Charles Schwein

Occupant Name: Charles Schwein

Location: Section C

Date of Birth: 1/6/1862

Date of Death: 5/17/1899

Date of Burial: 1899

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



DEATH RECORD

NOT MENTIONED ELSEWHERE.]

Schwein.

Last week we made mention of the death of Charles Schwein, which occurred at 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, May 17th. For three long weeks the patient sufferer lingered at death's door, ere relief came at the hands of the "grim reaper." He was attacked with spinal meningitis on April 28th at the home of his brother William Schwein, where he has made his home for the last seven years.

Charles Schwein, was a son of William Schwein, one of the pioneer German citizens of this community. He was born January 6th, 1862, on the old Schwein homestead, near the old Fair Ground, one mile east of town. Three brothers, William, George and Frank, and a sister, Mrs. Carrie Jones, survives him. Born and reared on the farm, this naturally, was his occupation, and during all his life he was a faithful and diligent tiller of the soil. He never cared to wander, so his life's labors were confined to this neighborhood alone. He was of a quiet, unassuming nature and strictly minded his own affairs. Friends he had by the score, enemies none He commanded the respect of all with whom he came in contact. Though not attracting the attention of the world by deeds of brilliancy or daring, yet he was of that quiet, unassuming mankind so useful and so much needed in all communities and one whom, when called home, is mourned by the whole community.

The funeral occurred Friday morning at the Presbyterian church, Rev. S. C. Bates, officiating, after which the interrment took place at Fairview cemetery under the auspices of Brownstown Lodge No. 488, I. O. O. F., of which order deceased had been a consistent and faithful member for several years past.

The BANNER joins with the sorrowing citizens in extending sympathy to the brothers and sister.