Adams County Historical Museum 1937 Scrapbook

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HENSLEY CHILD BURIED TODAY

10-Year-Old Son of David Hensley Died at Bronson, Mich.

Short prayer services were held here this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the Decatur cemetery for Robert David Hensley, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David and Leona Hunsicker-Hensley, of Marcellus, Michigan. The attack came upon the boy suddenly. He was able to attend school Tuesday morning and became ill in the afternoon of the same day.

He was a native of Decatur, born here, April 1, 1927, and lived in Decatur until he was three years old, when his family moved to Bronson, Michigan. For the last five or six years, the family has lived in Marcellus. He was a member of the M. E. Church and attended the fifth grade in that city.

He is survived by the parents and three grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Burt Hunsicker, of Bronson, Michigan and Mrs. Monta Hensley of Fort Wayne. A brother, Tommy, preceded him in death about four years ago.

Services were held in the Hensley home this morning at 11:30 o'clock and then the body was brought to Decatur for burial. Rev. Halisted, pastor of the Marcellus M. E. church, officiated.

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