

MCKENDRY, CHARLES
June 20, 1868-September 15, 1902

A sad and most deplorable event occurred Monday evening, September 15th, 1902 when Charles McKendry departed this life, after an illness with typhoid fever of some weeks duration. The deceased had been in poor health with a complication of troubles for some time and about three weeks ago a typical case of typhoid fever developed, with the sad result as stated.

Mr. Charles McKendry was born in Noble county, Ohio, June 20th, 1868. He came to Merrick county, Nebraska with his parents in 1871, where he lived until July 1901, when he moved with his family to Wheatland, where he has resided since. Mr. McKendry was a carpenter by trade and built several dwellings and other buildings on the Wheatland flats, giving excellent satisfaction as a workman.

He was a man in the truest and noblest sense of that word and was a kind and indulgent husband and a loving father. True as steel with his dealings with his fellow man, frugal, sober and industrious, he enjoyed the esteem and respect of all with whom he came in contact.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss a sorrowing widow and four young children, two boys and two girls, of which the eldest is nine years and the youngest ten months old: his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McKendry; three sisters, Mrs. Jesse Morris and Miss Winnie McKendry of Wheatland, and Miss Lenna McKendry of Archer, Nebraska; and three brothers, Lee, Archie and John of Archer, Nebraska.

The funeral was held from the M.E. church, of which the deceased was a member, Wednesday at 2 p.m. A large concourse of sympathetic people accompanying him to his last resting place. May he rest in peace.