

Linville Halloran

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Dr. Halloran Rites Thurs.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday for Dr. Linville Murrell Halloran, 58, prominent Beckley physician, and surgeon, who died Tuesday in a Beckley hospital following a brief illness due to complications. He was a former Hinton resident.

Although in ill health for several years Dr. Halloran's condition was not considered critical until a week ago.

"Doc" as he was known to his countless boyhood Hinton friends was born here May 11, 1904, the son of the late Dan and Emma Halloran, pioneer residents of this city.

He graduated from Hinton High School in 1923 where he was an outstanding center on the football team, although he weighed only 130 pounds at the time. Following his graduation here he attended West Virginia University where he received a B.S. degree, and he completed his studies at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond.

After serving as an intern for 14 months and a year's residency at St. Joseph's Hospital in Reading, Pa., he went to Beckley in 1930 as a surgeon at the Raleigh General Hospital. His practice later included the field of obstetrics and he was recognized as an outstanding bone specialist.

Dr. Halloran was a member of the Beckley Elks, Lion's Club and served several offices with the Raleigh County Medical Society. He was a fellow of the Southeastern Surgical Congress, the American College of Surgeons and was a member of the Presbyterian Church.

He is survived by his wife, the former Frances Lucile Williams; three sons, L. Gress and Randolph M., both students at the Medical College of Virginia, and Phillip B., student at Georgia Tech; two sisters, Mrs. I. A. Johnson of Hinton and Mrs. R. G. Broadus of Beckley; and three brothers, Percy of Talcott; Earl T. of Hinton and Dr. Roy O. of Charleston.