

# OLD CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

**Thos. R. Jones, Formerly a Business Man of Cooperstown, Dies at Fargo.**

Thomas. R. Jones passed away to the silent beyond last Wednesday night after an illness lasting about three weeks. He was taken sick with pneumonia and yellow jaundice and these complications together with his weakened constitution were more than he could stand and he passed away after making a valiant fight for life. His death occurred at St. John's Hospital, Fargo, where he went for treatment. The deceased was formerly in the meat market business at Cooperstown. He came to Griggs County in 1897. He was a very pleasant man and made many friends who sincerely regret his passing away. He was born at Sparta, Wis., in 1862 and was 46 years old last October. He leaves a widow but no children to mourn his death. His mother, two brothers and three sisters are still living. S. R. Jones went down to Fargo Thursday to accompany the remains to Sparta, Wis., where they will be interred at the old home. The Courier joins with a large number of friends in extending to Mrs. Jones heartfelt sympathy in the great loss she has sustained. The deceased was a member of the Masonic order and also the Maccabees.