

## Thornapple Lake Summer Visitor Dies in Colorado

Dr. Garfield Inwood, formerly of Chicago, but for the past year and a half of Canon City, Colo., passed away Nov. 25, following a previous stroke.

For many years he owned a cottage at Thornapple lake where he and his wife and daughter spent their summers. It was during this time he made many friends around Hastings.

Dr. Inwood was the son in law of the late Earl Hammond, jeweler, of Vermontville.

## Funeral Services For Mrs. Rickle Held on Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Mettie D. Rickle, 88, who was found dead in her home at 419 E. Green street Wednesday evening of last week, were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Leonard Funeral home.

The Rev. Winston Stone, former pastor of the First Methodist church here now serving a pastorate at Hillsdale, officiated and burial was in Riverside cemetery.

Mrs. Rickle suffered a heart attack, perhaps on Tuesday. Her body was found Wednesday evening by Dan Allarding, a neighbor, after he had been called by a granddaughter, Mrs. John Armbruster, Jr.

Mrs. Rickle was born Aug. 22, 1866, in Ottawa county, the daughter of M. Boyer and Viola (Shriner) Todd.

She was the widow of Fredrick W. Rickle who died in 1928. They were married in Nashville in 1885.

Mrs. Rickle, who was well known as one who was always helping others and loved by her neighbors, kept a lovely flower garden as a hobby.

She was a member of the First Methodist church and a Pennock Hospital guild.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ernest (Elsie) Offley, of Vermontville; a son, Boyer Rickle, of Corpus Christi, Texas; a brother, Gilbert Todd, Center road; eight grandchildren, and 14 great grandchildren.

## Mrs. Downing's Funeral to be Held Friday

Mrs. Kathryn Downing was taken by death Tuesday morning at a Charlotte convalescent home after a brief illness. She was 81 years old.

Mrs. Downing, formerly Kathryn Popp, was born in Saginaw, and lived in Sunfield most of her life until eight years ago she moved to Lake Odessa. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Her husband, Clarence, died in 1945.

Surviving are four daughters; Mrs. Burt Creitz, of Sunfield; Mrs. Anna Aldrich, of Lake Odessa; Mrs. Jennie Parks, of Big Rapids, and Mrs. Grace Braun, of Owosso; one sister, Mrs. Anna Creitz, of Charlotte; 7 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren; also several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from Mapes Funeral home. Interment will be in Sunfield cemetery. Bearers will be the grandsons of the deceased.

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