

Cynthiana Democrat - March 29, 1928

SMITH. The death of William Franklin Smith came with shocking suddenness when he passed away at his home on Pike street Tuesday morning, March 27, at eight o'clock. He became ill Monday, suffering from a severe chill and pain in his lungs. A doctor was called during the night and found him suffering from double pneumonia. He grew worse rapidly until the end.

Mr. Smith was a wellknown business man of this city, where he had been engaged in the grocery business for a number of years, at the time of his death a member of the firm Smith & Berry, on South Walnut street. He was a man generally well liked, held a high place in the community and had a large number of friends who are in deep sympathy with the bereaved family. Mr. Smith was a son of Michael and Camelia Smith and was born in this county Sept. 16, 1860. He married Miss Mollie G. Mullen in November, 1883. His wife, two daughters and two sons survive, Miss Irene Smith, of this city, Mrs. Thomas Hendy, of Covington, W. P. and H. C. Smith, of Cynthiana. Two brothers and three sisters also survive, Joe D. Smith, Dayton, O.; Mrs. Hugh McClellan, James N. Smith, Cynthiana; Mrs. R. L. Renaker, Dayton, O.; Mrs. G. T. Sparks, Wilmington, O. Deceased was a member of the Cynthiana Methodist church, and of the Cynthiana Lodge of Odd Fellows. The funeral will be held at his late residence this morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. M. S. Clark, pastor of the Cynthiana Methodist church, and Rev. J. E. Moss, pastor of the Frankfort church, will conduct the services. Burial will be in Battle Grove with Odd Fellows honors. The pall bearers: T. S. Mullen, John W. Mullen, Lora Mullen, W. T. Mullen, Clarence Smith, Walter Lemons.

Smith, William Franklin 1860 - 1928

Form V. S. 1-50m-4-23-27

1 TRACE OF DEATH

County Harrison File No. 6432

Vot. Pct. Handout Eugene House Registration District No. 670 Registered No. 71

Inc. Town _____ Primary Registration District No. 2240

City Cynthiana (No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2 FULL NAME William Franklin Smith

(a) Residence. No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____

(Usual place of abode) (If nonresident, give city or town and State)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 Single Married Widowed or Divorced <u>Married</u>	16 DATE OF DEATH <u>March 27, 1928</u>	17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from <u>March 27, 1928</u> , to <u>March 27, 1928</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>March 27, 1928</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above at <u>8 A.M.</u> The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Dilatation of heart</u> <u>Myocardial degeneration</u>
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Sept 16, 1860</u>			18 WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED If not at place of death? _____ Did an operation precede death? <u>No</u> Date of _____ Was there an autopsy? <u>No</u> What test confirmed diagnosis? (Signed) <u>Josephus Martin, M.D.</u> <u>March 28, 1928</u> (Address)	
7 AGE <u>67 yrs. 6 mos. 11 ds.</u>			19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Beth Grove Cemetery</u> DATE OF BURIAL <u>March 28, 1928</u>	
8 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Grocery merchant</u> (b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer)			20 UNDERTAKER <u>Smith-Rees</u> ADDRESS <u>Cynthiana Ky</u>	
9 BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Kentucky</u>			*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and nature of injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.)	
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Michael D Smith</u>			
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town) (State or country) <u>Kentucky</u>			
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Camelia Marshall</u>			
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town) (State or country) <u>Kentucky</u>				
14 (Informant) <u>J. N. Smith</u> (Address) <u>Cynthiana Ky</u>				
15 Filed <u>3/28, 1928</u> <u>J. N. Smith</u> Registrar				

Important. See instructions on back of certificate.