

Frank B. Cobbs

August 18, 1919 – July 1, 1963

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Frank B. Cobbs, 43, of Hinton died Monday at 5:45 p.m. in a Clifton Forge, Va. Hospital after an illness of one month.

Born in Hinton, Aug. 18, 1919, he was the son of Mrs. Berma Cobbs and the late Richard Cobbs.

He had spent most of his life in Hinton.

Cobbs was employed by the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Co. and at the time of his death was a promoted conductor.

He was secretary-treasurer of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen No. 913 and a member of the Hinton Methodist Church, John Wesley Bible Class, Masonic Lodge No. 62, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, Shriner, and Order of Eastern Star.

Surviving in addition to his mother, are his wife, Mrs. Florine Cobbs: two daughters, Mrs. Joseph R. Polidoro of Rochester, N.Y., and Diane Cobbs, at home; two brothers, Richard T. of Knoxville, Tenn., and Edwin C. Cobbs of Hinton; a sister, Mrs. John B. King of Shreveport, La.; and a grandson.

The funeral will be conducted at 2:30 p.m. today in the Hinton Methodist Church with the Rev. I.E. Cregger and Dr. Fred B. Wyand in charge. Burial will be at Restwood Memorial Estates.

Members of the Masonic Lodge will serve as pallbearers and conduct graveside rites. Members of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will be honorary pallbearers.

The body will remain at the Ronald Meadows Funeral Parlors until the funeral hour.