

[Smiley, Velora W.]

Velora W. Smiley

Velora W. Smiley, a resident of the city since 1891, died this morning at the City hospital, aged 87 years. Death was due to the infirmities incident to advanced years.

The greater part of Mr. Smiley's life was spent on the farm on the Sackets Harbor road, where he lived from the age of seven years until taking up residence in this city. When actively engaged he was known as a successful, progressive farmer. Mrs. Smiley died about a year ago, shortly after celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary.

He is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Claire Lawyer of this city.

The funeral will be held from his late home, 309 Ten Eyck street, Wednesday at 2 p.m. Rev. M. [Moses] H. Harris, D.D., pastor of All Souls' [Universalist] church, will officiate at the service. Interment will be made in Brookside cemetery.

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