

They have lived nearly their whole married life in Chester township and he will be sadly missed, not only by his family, but by many true friends.

He is survived by his loving, faithful wife, and the three daughters; Mrs. Iva Shockley, of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Ruby Siple, of Vermontville and Mrs. Bessie Siple, of Charlotte, eleven grand children and thirteen great grand children, together with other relatives and many friends.

The funeral services were held at the Gresham church, Monday, March 27, 1939, at two o'clock in the afternoon with Rev. Russell McConnell, of the Charlotte Congregational church officiating and interment was made at the Gresham cemetery.

Fred J. Lake 1939

Fred J. Lake passed away at his home in Benton, where he has lived for the past eight years, Wednesday night, March 22, 1939. After a short illness at the age of fifty years, ten months and eight days. He was the only son of Arvine and Emma Lake, born on May 14, 1888 in Vermontville township, where he spent his boyhood days. On March 3, 1909 he was united in marriage to Vera Gay Briggs of Chester township; to this union were born four children, two dying in infancy.

Those left to mourn their loss are his wife, Vera Gay; two sons, Gerald A. and Harold J. of Benton, his mother Mrs. Emma Lake, one sister Mrs. Pearl Briggs, one nephew Earl Briggs, one niece Mrs. Fern Gearhart all of Vermontville, one sister Mrs. Hazel Barnes preceded him in death.

Having been an auto salesman for some years he was well known throughout the county; his many friends extend their sympathy in the loss of a loving husband, father, son and brother.

The funeral services were held at the Myron E. Pray funeral home in Charlotte, Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, March 25, 1939. The Rev. Russell McConnell of the Congregational church officiated and interment was made in the Maple Hill cemetery at Charlotte.

John Henry Hambleton

John Henry Hambleton was born November 19th, 1880, at Port Hope, Michigan, and grew to manhood there. Mr. Hambleton was the fourth child of Mr. and Mrs. Miles Hambleton. His parents passed away several years ago. Two brothers preceded him in death. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Floris Hambleton, four sons, Miles at home, Willard of Carlisle, John of Ann Arbor, and Ronald of Munising, and one daughter Katherine of Ann Arbor. One brother, William of Detroit, two sisters, Mrs. Nettie McGregor of Clarkston, Michigan, Mrs. Lottie Weather-

head of Port Hope, and several grandchildren, nieces and nephews, and a host of friends. Mr. Hambleton had been in ill health for the past five or six years and was taken suddenly worse about two weeks ago, and was finally taken to University hospital at Ann Arbor last Monday, where he passed away Tuesday about 8:00 p.m. He has resided in or near Vermontville for the past twelve years. He was a kind and thoughtful husband and father, a good neighbor and will be greatly missed by his family and friends.

Funeral services were held Thursday, March 23 at 2 p. m. at the Ward Funeral chapel, Rev. C. T. Wheaton officiating. He was laid to rest in Woodland cemetery.

Mrs. Maude Powers

Maude Ethel Powers passed to the great beyond at her home in Vermontville, March 16, 1939, at the age of 59 years. She was born to Thomas and Hellen Rolfe November 17, 1879 in Kalamo township. On September 11, 1898 she was united in marriage to Cecil Powers who preceded her in death just nine weeks ago. To this union seven children were born: Ethel of Lansing, Newton, Kenneth and Wendel of Vermontville, and Erma Campbell of Chattanooga, Tennessee; Theron and Ester having passed away in 1918. There are also three brothers: Dan Rolfe of Plainwell, L. C. Rolfe of Charlotte, Edd Rolfe of Wood, Wisconsin, and one sister Mrs. Anna Loomis of Ceresco.

Funeral services were held at the Ward funeral chapel at 3:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the Rev. C. T. Wheaton, officiating.

She was laid to rest in the family lot at Woodlawn Cemetery at Vermontville. Mrs. Powers will be remembered among her many kind, friends and neighbors as a kind, loving mother and patient sufferer always thinking of others in time of need.—Vermontville Echo

Eri N. Sanders
Funeral services for Eri N. Sanders of 614 Paulson st. who died Wednesday, will be held at the Estes-Leadley Colonial chapel at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Rev. William A. Eland of the First Methodist church will officiate. Interment will be in Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers will be John and Mike Valo, William Miller, Stanley Tanner, LaVern Kyes and Cecil Goodrich.

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