

Vice President of the Detroit Bar Association, President of the Alumni Association of the Detroit College of Law, and a member of the Delta Theta Phi National legal fraternity. There is left to mourn his loss five brothers and one sister, Allen, Joseph and Jacob of Vermontville, Charles of Nashville, Benjamin and Mrs. Mary Hultz of Battle Creek, also a number of nephews and nieces, and hosts of friends in Detroit and Vermontville.

Funeral services were held at the Congregational Church Friday, Oct. 16, conducted by Rev. H. B. Johnson of Clare Michigan. Interment was made in the family lot in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Garn celebrated their Golden Wedding Day at their home in Vermontville October 21., with a company of friends and relatives. Dinner was served at noon to fifty guests. The children and their families were present except Ira Garn who is in Florida and Martin Garn who is attending M. S. C. and Carroll Kline who is in Battle Creek. The guests from away were Mr. and Mrs. Will Ickes and Mrs. Elizabeth Armour of Pittsburg, Penn., Mr. and Mrs. John Ickes; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ickes of Dansville, Mich. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ickes; Mr. and Mrs. James Ickes of Jackson; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Striker and daughter and mother of Hastings J. K. Ames; Mrs. Lyman Mosier; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kline; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brown; Mr. and Mrs. E. M.

Olin; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Grant; Mrs. Dickinson all of Vermontville.

Mr. Garn was born at Helena, Ohio February 12, 1850. Mrs. Garn was born at Imbler, Penn., September, 11 1854. They were married at Woodville, Ohio, October 21, 1875 and came to a farm home in Chester where they lived until they moved to Vermontville 12 years ago.

They have four children, Mrs. Bertha Root, Mrs. Stella Kline, Ira Garn and Grover Garn. Also 10 grand children and 2 great grand children. Many lovely presents were received

### OCTOBER 29, 1925.

The marriage of Miss Marion Margerite Green, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Green of Vermontville, and Harold Preston Quantrell, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Quantrell of Benton, took place at the home of the bride's parents Monday, October 26, at 12:00 o'clock Rev. R. C. Millard of the Vermontville M. E. church spoke the impressive words, using the ring service. The bridal couple were attended by Miss Ellen Green, sister of the bride, and Myron Bosworth.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Bilderbeck and Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Weiler took a northern motor trip recently going to Grand Rapids, Manistee, Mancelona, Old Mission, Clare, where they stopped to see Rev. H. B. Johnson and family and Traverse City to see Mr. and Mrs. George Downs. Only gone three days but they report a very fine trip.

On Friday afternoon October the two classes of Extension Work in Home Economics met at the Grange Hall in Vermontville.

They divided the group into two sections with Mrs. O. B. Tubbs as instructor of one division and Mrs. Frank Beck as instructor of the other division. Each group then elected their officers. Mrs. Oda Gehman was elected as chairman of Mrs. Beck's group and Eliza Gehman as Secretary.

The instructors told us what the work would be like also the equipment necessary to carry on the work. We were given some patterns to make some pressing pads with before the next meeting.

The following people were present of Mrs. Beck's group.

Mrs. Walter Ford.  
Mrs. Ernest Granger.  
Mrs. Meivin Bilderbeck.  
Mrs. Walter Lowe.  
Mrs. Otto Johnson.  
Mrs. Chris VanderVeere.  
Mrs. Will Dodgson.  
Mrs. Oda Gehman.  
Mrs. John Gaut.  
Miss Eliza Gehman.

A group of ladies belonging to the Home Economics met at the Grange Hall, Oct. 23, 1925 and formed two circles, the one of which Mrs. Anna Tubbs is leader includes the following ladies: Mrs. Rob't Chance, Mrs. Frank Kroger, Mrs. Will Sherrard, Mrs. Frank Cook, Mrs. Roy Weeks, Mrs. Sidney Todd, Mrs. Glenn Randall, Mrs. Bert Lambert, Mrs. Bruce

Knowles, Mrs. Orin Tubbs, Mrs. Arthur Barningham, Mrs. Karl Weller, Mrs. Herbert Griffith, Mrs. Keith Barber and Mrs. Will Ferris.

Mrs. Todd was elected chairman and Mrs. Ferris, Secretary.

### NOVEMBER 5, 1925.

Benjamin Bartlett Stevens, son of John V. and Jane Bartlett Stevens, was born in Bay City, Michigan, January 17 1859. At the age of seven years he moved with his parents to Vermontville Michigan, where he grew to manhood and received his education in the village school.

In the year 1881 in company with a number of young men from the town he went west and homesteaded in Ransom County, North Dakota, some forty miles from the nearest railroad. On the 28th day of January 1886 he was married to Ida M. Parmenter, daughter of the late Dr. Wm. Parmenter of Vermontville Mich. Having shared the hardships and adventures of this pioneer and rugged life with her husband for twenty-five years, she entered into rest March 12, 1914.

Of this marriage six children were born, one dying in infancy and the others still living. They are Ruth Harriet, wife of Chas. Blesch of Brinton, Grace Marguerite, wife of Marshall Hines residing on the home place near Brinton, Marjorie Jane, wife of Royal C. Johnson of Lake Odessa, Mich.