James Edward Collins

LIVINGSTON – James Edward Collins died on Sunday, Feb. 25, 2007, at his residence, surrounded by his family.

Mr. Collins was born on Nov. 29, 1920 in Livingston. He was a proud World War II veteran, serving in the United States Army. His hobbies were playing 42 with his friends, hunting, fishing and camping with his family, and doing woodworking. He also loved to work; he was a self-employed logger.

He was preceded in death by his mother and father, Sim and Frances Capps Collins and one great-grandchild, Trevor.

Survivors include his wife of 58 years, Oma Collins; daughter, Jeanelle Cude; son, Bobby Collins and wife Becky; grandchildren, Brigette, Amber, Garet, Richard (Buger), Britney, Alana and Chelsee and great-grandchildren, Nikki, Tarah, Casey, Kylie, Paislie, Rease, Lauren, Decklan, James and McKenna.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, Feb. 27, in the Pace Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Frank Hood, the Rev. Gerald Morris and Jack Therrell officiating. Burial followed in Peebles Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Chris Truax, Bud Emmerson, Larry Walters, Galen Walters, Lewel Walters, Charles Ingram and Jimmy Hermes. Honorary pallbearers were Bill Shubert, Harold Borup, Bobby Hermes and Jerry Riley.

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