

daughters, Mrs. Irene Lunn of Mulliken and Mrs. Louise Rogers of Jackson, and two sons, Lyle,

who resides near the home and Lawrence at home, a brother, Theron Tice of Grand Ledge and two grandchildren. The funeral was held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at the Teman funeral home. Rev. Claude Satterlee officiated. Burial was in Danby cemetery. Sympathy is extended the bereaved family.

Thomas Hart has purchased the Fred Beech house and ten acres of land. This land at one time was a part of the Hart farm.

The neighbors get-together was held at the school house Friday night. A carry-in supper was served.

Frank M. DeCoo

Frank Morgan DeCoo, 78, died Tuesday at 4 a. m. at the Charlotte Convalescent home, 427 Forest st., where he had resided 18 months. He was born Oct. 4, 1873 in Benton township, son of Abraham and Mary (Thomas) DeCoo, and was a resident of this locality most of his life, having been a retired farmer. He was never married. Surviving is a sister, Miss Atha DeCoo of Pasadena, Cal. Services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. from the Pray funeral home. Rev. A. G. Hetherington is to officiate. Burial will be in Needmore cemetery.

A Triumphant Funeral

(Editorial in the Michigan Christian Advocate, Methodist)
An esteemed retired minister of the Michigan Conference, Rev. Robert E. Meader, was accidentally killed in an automobile accident in Florida, March 6. His many friends received the news in Michigan with sorrow, but sorrow at his funeral was at a minimum, as it should be at any truly Christian funeral. Dr. Harlan L. Feeman, our Florida correspondent, reports that this triumphant note was made possible in an extraordinary way by Dr. Meader's four sons who, standing beside the casket containing the body of their beloved father, sang:

A mighty fortress is our God,
A bulwark never failing;
Our helper He, amid the flood
Of mortal ills prevailing.
And as their hymn reached
heavenward, the celestial chorus
picked up the strains and added
majestic overtones with father's

voice and mother's, too, joining those of their sons:
Let goods and kindred go,
This mortal life also;
The body they may kill:
God's truth abideth still,
His kingdom is forever. Amen.

CONDENSED COUNTY CHATTER

Rex Deer, Sunfield, and Mrs. Otto (Rowena) Moore, Vermontville, were brother and sister of Rollin A. Deer, 60, who died Thursday in a Battle Creek hospital after a long illness. Mr. Deer, a line foreman for the Consumers Power Co., was born in Battle Creek on Sept. 26, 1891, the son of John and Melisa (Bradford) Deer. They moved to Vermontville shortly afterwards. Mr. Deer lived there until he joined the army on Sept. 18, 1917, at Camp Custer. He served as a private in the 339th Field hospital overseas, and was discharged at Camp Custer in April, 1919, and returned to Vermontville. He married Helen Colon of Milan, Mich., at Auburn, Ind., on Nov. 27, 1920. They lived in Vermontville for several years, where Mr. Deer was employed by Consumers, and later in Coldwater. In February, 1931 they moved to Battle Creek and in 1947, Mr. Deer became line foreman. He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Leo (Irene) Hazel, Mrs. Lois Davis and two sons, Glen and George, all of Battle Creek; a brother, Rex Deer of Sunfield; two sisters, Mrs. Otto (Rowena) Moore of Vermontville and Mrs. Bernal (Rilla) Smith of Lansing. Mr. Deer was a former member of the F. & A. M. lodge and the American Legion post at Vermontville. — Lemuel Edmonds.

Perry A. Daniels
Perry A. Daniels, 63, died Wednesday morning at the residence, 1538 Ohio ave. He had resided in Lansing since 1919, coming here from Montcalm county, and was a member of the North Street Church of the Nazarene. He had been employed at Motor Wheel corporation for the past 17 years. The survivors include the widow, Blanche M.; two daughters, Mrs. Kenneth O. Mayes and Mrs. Orville V. Lietzke, both of Lansing; a brother, Lawrence Daniels; and a sister, Mrs. Mable Garner, both of Gratiot county; and five grandchildren. Funeral arrangements are being made at the Estes-Leadley funeral home.

Perry A. Daniels
Funeral services for Perry A. Daniels, 1538 Ohio ave., who died Wednesday, will be held at the Estes-Leadley Colonial chapel at 2:30 p. m. Saturday. Rev. W. M. McGuire and Rev. Herbert Thomas of the North Street Church of the Nazarene will officiate with interment at Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens. Pallbearers will be Roger Dalton, Ernest McCaslin, Carlton Castle, Richard Simmons, Charles Clark and Roy Kindel.

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