

PONTIAC BILL POSTER

A Sad Accident.

Saturday afternoon, four of the students at the Mich. Military Academy went out for a row on Orchard Lake. The day was very windy, the waves run high, and the boat became partially filled with water and rather cranky. When about half-way between Gadway's and the island the boys became alarmed and turned to pull for the mainland. In turning, the boat shipped more water. At this time Cadet Stanley becoming frightened, lost his presence of mind, and sprang to his feet, tipping the boat over. Three of the boys clambered on the boat, while Stanley appeared to be so overcome by fear as to be unable to help himself. His companions pulled him onto the boat, but he fell off on the other side. One of the boys then swam to Stanley and tried to help him to the boat, but had to leave him, to save his own life, and the unfortunate lad drowned before the eyes of his comrades.

Cadet Stanley was about eighteen years old, and a resident of Cleveland. His parents were notified of the sad event, and his father arrived here Sunday afternoon.

Every effort was made to recover the body by the aid of grappling irons, but it could not be located, and as the water in that part of the lake is very deep, all efforts have to this time been fruitless. *MAY 9 1888*

Detroit Tribune: "Rev. Stillman T. Grow, one of the pioneer ministers of the state, died April 25 at his home in Atlas, Genesee county, at the age of 81. In 1838 he settled in Oakland county, coming there from Connecticut, where in 1837 he was ordained to the gospel ministry. About 1840 he settled on the farm where he died. To his labors are due the existence of a number of Baptist churches in Genesee county." *MAY 16 1888*

Edwin Owen, of Orchard Lake, died last week Tuesday evening of typhoid fever, in the 38th year of his age. Funeral Friday from the chapel north of the lake. *MAY 16 1888*

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Died, April 27, Rose Ella, daughter of Hezekiah and Mary J. Montross, aged one year one month and 21 days.