

**PNEUMONIA CLAIMS JOHN CROSBY
LAST MONDAY AFTERNOON.**

After about a week's illness, John Crosby died at his home at 509 Fourth avenue at four o'clock last Monday afternoon. He was taken sick with influenza which developed into pneumonia. He leaves a wife and one son, Charles, who lives with Mr. Crosby's mother. 11-8-1918

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock, conducted by Rev. J. M. Brown of the Methodist church. A quartet furnished appropriate music.

Mr. Crosby was born at Sycamore, Ill., in 1888. He lived in Sycamore until he was 21 years of age. He served four years in the United States navy. Later he came to Iowa where he met and married Miss Anna Black. He met and married Miss Anna Black of Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Crosby have been residents of Grinnell for about eight months. Since coming here Mr. Crosby has been associated with the firm of LeRoy & Clifton in the painting business.

Those out of town who attended the funeral were, his mother, Mrs. Anna Crosby, of Sycamore, Ill., his sister, Mrs. L. M. Litshiem, of Humboldt, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Willovich of Ankeny.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the neighbors and especially Mr. Leroy and Clifton and Painters Union who helped us so kindly, and for the beautiful flowers which they sent during our sickness and bereavement of husband, son and brother, John Crosby.

Signed MRS. JOHN CROSBY, Wife.

MRS. ANNA CROSBY, Mother.

MRS. L. M. LITSMIEM, Sister.