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Sept 18 1889
Mrs. Daphne Arnold

PONTIAC BILL POSTER

The floral offerings were beautiful, as tokens of love and respect by relatives and friends.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. John Sheppard, Baptist pastor at Oakland, who preached a most excellent sermon. The remains were laid at rest in the Oakland cemetery. The following lines were read by request:

We bend to-day o'er her confined form,
And our tears fall thickly down;

We look our last on her aged face,
With its look of peace, its patient grace,
And hair like a silver crown.

We touch our own to her clay, cold hands,
From their life-long labor at rest,
And among the blossoms, white and sweet,
We note a bunch of golden wheat,
Clasped close to the silent breast.

The blossoms speak of fadeless bloom,
Of a land where fall no tears;

The ripe wheat tells of toil and care,
The patient waiting, the trusting prayer,
The garnered good of years.

* Joseph Wooley, of western Oakland, died last Sunday of heart disease, aged 62 years. Funeral services yesterday afternoon from the Webster school house, and the remains interred at Waterford Center cemetery. *Sept 25 1889*

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* Mable Clare, youngest daughter of John and Susan Parkinson, died Thursday, Sept. 19, aged 5 years, 9 months and 7 days. Funeral was held from the house Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Shafer died after a lingering illness last Sunday eve. She leaves many friends to mourn her loss. *Sept 25 1889*