

# Vermontville Man Commits Suicide

(Special to The State Journal)

VERMONTVILLE, Sept. 11.—Russell G. Link, 46, R. 2, Vermontville farmer, took his own life at his home on Shaytown rd., seven miles southeast of Vermontville, Wednesday at about 3:30 p. m.

According to Beryl Field of Diamonddale, Eaton county coroner, Mr. Link shot himself in the head with a 12-gauge shotgun.

Field quoted Link's brother, Gaile, who also lived at the farm home, as saying his brother had been despondent.

Mr. Link was an army veteran of World War II. He had served in the military police.

Surviving are four brothers, Gaile, Andrew of Nashville, Don of R. 2, Charlotte, and William of R. 2, Vermontville; two sisters, Mrs. Mabel Fuller of R. 2, Olivet, and Mrs. Emma B. of Bellevue, and his mother, Mrs. Clemetta Link of Bellevue.

The body was taken to Lehman funeral home, Bellevue.

has jurisdiction over the territory to-wit: Commencing at a point on the north shore of Lake Superior, where a direct line drawn from the most northerly cape of Maumee to the northwest point of the state of Ohio, "An act to establish the northern boundary of the state of Michigan for the admission of the state of Ohio," approved June 15th, 1805, until it intersects the boundary of Canada in Lake Erie; thence with the boundary of Canada through the Detroit River, and the said line last touches Lake Superior to the mouth of the Montreal River, and the westerly branch of the said line; thence in a direct line to the southern shore of the Lake of the St. Lawrence; thence along the shore of Lake Brule; thence along the shore of the Menominee River; thence to the center of the state of Michigan; thence through the center of the state of Michigan to the middle of Lake Michigan; thence to the northern boundary of the state of Indiana; thence to the line of Congress of the 19th of July, 1836; thence to the line of the said state of Indiana with the eastern boundary of the state of Michigan, where it is now established.

# Herman F. Rey Is Dead at 88

## Ex-Businessman Helped Organize Church

Herman F. Rey, 88, of 913 Poxson st., a former Lansing businessman and church leader, died Thursday night at a local hospital.

He built the building at 418-20 N. Washington ave. in 1909 and operated an implement store there for nine years. He was one of the organizers of the First Church of the Nazarene here and first services of the church were held in the N. Washington ave. building.

Hospitalized less than two weeks, he died of complications related to old age.

Mr. Rey also was in Reo Motor Car company's sales department five years and later operated a hardware in Sunfield for 13 years.

Survivors include the widow, Emma, a son, Clarence of Pocatello, Idaho; a foster daughter, Mrs. Chester W. Walter, Flint;

The building was closed for 10 days at least Monday, to allow the pool mechanics to start equipment.

Norman W. Blystone, C. A. physical director, says the pool will be open during the interim.

two step-sons, Max L. Miller, Grand Ledge, and Dean E. Miller, Park Lake; a step-daughter, Mrs. Carl H. Andrus, Okemos; a granddaughter, five great-grandchildren, nine step-grandchildren, and three step-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. Monday at Estes-Leahey funeral home. Rev. Harry T. Stanley of the First Church of the Nazarene will officiate. Burial will be in Hurd cemetery.

church since the age of 25. He died Saturday after suffering a heart attack while visiting in Spring Arbor.

Rev. DeLong was superintendent of the Northern Michigan conference of the Free Methodist church for seven years.

He had pastored at McCarren, Meauwataka, Scottville, Big Rapids, Manistique and Sheridan.

Since retirement, Rev. DeLong had lived at 634 Jenne st., Grand Ledge.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Bernita Minor, Grand Ledge; a granddaughter, Mrs. Alene Jackson of Spring Arbor, whom the DeLongs raised from infancy; six other grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Henckel and Mrs. Lillian Blowers, both of Otsego.

Four Free Methodist ministers officiated at the funeral, Rev. H. D. V. Fleck, Grand Rapids district superintendent; Rev. Harold Tjepkema, Grand Ledge; Rev. A. D. McLachlan, Davison, and Rev. Glenn Bodine, a retired pastor from the Northern Michigan conference.

Burial was at Oakwood cemetery, Grand Ledge.

legislature until it has been five days. No bill shall be passed on any subject than those expressed by special message. No bill shall be introduced in either house so as to change its original purpose.

Sec. 23. Every bill shall be read three times in each house before it shall pass. Sec. 24. The assent of the legislature shall be requisite for local or private purposes.

Sec. 25. Fuel, stationery, shall be furnished under contract who shall give adequate and legislative shall prescribe by executed and the accounts restrictive labor. It shall not be persons taking the same on the conditions of the contract shall be interested directly or indirectly.

Sec. 26. The legislature shall have the power to locate or to change the location of the state prisons; but no religious services in either house shall be held.

Sec. 27. The legislature shall not exceed twelve members.

Sec. 28. The legislature shall have the power to punish for contempt of persons imprisoned in the state prisons and conditions under which they shall be held.

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Mr. Peacock is survived by a son, Donald, of Eaton Rapids; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys Caldwell of Eaton Rapids; two brothers, John of Alameda, Cal., and Fred of San Francisco; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

**Rev. H. Allen DeLong**  
Funeral services were held for Rev. H. Allen DeLong, 73, at 2 p. m. Tuesday at the Holihan funeral home Grand Ledge.

Rev. DeLong had been a minister since the age of 25.

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