

Well Known Farmer Dies

GRIM REAPER ENTERED THE LIFE
OF CHRISTIAN NELSON AT
FARGO SATURDAY NIGHT

Christian Nelson, one of the well known and prosperous farmers of this community, passed away to the great beyond last Saturday evening about 8:30, at a hospital in Fargo. Mr. Nelson has been a sufferer of lung trouble for the past two years and has spent most of that time in a hospital seeking relief, and only a few weeks ago returned to his home here feeling much better, but he gradually grew worse and a few days before death again returned to the hospital, where all hopes were abandoned for his recovery.

Mr. Nelson located was born in Norway and came to this country while quite young and located in Wisconsin, coming to Courtenay about fourteen years ago. He purchased land and took up farming and has resided here continuously since with the exception of the time spent in the hospital. He was well posted in farming, and was one of those kind of farmers that is a credit to any community. He was always found willing to lend a helping hand and was well liked by all who knew him, and his death is regretted by his numerous friends.

His ambition to be at home to try and help look after his crop probable help to hasten death, as he has always taken a great interest in his farm, and even at a time when grim reaper had taken hold he felt it his duty to be near to look after things on the farm, and returned here a few weeks with that intention.

He leaves a mother, a brother and a sister, the latter residing in Illinois. The funeral was held Tuesday, from his late home and burial was in the cemetery, northeast of here.