

## PONTIAC BILL POSTER

Mr. Elisha Mattison, who resides on Perry street had the misfortune to lose a son aged seven years, Monday, who died of diphtheria. *June 17, 1885*

Helen A., wife of J. M. Clement, died at North Farmington, June 16, aged 31 years, 2 months and 2 days. The deceased leaves a husband, three children and a host of friends to mourn her loss. *June 24, 1885*

### COMMERCE.

Correspondence of The Bill Poster.

Died, in Commerce; June 21, Mrs. Amira, wife of William Stroud, aged 6 years. *June 24, 1885*

### BIRMINGHAM.

Correspondence of the Bill Poster.

Miss Bertha Von Daniels died at the residence of James Bailey on Wednesday last, after an illness of some months, of cancer in the stomach. *June 24, 1885*

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Died, at the residence of Carlos Glacier, this village, Wednesday June 17, after two days illness, Lydia E., aged 1 year and 1 month, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Marshall. The funeral services were largely attended. Sermon by Rev. Mr. Rodgers.

### The Late Noah Tyler.

To the Honorable Commander and Sir Knights of Pontiac Commandery, No. 2, E. T.:

Death has again visited this Commandery, and has claimed for his own, our revered brother Noah Tyler. His frail body, worn by the ravages of a painful disease, has been consigned to the tomb. After months of suffering borne with fortitude and heroism, his brave spirit has found repose from the "trials and vicissitudes" of life. His pilgrimage is ended. His amiable and sunny face will no more be seen in our midst; his wise counsels, generous assistance and cordial fellowship are no longer ours. His voice is hushed forever, but its cheerful tones abide in our memory; his hand is still, but its fraternal grasp in life lingers in grateful recollection. He loved his Commandery, and long after less heroic men would have rested from active labor, he attended its meetings, participated in its work and furthered its interests, even at great cost to his physical strength. His Commandery loved him; its members venerate his memory, look back with pride and pleasure upon his self-sacrificing devotion and would emulate his example. It is fitting, therefore, that we as a Commandery pay tribute to him who so much honored us, and while realizing the insufficiency of words to express our veneration for the deceased and sorrow for his loss, your Committee begs leave to present the following resolutions:

*Resolved*, That his knightly virtues, his venerable presence, the enthusiasm he ever showed in the cause of Masonry, have endeared Sir Kt. Noah Tyler to the members of this Commandery, and one and all feel the irreparable loss sustained in his death.

*Resolved*, That this Commandery appreciating his worth in public and private life, tender its condolence to this community in which he has resided for seventeen years, where he was so well and favorably known, and where as a public spirited and honorable citizen his loss is so keenly felt.

*Resolved*, That during his long illness our hearts went out to him and to his family, and that we now condole with his bereaved widow in her immeasurable affliction, offering her such poor consolation as human sympathy affords.

*Resolved*, That in respect to his memory the members of this Commandery wear the customary badge of mourning for thirty days.

*Resolved*, That a transcript of these resolutions be given to the widow of the deceased, and that copies of the same be furnished the Pontiac newspapers for publication.

C. B. BURR,  
E. C. FULLER,  
T. F. GERLS,  
Aug. C. BALDWIN,  
W. J. TUNSTEAD,  
Committee.