

**BROTHER-IN-LAW HELD —**

## **Hedden, Decorated Veteran, Dies From Gunshot Wound**

Lee A. Hedden, 37-year-old Hedden, of this county. In South Carolina he worked for Monaghan Mills in Greenville.

former resident of this county, and decorated war veteran, died Saturday after being shot in the leg by his brother-in-law.

The brother-in-law, Shaw L. Webb, 52 and father of 16 children, was being held without bond Monday, pending a coroner's inquest.

The shooting occurred at Webb's home in Salem, S. C. A former resident of Walnut Creek, Mr. Hedden moved to South Carolina in November.

A veteran of World War II, Mr. Hedden fought in Africa and France and held the Purple heart and three Bronze Star medals for bravery in action. He was the son of Pritchard and Mrs. Eva

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Oak Grove Baptist Church by the Rev. C. C. Welch and the Rev. W. L. Sorrells. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are a son, Jack Hedden, and a daughter, Ann, both of Salem; three sisters, Mrs. Paul Jenkins, of Walnut Creek, Mrs. Silas Jenkins, of Greenville, S. C., and Mrs. Lincoln Webb, of Salem.

Serving as pallbearers were Robin West, Roby Roper, Ralph Mason, Osweil Foster, Charlie Hylton, and Cordell Deweese.

Davenport Funeral Home, of Wallhalla, S. C., was in charge of funeral arrangements.