

Rites Tuesday



MRS. MARGARET B. HECOX

Mrs. Hecox, 44, of 5319 Miller rd., who was killed when the truck she was driving was hit by a Michigan Central railroad train in Eaton county, will be buried Tuesday.

Funeral services are to be held at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Colonial chapel at the Estes-Leadley funeral home. Rev. James C. Dotsch of Miller Road Bible church will officiate, with burial in Evergreen cemetery.

A native of Colgate, Okla., Mrs. Hecox was driving a panel truck for the American New company when the vehicle skidded in front of the freight on Chester rd., 14 miles southwest of the city.

Mrs. Hecox is survived by the husband, John W.; two daughters, Mrs. Louise Woods, Lansing, and Mrs. Maybelle Bartos, Chicago; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Vanorman and Mrs. Lucille Less, both of Picher, Okla., and Mrs. Esther Potts of Denison, Tex., and a brother, Albert Carrupt, Detroit.

Vernard Wyble

Vernard R. Wyble, 70 years old, died Saturday morning at his home in Kalamo township after a long illness. He was born March 9, 1879, in Eaton county, the son of Anthony and Amy Wyble, and was a resident of Kalamo township the last 15 years. Survivors are the widow, Lillian, and two sisters, Mrs. Bertha Day of Bellevue township and Mrs. Florence Baker of Carmel township. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the Pray funeral home. Mrs. Pearl Johnson, Christian Science reader, officiated. Burial was in the Kalamo cemetery.

Henry H. Haskins
SUNFIELD, Feb. 17—Henry H. Haskins, 64, for the past 40 years a Danby township resident, died Friday afternoon at his home. He was born April 19, 1896, in Ayr, Ringgold county, Ia. In addition to the widow, Rilla, he is survived by a son, Kenneth, of Sunfield; two sisters, Mrs. Eulalia Fisher of Hannibal, Mo., and Mrs. Lillias Churchill of Underwood, N. D., and two grandchildren. Services will be held Monday at 2 p. m. from the Church of the Brethren, South Sunfield. Rev. Harley Townsend of Battle Creek officiating. Burial will be at the Mapes funeral home until Monday at 1 p. m.

Saranac cemetery.
SUNFIELD — Services for Clifford Roberts, 47, who died Friday at his home south of Sunfield, were held Sunday at Mapes funeral home, Sunfield. Burial in Welch cemetery in Sunfield township.

State Deaths

(Special to The State Journal)

Claudia Jane Benedict
SUNFIELD, March 2—Claudia Jane Benedict, three-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Benedict, died Thursday morning in the family home on Hunter rd., west of Sunfield. Besides the parents she is survived by one sister, Anita; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Benedict, Vermontville, and Mr. and Mrs. Devere Grant of Charlotte. The body was removed to the Mapes funeral home pending funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Orley Middaugh

WOODLAND — Services will be conducted by the Rev. Harold R. Cherry from the Mapes chapel in Sunfield at 2 p. m. Saturday for Mrs. Eleanor Treese Middaugh, 75, widow of Orley, who died Thursday at the home of Guy Rogers of Saddlebag lake east of Woodland, where she had been employed. She was formerly of Woodbury. Surviving are two sons, Clyde Conrad of Cloverdale and Samuel Conrad of Kaleva; three daughters, Mrs. Luther Brodbeck of Alma, Mrs. Blanche Ayres of Hastings and Mrs. Velma Anderson of Marion; a sister, Mrs. Martha Whiting of Grand Rapids; a brother, Henry Treese of Kalamazoo, and a half-brother, Philip David of Lake Odessa. Burial will be in Lakeside cemetery in Lake Odessa.

W. B. Cortright, Former Merchant, Dies at 86

(Special to The State Journal)

NASHVILLE, Sept. 3—William B. Cortright, 86, for 45 years a resident of this community, died at his home, 313 N. Phillips st., Friday evening at 7:30 following an illness of several months.

Mr. Cortright was a dry goods merchant here from 1904 until he retired in 1924. He was born in Charlotte, Sept. 6, 1862, the son of Horace and Rachel (Kirchenel). Before moving to Nashville he operated an implement store in Lake Odessa.

The survivors include the widow, Minnie to whom he was married Sept. 30, 1903, and one son Lyle, by a previous marriage, of Springfield,

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