

Surviving besides his wife, Belle, are a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Nevins of Hastings; a step-daughter, Mrs. Jane Sinclair of Hastings, and two sisters, Mrs. LaVera Quick of Dowling and Mrs. Frances Norwood of Delton.

Dies at Home



JAMES R. DUNCAN

Mr. Duncan, 48, president and general manager of the Duncan Lumber company, 1923 Turner st., died of a heart ailment at his home at 11:27 Thursday morning.

A member of the board of education from July 1, 1945, to July 1, 1951, Mr. Duncan was stricken with a heart attack about two weeks ago, according to business associates. He had suffered several slight attacks since then—the latest being while on the job Thursday morning. He was taken to his home, where he suffered the attack. Firemen were called to give first aid but he was dead on arrival.

Born in Indiana, Mr. Duncan came to Lansing in 1916. He was graduated from Lansing high school and worked for several lumber firms in the area before joining the late Floyd Shaw in establishing the Duncan-Shaw Lumber company. Mr. Duncan became head of the firm after Mr. Shaw's death.

Mr. Duncan is survived by widow, Hazel K. and two sons, James, Jr., and Merlin.

Veterinarian, 89, Dies in Charlotte

Dr. A. B. Sexmith Lived in Town for 43 Years

(Special to The State Journal)
CHARLOTTE, Aug. 12 — Dr. A. B. Sexmith, 89, a veterinarian, of 111 N. Bostwick ave., died Monday at the Hayes-Green-Beach hospital here following a long illness.

He was born June 2, 1863, in New York state, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Sexmith, and had been a resident of Charlotte for 43 years. On Dec. 25, 1888, he was married to Georgia Whitney, who died Jan. 10, 1946. He attended veterinary colleges in Ontario, Grand Rapids and Chicago, was a life member of the Charlotte Oddfellow lodge, a member of the American Veterinary association and the Michigan State Veterinary association.

Surviving are: the son, Donald, of Charlotte; and two sisters, Miss Fanny Sexmith of Binghamton, N. Y., and Mrs. Mary Barnum of Deposit, N. Y.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday at the Burkhead chapel. Rev. J. Ray Gillham of the Lawrence Avenue Methodist church will officiate. Burial will be in Maple Hill cemetery.

John L. Quick

John L. Quick, 61, of Vermontville died Saturday afternoon at a local hospital. Mr. Quick had lived in Lansing 37 years before moving to Vermontville eight years ago. He is survived by the wife, Katherine; three daughters, Mrs. Audrey Jewett, Mrs. Virginia Hedden and Mrs. Vera Thompson, and a brother, Roy Quick, all of Lansing, and seven grandchildren. Funeral services will be held at the Estes-Leadley Colonial chapel at 11 a. m. Tuesday. Rev. William A. Blandin of the First Methodist church will officiate.

Edward Green, 80, Dies; Chiropractor's Father

Edward W. Green, 80, father of Clyde I. Green, DC, of Grand Rapids, died Tuesday night in Greenville at the home of another son, Norman M. Green, DC.

Mr. Green was born in Winchester, Ind., and was a farmer many years. From 1914 to 1948 he lived near Vermontville and before that for five years near Nashville.

Surviving also is his wife, Rella. Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. at the Mapes funeral chapel in Sunfield. Burial will be in Freemire cemetery.

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