PASSED AWAY

Mikkel Monson, one of the early settlers of this county, departed this life at the home of his son. Martinus Monson, Thursday morning, Jan. 9, aged 73 years, the cause of his death being kidney trouble.

Deceased was a native of Norway, being born at Vang, Hedemarken. He came to this country 23 years ago and resided for some time at Valley City. He soon took up a homestead about 3 miles southeast of of Hannaford, where he has since resided. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his departure.

The funeral was held Saturday, services being conducted by Rev. Josephson of Cooperstown who delivered the funeral sermon at the house after which the mortal remains were laid to rest, in the St. Olafs cemetery, Rev. Thoreson officiating. A large number of relatives, friends and neighbors were in attendance.