

Mrs. Christ Jackson

Mrs. Jackson passed away Saturday afternoon at her home in Mabel township. Mrs. Jackson was born in Siljord, Telemorken, Norway, November, 15 1863. She was the wife of Christ Jackson, one of our county's pioneers and had resided here for 25 years. She had been ailing for a number of years, and especially the last two years had her health been failing fast. After consulting medical aid at different places, she finally went to Mayos at Rochester, where she was told she had incurable cancer of the stomach and liver. She came home, and after three months, the greater part of which were spent in bed, she passed away. She leaves besides her husband, two sons and two daughters, Johnny and Melvin and Charlotte, who are all at home on the farm, and Mrs. Bert Starr of Sutton. The husband and children were all at the bedside to the last, and will miss a faithful wife and loving mother.

The funeral occurred Monday afternoon. Short services were conducted at the house by Rev. Thoreson, and a quartet sang a song. The services were continued at the Mabel Lutheran church, of which she had been a member, where Rev. Thoreson preached the funeral sermon and Rev. Hewson of Dover also gave a short speech.

The remains were interred in the church cemetery. The floral offerings were many and beautiful and the host of friends present showed the great esteem in which the deceased was held.

With the demise of Mrs. Jackson Mabel congregation lost a staunch and true member, and the ladies' aid a willing and interested worker.

Peace be to her memory and our heartfelt sympathies go out to her husband and children in their great bereavement.

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