

RILLA SMITH MOYER

December 21, 1889

November 30, 1956

Services at

*The Colonial Chapel*  
*Estes-Leadley Funeral Home*

Monday, December 3, 1956—2:30 P. M.

Clergyman

Rev. Harold A. Jayne

Miss Clara W. Besch, Organist

Interment

CHAPEL HILL MEMORIAL GARDENS

Charles  
Franz C  
John W  
Russell  
John E  
Joseph  
Joseph  
Aaron  
Rollin  
Flavius  
Grant  
Franz  
John V  
John S  
George  
Russel  
Nelson  
John F  
Joseph

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(a) Leo Hazel  
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(g)  
vice

1920; re-elected April 6, 1925.  
(h) Died September 12, 1919.  
(i) Appointed September 25, 1919,  
vice Ostrander, deceased; elected Nov. 2,  
1920; re-elected April, 1927, and 1935;  
died Oct. 20, 1935.  
(j) Died Jan. 21, 1921.  
(k) Died March 24, 1922.  
(l) Appointed March 29, 1922, vice  
Stone, deceased; elected November 7,  
1922; re-elected April 6, 1925.  
(m) Died February 9, 1928.  
(n) Resigned in 1926.  
(o) Resigned September 29, 1927.  
(p) Appointed January 25, 1921, vice  
Brooke, deceased; elected April 4, 1921;  
re-elected in 1923, 1931 and 1939.  
(q) Appointed January 1, 1926, vice

Douglas Lake  
Russell Deer  
Orlo Deer  
Donald Claflin  
Bearers

## Mrs. Jessie Bosworth Taken by Death 1955

Mrs. Jessie Bosworth, age 73, passed away Sunday morning at her daughter's home at 348 S. Alger St., Lansing, following an illness of four months.

Born March 9, 1882 in Vermontville, the daughter of Gideon and Antonette Bale. She lived in the Sunfield area all her life until four years ago, moving to Lansing.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Rilla Myers of Lansing; two sons, Lewis and Lyle, both of Mulliken; ten grandchildren and one great-grandchild; two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Hawkins of Vermontville and Mrs. Anna Bosworth of Charlotte.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 18, at 2 p.m. from the Mapes Funeral Home, Sunfield. The Rev. C. L. Walker of the First Pilgrim Holiness Church, Lansing, officiated. Interment was made in Sunfield cemetery.

Pallbearers were, Lee Rawson, Wayne Wheaton, Melvin Rairigh, Floyd Carroll, Elwood Hawkins and Lawrence Hawkins.

### DISTRICT COURTS.

Soon after the organization of the territorial government, the governor had divided the territory into four judicial districts, known as the districts of Erie, Huron, Detroit and Michilimackinac. An act was adopted on the twenty-fifth of July, 1805, establishing three district courts to be held by the judges of the supreme court, one for the district of Erie, another for the districts of Huron and Detroit, to hold two terms annually each; and one for the district of Michilimackinac, to hold one annual term. These courts were to have jurisdiction of demands exceeding \$20. In 1807 the district courts were made to consist of a chief judge and two associate judges, residents of the district, to be appointed by the governor and to hold office during good behavior.

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