
WILLIAM DAVID BARNETT

William David Barnett, a well known Grinnell man, passed away yesterday morning at the Community Hospital as a result of apoplexy with which he was stricken Tuesday evening while on his way to attend the reception at the W. P. Stoddard home. He was crossing Fifth Avenue when he fell, and it was thought by those who saw him that he had been struck by a passing car. When his friends reached him he was unconscious and badly paralyzed. His condition did not improve and he passed away Thursday morning. 9-24-1920

William David Barnett was born, Jan. 20th, 1860 and died September 23, 1920. He was married to Miss Jennie L. Russell, March 23, 1881. Six children were born to this union, four dying in infancy. Harry L. passed away, May 13, 1907. There remain to mourn his death, his wife, his daughter, Miss Bertha, daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mayme Barnett, and a grandson, Russell F., two brothers, James F. West Grove, and John F. Crawfordsville. At the age of 12 he united with the Methodist church.

Mr. Barnett was a very respected citizen. He has made his home here in the city for several years, since he retired from farming. At the time of his death he was sixty years, eight months and three days of age.
