

## **Journal Gazette, The (Fort Wayne, IN) - Tuesday, February 17, 1998**

Pennville - JAMES C. BLEVINS, 84, died Sunday at Caylor-Nickel Medical Center, Bluffton. Born in Wise County, Va., he worked in the coal mines in Norton, Va., before moving to Pennville in the early 1950s. He worked at New Idea, Coldwater, Ohio, for 29 years. He and his wife also owned and operated the Pennville Northside Cafe. He was a World War II Navy veteran, and was past commander of Pennville American Legion Post 482 for two terms. He served two terms on the Pennville Town Council. Surviving are his wife, Margie; three sons, Ronald C. of Bluffton, Thomas L. of Montpelier and J. Wayne of Pennville; two sisters, Emma Chadwick of Pennville and Ruby Meyers of Hale, Mich.; nine grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. Services at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Williamson & Spencer Funeral Home, Pennville Chapel, with calling from 2 to 8 p.m. today. Burial in IOOF Cemetery, with graveside military rites by Pennville American Legion Post 482. Memorials to the Nursing Scholarship of 40&8 in the American Legion.

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