

JOHN PHILIP SCHNEIDER.

John Philip Schneider, an aged pioneer of this vicinity, and for the past fourteen years a resident of this town, passed away at his home here last Friday, April 14th, after an illness of 6 months duration, culminated by a stroke of paralysis about a week ago.

The deceased was born at Wunderthausen, Westphalen, Germany, on July 5th 1839. When he was about twenty years of age, his parents, Louis and Amelia Schneider came to this country with their children and settled on a farm west of Wheatland.

He was married in 1867 to Louise Bernhart, with whom he passed a happy and useful life. Surviving him are his wife and two brothers, Louis, of this place, and Henry W. living south of town.

He led an exemplary life, his cheerful disposition always showed a contented condition of mind. Reared in the careful teachings of the church, baptized and converted while yet a young man in Germany, he continued through life an earnest worker in the good cause, and will be sadly missed by all who were fortunate enough to number him among their friends.

The funeral services were held Monday morning at 10 o'clock, at the home, with following services at the German Reformed church, and interment in St. Paul's cemetery. Rev. Jacob Hauser officiated.

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