

Willis Kantner Dies Thursday; Rites on Saturday

Funeral services for Willis M. Kantner, 66, 920 S. Hanover, a retired foundry employee of the E. W. Bliss company, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Leonard Funeral home.

The Rev. Lawrence Jewett and the Rev. Doriene Speas officiated and burial was in the Woodland Memorial Park cemetery.

Mr. Kantner died at 10:25 a.m. Thursday at Pennock hospital where he had been a patient for three days. He had retired because of ill health on May 28, 1962.

Mr. Kantner was born in Ohio on Oct. 22, 1897, the son of Levi and Mary (Holsapple) Kantner. He formerly lived in Woodland township and married Miss Eva Guy of Sunfield in 1921. They moved to Hastings in 1923 and he began work at the Bliss company as a moulder apprentice on Nov. 21, 1923.

He was a member of the United Brethren in Christ Church. His hobby was raising and selling rabbits.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Everette (Elnora) Miller, Lakeview; one granddaughter, and three brothers, Russell of Mears, Guy of Woodland and Claude of Athens.



MRS. MAE SIGLER

Long III, Sigler's Widow Dies

Mrs. Mae Sigler, 69, widow of former Michigan Gov. Kim Sigler, died Tuesday afternoon in Colgate, Okla.

She had been undergoing treatment there for multiple sclerosis for the past five years.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in Hastings. Rites will be held in Hastings' First Methodist Church. Burial will be in Riverside Cemetery in the family burial plot where Gov. Sigler lies.

Mrs. Sigler met Sigler while she was a nurse and he was working in the Ford Motor Co. plant at Highland Park to finance his way through law school. They were married Nov. 11, 1917.

On Jan. 1, 1947, she became Michigan's first lady through Republican Sigler's upset of Democratic Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner.

Sigler was upset in the 1948 election by G. Mennen Williams, and, with Victor C. Anderson, local attorney, formed the law firm of Sigler and Anderson.

The former governor and three others died in the crash of his plane near Kalamazoo in 1953. He was buried in Hastings' Riverside Cemetery next to the grave of a daughter, Beverly, who died in 1934 at the age of 11.

Mrs. Sigler is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Richard Gossett of McAlester, Okla., and Mrs. Betty Slattery, Pacific Grove, Calif.; a sister, Mrs. Bess Enders, and a brother, E. J. Pierce, both of Goodrich, and five grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Gossett were due to arrive by plane here Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sigler's body will arrive Thursday at the Leonard Funeral Home, Hastings.

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