

Silas Shepard, pioneer resident of Vermontville, passed away Monday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lulu Grinich, in Battle Creek. The body was brought to the Ward Funeral Home. Services will be held there Friday afternoon at two p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mathews were called to Mancelona Sunday by a telephone message saying her father, Mr. Frank Leshner, had suffered a very severe stroke. They returned home Wednesday, leaving him in a very serious condition, his whole left side being paralyzed. They report eight inches of snow in Mancelona.

Mrs. W. L. Gehman has just been the recipient of a piece of good news. Her son-in-law, Walter Ross, is president of Spencer & Ross of Detroit, which firm of contractors is a subsidiary of the New York firm Spencer, White & Prentis. This firm has been awarded the job of constructing Lock No. 6 on the Mississippi River at Trempealeau, a small town about ten miles north of La Crosse, Wis. The job is for \$1,286,000 and will take well over a year for completion. The family will leave Detroit for Wisconsin at the end of this month, as Mr. Ross is to have direct charge of the job himself.

The many friends of the Ernest Jones family are sorry to learn of Mr. Jones' misfortune. A sore toe has caused him trouble for some months and infection set in, which made amputation advisable and about four weeks ago it was necessary to remove the leg above the knee. Dr. Snell was called to Owosso to see Mr. Jones last Friday. He had been home from the hospital a couple of days and his leg was healing nicely. Dr. says he is in the hands of a very able surgeon and a very courteous gentleman. Mr. Jones was able with the aid of crutches to get into a wheel chair, and propelled himself about the house. Vermontville friends extend sympathy and best wishes for his recovery.

the customary black. After the ceremony and congratulations, dainty refreshments were served the guests under the able direction of Mrs. Lizzie Lake and her assistants. The bride's cake, both beautiful and delicious, was the gift of Mrs. Eula Barber and the handsome basket of white lilies and "mums" on the bridal table was presented by Miss Nettie Walsh, of Lansing.

Later in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald left by motor for "part unknown", but taking with them the best wishes of a host of friends for their future happiness.

The out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Alvin MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. Paul MacDonald, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rebman, Misses Pearl and Olive Rebman, Miss Lois Holden, Robert Keen, Edward McKay, Miss Dorothy Day, all of Chicago; Miss Nettie Walsh, Lansing, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, Sunfield, Mich.

Mrs. MacDonald was the recipient of many beautiful gifts at showers given by Mrs. A. C. Rebman at her home on Pauline St., Chicago, by Misses Pearl and Olive Rebman in their home at 66 St., Chicago. A beautiful bedspread and bolster was given her by the girls in the store where she works.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Milton Lent on East Main street was the scene of a very pleasant event last Sunday afternoon, November 26th, it being the marriage of their daughter, Frances Adelle, to Mr. Vernon MacDonald of Chicago, Ill.

The home atmosphere, always intimate and informal, was augmented by the presence of a large company of relatives and friends who were greeted by the bridal couple, and the decorations, planned and properly carried out by Mr. Lloyd Colburn, a member of the family for the past four years, were most beautiful and artistic.

During the music of the Wedding March from "Lohengrin" played by Miss Jennie Martin, the bridal party took their places before an altar draped with white and yellow crepe, at either side being tall candelabra and large baskets of white chrysanthemums, while a beautiful rug from British India, the gift of Chicago friends, covered the floor. Lowered shades shut out the day light and the soft glow of the lighted candles made a most attractive setting for the ring-ceremony which was impressively performed by Rev. Clark Phillips of Wayland, Mich., the bride being given away by her father.

The bride was gowned in white silk crepe and organdy and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and "baby mums". Her necklace was the gift of the groom and her veil, of rosepoint on white silk net falling from a bandeau of orange blossoms, was given her by Mr. Colburn who purchased it in Paris, France, during his service "over seas." The maid of honor, Miss Mary McLaughlin, wore a gown of silk and organdy in shades of shell-pink with decorations of pale blue velvet, and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom and his attendant, Mr. Edward MacKay of Chicago, wore

Thursday, November 16, 1933

Next time you happen to be in the Chapel take a look at the framed picture of pioneer ladies that has hung there many years, referred to in our 46 year old news this week. It is remarkable that the oldest one in the group, Mrs. Sarah Austin, who was then 84, lived to be 104. This picture was taken Thursday, Feb. 3, 1887. That some may better understand who these ladies were we have noted some of their descendants: Mrs. Sarah Austin—Fred Jordan's grandmother; Mrs. H. J. Mears—Wallace and Eugene Mears' mother; Mrs. G. W. Andrews—Aunt of Miss Naomi Andrews; Mrs. Sabra Rider—mother of Mrs. Dr. Green; Mrs. R. W. Griswold—George Browning's mother; Mrs. John Barrett—Hugh Barrett's mother; Mrs. Argalus Sprague—Rev. F. P. Sprague's mother; Mrs. Harriet Warner—Chas. and Asa Warner's mother; Mrs. Jonas Davis—Walter Davis' mother; Mrs. Wm. Wells—Mrs. Hollis Patterson's mother; Mrs. Rufus Haner—Mrs. Fidelia Remalie's mother.

Glennadine Louise Harroun was born in Vermontville township, Eaton County, Michigan, on October 15, 1905. She was the daughter of Arthur C. and May Harroun. She was united in marriage to Jay Stauffer of Bellevue, in June, 1924. Nearly all of her married life was spent at Mt. Clemens, where she passed away October 31.

Thursday, December 7, 1933

CLASS OF 1920 GIVEN PARTY

Last Saturday night Miss Bernice Gaut entertained her class of 1920 at her home in the village. The evening was spent with progressive games and prizes were unusual and fine. It was a great surprise to everyone. Three tables were set and after the games dainty refreshments were served.

Those present were Miss Della Eitel, Eileen Hickey, Mr. and Mrs. Bly, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kroger, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Tubbs and baby, and Mrs. Ethel McLaughlin, and Mr. Adrian of Ypsilanti. Mr. and Mrs. Darling were expected but owing to circumstances over which they had no control they were unable to be present.

Mrs. Irvin Powers underwent a major operation at St. Lawrence Hospital, Lansing, Wednesday a. m. Mr. Powers phoned late in the afternoon that she was coming nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ilo Ferris entertained seven couples to a Thanksgiving party Friday night. Those from out of town present were Mr. and Mrs. Evan Davis of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williamson of Bay City who were recently married. They gave a Kitchen St. and were attending the