

PONTIAC BILL POSTER

Died, Monday morning, July 30th, after a lingering illness, at the residence of D. C. Buckland, in this city, John C. Gregory, aged eight-four years. Deceased was the father of Mrs. D. C. Buckland, Mrs. R. B. Desroches, Mrs. W. C. Morrison and Mrs. Charles Welch, Geneva, N. Y. papers please copy. *Aug 1 1883*

Mrs. Elenor Green, a venerable pioneer of Clarkston, died July 25th, 1883, aged 80 years. Funeral services were held at the residence of Daniel Green, Clarkston, last Friday forenoon at 10 o'clock, and the remains were buried in Clarkston cemetery. Deceased was the mother of Daniel Green, with whom she made her home for a number of years. She was also grandmother to Mrs. E. H. Tompkins, of this city. *Aug 1 1883*

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Ralph, son of H. P. Merrill, of Bay City, a former resident of Pontiac, while out hunting with a companion last Wednesday, on his father's farm, accidentally shot himself. The entire charge from the gun struck the unfortunate boy in the breast, passing out at his back and killed him instantly. At the time of the sad accident, young Merrill was a short distance from Harry Gustin, and the latter, upon hearing the discharge, immediately in that direction, and had only a short distance when he realized to find his companion on the ground, dead, and the gun in his hand. Young Gustin gave the alarm and physicians were soon on hand but of course their services were needed. Ralph was 16 years old at the Orchard Lake Academy, and a very promising gentleman.

On Thursday last, Abram Miller, one of the pioneers of this county, died at his residence three miles west of this place. Funeral services were held at the house at 1 o'clock on Sunday last, the Rev. Robert Bird officiating. *Aug 1 1883*

Last Friday night, near Carlton, N. Y., a passenger train was thrown from the track and about twenty persons killed while as many more were badly injured. Henry McCormick, of Benton, this State, was among the killed. A high wind blew a freight car upon the main track. *Aug 1 1883*

Mrs. Lucy O'Brien, mother of Mrs. J. B. Kelly, of Orion, and A. O'Brien, of Rochester, died of apoplexy, at the residence of John P. Kelly, in Orion, on Wednesday, aged 75 years. Funeral at the house last week Friday, and the remains were interred in the Waterford cemetery. *Aug 6 1883*

Last week Friday the remains of Mrs. Anthony O'Brien an old resident of this place, was brought here and interred in the Waterford cemetery. She was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Kelly, of Orion, at the time of her death. She retired the night previous to her death in seemingly good health, and in the morning was found by the family suffering from paralysis, and lived but a few hours. *Aug 8 1883*

Mrs. A. G. Allen died at her home on Monday, July 30, of paralysis, aged 48 years. Funeral services were held at the Waterford school house on Thursday, conducted by Rev. A. B. Whiting, of Milford. *Aug 8 1883*