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William Crank, at his home in Eagle, August 28th, 1890, at 2:15 p. m., aged 37 years, 8 months and 7 days.

Mr. Crank had been ailing for some time with kidney complaint, but kept up and in charge of his business to within three or four days of his death, when he seemed to rapidly fail.

The deceased was born in this town of very respectable German parents and was one of a family of seven children, consisting of five boys and twe girls, of which number three brothers and two sisters survive him. Soon after arriving to his majority he was married to Miss Alzina Markley, with whom he did not live happily and a legal separation followed. On Dec. 27th, 1887. he was again married to Miss Flora Bovee, a very estimable young lady, the adopted daughter of Matt. J. Bovee. She is now left a widow with one child, a bright little boy about two years old. In business matters Mr. Crank was quick of judgment and just in his dealings with all, appreciative of acts of kindness which he never forgot, and would cling to his friends when he thought them to be in the right if forsaken by all others. We shalf miss him from our midst. His funeral took place at the house Aug. 30, at 2 p.m. The ceremonies were simple but impressive and his remains were placed to rest in the new cemetery near the village.