Claude Davidson, Jr.

December 28, 1920 – September 26, 1996

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CLAUDE S. DAVIDSON, JR.

Claude S. Davidson, Jr. 75, of Johnson St., Hinton, died 11:30 p. m. Thursday, Sept. 26, 1996, at his home following a long illness.

Born Dec. 28, 1920, in Hinton, he was the son of the late Claude S., Sr. and Maud Miller Davidson.

Mr. Davidson was a retired conductor for C&O Railway Co. with 34 years of service and retiring in 1980. He was a World War II U. S. Army veteran, having served in the Chemical Warfare Division of the South Pacific, was a member of the Mountain State Beagle Club and the United Transportation Union, was of the Presbyterian faith and was a lifelong resident of Summers County.

He was preceded in death by two brothers, John and Fred Davidson;

and a sister, Mary Foster.

Survivors include his wife Hazel Webb Davidson; a son, W. R "Randy" Davidson and his wife Rogena, of Athens, Ga.; a brother, James Davidson of Fayetteville; a sister, Edith Spath of Colorado Springs, Colo.; and a granddaughter, Andrea Davidson.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Sun. Sept. 29th. at Pivont Funeral Home Chapel, Hinton, with the Rev. Roy Lee Honaker Jr. officiating. Burial followed in Greenbrier Burial Park.

Pallbearers were Lake Lyons, Jack Bradberry, Donald and Freddie Mock, Harry Webb, Richard Davis, Mason Jones, Bob Turner and R. L. "Pop" Johnson.