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**BLANCH HAY DIES  
AFTER LONG ILLNESS**

Funeral services for Mrs. Blanch B. Hay 67, will be held Saturday at 1:30 pm. from the Burkhead Cheney Chapel in Charlotte.

Mrs. Hay died early Wednesday morning at the Charlotte hospital where she had been a patient for the past seven weeks. She was born September 20, 1890 in Vermontville township, the daughter of P. W. and Lucy Stevens Sprague. She was married in 1911 to Howard Hay at Vermontville and he preceeded her in death in 1947.

Mrs. Hay moved to Lansing in 1950 where she was a member of the Colonial Village Baptist Church.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Mae Wright of Lansing and Mrs. Irma Weaver of Charlotte.

Rev. E. A. Rolowaf of the Colonial Village Baptist church will officiate and burial will be in Woodlawn cemetery.

**Local Obituaries**

**Edward Albert Seitz**

Edward Albert Seitz, 79, of 87 Grenville st. died at 2:45 p.m. Monday in a local hospital where he had been a patient for 46 days. He retired in 1944 after 33 years in the grain department at the Post Division of the General Foods Corp. Since the death of his wife 20 years ago, Mr. Seitz had made his home at the Grenville street address with friends, Mrs. Grace Dunton and family. Mr. Seitz was born in Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 27, 1879, a son of George and Christina (Duebert) Seitz. As a child he moved with his parents to Vermontville and came to Battle Creek in 1912. He was married here to Mrs. Nellie Carpenter, who died Dec. 25, 1938. Surviving are a brother, Frank Seitz of Vermontville; two sisters, Mrs. Clara Kenworthy of Ypsilanti and Mrs. Dana (Mary) Irvin of Vermontville; two nephews and a niece.

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