



JOHN H. BECK

## J. H. Beck Dies at 56

City Rescue Mission Chief  
Member of Oldsmobile  
Quarter Century Club

John H. Beck, 56, of 411 N. Deerfield ave., superintendent of the City Rescue Mission, 611 E. Michigan ave., died at the residence Saturday following a long illness.

A native of Kalamazoo, Mr. Beck moved to Lansing 40 years ago. He became actively engaged in the work at the City Rescue Mission, about 23 years ago. The Mission was founded by the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dolton in 1911.

Mr. Beck retired in June 1953, from the Oldsmobile where he had worked for 25 years, to become full-time superintendent of the mission.

He had co-operated with many churches in the Lansing area in his work. Mr. Beck was a member of the Century club at Oldsmobile.

Surviving are the widow, Pearl; three daughters, Mrs. Beatrice Horne of Wadsworth, O.; Mrs. Bernadine Lay, missionary to Indonesia; Mrs. Jean Ellison, missionary to Thailand; his mother, Mrs. Jennie Beck of Lansing, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p. m. Tuesday at the Gorsline-Runciman funeral home, with Rev. Howard F. Sweden.

## WILCOX-GAY

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By GEORGE NEWCOMER

### CITIZENS OF CHARLOTTE:

Why does the city refuse to put a traffic light on the corner in front of the high school? They have been asked by the student council, for this is a very dangerous corner.

Will a child be killed before the city breaks down and does something about it? It has been rezoned over the protest of citizens and will become a very busy corner in the near future.

Why is it that some of our post graduates use the boulevard in front of the high school as a race track with their dual exhausts roaring so that the students cannot study? The school officials have complained, but it still goes on. Whose sons are they?

How many went to the Vermontville maple sugar festival Saturday?

SUNFIELD—Services for Claude E. Miller, 51, of Alto, will be held at the Mapes funeral home, Sunfield, at 2 Wednesday with burial in Meadow Brook cemetery, Mulliken. Mr. Miller died Sunday in a Grand Rapids hospital.

## Area Deaths

Albert K. Carlington  
SUNFIELD, April 16—Albert Karl Carlington, 65, of Kokomo, Ind., died Friday night at a Kokomo hospital after a short illness. He had lived in Sunfield for many years up until about 15 years ago. The funeral will be at 2 p. m. Monday at the Mapes funeral home, Sunfield, with Rev. Don Carrick of United Brethren church officiating. Burial will be in Sunfield cemetery.

Harold Brandt  
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