

Mrs. Ida Denton Conklin Norton, a former West Vermontville resident, and sister of Mrs. Jay Hawkins, passed away Saturday morning at the home in Maple Grove township of heart trouble, after a two days illness. Funeral services were held at the home Monday morning at 8:30, and at Beulah, Michigan, Tuesday afternoon and burial was beside her first husband, Mr. Conklin. Obituary next week.

A pleasant evening was enjoyed at the home of Rev. Briggs and Mrs. Briggs on Wednesday of last week when about thirty-five of their friends met for a farewell party for their retiring pastor and wife.

Thursday, October 17, 1935

MRS. MARY SNOKE

Mary Darling Ackley was born March the 13th, 1864 and departed this world October 13, 1935, at the age of 71 years and 7 months. She was the second child of Titus and Delilah Ackley.

She was married to Daniel A. Snoko March 30, 1886. To this union was born three children, Harry of Webberville, Mrs. Fern Baker and Lver Snoko of Vermontville, ten grandchildren and six great grandchildren, two sisters and three brothers who survive her. Her husband passed away February 1, 1929.

Mrs. M. A. Mahar and family are moving this week to the Epley house on South Main St. and the Lumbert family to the Mahar farm.

Dr. McLaughlin reports a 5 1/4 pound son born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Love of E. Vermontville on Saturday, October 12th. He has been named Douglas Allen.

Howard Hatfield of Washington, a suburb of Detroit, spent from Saturday afternoon to Tuesday afternoon with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hatfield. He is still enjoying his work on a large dairy farm. He has charge of the bottling and capping of the milk with two assistants.

Thursday, October 24, 1935

Mrs. Elizabeth Downing has returned from an extended visit with her sister Mrs. Carrie Knapp in Marion, N. Y., and in Detroit, and is with Mrs. Mary Prescott in Charlotte for the fall and winter. Mrs. Orin Tubbs, Mrs. Fred Kroger and Mary Alice and Mrs. Una Moss called on them while in Charlotte Friday afternoon.

MAUS—MAHAR

Announcements have been received of the marriage of Mrs. Winifred Walker Maus, on Friday, October 11th, to Mr. Mark Mahar, of Kalamazoo, formerly of Jackson.

Following a motor trip to Canada and eastern points, Mr. and Mrs. Mahar will be at home after November 1st, at the bride's home, Willow Farm, near Martin. Mr. Mahar is well known here. He is a brother of Postmaster Mahar. Congratulations are extended.

Myron Dikeman and Miss Thelma Corliss of Detroit visited his mother Mrs. Mary Dikeban over Sunday. Murril Dikeman and bride, the former Miss Ida Hannabower, of Detroit are expected the last of the week.

Thursday, October 31, 1935

Doctor L. D. Kelsey left Tuesday night for Grand Rapids to attend a two day convention and post graduate course given by The Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons. Included in the schedule are lectures by prominent D. O.'s from Boston, Chicago, Columbus, Des Moines, Detroit also one from Australia, on such subjects as Surgery and Obstetrics. Every Osteopathic Physician in Michigan must attend this course each year in order to be eligible to renew his license to practice.

Mrs. Kelley and daughter Mrs. Morgan of Charlotte were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of their aunt Mrs. E. E. Loveland. Mrs. Kelley is the teacher at the Chester Center school and Mrs. Morgan at the Hallenbeck.

Thursday, November 7, 1935

A very fine celebration was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Barrett on Thursday, November first, it being in honor of their fifty-ninth wedding anniversary. Their children, grandchildren, and great grandchildren were all present; their only daughter Blanche, Mrs. W. B. Thompson and Mr. Thompson; their granddaughter Julia Briggs, being Mrs. Don Gamble, together with her husband Mr. Gamble and children Doris and Hugh; grandson Carroll Briggs and wife and daughter Diana of Howell; and granddaughter Margaret Thompson, Mrs. Morris Wilson and Mr. Wilson.

Ralph V. Hess was elected Vice President of the Tri-County Funeral Directors Association held at the Kellogg Hotel, Battle Creek one day last week.

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County Agent Glenn A. Lako says he has delivered 56 (new) old age assistance checks since he took office July 1.

George H. Swift, Vermontville youth who pushed the Gail McClintock car onto the M. C. track, must soon be due for release.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Schrader was the scene of much merriment Sunday, Oct. 27, when the children and grandchildren gathered to surprise Mrs. Schrader on her birthday. As eight cars drove in the yard, each one blowing their horn, Mrs. Schrader came out to investigate the noise and was greeted by "Surprises" totaling 31 in all. A potluck dinner was enjoyed after which all were surprised by a visit from the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Murril Dikeman of Detroit. Mr. Dikeman is a brother of Mrs. Schrader.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Woodard of Lansing were guests at a miscellaneous shower in Nashville Sunday evening, given by Mrs. Susie Kraft and Miss Fannie Woodard, aunts of Mr. Woodard. The young couple were married in June, and left immediately for California, where they have since resided, until recently. Mrs. Woodard was formerly Catherine Canberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Canberg of Lansing. Other guests at the shower included Miss Bertha Woodard of Battle Creek, Harold Woodard and Miss Louchtot of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Canberg, and Miss Ruth Canberg of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Woodard of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Elliott of Lansing, Ronald Dille of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. William Woodard, daughter Helen and son Bob of Vermontville, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ayers, daughter Marie, and Mr. and Mrs. John Woodard of Nashville. A cafeteria supper was served.

Thursday, November 14, 1935

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Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Verdon Cronk are in order. Mrs. Cronk was formerly Miss Alice Ploof, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ploof, graduate of V. H. S., class of '32, and later office girl for her uncle, Dr. C. L. D. McLaughlin, making for her a wide acquaintance and many Vermontville friends. Mr. Cronk is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cronk of Charlotte.