

The death of George W. Pratt, one of the pioneer citizens of Griggs county, occurred on Monday of last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Elliot, at Grandin, N. D., where he had lived for several years. We are informed that the old gentleman had suffered an attack of lagrippe and that kidney trouble set in, taking him off very suddenly. Mr. Pratt was a hardy pioneer, coming to this state in the 70's and living for a time in the Red River Valley. He came to Griggs county in the early 80's and settled in Pilot Mound township, where he resided until about six years ago. Since that time he made his home with his sons and daughters, but in the last few years was at Grandin most of the time. His wife died some twenty years ago and was buried at Grandin, where his remains were laid at rest last Tuesday. He was about 76 or 77 years of age and is survived by two sons, George and Robert, both of this community, and three daughters, Mrs. Thomas Elliot of Grandin, Mrs. Wm. Pratt of Sroblisher, Sask., and Mrs. Fred Cannon, of Binford. The Courier extends its condolences to the bereaved family.