

GRIGGS COUNTY PIONEER DEAD

Sharon Reporter: Thorbjorn Huso one of Griggs county's oldest settlers and one of the best known and most prominent farmers in our vicinity, passed to the great beyond, at his farm home about ten miles northwest of Sharon, last week, Thursday, July 21, after a lingering illness from cancer since last Christmas.

Mr. Huso was born in Telemarken, Norway, on Jan. 11, 1847, having lived his allotted time of life—three score and ten—being 74 years of age at the time of his death. He came to America in 1869, first locating in Minnesota, but later, in 1883, followed the stream of westward settlers and came to Griggs county in 1883, where he took a homestead and where he since has accumulated a great deal of the world's goods and added much good land to his original homestead.

He was a prominent man in the affairs of the county, having served twelve years as county commissioner. He was also an ardent church supporter and was a member of Rev. Tollefson's congregation of Aneta.

Funeral services were held Saturday and the remains were laid to rest at the cemetery west of Sharon beside his wife, who preceded him in death many years ago.