

PONTIAC BILL POSTER

Milford Times: "Wm. A. Smith, a former well-known resident of Wixom died October 20, 1887, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. C. E. Burns in Highland, in the 72d year of his age. Mr. Smith was born in Casenovia, Madison county, New York, Nov. 3, 1815. For over a quarter of a century he resided on a farm in Wixom, but the last few years of his life has been spent among his children. The funeral services were held Saturday, October 22, at Wixom, and his remains laid to rest in the Wixom cemetery." *NOV 2, 1887*

It has been decided to erect a memorial window in Zion church Pontiac, in memory of Mr. James Maten, lately deceased, who was for many years a warden and vestryman of this church and parish, at a cost of seventy-five dollars. Any friends desirous of subscribing towards the same who knew the sterling worth of character of the deceased can do so by calling upon John Pound or D. C. Lewis, within the next two or three weeks, when any sum, no matter how small, will be received by them for this most worthy object. *NOV 9 1887*

Mrs. Eliza Kline, of Orion, says the Review, died Oct. 29, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Adam Shoup. Deceased was born Oct. 18, 1806, came to Michigan in 1834 and settled in Oakland township. *NOV 9 1887*

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 Loren M. Cowles died at his home in Pontiac, Monday morning at 9:20 o'clock, of consumption, in the 62nd year of his age. Funeral services will be held at the M. E. church to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon, at two o'clock. Deceased was born at Auburn, New York, and with his parents came to Michigan in 1832 and his boyhood was spent in a hotel his father kept on the Grand River road, near Detroit. Mr. Cowles afterwards clerked at Farmington and Rochester and in 1865 purchased the grocery and crockery store of Dan. Curry in the Hodges House Block. The late C. R. Mabley offered more rent for the store than Mr. Cowles thought he could afford to pay and hence the latter removed to the Gray block across the street when he did business till the fall of 1879. On account of failing health Mr. Cowles gave up his business and went to Denver but only staid a few months, and returning to this city became the popular clerk of the Waverly House. In 1881 the deceased also went into the livery business with Geo. Hicks under the firm name of Hicks & Cowles. As a man and citizen Mr. Cowles was always kind, pleasant, agreeable and generous to a fault, and the sorrowing family and friends have the sympathy of all in their irreparable loss.

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 Stephen Eddy, who died recently at his home in Shiawassee county, aged 68 years, was a resident of Novi, Oakland county, 26 years, having come to Michigan with his parents in 1830.