUSTA GREEAR

Miss Augusta Greear, 93, of Norton, died Tuesday in a local hospital.

She is survived by three nieces, Mrs. Eva Scott, Kingsport, Tenn., Mrs. Edna Cornelius, Concord, Tenn., and Mrs. Della Stafford, Knoxville, Tenn.; four nephews, P.B. Morgan, Rogersville, Tenn., Ray Johnson, Jeffersonville, Ky., Crandall Miles, Florence, Ala. and O'Dell Greear, Norton; and several great nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Friday in the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Greear family cemetery in Fort Blackmore.

Tue 2 Nov 1982

Tuesday, November 2, 1982

BARNEY C. GREENE

Barney Carson Greene, 73, of Route 2, Big Stone Gap, died Tuesday night in the Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

He was a retired farmer and coal miner and was a member of the UMW Local 6229.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Myrtle Greene; three sons, James Greene, Yuma, Harold Greene, Big Stone Gap and Richard Greene, Collison, Ill.; two daughters, Mrs. Patsy Quillen, Dryden and Mrs. Anna Mae Gilley, Big Stone Gap; one sister, Mrs. Ann Sargent, Harlan, Ky.; 12 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Roy A. Green Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. E.T. Insko officiating. Burial was in the American Legion Cemetery.

THURSDAY 3 JUN 1982

MARY ANN GREEN

Mrs. Mary Ann Green, 97, of Clinchco, died Monday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center, Kingsport, Tenn.

She was the widow of John Mack Green and a member of the Counts Chapel Church.

Surviving are three sons, Lee Green, Wise, Alfred Green, Clinchco, and Sidney Green of Church Hill, Tenn.; five daughters, Goldie Latham, Chesapeake, Margie Mullins and Hazel Vance, both of Clinchco, Sarah Perrin, Orlando, Fla., and June Egelston, Winchester, Ky.; one brother, Nelson Branham, Clinchco; 46 grandchildren and 20 great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Wednesday in the Counts Chapel Church, Route 1, Clinchco, with the Rev. Enoch Rose and Elder Dallas Ramsey officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. Clintwood Funeral Home is charge of arrangements.

Tue 6 July 1982

GALLIE LEE GREENE

Gallie Lee Greene, 67, of Route 1, Clintwood, died Thursday at 9:30 a.m. at Wise General Hospital.

He was a member of Tarpon Holiness Church and a retired coal miner. He was also a member of the UMWA Local No. 1256.

Survivors include his wife, Agnes Greene of the home; six sons, Buddy Lee Greene of Ypsilanti, Mich., Gallie Greene Jr. of Haysi, Jerry Mack Greene of Midland, Mich., and Cecil Wayne Greene, James Greene and Anthony Greene, all of the home; eight daughters, Irene Stanley of Wyandotte, Mich., Goldia Faye Hill of Haysi, Jo Ann Sullivan of Spotsylvania, Stella Smith of River View, Mich., Lucille Dotson of Elyria, Ohio, Nancy Turner of Clinchco, and Elizabeth Bowman and Sharon Silcox, both of Clintwood; four sisters, Mary Jane Hill of Clintwood, Emma Smith of Coeburn, Gladys Sweeney of Providence, Va., and Wanda Stanley of Ashland, Ky.; one step-sister, Leona Potter of Kentucky; one step-brother, Warren Ball of Royal Oak, Mich.; 29 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and 11 step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday in the Clintwood Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. James Stanley, the Rev. Darrel Milbourn, the Rev. Carson Powers and the Rev. Pauline Miles officiating. Burial followed in the J.C. Fleming Cemetery, Route 1, Clintwood.

THURSDAY 10 JUN 1982

MAMIE CLEO GRINDSTAFF

Mamie Cleo Grindstaff, 76, of N-2 Rice Terrace, Bristol, Va., died early Sunday morning in the Bristol Memorial Hospital.

A native of Carter County, Tenn., she was the daughter of the late Sam and Rebecca Heatherly Grindstaff. She had made her home in Bristol for the past 45 years and was a member of the Midway Baptist Church in Johnson County.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Violette Laws of Elizabethton, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Venia Williams of Mocks Corner, S.C. and Mrs. Essie Harless of Bristol, Tenn.; one brother, Lester Grindstaff of Big Stone Gap; and three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Tetrick Funeral Home Riverside Chapel with the Rev. John Crawford and the Rev. Shaffer Parker Jr. officiating. Interment followed in the Happy Valley Memorial Park.

TUE 8 JUNE 1982

ANDREW JACKSON GRIZZLE

Andrew Jackson Grizzle, 57, of Red Ash, died Sunday morning in a Richlands hospital.

Born in Dickenson County, he was the son of the late George and Edna Grizzle.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Virginia Ellen Carty Grizzle of Red Ash; two brothers Roy Grizzle of Dante, and Kemper Grizzle of Hansonville; two sisters, Nannie Martin of Marion, Ohio, and Mrs. Hassle Narce of Clintwood.

Funeral services will be Wednesday at 2 p.m. at the Premier Full Gospel Temple at Premier with the Rev. Carl Robinson and the Rev. Carl Brown officiating. Burial will follow at the Ball Cemetery on Road Ridge. Tazewell County Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUES 17 AUG 1982

JAMES NOEL GRIZZLE

James Noel Grizzle, 75, of Coeburn, died Saturday at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a member of the Tacoma United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Reba S. Grizzle; one son, Gerold

Maxwell Grizzle, Charlottesville; one step-son, Dudley McGlothlin, Florence, Ky.; one step-daughter, Mrs. Joanna Baker, Kingsport, Tenn.; one brother, Erwin Grizzle, Coeburn; one sister, Miss Hazel Grizzle, Wise; one grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Steve Maddox and the Rev. Dr. Sam Neeley Jr. officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery, Coeburn.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

WILLIE A. GRIZZLE

Willie Allen Grizzle, 66, died Thursday in Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

He was a native of Dickenson County, a veteran of World War II and a member of the Maple Grove Baptist Church. He was a retired miner and a member of the United Mine Workers of America.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Mike (Donna) Collins, Abingdon; two sons, Rodney A. Grizzle, Wildwood, Ga., and Steven D. Grizzle, Rising Fawn, Ga.; two sisters, Mrs. Bessie Fulk, Harrisburg, and Mrs. Ruth Austin, Baltimore, Md.; two brothers, Andrew Grizzle, Gatlinburg, Tenn., and Ray Grizzle, Tullahoma, Tenn.; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Sunday in the Maple Grove Baptist Church with the Rev. Gary Pennington officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove Cemetery.

Estes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 20 APR 1982

MRS. ANGIE BELL GUY

Mrs. Angie Bell Guy, 70, of 7135 Dearborn Ave., Cleveland, Ohio, died at her home at 3:30 a.m. Sunday.

She was a native of Scott County and had made her home in Cleveland for the past eight years.

She was a Baptist and had worked as a housekeeper at Fairview Hospital in Cleveland.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Valacé Bryant of Morristown, Tenn., and Mrs. Dorothy Forbes of Bakersville, N.C.; three sons, Milford Guy of Cleveland, Richard Guy of Kingsport, Tenn., and Charles Guy of Limestone, Tenn.; one sister, Mrs. Mary Lambert of Kingsport; two brothers, Clayton Cox of Clintwood and Milburn Cox of Jenkins, Ky.; 15 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at Gate City Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in the Cox family cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

Thur 18 Nov 1982

MRS. OSHEA V. GUY

Mrs. Oshea Victoria Guy, 58, of Route 1, Nickelsville, died Tuesday in Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport, Tenn.

She is survived by her husband, Richard C. Guy; four sons, Arthur Robinette, Clyde Guy and Alfred Guy, all of Kingsport, and Roger Guy, of Nickelsville; six sisters, Mrs. Dorothy Cox of Dungannon, Mrs. Anna Albie Boggs, Elkton, Md., Mrs. Velara Sexton, Bel Air, Md., and Mrs. Hazel Sproles, Mrs. Goldie Carty and Mrs. Bernice Campbell, all of Wise; two brothers, Emory Robinette, Dungannon, and Delmon Robinette, of Florida; three grandchildren and four step-grandchildren.

Scott County Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUESDAY 6 APR 1982

BURLEY HALE

Burley Taft Hale, 73, of Coeburn, died Wednesday at the Johnston Memorial Hospital.

He attended the McClellan's Chapel Community Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Clercie S. Hale; four sons, Jessie (Buck) Hale, Thermon Hale, Tossie Hale, Dallas Hale, all of Coeburn; three daughters, Mrs. Gearline Hilton of Winston-Salem, N.C., Mrs. Christia Childress, Coeburn, Mrs. Elizabeth Marshall, Bristol; two half-brothers, Everette Hale, Herbert Hale, both of Coeburn; two half-sisters, Mrs. Margaret Stire and Mrs. Mary Adkins, both of Coeburn; 18 grandchildren and one great-granddaughter.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday at the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Coeburn with the Rev. Mike Owens and the Rev. Hastings Ward officiating. Burial was in the Maple Grove Cemetery.

Thur 4 Nov 1982

ALEXANDER HALL

Alexander Hall, 63, of Bristol, died Friday afternoon in Bristol Memorial Hospital.

He was a native of Appalachia and had lived in Bristol for the past 12 years.

He was a retired coal miner.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Betty Hall; two daughters, Mrs. Ricky (Patsy) Cox and Mrs. Gary (Lesa) Turner, both of Bristol; two sons, Ellis Hall, of the home, and Charles Hall of Idaho; one stepson, William Calloway, Bristol; three sisters, Mrs. Rose Horner and Mrs. Ollie Wilson, both of Exeter, and Miss Georgia Hall, Appalachia; one brother, Ralph Hall, Mendota; and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Akard Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Jack Shy officiating. Burial was in the Hendricks Cemetery.

TUES 26 OCT 1982

MRS. BROWNIE HALL

Mrs. Brownie Hall, 84, of Virginia Beach, died Tuesday in Virginia Beach.

She was a former resident of Dickenson County.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Marie Reade, Virginia Beach; three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Hess of Florida, Mrs. Maggie Schlamb, Roanoke, and Mrs. Elizabeth Smith, Cleveland; two grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Haysi Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Ross Lindley officiating. Burial was in the Hall Cemetery. Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 27 APR 1982

JAMES L. HALL

James Lowell Hall, 44, of Coeburn died Thursday.

He was a miner and a member of the UMWA Local 1098 in Castlewood.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jean Salyer Hall; two daughters, Susan Akers, Naples, Fla., and Sonya Smallwood, New Market, Ind.; one son, James R. Hall, Coeburn; his mother, Mrs. Cynthia Hall Morefield, Kernersville, N.C.; two sisters, Barbara Tomblin, Kernersville, and Sue Honaker, Kingsport, Tenn.; four brothers, Jessie R. Hall and Richard Hall, both of Kernersville, Hershel Hall, Summerville, S.C. and Claude Hall, Coeburn.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Sunday in the Estes Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Millard Laney officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

Thursday, April 15, 1982

MRS. RUBLE CHESTER HALL

Mrs. Ruble Chester Hall, 56, of Norton died Tuesday morning in a local hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Thomas Sidney Hall Sr. of Norton; two daughters, Mrs. Annette Fields and Mrs. Janie Hensley, both of Norton; five sons, Thomas S. Hall Jr., Robert Hall, Ronnie Hall, Ricky Hall and David Hall, all of Norton; one sister, Mrs. Rosetta Hall, of Norton and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Glen Sturgill and the Rev. Danny Mullins officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Grove Cemetery.

Tue 27 July 1982

TANNER C. HALL

Tanner Clayton Hall, 58, of Castlewood, died Thursday morning in the Russell County Medical Center in Lebanon.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Celthia Hall, St. Paul; and several cousins.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with Father David Glockner and the Rev. Jack Carnley officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

TUE 23 FEB 1982

WILLARD HALL

Willard G. (Bill) Hall, 56, of Johnson City, Tenn., died Saturday in a Johnson City hospital.

He was a native of Coeburn and a retired coal miner. He had lived in Johnson City for the last 20 years. He was a member of the Grace Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Mary Lawson Hall; one son, Roger Glenn Hall, Gray, Tenn.; two daughters, Mrs. Beverly Head and Mrs. Deborah Greer, both of Gray; his mother, Mrs. Ida Bradley Hall, Coeburn; four brothers, Harry Hall, Kingsport, Tenn., Elder Hall, Baltimore, Md., Gene Hall, Detroit, Mich., and Douglas Hall, Coeburn; three sisters, Mrs. Marie Stapelton, Baltimore, and Mrs. Gladys Woody and Mrs. Helen Miner, both of Coeburn; six grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in the Morris-Baker Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Paul Crowe, the Rev. Cecil Haines and the Rev. Dale Farrell officiating. Burial will be in the Monte Vista Burial Park.

Tuesday

27 Apr 1982

CASSANDRIA R. HAMILTON

Cassandra Redess Hamilton, the infant daughter of Roxie and Randy Hamilton, died Sunday at St. Mary's Hospital in Norton.

Survivors in addition to the parents, include one sister, Miss Randi Faye Hamilton of the home; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton of Coeburn; the maternal grandmother, Mrs. Carol Tome of St. Paul; the maternal grandfather, Andrew Ingle of Coeburn; the maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turner of St. Paul; the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Alby Wright of St. Paul.

Graveside services will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday (today) at the Bush Cemetery in Virginia City with the Rev. Carlos Mullins officiating. Sturgill Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Coalfield Progress

Tuesday

11 May 1982

EUGENE M. HAMILTON

Eugene M. Hamilton, 50, of Norton, died Tuesday in the University of Virginia Hospital in Charlottesville.

Surviving are four children and six grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Laney, Norton; one brother, Hubert Hamilton, Norton.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. I.C. Collins officiating. Burial was in Laurel Grove Cemetery.

DIED - 31 JUL 1982

EMMA PROVENCE HAMILTON

Emma Provence Hamilton, 89, of Norton, died Saturday evening at a Norton hospital.

She was a member of the Esserville Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Myrtle Widener of St. Petersburg, Fla., and Mrs. Jeanette Waller of Kingsport; three sons, Denver Lee Hamilton and Leonard Hamilton Jr., both of Chesapeake, and Robert Woodrow Hamilton of Woodbridge; three sisters, Mrs. Mattie Reed and Mrs. Ruth Jackson, both of Norton, and Mrs. Gertrude Adams of Johnstown, Ohio; 23 grandchildren; 34 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hagy Funeral Home chapel in Norton with the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating. Burial will follow in Laurel Grove cemetery.

JESSIE HAMILTON

Jessie B. Hamilton Jr., 62, of Waynesboro died Dec. 16 in the University of Virginia Hospital at Charlottesville. *DIED 16 DEC 1982*

He was born May 1, 1920 in Wise, a son of the late Jessie B. and Sarah Baldwin Hamilton Sr.

He was a member of the Westwood Baptist Church where he was a deacon and Sunday School teacher. He was clerk of the Augusta Baptist Association.

He was a veteran of World War II, having served with the U.S. Army Air Corps.

He was a seasonal park ranger in the Shenandoah National Park for 16 years.

At the time of his death Mr. Hamilton taught at Stuarts Draft High School. He was a former teacher at Wilson Memorial High School and Fisherville Elementary School.

He was a member and past president of the Augusta County Education Association and was a member of the Virginia Education Assoc. and National Education Assoc.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Sue Gaines Hamilton of Waynesboro; one daughter, Mrs. Nancy L. Eutsler of Lyndhurst; one son, Gary W. Hamilton of Greenville, S.C.; one sister, Mrs. Lillie Steck of Premier, W.Va.; two brothers, Emory Hamilton and Elmer Hamilton, both of Wise; four grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Dec. 19 in Westwood Baptist Church with Rev. J.E. Mallory officiating. Interment was in Augusta Park.

THURSDAY 8 APR 1982

HARRISON HARMAN

Joseph Harrison "Tige" Harman, 79, of Nashville, Tenn., died Tuesday, March 30.

He was a former resident of Norton.

He was a member of St. George's Episcopal Church and Capitol City Golf Association in Nashville.

Surviving are his wife, Virginia Harman; one son, Joseph Harrison Harman, Atlanta, Ga.; one daughter, Betty Harman O'Neil, Kingsport; one sister, Mary Harman Wright, Palm Coast, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

Family graveside services were conducted at Glencoe Cemetery, Big Stone Gap, with the Rev. Douglas Berndt officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Thomas Hospital, Development Foundation for Cancer Research, Nashville.

TUE 20 APR 1982

MRS. SYLVIA HARMAN

Mrs. Sylvia Mae Harman, 69, of Doran, died Saturday in a Richlands hospital.

She was born in Coeburn and lived in the Vandy area before moving to Doran one year ago.

She is survived by three sons, Harold J. Harman, Doran, Blaine E. Harman, Warrior Mines, W.Va., and Howard B. Harman, Doran; six grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. James Lucas officiating. Burial was in the Harman family cemetery in Vandy.

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Tuesday & Thursday
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MRS. MARY R. HARMON

Mrs. Mary R. Harmon, 78, of Haysi, died Wednesday in a Wise hospital.

She was a member of the Splashdam Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Emory Harmon; five daughters, Mrs. Leona Mullins, Mrs. Janice Artrip and Mrs. June Hill, all of Clintwood, Mrs. Virgie Wright and Mrs. Ruth Derman, both of Haysi; one brother, Gilbert Ringley, Lynchburg; four sisters, Mrs. Ester Tickle, Abingdon, Mrs. Bonnie Smith, Harmon, Mrs. Viola Rose, of Kentucky; and Mrs. Martha Booth of Florida; 15 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Splashdam Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Joe Johnson and the Rev. Carter Boyd officiating. Burial was in the family cemetery in Haysi. Haysi Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

MRS. MARGARETHARRIS

Mrs. Margaret Harris, 77, of Norton, died Thursday in a local hospital.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Norton and a member of Rebekah Pocahontas Lodge No. 24.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Edna Cowden, Newport News; one nephew, several nieces and several great-nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Spencer Price officiating. Burial was in the Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Tue 10 Aug 1982

MRS. JUANITA G. HARRISON

Mrs. Juanita Giles Harrison, 54, of Bristol, Tenn., died Wednesday at her home.

She was a native of Oliver Springs, Tenn., but had made her home in Bristol for the past 32 years. She was an employee of the Hop-in store on Commonwealth Ave. She was a member of the Emmanuel Baptist Church and also the VFW Ladies Auxiliary.

She is survived by her husband, Calvin C. Harrison; two daughters, Mrs. Ralphine Ramsey and Mrs. Linda Bowers, both of Bristol; one son, Mitch Harrison, Bristol; six sisters, Mrs. Omma Kelly, Mrs. Wilma Parton and Mrs. Aleene Justice, all of Oliver Springs, Tenn., Mrs. Billie Godfrey and Mrs. Virginia Cunningham, both of Knoxville, Tenn., and Mrs. Imogene Edmonds, Coeburn; two brothers, Paul Giles, Oliver Springs and Cecil Giles, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the Weaver Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. L.F. Valley officiating. Burial was in Glenwood Cemetery.

THURSDAY 4 FEB 1982

HOWARD H. HART

Howard H. Hart, 78, of Auburn, Ind., died Saturday in Auburn.

He was a former resident of Norton before moving to Auburn eight years ago. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Butler, Ind., and a retired coal miner.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Eva Raleigh Hart of Auburn; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Bowker of Auburn; two sons, Glen Hart and Steve Hart, both of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Atwell and Mrs. Mahaley Brummitt, both of Virginia; along with 13 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Freedom of Worship Church with the Rev. Glenn Sturgill officiating. Burial will be in the White Oaks Gap Cemetery.

Hagy Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Coalfield Progress
Thur. 29 July 1982

CHRISTOPHER C. HAWKINS

Christopher Columbus Hawkins, 64, of Newington, Va., died Sunday evening at an Arlington hospital.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mae Potter Hawkins of the home; four sons, Charles Hawkins of Neon, Ky., James Hawkins of Newington, Jerry Hawkins of Ft. Pierce, Fla., and Christopher Hawkins Jr. of Fredericksburg; four daughters, Mrs. Burhetta Boyd, Mrs. Shirley Gorhorl and Mrs. Ruth Duckettall of Lorton, and Delphia Carter of Fredericksburg; nine brothers, George Hawkins, Delbert Hawkins, Elmer Hawkins, and Selmer Hawkins, Emory Hawkins, Acie Hawkins, Bill Hawkins, Cossie Hawkins and David Hawkins; three sisters, Mrs. Clara Cantrell, Mrs. Thetta Denney, and Mrs. Loretta Childers; 20 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at noon Thursday at the Miller Funeral Home chapel in Clintwood with the Rev. Acie Rose and the Rev. Clardie Saunders officiating. Burial will follow at the Hibbits and Hawkins Cemetery at Darwin.

THURSDAY 8 APR 1982

MRS. RAUSEY HAWKINS

Mrs. Rausey Hawkins, 89, of Castlewood, died Sunday at Johnston Memorial Hospital in Abingdon.

Survivors include two sons, Dairl Fraley of Trammel and L.C. Fraley of Hamlin; three daughters, Mrs. Clara Bell Wallace of Bristol, Mrs. Nola Steffey and Mrs. Maxie Saddler, both of Hamlin; one sister, Mrs. Sylvia Fraley of Castlewood; 21 grandchildren; 37 great-grandchildren and seven great-great-grandchildren.

Huff-Cook Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Thur 26 May 1983

JAMES B. HAYES

James B. Hayes, 55, of Abingdon, Md., died Wednesday, May 18 in a Baltimore, Md. hospital.

He was a native of the Indian Creek section of Pound, but had lived in Maryland for the past 33 years. He was an Army veteran and was an employee of Fisher Body (G.M.) for 30 years.

He is survived by his wife, Georgia Taylor Hayes; one son, Robert L. Hayes of the U.S. Army; one step-daughter, Mrs. Mona Faye Ebron of Abingdon; two brothers, Ambrose Hayes of Wise

and John Curtis Hayes of Baltimore; two grandchildren and three step-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, May 21 at 10 a.m. at Bruzdinski Funeral Home in Baltimore with the Rev. Clinton Brewer officiating. Burial was in Belair Memorial Gardens.

TUESDAY 20 JUL 1982

LONZIE HAYES

Lonzie Hayes, 84, of St. Paul, died Saturday afternoon at his home.

Survivors include his wife, Stella Hayes; four daughters, Miss

Lakie Hayes and Mrs. Cleta Henry, both of Castlewood, Mrs. Geneva Lawson, Coeburn, and Mrs. Thelma Castle, St. Paul; four sons, Stanford Hayes, Castlewood, Darvil Hayes, Aurora, Ill., Frank Hayes, Coeburn and Moses Hayes, St. Paul; 34 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday (today) at the Sandy Ridge Regular Baptist Church with the Rev. Enoch Rose officiating. Burial will follow in McCoy family cemetery.

THURSDAY 4 MAR 1982

THELMA V. HAYES

Thelma V. Hayes, 73, of Beechwood Drive, Johnson City, Tenn., died Tuesday morning at the Colonial Hill Health Care Center following a brief illness.

Mrs. Hayes was born in Norton and was the daughter of the late William and Bertha Ringley Turner. She lived most of her life in Vandalia, Ohio where she retired as manager of the W.W. Amco Store. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lee A. Hayes in 1976.

She moved to Johnson City, Tenn. in 1974 and attended the Methodist Church.

Survivors include four sisters, Miss Elsie Turner of Johnson City, Mrs. Oma Miller of Luray, Mrs. Ray E. (Kathleen) Kilgore of Norton, Mrs. Fred (Kate) Akers of Kingsport; and two nieces.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this time. Appalachian Funeral Home of Johnson City is in charge of arrangements.

TUE 9 MAR 1982

THELMA V. HAYS

Thelma V. Hays, 73, of Johnson City, Tenn. died Tuesday in Colonial Hill Nursing Home.

She was a native of Norton and had lived in Johnson City since 1974.

Survivors include four sisters, Miss Elsie Turner, Johnson City, Mrs. Oma Miller, Luray, Mrs. Ray Kilgore, Norton, and Mrs. Fred Akers, Kingsport, Tenn.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday in the Appalachian Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Dan Bullion officiating. Burial was in Monte Vista Burial Park.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

JUSTINA JILL HELBERT

Justina Jill Helbert, infant daughter of Larry Justin and Kathleen Elam Helbert of Castlewood, died Monday night in Bristol Memorial Hospital.

Other survivors include the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanford Elam, Castlewood; the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Helbert, Castlewood; the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Poston, Coeburn; and the maternal great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Osborne, Lebanon, and Mrs. Bell Elam, Nickelsville.

Graveside services were conducted Wednesday in the Temple Hill Memorial Park at Castlewood, with the Rev. R.J. Cullop officiating. Russell County Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Thur 4 Nov 1982

MRS. ORPHA K. HELBERT

Mrs. Orpha Kate Helbert, 67, of Castlewood died Tuesday in the Russell County Medical Center in Lebanon.

She is survived by four sons, Leon Helbert, Charles Edward Helbert and Oakley Helbert, all of Castlewood, and Fuller Helbert of St. Paul; four daughters, Miss Dora Helbert and Mrs. Jake (Goldie) Townes, both of Castlewood, Mrs. Arthur (Peggy) Kiser, Dante, and Mrs. Clifford (Ellen) Steffey, St. Paul; three brothers, Bascom Jessee, Castlewood, James Jessee, Manassas, and Ed Jessee, St. Paul; four sisters, Mrs. Mary Couch, Mrs. Lena Bradley and Miss Jennie Jessee, all of Castlewood, and Mrs. Thelma Minton, St. Paul; 32 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today (Thursday) in the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Ernest Dale officiating. Burial will be in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

COMBINED EDITION
TUES 21 DEC 1982
THURS 23 DEC 1982

MARTIN HENRY

Martin (Bobby Hoskins) Henry, 52, died recently in Los Angeles, Calif.

He is survived by two sons, Martin Luther Henry Jr., Kansas City, Kan., and Walter Phillip Hatchett, Newport, Tenn.; one daughter, Diane Henry, Kansas City; his mother and step-father, Edith and Samuel Hoskins, of Big Stone Gap; six sisters, Mary Hampton, Stonega, Barbara Squire, Lucille Vander, Ruth Hoskins and Wilma Milbro, all of Big Stone Gap, and Juanita Dinkins, Wilmington, N.C.; one brother, Samuel Hoskins Jr., Richmond.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Jasper Burrell and the Rev. E.G. Bossard officiating. Burial was in Oakview Cemetery.

Tuesday, March 23, 1982

MRS. ANNA HENSLEY

Mrs. Anna Tackett Hensley, 79, of Wise, died Saturday at her home.

She attended the Glamorgan Freewill Baptist Church.

She is survived by one daughters, Mrs. Helen Bass, Wise; three sons, Carl Hensley and Buddy Hensley, both of Dayton, Ohio, and Eari Hensley, Phoenix, Ariz.; 16 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating. Burial was in the Addington-Hensley Cemetery.

TUES 9 NOV 1982

MRS. DORA B. HENSLEY

Mrs. Dora B. Hensley, 94, of Big Stone Gap, died Wednesday in the Lonesome Pine Hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of the area and a member of the First Christian Church.

Surviving are four sons, Carson C. Hensley, Big Stone Gap, Cody Hensley, Crossbrook, Sam C. Hensley and Clifford Hensley, both of Alexandria; three daughters, Mrs. L.C. (Elsie) Bledsoe, Caretta, W. Va., Mrs. Charles D. (Stella) Gibson, Bristol, and Mrs. William R. (Agnes) Bailey, Big Stone Gap; 16 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Holding Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bob Horne officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden.

THURSDAY 8 APR 1982

JAMES R. HENSLEY

James R. Hensley, 49, of Overland Park, Kansas, drowned Friday in a lake near Overland Park.

He was born in Norton and lived in the Kansas City area for 17 years. He was a service representative for Niagra Manufacturing Company and a former pressman for the Kansas City Star. He was an Air Force veteran and a member of the American Legion.

Surviving are his wife Nancy

Hensley of the home; one son, John E. Hensley of Havelock, N.C.; four daughters, Janice F. Martin, Houston, Tex., Joyce Keal, Overland Park, Regina Runyon, Olathe, Kansas, and Christine Hensley, of North Kansas City, Mo.; two brothers Elmer Hensley of Pacific Islands, Carl of Indianapolis; two sisters, Alleen Davidson of Indianapolis and Joann VanWinkle of Norton; and eight grandchildren.

Services will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday at Newcomer Overland Park Chapel. Burial will be in Topeka Cemetery, Topeka, Kansas.

THURSDAY 18 MAR 1982

MRS. MURIEL M. HENSLEY

Mrs. Muriel M. Hensley, 89, of 2425 Bloomingdale Pike, Kingsport, Tenn., died Sunday evening at Wilcox Hall.

She was a native of Wise County and had lived in Kingsport for 27 years. She was a member of Bond Memorial United Methodist Church in Coeburn. She was preceded in death by her husband, Hugh E. Hensley.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Jack (Edna) Callahan of Kingsport, Mrs. Francis Lytton of Elizabethton, Tenn., Mrs. E.C. (Kate) Garrett and Mrs. Ancil (Ruth) Garrett, both of Knoxville, Tenn.; three sons, Hugh Hensley and Bill Hensley, both of Kingsport, and Verlin Hensley of St. Paul; two sisters, Mrs. Lillie Buchanan of Coeburn and Mrs. Cora Hall of Roanoke; eight grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandson also survive.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in Carter's Chapel Funeral Home with the Rev. Herman Anderson and the Rev. Ancil Garrett officiating. Burial was in Holston View Cemetery.

Thur 8 July 1982

BELLE SANDERS HERNDON

Belle Sanders Herndon, 82, of Coeburn, died Monday at St. Mary's Hospital in Norton.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Wright of Coeburn and Mrs. Paulene Elder of Rossville, Ga.; 10 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Coeburn, with the Rev. Ben Powers officiating. Burial will follow in Greenwood Cemetery.

Tue 28 Dec 1982

NETTIE DISHNER HERRON

Nettie Dishner Herron, 90, of Duffield died Thursday in the Lee County Community Hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of the Sticklelyville community and a member of the Mount View Primitive Baptist Church.

She is survived by three daughters, Alice Home, State College, Pa., Virginia Lewis, Danville, and Opal Smith, Duffield one sister, Ollie Lester, Roda; seven grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and one great-great grandchild.

Funeral services were conducted at Sunday in the Sturgill

Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Alex Willis and the Rev. Don Harrison officiating. Burial was in the Kane Cemetery in Duffield.

THURSDAY 24 JUN 1982

MRS. PATTY S. HESS

Mrs. Patty Simerly Hess, 19, of Croton, Ohio, died Monday in Lincoln County, Ohio, from injuries received in an automobile accident.

She was a native of Russell County and a former resident of Honaker. She was employed by the Croton Processing Co.

Survivors include her husband, Buford W. Hess; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Simerly, Honaker; eight sisters, Vickie Simerly, Jennifer Simerly, Kimberly Simerly and Carol Simerly, all of Honaker, Mrs. Lucille Lampkin and Mrs. Betty Kirkpatrick, both of Bristol, Va., Mrs. Wilma Hall, St. Paul, and Mrs. Bonnie Ferguson, Lebanon; six brothers, Gary Simerly, Honaker, Curtis Simerly, Cleveland, Va., and Jessie Simerly, Theodore Simerly, Carson Simerly and Sidney Simerly, all of Bristol, Va.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Honaker Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Roy Lee Wilson officiating. Burial will be in Russell Memorial Cemetery in Lebanon.

TUES 5 OCT 1982

ABRAHAM L. HIBBITTS

Abraham (Avery) L. Hibbitts, 56, of Wise, died Friday in the Veterans Hospital in Mountain Home, Tenn.

He was a retired miner and a veteran of World War II, U.S. Army.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Webb Hibbitts; four sons, Jerry A. Hibbitts, Johnny L. Hibbitts, Jeffrey W. Hibbitts and Joseph T. Hibbitts, all of Wise; three daughters, Miss Jennifer Hibbitts, Mrs. Jonell Allen and Mrs. Jean Collins, all of Wise; one brother, Bruce Hibbitts, Wise; two sisters, Mrs. June Collins, Wise, and Mrs. Jocie Mullins, Meadowview; and 12 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Sturgill Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. J.C. Osgood and Elder Lester Baker officiating.

Tue 6 July 1982

MRS. KATHLEENE E. HICKS

Mrs. Kathleen Edwards Hicks, 35, of Coeburn, died Wednesday in a Norton hospital.

She was a member of the Coeburn Church of God of Prophecy.

Survivors include her husband, James E. Hicks; two daughters, Miss Shirley M. Hicks and Barbara A. Hicks, both of the home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards, St. Paul; two sisters, Mrs. Phyllis Rhoten, Big Stone Gap, and Mrs. Susie Mullins, Dante; two brothers, Jackie Edwards and Kester Edwards, both of St. Paul.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Church of God of Prophecy with the Rev. Lacy King officiating. Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery.

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Tuesday & Thursday
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MRS. TINA MAE HICKS

Mrs. Tina Mae Hicks, 54, 1663 Maryland Ave., Bristol, Tenn., died Saturday morning at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

She was a native of Dickenson County and had lived most of her life in St. Paul before moving to Bristol seven years ago. She was a member of Walker Mountain Independent Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Leonard Hicks; three daughters, Mrs. Lois Peyton of Roanoke, and Mrs. Joy Smith and Mrs. Kay Osborne, both of Bristol; three sons, David Hicks and Danny Hicks, both of St. Paul, and Jerry Hicks, Bristol; her mother, Mrs. Ada Mullins Salyers of Castlewood; two sisters, Mrs. Marie Hileman of Castlewood and Mrs. Mary Mays of Dante; three brothers, Paul Salyers of Bristol, Troy Salyers of Florida and Fred Salyers of Dante; 10 grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the chapel of the Huff-Cook Funeral Home at St. Paul, with the Rev. Kenny Hammond, the Rev. Donald Denton and the Rev. Gene Brooks officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Bristol Lifesaving Crew.

COALFIELD PROGRESS
TUESDAY 6 APR 1982

MRS. ANNAB. HILL

Mrs. Anna B. Hill, 68, of Clintwood, died Tuesday in a Norton hospital.

She was a member of Valley View Freewill Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Adam Hill; four daughters, Judith Gonzalez, Wise, Sonja Harlow, Powhatan, and Diana Mullins and Veronica Hill, both of Clintwood; two brothers, Roy Cox and Willie Cox, both of Bluefield; two sisters, Ethel Harrison, War, W.Va., and Margaret Dunford, Martinsville; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Friday in the Clintwood Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Derwood Yates officiating. Burial was in the Phipps Memorial Cemetery.

TUE 29 JUNE 1982

MRS. ERMA H. HILL

Mrs. Erma H. Hill, 73, of Clintwood, died Thursday night in a Norton hospital.

She was a lifelong resident of Dickenson County and a member of the Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are four sons, Bobby J. Hill, Leesville, La., Donald M. Hill and Kenneth R. Hill, both of Clintwood, and Leonard H. Hill, Norton; one daughter, Mrs. Irene Ratliff, Clintwood; two brothers, Aven Cochran, Clintwood, and Vernon Cochran, Clinchco; two sisters, Mrs. Gertrude Mullins, Clintwood, and Mrs. Ronnie Edwards, Haysi; 29 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Pine Hill Creek Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Harlan Lee Rose and the Rev. Bill Mack Mullins officiating. Burial was in the Alfred Mullins Cemetery, Route 2, Clintwood.

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IRVINHILL

Irvin Hill, 62, died Sunday morning in a Norton hospital.

He was a retired employee of Prince George's County, Md., and was a veteran of World War II.

Survivors include one son, Shannon Hill of Norton; two sisters, Belvia Ison and Bethel Nazaro, both of Norton; one grandson, Gerald Hill of the home.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Emmitt Mullins officiating. Burial will follow in the Hill family cemetery.

Thur 2 Dec 1982

MISS ETHEL HOLBROOK

Miss Ethel Minnie Holbrook, 74, of Dante, died Monday morning at Bristol Memorial Hospital.

She was a member of Dingus Memorial Freewill Baptist Church in Dante.

Survivors include two brothers, Woodrow Holbrook of Dante and Mack Holbrook of Coeburn; one sister, Miss Rosa Holbrook of Dante; and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday at the Huff-Cook Funeral Home Chapel in St. Paul with the Rev. Walter Glovier and the Rev. Emory Cook officiating. Burial was in Temple Hill Memorial Park, Castlewood.

Thur 21 Oct 1982

GRAYSON HOLBROOK

Grayson Holbrook, 58, of 455 Brookwood Dr., Bristol, Tenn., died Sunday at the Holston Valley Community Hospital in Kingsport.

He was a native of Dickenson County but had lived most of his life in the Bristol area. He was a teacher for the Sullivan County School System and a Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Holbrook; three daughters, Mrs. Carolyn DeWitt, Johnson City, Tenn., Miss Susan Holbrook of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Rebecca Anderson, Sullivans Island, S.C.; one son, Dennis Holbrook of Bristol; his mother, Mrs. Gladys Holbrook of Bristol; three sisters, Mrs. Kathleen Puckett of Reading, Penn., Miss Mildred Holbrook and Mrs. Mae Ramsey, both of Bristol; also surviving are four grandchildren.

Weaver Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 24 JUN 1982

MRS. JOSEPHINE HOLLAND

Mrs. Josephine W. Holland, 87, of 313 Lindsay St., Bristol, Va., died Monday morning in Richmond Manor Nursing Home.

She was a native of Snow Flake, Va., but had made her home in Bristol for many years. She was associated with the Virginia Department of Social Services for many years before her retirement.

Mrs. Holland was a member of Euclid Avenue Baptist Church where she also taught Sunday school for a number of years. She was the widow of D.M. Holland.

Surviving are one son, Jack M. Holland, Bristol; two sisters, Mrs. Marjorie Short and Mrs. Roberta Kiser, both of Norton; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were conducted at 11 a.m. Wednesday in Mountain View Cemetery with Dr. Ron McKinney officiating. Those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Bristol Heart Association. Akard Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 4 MAY 1982

GLADYS BELL HOLLOWAY

Gladys Bell Holloway, 71, of Doylestown, Ohio, died Thursday in an Akron, Ohio, hospital.

She was a former resident of Tom's Creek.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Betty Lynch, Doylestown, Mrs. Ruth Baker, Leesburg, and Mrs. Phyllis Jagers, Clinton, Ohio; four sons, James Holloway, Frank Holloway and Jack Holloway, all of Akron, Ohio, and Fred Holloway, Leesburg; two sisters, Hurmel Sexton of West Virginia and Ruby Holloway, Apopka, Fla.; one brother, Ernest Barnett of Tennessee.

Graveside services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Greenwood Cemetery, Coeburn, with the Rev. Ben Newell officiating.

Estes Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

THURSDAY 3 JUN 1982

MARK A. HOLMES

Mark Anthony Holmes, 18, drowned Monday afternoon while swimming in Cherokee Lake, Rogersville, Tenn.

He was a resident of Keokee.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Irene Holmes, Keokee; one brother, Michael Holmes, Keokee; one sister, Mrs. Tina Marie Bush, Holmes Mill, Ky.; his maternal grandfather, Hayward Evans, Exeter; his paternal grandmother, Mrs. Beulah Morris, Keokee; his paternal grandfather, Roy C. Holmes, Sr., Appalachia; and one niece.

Roy A. Green Funeral Home, is in charge of the arrangements.

TUE 23 MAR 1982

CHESTER L. HONEYCUTT

Chester Lee Honeycutt, 38, of Wise, died Thursday in Norton.

He attended the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Margaret Roberts Honeycutt; two sons, Alfred Honeycutt and Eddie Honeycutt, both of the home; one daughter, Elizabeth Honeycutt, of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Nannie Phillips of Wise and Mrs. Bertha Profitt of Coeburn; four brothers, Bill Honeycutt of Neon, Ky., Harlen Honeycutt and Johnny Honeycutt, both of Hindman, Ky., and Elijah Honeycutt of Circlesville, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Sunday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bill Shepherd and Evangelist Hoyt Williams officiating. Burial was in Anderson

Cemetery near Wayland, Ky.

Tuesday, February 9, 1982

WILBURN J. HONEYCUTT

Wilburn J. Honeycutt, 75, of Andover, died Saturday evening at his home.

He was a native of Big Stone Gap and had lived in Andover for the past 30 years.

He was a retired employee of Central Supply Co.

Survivors include his wife, Alice Honeycutt; three daughters, Louise Honeycutt of Richmond, Elizabeth Roland of Big Stone Gap, and Faye Benick of Austin, Texas; six sons, Henry Honeycutt of Andover, W.J.

Honeycutt and Ray Honeycutt, both of Lansing, Kan., Elmo Honeycutt of East Stone Gap, Don Honeycutt of Big Stone Gap, and Ralph Honeycutt of Derby; two sisters, Farah Homes of Lafayette, Ind., and Lucy Starnes of Kingport, Tenn.; 29 grandchildren and 114 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Holding Funeral Home Chapel in Big Stone Gap with the Rev. Roger Barker and the Rev. Gene Swinney. Burial will follow in Riverview Cemetery in East Stone Gap.

Tuesday, December 7, 1982

EARL DEAN HOOD

Earl Dean Hood, 46, of Big Stone Gap died Tuesday at his home.

He was a disabled veteran and a lifelong resident of the Big Stone Gap area.

Surviving are his father, Dewey Hood of Big Stone Gap; two sisters, Barbara Hansen of Vancouver, Wash., and Gladys Hipskind of

Everett, Wash.; four brothers, Billy Gean Hood of Hawaii, Wilburn Hood and Richard Hood, both of Tampa, Fla., and Junior Albert Hood of Marion.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday at the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Gerald Hopkins and the Rev. Bryan Moore officiating.

Burial followed in Powell Valley Cemetery at Dryden.

TUE 9 FEB 1982

ARCHIE HOPKINS

Archie Hopkins, 67, of Beckley, W. Va. and formerly of Pound, died Monday.

He was a member of the Beckley Masonic Lodge and a member of the Beckley United Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Elsie Hopkins; four daughters, Delores Montgomery of Mount Coal, W. Va., Ruth Ann Hopkins of Paintsville, Ky., Judy Hopkins of Baltimore, Md., and Linda Hopkins of Beckley; two sons, Donnie Hopkins of Jacksonville, Fla., and Danny Hopkins of Beckley; five sisters, Nora Addington of Phoenix, Ariz., Carrie Caudle of Soddy, Tenn., Odie Church of Raymond, Wash., June Ingle of West Liberty, Ky., and Pearl Countiss of Pound; two brothers, Henry Hopkins of Pound

and James Hopkins of Virgie, Ky.; and eight grandchildren.

Milton Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Thursday.

THURS 7 OCT 1982

VERNIE HOPSON

Vernie Hopson, 87, of Clintwood, died Tuesday in Heritage Hall Health Care Center.

Surviving are three sons, Marvin Hopson, Danville, Noah Hopson Jr., Bristol, Tenn., and Quentin Hopson, Winchester; three daughters, Carrie Webb and Italy Webb, both of Clintwood, and Roxie Hyloch, Baltimore, Md.; 27 grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Miller Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

TUES 12 OCT 1982

CARL G. HOWINGTON

Carl G. Howington, 61, of Dungannon, died at 4:15 a.m. Sunday at Holston Valley Hospital and Medical Center in Kingsport.

He was a native of Wise County and a veteran of World War II. He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Rachel R. Howington, Dungannon; six daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Trivette, Mrs. Betty Stallard and Miss Judy Howington, all of Dungannon, Mrs. Sarah Culbertson, Wise, Mrs. Linda Lane, Fort Blackmore, and Mrs. Donna Thomas, Jacksonville, N.C.; seven grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Dungannon Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. Kelly Carter and the Rev. J.B. Quillen officiating. Burial will be in Corder Cemetery.

Warren Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Tue 24 Aug 1982

MRS. GOLDIE HOWINGTON

Mrs. Goldie Dickerson Howington, 74, of Mt. Vernon, Ky., died Friday in a hospital in Mt. Vernon.

She was a lifelong resident of Norton and attended the Church of God.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Hazel Coffey Cox of Norton; two sons, Blaine C. Howington and Joseph M. Howington, both of Bristol; one sister, Mrs. Rebecca Lee Brickey of Big Stone Gap; two brothers, Jim Matthews of Big Stone Gap and Oscar Matthews of Blountville, Tenn.; 11 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Monday at the Hagy Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Glen Sturgill officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

TUESDAY 20 JUL 1982

ALLEN M. HUBBARD

Allen McKinley Hubbard, 84, of Wise died Wednesday night in a local hospital.

He was a native of Lee County and he spent most of his life in Wise County. He was a retired coal miner, a member of the UMWA Local 8939 and attended the Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are four daughters, Miss Betty Hubbard, Wise, Mrs. Virginia Reed, Wellington, Ohio, Mrs. Violet Salyers, Clyde, Ohio, and Mrs. Joyce Huffstutler, Fairfield, Ohio; four sons, Charles Hubbard, Curtis Hubbard and Allen Hubbard Jr., all of Wise, and William Hubbard, Vickery, Ohio; one brother, Russell Hubbard, California; three sisters, Mrs. Stella Baker, Mrs. Julia Anderson and Mrs. Edith Mullins, all of Wise; 26 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel,

Wise, with the Rev. Ben Powers officiating. Burial was at the Smith Cemetery, Wise.

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JAMES ARTHUR HUBBARD

James Arthur Hubbard, 75, of Mine Run, died Friday at Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Ethel Witt Hubbard; one daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Crawford, Pound; three sisters, Mrs. Nell Baker, Pound, Mrs. Viola Vanover of New Mexico, and Mrs. Ada Stallard, Nickelsville; nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 11 a.m. Monday in the Wise County Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. Wilson Corr officiating. Burial was in the Baker family cemetery, Pound.

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JAMES R. HUBBARD

James Russ Hubbard, 81, of Pound, died Sunday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Wilma) Carter in Jonesboro, Tenn.

He was a retired miner, formerly employed by the Clinchfield Coal Co., and was a member of the Indian Creek Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Edna Riner Hubbard; one other daughter, Mrs. Mildred H. Roberson, Jonesboro; three sons, Edward Hubbard, Virginia Beach, Hurl (Peck) Hubbard, Neon, Ky., and Huilet Hubbard, Pound; two brothers, Webster Hubbard and Arlie Hubbard, both of Pound; five sisters, Miss Oral Hubbard, Miss Beulah Hubbard, Miss Delsie Hubbard, Mrs. Vivian Slemp and Mrs. Destie Strouth, all of Pound; eight grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services will be conducted at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel in Wise, with the Rev. Harold Kilgore officiating. Burial will be in the Stapleton Cemetery.

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JESSICA ANNE HUBBARD

Jessica Anne Hubbard, infant daughter of Cecil and Anita Hubbard of Wise, died Tuesday in the University of Tennessee Hospital in Knoxville, Tenn.

Other survivors are one sister,

Angela Leigh Hubbard of the home; the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Steffey, Wise; the paternal grandfather and step-grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hubbard Sr., Ewing; the maternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Vivia Steffey, Norton; and the paternal great-grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Hubbard, Wise.

Graveside services were held at 10 a.m. Friday in the Pace Cemetery in Rose Hill. Sturgill Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUE 22 JUNE 1982

ED HUGHES

Ed Hughes, 84, of Coeburn, died Thursday morning in a Norton hospital.

He was a retired miner.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Martha Jane Hughes; three sons, Willie A. Hughes, Billy G. Hughes and Bobby R. Hughes, all of Coeburn; four daughters, Mrs. Janice Carty, Clintwood, Miss Ina Hughes, Coeburn, Mrs. Dorothy Stallard, Sandusky, Ohio, and Mrs. Inis Joyce Coe, Akron, Ohio; one sister, Mrs. Gladys Cassidy, Oak Ridge, Tenn.; one brother, Gabe Hughes, Clintwood; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Saturday in the Sturgill Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Bernard Broskey officiating. Burial was in the Laurel Grove Cemetery in Norton.

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LACY U. HUNSUCKER

Lacy Ulysses Hunsucker, 59, of Norton, died Friday in a local hospital.

He was a retired coal miner and a member of the United Mine Workers of America, Pardee local. He was a member of the Norton Unit of the Wise County Rescue Squad for 20 years.

Surviving are his wife, Ada Hunsucker; two daughters, Janet Necessary, Norton, and Linda Necessary, Wise; one son, Tommy Hunsucker, Norton; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hunsucker, Norton; one brother, Blain Hunsucker, Norton; two sisters, Helen Hunsucker and Eileen Hunsucker, both of Norton; and one grandson.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Minor Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. E.B. Bolling and the Rev. Nelson Sloce officiating. Burial was in Powell Valley Memorial Garden. Members of the Norton Rescue Squad served as pallbearers.

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MRS. MAE STALLARD HUNT

Mrs. Mae Stallard Hunt, 60, died Sunday morning at a Norton hospital.

She was a member of Norton United Methodist Church, the Philathea Sunday school class and the Rebekah Hurricane Lodge.

Survivors include her husband, Charlie D. Hunt Sr.; one daughter, Mrs. Nancy Ellen Megargel of Mt. Pocono, Pa.; two sons, C.D. Hunt Jr. of Rocky Mount, N.C., and Robert Hunt of Dryden; three sisters, Mrs. Loretta Hale and Mrs. Carrie Plummer, both of Wise, and Mrs. Hannah Mullins of Jenkins, Ky.; three brothers, Ray E. Stallard of Jenkins, Robert Stallard of Louisville, Ky., and David Stallard of Wise; six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p.m. at Hagy Funeral Home chapel in Norton with the Rev. Claude Quillen officiating. Burial will be in Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Memorials may be made to the Norton United Methodist Church or the Norton Rescue Squad.

THURSDAY 29 APR 1982

MRS. SARAH D. HUNTER

Mrs. Sarah Davis Hunter, 78, died Sunday in a Lafayette, Ind., hospital.

She was a former resident of Norton and a member of the Norton First Baptist Church. She was also a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and a past worthy matron.

Survivors include one daughter, Sarah Lee H. Myers, New Orleans, La.; and four grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday in the First Baptist Church in Norton, with the Rev. Spencer Price officiating. Burial was in Powell

Valley Memorial Garden. Hagy Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

TUES 12 OCT 1982

RAY C. HURD

Ray C. (Buck) Hurd of Big Stone Gap died Friday in Lonesome Pine Hospital.

He was a lifelong resident of the Big Stone Gap area and was a retired coal miner. He was a member of UMWA Local 7425, a member of the IOOF and the Big Stone Gap Masonic Lodge No. 208 AF & AM. He was a Baptist.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Helen Wells Hurd; one son, Jimmie Ray Hurd, Bristol, Tenn.; three step-sons, Dennis Wells, Barry Wells and Douglas Wells, all of Norton; two daughters, Mrs. Jim (Billie Jean) Masters, Big Stone Gap, and Miss Peggy Ann Hurd, Lynchburg; two step-daughters, Mrs. Libby Snodgrass, Big Stone Gap, and Mrs. Theresa Venters, Jenkins, Ky.; one sister, Mrs. Blanche Carty, Big Stone Gap; seven grandchildren, one great-grandchild and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Holding Funeral Home chapel with the Rev. S.E. Strong officiating. Burial was in East Stone Gap Cemetery.