

Scott's friends, will recall his ardent loyalty to the town's ball clubs; in fact, every sport group that carried an Eaton Rapids designation was the personification of ability, quality and courtly manners. His most recent distinction, in a community sense, was his history of Eaton Rapids, a volume that will long keep his memory in affectionate appreciation throughout the Eaton Rapids area. His widely-known name in scores and scores of households will always command a deep-seated and respectful salute for a lifetime of constant, helpful and kindly effort. Luck and love, old friend, and, come to think about it, you know something about show business. Don't settle for anything less than the best. Happy landing and Cherrio.



Woodhuff DISTRICT

Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.

**Former Sunfield Woman Dies at 87; Has 120 Progeny**

(Special to The State Journal) SUNFIELD, June 7—Mrs. Josie Joppie, 87, former local resident who had 120 descendants, died Monday evening.

Death came at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Alice Surine, in Cascade, after a long illness.

In addition to five sons and four daughters, Mrs. Joppie had 49 grandchildren and 62 great-grandchildren. Three sons and one daughter died in infancy.

Born March 21, 1864, in The Netherlands, she married William Joppie there on April 5, 1883. They came to the United States shortly after their marriage, moving to Grand Rapids, and later to Sunfield.

The five surviving sons and daughters are Will Joppie of Sunfield, Martin Joppie of Hastings, Dennis Joppie of Sunfield, Leonard Joppie of Vermontville, Henry Joppie of Charlotte, Mrs. Lena Gearhardt of Vermontville, Mrs. Alice Surine of Cascade, Mrs. Maggie Shaffer of Sunfield, and Mrs. Nellie Dull of Battle Creek.

Four brothers also are living. They are Martin and Leonard Vander Jagt of Cascade, and Peter and Cornelius Vander Jagt of Grand Rapids.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. at the Mapes funeral home in Sunfield. Burial will be in Sunfield cemetery.

**DANIEL AMOS SNOKE**

Daniel Amos Snoke, son of Jacob and Eve Snoke, was born in Kosciusko County, Indiana, October 7, 1858, and passed from this life, February 4, 1929 at State Hospital, aged 70 years, 3 months and 28 days.

He came with his parents to Michigan when he was eight years old and settled in Vermontville.

In March 1886, he was united in marriage to Mary Ackley of Barry County. To this union three children were born. The early years of their married life were spent in Kalamo, later moving to Vermontville where he worked at his trade of painting and paper hanging.

He was a faithful attendant of the Congregational Church until his health failed.

He leaves, besides his wife, three children, Harry L. of Charlotte, Mrs. Allie Baker of Vermontville and Lver of Kalamo; ten grandchildren and two great grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Rosetta Hager of Lansing, Mrs. Etta Cosgray of Eaton Rapids, two half brothers William and Samuel Snoke of Indiana, and two half brothers Samuel Banta who lives in Missouri, Beryl Banta of Owosso, besides several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held from his late home February 6, Elder J. W. Roach officiating.

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**FORMER VERMONTVILLE RESIDENT DIES**

Louis A. Shepard, 60, of 1146 N. Pennsylvania ave. Lansing, died Sunday at Veterans hospital, Saginaw. Mr. Shepard was a resident of Lansing for the past 20 years coming from Vermontville. He was a World War I veteran. Surviving are the widow, Ethel, his father Frank Ward of Charlotte and three sons, Burton and John both of Frtsno, Cal., and Charles of Cincinnati, O. five grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. John Gingrich of Battle Creek, Mrs. Charles Malcuit of Mulliken and Mrs. William Keller of Gould City.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 Wednesday at Palmer-Bush funeral home in Lansing with interment at Woodlawn cemetery Vermontville.