Homer Andrews

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HOMER H. ANDREWS

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Homer H. "Buddy" Andrews, 71, of 1306 Summers St., died at 4:30 a.m. Fri., May 14, 1993, in a Beckley hospital following a long illness.

Born Oct. 20, 1921, at Clifton Forge, Va., he was the son of the late Hansford and Hattie McCallister Andrews.

Mr. Andrews was a 63-year resident of Hinton. He was retired from the CSX Corporation where he worked as a engineer from 1945 to 1979 and was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers where he served as general chairman from 1979 to 1986.

He was a U.S. Army Air Corps veteran who served during World War II. He received the Bronze Star and the Air Medal with Bronze Cluster. He was a former employee of the Park Avenue Exxon and a member of the Riverview Chapel.

He was preceded in death by a sister, Shirley Andrews Howell.

Survivors include his wife, Eva Jean Moore Andrews; two sons, Steven Dale Andrews and Dennis Ray Andrews, both of Hinton; two daughters, Debra Kay Andrews Jackson of Staunton, Va., and Denise Rae Nahodil of Hinton; a sister, Kathleen Andrews Bowyer of Hampton, Va.; eight grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Mon. May 17 at the Riverview Chapel, Hinton, with Mr. Harry Pilkington officiating. Burial followed in the Crews Cemetery, Nimitz.

The body was at the Ronald Meadows Funeral Parlors and at the church.

Pallbearers were Phillip Cales, Greg Lilly, Rocky Lightner, Bob Nahodil, Howard Cashwell, Roy Cooper, J.K. Williams, Jack Ashley, Bill Bulmer, Bill Bennett, Carl McGuire, and Charles Westfall.

Arrangements by Ronald Meadows Funeral Parlors, Hinton.