

SEYMOUR FRAYER

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On Monday occurred the death of Seymour Frayer at the home of his son, Wesley D. Frayer, north of Eagle.

Mr. Frayer was born in the town of Copake, Columbia county, N.Y., Dec. 17, 1819. He resided in his native state as a farmer until 1846; married Miss Betsey Plank in Nov., 1842. In 1846 the family settled on the present homestead on section 33, Ottawa; the only building on the place was a log house wherein they lived nine years. Mr. Frayer did breaking with his ox team for the early settlers when Wisconsin was a territory and when he could travel at will without danger of becoming a trespasser or meeting obstructions in the shape of line fences. Wheat was then marketed at Milwaukee over rough roads and corduroy bricks. Mr. Frayer was an honest man, good neighbor. The funeral took place from the residence Wednesday, interment in the North Prairie cemetery. Mr. Frayer leaves surviving him his widow and one son, Wesley D. Frayer, and one daughter, Mrs. M. V. Helgeson. We all extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.