

# Frank Sharp Is Killed

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7-26-1929  
Farmer Living Near Kellogg Thought  
To Have Been Struck by Mower  
While Harvesting.

WAS SON OF MRS. ELIZABETH  
SHARP OF THIS CITY.

Funeral Services Were Held Thursday  
From Home Five Miles East of  
Newton.

Frank Sharp, farmer living near Kellogg, suffered fatal injuries Monday afternoon between 5 and 5:30 o'clock when he is believed to have been struck by a mower while he was harvesting. Mr. Sharp is the son of Mrs. Elizabeth Sharp of this city.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon at the home five miles east of Newton where he has lived for the past 29 years. Burial was in Kellogg cemetery.

Particulars regarding the cause of the accident are limited and uncertain because no one was near Mr. Sharp at the time. He suffered a broken neck and several small cuts about the body and his feet.

It is believed that he had descended from the mower upon reaching a corner with the intention of fixing some part of the machinery. Friends of the family are of the opinion that the line must have broken when the horses turned the corner, frightening them and causing them to run away.

From all appearances, Mr. Sharp is believed to have been leaning over and was struck by the machine as the horses pulled it away at a fast rate of speed. Neighbors, seeing the horses running away, but not the actual accident, concluded that something must be wrong and hurried to the field and the corner where Mr. Sharp was lying.

Mr. Sharp was born on Jan. 1, 1871, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Sharp, who were born in Jasper county. He married Sadie Doak and they settled on the farm about five miles southeast of Newton 29 years ago.

Mr. Sharp is survived by his wife and five sons, Donald, Otto, Clarence, Vernon and Oakley, all of the Newton vicinity and two brother, Henry of Killduff and Charles, who is residing in California, and his mother Mrs. Elizabeth Sharp, of Grinnell.