

SILAS REEVES

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On Sunday at the Soldiers' Home occurred the death of Silas Reeves aged 65 years. He was born in Rome, N.Y. and with his parents came to Eagle at the age of eight years. He was a soldier in the Civil war in Co. A., 1st Wis. Heavy Artillery and remained in service to the close of the war. He was a machinist by trade but of late years was unable to follow his trade on account of sickness. The funeral was in charge of the Grand Army post assisted by Rev. Pomfret of North Prairie and took place Thursday. Interment took place in the Oak Ridge cemetery. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. George Seeley of Milwaukee, three brothers and three sisters.

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Monument for Silas Reeves

On Wednesday a monument reached here for the late Silas Reeves of Co. A. 1st Heavy Artillery, who died at the Soldier's Home, two years ago last April. His sister, Mrs. Lucinda Marcley, deserves the credit for the above. She was very active in the movement to make the request for same from the government and is much pleased over her success. The monument will be placed in the family lot in Oak Ridge cemetery next spring and will serve as a constant reminder of both patriotism and sisterly remembrance.