

PONTIAC BILL POSTER

*Saturday, while in a fit of despondency, Merrill Pratt, at his home on Saginaw street, cut his throat with a pen knife, from the effects of which he died Monday afternoon. Funeral from the house this (Wednesday) afternoon at two o'clock. Deceased was 65 years old, and for some time past had been in poor health. He leaves no family but many friends who deeply deplore the insane act that resulted in his untimely death. DEC 17 1887

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Erastus, father of Theo. Bacon, died Saturday at his home in Pontiac township, aged about 75 years. Funeral services were held at the house yesterday afternoon and the remains were interred at Oak Hill Cemetery. Deceased was a brother of Levi Bacon who died a few months since at Washington, D. C. When this city and township was all in one Mr. Bacon was a Justice of the Peace for years, which fact will be remembered by many old residents. The deceased had lived in Pontiac for at least fifty years and was well and favorably known.

W. M. Beebe, of Pontiac, died Monday morning of heart disease, aged 80 years. Funeral services were held at house yesterday and the remains sent to Hudson, Ohio, his old home, for burial. Dec 14 1887