

## Death of Jack Albert.

It is our sad duty to chronicle the death of Jack Albert, who died at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening after a few days illness. The deceased was in town just one week before he died and to all outward appearances all right. He had been complaining of pains in his bowels for several days. On returning home that evening he ate a hearty supper, but from that time he was taken sick. Friday last an operation was deemed necessary and it was performed but too late to save Jack's life. The cause of his death was the inflammation that followed an operation for direct hernia outside and above the ring and canal as the doctors put it. The breach or hernia was of the omentum, not the bowel as is usual. It had been "working" for the two or the weeks that he suffered from diarrhoea. He was only confined to his bed a few days and was conscious to the end, suffering intensely during that time but bearing his burdens without a murmur. Loving friends and neighbors ministered unto him and all that they could do was done. Jack was a hard working farmer and well liked and respected by those who knew him. He leaves a wife and a little child to mourn for the loss of a husband and father, and they have the heartfelt sympathy of everybody. The funeral took place at the Albert farm, sixteen miles west of Cooperstown, Tuesday Rev. T. D. Collins, officiating, and the remains were then interred in the Cooperstown cemetery.

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