

JAMES WILCOX

James Wilcox died at his home on East Street, Thursday morning, April 13, after a short illness from the effects of a stroke of paralysis, aged 87 years. Mr. Wilcox was born in Muskegon County, Ohio, in 1817. He came to Michigan in 1856 and shortly afterwards settled on a farm near Utica where he resided until nine years ago when he moved to Rochester. He was married to Permellia Blaisdell in 1846, she dying about eleven years afterward, leaving one daughter, Mary. In 1858 he was married to Ann Eliza Prentice of Utica, who still survives him, and also three children: Herman Wilcox of Washington, Macomb Co.; Mrs. Arthur Long and Mrs. Abram Lord of Pontiac. He was a quiet home man, never going far from his home. The funeral was held from his home Sunday afternoon. Rev. T.A. Greenwood officiating with burial at Utica.

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