

# Obituary

George E. Howden was born in Mabel township December 11, 1899 and died at San Haven, Rolette county, August 30, 1923, his age being 23 years, eight months and 29 days.

He had lived his entire lifetime with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Howden, with the exception of the period he spent in Cooperstown attending the high school from which he graduated in 1918. He then took up the work of pure bred stock raising on his father's farm, but in about a year, suffered a severe attack of flu which left his lungs in a weakened condition. From this tuberculosis developed later, and on the advice of physicians he quit work and spent a winter in California. However the disease had become more deeply seated, and August 10 he went to the sanitarium at San Haven where he died just twenty days later.

The funeral was held Sunday at 1:30 p. m. at the M. E. church in Sutton, being conducted by Rev. A. M. Hewson. The music was furnished by a male quartet from Cooperstown. Burial was at Hartman Memorial cemetery.

Deceased is survived by the parents, one brother, J. B. Howden of Sutton and one sister, Mrs. J. E. Olmsted of Bengough, Sask.

George Howden was a model young man. His character was absolutely above reproach. His ideals and ambitions were lofty. The community has lost one of its best in his passing.