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## DEATH AGAIN BEEN BUSY

THREE NORTHVILLE PEOPLE  
PASSED AWAY THIS WEEK.

Mother of Late Dr. E. N. Root  
Among the Number.

Death has again been busy in our  
midst this week, three residents having  
passed away within a few hours  
of each other.

MRS. LAURA ROOT.

Mrs. Laura Root, mother of the  
late E. N. Root, died Monday at her  
home here, at the advanced age of 88  
years. She came to Michigan with  
her father, Dr. Elijah Northrop, in  
1833 and was married three years  
later to Sheldon Root, with whom  
she lived on their farm near Salem  
for nearly fifty years. They came to  
this village over twenty years ago  
and Mr. Root died fourteen  
years ago. Mrs. Root was a faithful  
member of the Methodist church here,  
keeping up her attendance until the  
infirmities of age prevented her from  
going. She leaves a brother, Julius  
C. Northrop of this place, and one  
son, Starr Root of Detroit. The  
funeral was held yesterday, Rev. J.  
M. Shank conducting the services.

JOHN HENDERSON.

John Henderson, or "Darkey John"  
as he was more familiarly known,  
died Sunday in the little dwelling on  
the Swift place which had sheltered  
him for many years. He was believed  
to have lived nearly a century,  
having made a perilous escape from  
slavery in the days of the famous  
"underground railway." He had  
lived in Northville about 35 years  
and had been nearly helpless for the  
past ten years, being kindly looked  
after by neighbors, the charitable  
organizations and by the town  
authorities. He was buried Tuesday  
from the undertaker's rooms of  
M. A. Porter.

MRS. VIRGINIA SMITH.

Mrs. Virginia Smith, a sister of  
George Barber, died Sunday at the  
latter's home, where she had been ill  
for some time with dropsy. The  
funeral services were held Wednesday  
afternoon at the residence.

## Second District Congressional Convention

Notice is hereby given that the Republican county convention of the  
Second congressional district of  
Michigan will be held in the city of  
Monroe, Tuesday, May 10, 1904, at  
eleven o'clock a.m. for the purpose of  
nominating a candidate for con-  
gress and electing two delegates and  
two alternates to the National Re-  
publican convention to be held in  
Chicago, June 21, 1904 and for the  
transaction of such other business  
as may properly come before the  
convention.

These several counties will be entitled  
to delegates as follows:

Jackson, 2; Lenawee, 2; Monroe, 1;  
Washtenaw, 2; and Wayne, 1.  
By order of the committee  
HORACE G. PFEIFFER  
Chairman  
CHAS. T. LEWIS, Secretary

### Cheap Telephones.

The telephone system is of more  
general use now than anywhere else  
in the world. Every boy practi-  
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## The Gentleman from Indiana ON PAGE SEVEN.

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for men in the Italian postal service.  
Signor Galimberti, the minister of  
ports and telegraphs is responsible  
for the change.













