[Smith, John L.]

EAST BLOOMFIELD—John L. Smith, 78, died at his home in Baptist Hill, Monday, March 7, 1966 following a long illness.

A native of Bristol[,] he was the son of Salathiel and Ella Radley Smith. He had engaged in farming until his retirement in 1960.

He leaves his wife, Mars. Margaret Sennett smith; a daughter, Mrs. Laverne (Sylvia) Brown and a [grand?]son Russell Brown, all of Bristol; 7 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. James McClurg and a half brother, Frank McNair of Springwater.

A funeral service was conducted on Wednesday at 2 p.m. from the Wheeler Funeral Home in East Bloomfield. The Rev. Ray Nasemann, pastor of the Bristol Community Church¹ officiated. Interment in Evergreen Cemetery, Bristol.

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¹ This congregation had been Universalist until mid-1961. The transcriber was acquainted with the minister, Rev. Raymond Nasemann, now deceased.