

ARAH HITCHCOCK POPE
is passing from this life. Mrs.
Hitchcock Pope at her farm
three miles south of town and
other well known resident goes to en-
joy the reward which comes to those
who have lived a useful, earnest christi-
an life for many years. Mrs. Pope
was born August 8th, 1845, in Mass-
adon, Wayne Co., New York. When
but seven years of age her parents
moved to Kalamo township, where the
family endured the many hardships of
the early pioneers. They made the
trip up the Erie canal to Buffalo,
thence by boat to Detroit and from
there to Marshall by the then newly
built Michigan Central and came
across the country to Kalamo, where
they settled. At 14 years of age her
mother died, which threw many added
burdens upon her shoulders. At 16
years of age she began teaching in
the Spaulding district and continued
her work in this line till 1871, when
she was united in marriage to Albert
Pope. In 1874 they located upon
the farm where their home was until
taken away.

Mr. Pope died in 1908 and since
then Mrs. Pope had taken charge of
the conducting of the farm until her
death. She was the mother of three
daughters, Mrs. Lillian Sheldon of
Nordhuff, Calif., Mrs. Alberta Canaan
of DeKalb, N. Y., and Miss Antoin-
ette Pope, who has resided at home
since the death of Mr. Pope.

Announcements of the marriage of
Miss Minnie Luella, daughter of Mrs.
E. N. Thompson of Cordova, Alaska,
to D. Parke Griswold of Valdez on the
sixth of January. Mr. Griswold is a

former Vermontville boy and has many
friends here, all of whom join in ex-
tending felicitations to the happy
couple. Mr. and Mrs. Griswold will
reside in Cordova, Alaska.

FEB. 25, 1914.

Julian Gunn was born in Cleveland,
Ohio, March 8th, 1841, and at the time
of her death had reached the age of 72
years, 11 months and eight days. At
the age of 23 she was united in mar-
riage to G. B. Morey and came to
Michigan in 1865, locating in Alidon.
After a two years residence there they
removed to St. Charles, where they
remained for one year. They then re-
moved to Owosso and shortly after-
wards returned to Alidon. They then
located in Lansing and after a seven
years' residence at that place came to
Vermontville, where she had since re-
sided. Mrs. Morey united with the
Congregational church here and her
constant endeavors to do good for others
stood out as a prominent feature of her
life work. She was a member of the
local Eastern Star chapter and an
earnest and sincere worker in the
Woman's Relief Corps, all of whom
will miss her kindly influences.

Besides her husband she is survived
by two sons, Bert, in Roanoke, Va.,
and Eugene of Muskegon, and two
daughters, Mrs. Nellie Hull and Mrs.
F. D. Hopper of Vermontville. Two
sisters, Mrs. Chas. Wells of Battle
Creek and Mrs. Frank Morey of Alle-
gan, and one brother, Orlando Gunn of
Algona, Wash., constitute her im-
mediate family.

Funeral services were conducted at

ate home last Wednesday after-
noon in charge of the Eastern Star
chapter and Rev. Robert Dalzell officiated
at the grave in Woodlawn ceme-
tery, where a large concourse of sorrow-
ing friends followed the remains to
their last resting place.

Fred Lentz, who for some time has
been with the Eaton County Savings
Bank, has accepted a position with
Lawrence Robinson at the Toggery
Shop. Louis Lentz is with Fred Mur-
ray & Co. and Charles Lentz with
Lamb & Spencer. The trio are first
class salesmen and excellent citizens.
They came here from Vermontville.—
Charlotte Republican.

The marriage of Miss Flossie Bailey
to Mr. Clarence S. Arnold of Detroit
took place at Caro, Ill., on Feb. 14th.
Mr. and Mrs. Arnold visited at the
home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. F.
J. Bailey for a few days before the
ceremony took place.

AY, MARCH 4, 1914.

E. F. Edmonds was in Charlotte the
first of the week and left an order
with Lawrence Robinson for a fine
new 1914 model five-passenger Hupmo-
bile. Delivery of the car will be made
in about three weeks.

The promptness with which the
Maccabees adjust their claims was
shown last week when Mrs. Helen
Hammond received a check for \$1,000,
being the amount of insurance carried
in that order by her son, the late Edgar
Hammond.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Davis rejoice
over the arrival of a daughter at their
home this morning in time for an early
breakfast.

Y, APRIL 1, 1914.

Prof. V. D. Hawkins of the Cleve-
land Technical High School made a
flying visit to Vermontville Tuesday
afternoon expecting to find his parents
at home to receive company, planning
on giving them an April 1st surprise.
As it was he had the surprise on him-
self as they were out of town and he
was obliged to put up with "Ye Edi-
tor," who is leading a bachelor exist-
ence.

Ed. Eckhart has purchased the H.
Green grocery business at Delton, near
Wall Lake, and left Tuesday to
assume the management of the store.
As soon as the arrangements can be
completed the family will move there
to take up their residence.

Hal Fuller and family of Battle
Creek arrived Saturday to visit their
parents in the village. Mr. Fuller
remained over Sunday, while Mrs.
Fuller and children will make a week's
visit.

Mrs. S. B. Williams of Ontonago...
and Mrs. Anna Marsh of Lansing...
are visiting their brother, W. H. Benedict
and family.

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