

foundation and character in life they must not leave mother and God out of their plans.

Mrs. Frank Ambrose spoke in behalf of the mothers present, and expressed appreciation of the entertainment which had been furnished by the girls and their teacher.

Mrs. Doris Lord of Chester spent Friday with Mrs. D. Z. McLaughlin and Mrs. E. E. Loveland.

D. J. Hope has sold his house and lot here in town, better known as the Polhemus place, to Robert Parke who will move to town.

March 16, 1922.

Our new post office building, the Hammond brick on the west side of Main Street, is being put in fine shape by Postmaster Loveland, who expects to move into the building April 1st.

Vermontville not only claims to have the champion knitter, but also the champion quilt piecer, as Wm. Surine, of whom mention was made about the holidays as knitting, has since that time pieced four quilts. The last one had 1135 pieces. Can anyone beat this if so let's hear from them.

Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Aldrich, Sunday morning. It will be remembered that she was Mrs. Roy Hammond's mother. Funeral services were held Wednesday and burial at Holt, Mich.

MUSICAL RECITAL

A large company of invited guests attended the recital given at G. A. R. Hall Wednesday evening by the music pupils of Mrs. Mable Blackett and Miss Jennie Martin. The program consisted of piano, violin and vocal numbers, and showed careful and thorough preparation of their selections by the participants. Many expressions of pleasure were heard from those present over the success of the occasion.

The excellent violin work of Stanley McQuinney of Kalamo deserves special mention.

The pupils giving the program were Avis Harwood, Mary Thrun, Madelon and Vernice Eckhart, Jessie Cotton, Florence Neff, Vera and Dorothy Loveland, Donald, and Wilma Kamsinsky, Mary Margaret Hawkins, Doris Wirt, Neil McLaughlin, Francis Hopper, Harry Slout, Stanley McQuinney, Alton Barnes, and Gertrude Hicks.

March 23, 1922.

MUSICALE RECITAL

The second recital given this month by music pupils of Mrs. Blackett and Miss Martin, occurred at G. A. R. Hall, Wednesday evening of this week.

The Hall was again well filled by the families and friends of the pupils and the program was given in a creditable manner by the following pupils: Margaret Powers, Alice Hill,

Charles Lambert, Beulah Barnum, Hobert Wirt, Genevieve Kelly, Myrien Strait, Donald Kamsinsky, Glendine Harroun, Thelma Dickinson, Neil McLaughlin, Vernice Eckhart, Vera Loveland, Clara Richie, Addie Corey, Harry Slout, Miss Hicks and Mrs. Oliver Weiler. Owing to the fact that several pupils were unable from illness and other causes to be present and give their numbers, Mrs. Blackett and Miss Martin gave a mandolin and piano duet, and one number was repeated by request from the first program. The March from Tannhauser by Ms. Blackett, Miss Hicks and Miss Martin.

SAD DEATH OF LEWIS LENTZ

Lewis Herman Lentz, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Lentz, was born in Vermontville, Michigan, May 17, 1889, and passed away at his home on S. Sheldon street, March 13, 1922, with tuberculosis, at the age of 32 years, 10 months and four days.

He received his early education in the Vermontville public school. Since coming to Charlotte he has spent 12 years as a successful shoe clerk—four years with E. C. Harmon and eight at the Fred Murray shoe store, at which place he was employed up to the time of his failing health. Not having an overly rugged constitution, he was never able to regain completely his health after having a severe attack of the flu. Being of an ambitious nature, he undoubtedly many times worked beyond his strength. He was a young man who never complained and did to the best of his ability, the task set before him.

He was one of a family of six children, the oldest sister, Emma, passed away 16 years ago, and the father 10 months later. Besides his mother, who gave him the tenderest care and granted every wish, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Ira Smith of Charlotte, and Mrs. Edith Shoemaker of Lansing, and two brothers, Charles and Fred, both of this city, also many other relatives and a host of friends to mourn the loss of his young life.

March 30, 1922.

A NEW LOCATION FOR OUR POSTOFFICE

It is very few towns the size of Vermontville that can boast of a real honest-to-goodness Post Office, but we have now got the pure McCoy. Postmaster Elmon Loveland moved the whole works Sunday, and Monday morning the new office was in full swing. The new location, next to the Citizens Bank, is one of the best in town and the building is light and commodious. There are many features for the convenience of the public. Plenty of room, plenty of light and plenty of delivery windows. The parcel post window is especially handy as it is big enough to pass anything through that is mailable.

Postmaster Loveland is the owner of the building and has fitted it up for service and the public is sure getting it.

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