

Leonard Elsworth Coleman

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Leonard Coleman Dies In Hospital Rites Saturday

Leonard Elsworth Coleman, 46, died in the Hinton Hospital this morning at 12:10 o'clock following a year's illness.

Born in Hinton, Sept. 29, 1912, he was a son of the late Betty Spencer Coleman and George W. Coleman of 418 Third Avenue.

Coleman, a pharmacist, graduated from Hinton High School, attended New River State, West Virginia University and Medical College of Virginia. He operated a Walgreen Drug Store in Hinton for some time and had worked for the Spangler Drug in Princeton.

An avid sportsman, he was a member of the First Methodist church in Princeton and the Moose and Elks lodges.

Surviving besides his father, are his wife, Mary Lee of Princeton; three children, George and Martha of Princeton and Leonard Elsworth of Doanoke, Va.; nine brothers and sisters, Dr. W. S. Coleman and Howard Coleman of Lewisburg, Robert E. Coleman of Emporia, Va., Charles E. Coleman of Richmond, Va., Mrs. Cladys Mann, Mrs. Louise Houchins of Hinton, Mrs. Evelyn Butler of Portsmouth, Va., Mrs. Virginia Light of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. Jean Carson of Syracuse, N. Y.

Funeral services are to be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the home with the Rev. H. U. Thompson in charge. Burial will follow in the Rosewood cemetery at Lewisburg. The body will be taken to the home on Third Avenue today at 5 p.m. from the E. M. Meadows Funeral Home.

Active pallbearers named are Harold Eagle, Jim Fitzsimmons, Jennings Whitten, Jimmy Coleman, Bob Butler, Edward Coleman, Billy Coleman and Bill Coleman.