

### G. I. Fox, Hastings Barber, Succumbs

Hastings—Greeley I. Fox, 69, operator of a barber shop in Hastings since 1917, died in Pennock hospital Tuesday.

Mr. Fox came to Hastings from Vermontville where he had also operated a barber shop. He was a member of the Barry County Sportsmen's club.

Surviving are his wife, Noah; a son, Kieth of Hastings; a daughter, Mrs. Nick Webber of Grand Rapids, and a sister, Mrs. Charles Warner of Hastings.

Funeral services will be held at 3 Thursday in Leonard funeral home. Burial will be in Riverside cemetery.

**Century of Progress**  
Charles W. Palmer  
BELLEVUE, May 31—Charles W. Palmer, 80, R. 2, Vermontville, retired farmer and long-time resident of Kalamo township, died Thursday night at the home. He was born April 24, 1872, in Bellevue township, a son of Hulbert and Ellen Palmer, and married Ida Streeter of Charlotte in that community on Sept. 29, 1910. Surviving are the widow; two daughters, Mrs. Elston Smurr of Kalamo township and Mrs. Jerry Campbell of Battle Creek; a son, Gale, of Flint; four grandchildren and one great-grandson. Services will be held Sunday at 2 p. m. at the Johnson and Lehman funeral home, Bellevue. Rev. Arthur B. Hall of the Gospel temple of Kalamo officiating. Burial will be in Kalamo cemetery.

#### In Memory of Charles W. Palmer

Date of Birth  
April 24, 1872

Date of Death  
May 29, 1952

Services From  
Johnson - Lehman Funeral Home  
2:00 p. m. June 1, 1952

Clergyman  
Rev. Arthur B. Hall

Pallbearers  
Fred Palmer Merrill Palmer  
Floran Palmer Harry Fisher  
Henry Wiers George Scott

Final Resting Place  
Kalamo Cemetery  
Kalamo Township

NASHVILLE — Graveside services for Mrs. Ezra (Emma) Oatley, 75, former Nashville resident, were held at 2 Monday in Lakeview cemetery. She died in Fremont, Ind.

BANGOR—Eva Cornett, 56

Frank O. Beck  
VERMONTVILLE, May 21 — Funeral services for Frank O. Beck, 77, retired carpenter, will be held from the Congregational church Thursday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. D. D. Nagle will officiate. Mr. Beck died Monday evening at his home, 142 N. Main st., following a long illness. He was born in Fremont, O., Feb. 5, 1875, a son of Joseph and Catherine (Gerswindt) Beck, and was united in marriage to Marion Baker on Sept. 18, 1901. Last September they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Beck had been a carpenter for many years, and had lived in the Vermontville area for 72 years. Surviving are the widow, Marion; one daughter, Mrs. George (Irma) Root of Grand Ledge; one brother, Clare Beck of Indianapolis, Ind.; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Harold C. Lee  
EATON RAPIDS, April 21 — Harold Charles Lee, 52, Vermontville, and formerly of Eaton Rapids, died Sunday morning in a veterans' hospital at Dearborn. Mr. Lee was born in Eaton Rapids and spent most of his life in this town before moving to Vermontville about two years ago. He was a member of the Eaton Rapids V. F. W. Surviving are the widow; four children, Mrs. Florence Williams of Eaton Rapids, Mrs. Cora Bolen of Tawas City, and Mrs. Jeannine Williams of Lansing; a son, Harold L. of Lansing; six grandchildren; the parents; two brothers, Arthur Harry Lee of Allen; and Russell of Holt; and of Watervliet, and Russell of Eaton Rapids. The body has been taken to Jacques funeral home in Tawas City, to await funeral services Wednesday. Burial will be in Tawas City. The hour of the services has not yet been arranged.

Glenn A. Lake  
CHARLOTTE, Feb. 25 — Glenn A. Lake, 65, a former Charlotte resident and late of Farwell, died of a heart attack Saturday at the home of the son, Douglas, in Midland, where he was visiting. He was born Sept. 5, 1886, in Vermontville, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lake, and was a resident of Charlotte for 20 years. He was moving to Midland nine years ago. He was a retired bookkeeper, a life member of Midland F. & A. M. lodge, a past patron of the Eastern Star, a past watchman of shepherds, Bethany Shrine, and was a member of the Congregational church. Surviving are the widow, Beulah; the step-mother, Mrs. E. D. Lake of Middleville; the son, and a daughter, Mrs. Donald Chapin of Midland. The body will arrive at the Pray funeral home late Monday following services at Clare and services will be held here at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Congregational church. Rev. Richard Hunter will officiate. Masonic committal services will be held at the grave in Vermontville cemetery.

### APRIL 17, 1952

## Fitch H. Beach Will Is Filed

### Bulk of the Estate Goes to His Niece, Mrs. John S. Beatty

The last will of Fitch H. Beach, signed March 11, less than a month before his death on April 9, and witnessed by Earl M. McGrath and Wells H. Rauser, makes some provision for his housekeeper, provides another \$500 bequest, sets up a \$30,000 trust fund and leaves the balance of his estate to his niece.

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