

Ethel Dravenstratt Taken by Death

Mrs Ethel Dravenstratt, 73, of Lake Odessa, formerly of Sunfield, passed away June 9 at a Hastings hospital after a long illness. She was a patient at the hospital only two days.

Mrs Dravenstratt lived in Sunfield a number of years before moving to Lake Odessa 4½ years ago. She was the widow of Clarence Dravenstratt, Sunfield village marshal, who preceded her in death in January 1959. Mrs Dravenstratt was a member of the Nazarene Church.

She is survived by five daughters, Mrs Frank (Vera) Saylor of Charlotte, Mrs Homer (Frances) Reese of Florida, Mrs Sam (Dorothy) Clay of Lansing, Mrs David (Alice) Vandecar of Lake Odessa, and Mrs Robert (Betty) Begerow of Woodland; a son, Hazen Scriber of Duck Lake; a sister, Mrs Carl (Fern) Winding of Lansing; 28 grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were held Friday at Pickens Funeral Chapel in Lake Odessa. Burial was in Wilsey cemetery at DeWitt.

Sylvester A. Figg

MULLIKEN — Funeral services for Sylvester A. Figg, 69, a former Mulliken resident, will be at 2 p.m. Monday at the Barker Funeral Home. Burial will be in Meadowbrook Cemetery. Mr. Figg died Thursday night at the Veterans Facility, Grand Rapids. He was a veteran of World War I. Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Ray Dean and Mrs. Charles Compton, rural Mulliken.

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Services Held Tuesday for A. J. Van Houten

Arzeno J. Van Houten, 66, of rural Sunfield passed away Saturday, June 6, at his home on St. Joe highway. Services were conducted Tuesday afternoon from Mapes-Fisher Funeral Home in Sunfield.

He was born March 17, 1898 in Roxand township, son of Cornelius and Ida (Ingraham) Van Houten. His life was spent in this vicinity where he farmed. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a member of F & AM Lodge 412 of Mulliken, DeWitt Clinton Consistory of Grand Rapids, Shrine, Royal Arch Masons Chapter 39 of Portland, and the Eastern Star at Mulliken. He was very active in his church, Haven of Peace Spiritual Church which is located on his farm.

Surviving are his wife, Edna; a daughter, Mrs Carroll (Reva June) Thompson of St. Louis, Mich.; a son, Arlo, of Temple City, Cal.; a sister, Mrs Daisy Welch of Sunfield, and six grandchildren.

Officiating at the rites was the Rev. Claud Jewell, Builders of Aquarius New Age Church of Lansing. The Masonic service was under the auspices of the F & AM Lodge 412 of Mulliken. Interment was in Meadowbrook cemetery near Mulliken.

Bearers were Noble Sackett, Stanley Post, Corwin Smart, Forrest Catlin, Elan Lakin and John Shay.

A. J. VanHouten

SUNFIELD—A. J. VanHouten, 66, lifelong resident of Roxand Township, died at the residence Saturday afternoon. He was born March 17, 1898. Survivors include the widow, Edna; one daughter, Mrs. Carroll (Reva June) Thompson of St. Louis; one son, Arlo of Temple City, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Daisy Welch of Sunfield; and six grandchildren. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Mapes-Fisher Funeral Home in Sunfield with burial at Meadowbrook Cemetery in Mulliken.

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