

PROMINENT FARMER DEAD



The Grim Reaper Calls Another Old Time Citizen Without Much Warning.



Without scarcely a minute's warning Thomas Franklin Hare was called upon to give up his life last Friday afternoon, heart failure being the cause of death. Mr. Hare had been afflicted with heart trouble for some time and last Friday afternoon he was working on a road grader and was suddenly stricken while at work. He was hurried to his home and a doctor summoned but he expired in a few minutes and long before the doctor could get to his bedside. The deceased had lived a mile south of town for some years on one of the Cooper farms. He was a hard working man, quiet and unassuming, and one of the best citizens we had in the county. His sudden death is a surprise to everybody and his many friends in this city and in the country are exceedingly sorry to hear of his demise. Mr. Hare was born in Canada in March, 1861 and was therefore a little over fifty years old. He was married to Miss Georgena Glaspell in 1887 and from that union eight children have been born most of whom are now living. Mr. Hare came to Griggs county in 1891 and he has been a hard and faithful worker all through these years. The funeral took place at the farm home south of town on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. O. D. Purinton conducting the services. Interment was made in the Cooperstown cemetery. The sympathy of a large circle of friends and neighbors is extended to the stricken family.

