

Diamond Drill

Out of the Past

April 4, 1896

The sad news of the death of Miss Lizzie Hager was announced in Crystal Falls on Monday, the grim messenger having summoned the spirit of the young lady in the forenoon of that day. Miss Hager had suffered a severe attack of pneumonia, but was convalescing from that disease when she contracted measles. So low was the state of her vitality that the work of the measles was swift and fatal. She died at the tender age of eighteen years. The funeral occurred on Thursday from the Swedish Lutheran Church on Crystal Avenue and was largely attended.

There is yet a great deal of misunderstanding regarding the qualifications of voters under the present law. Those who are entitled to vote are: Natural male citizens who have resided in the voting precinct for six months plus every male inhabitant of foreign birth who has resided in the State two years and six months prior to November 8, 1894 and has declared his intention of becoming a citizen prior to May 8, 1892; no one shall be entitled to vote at any election unless above the age of twenty one years and residing in the state six months.