MARTHA APPLEBY LARSON.

Martha Appleby was born in Hugonsund, Norway, Feb. 4, 1856. In 1868 she came to this county with her parents, brother and sisters and settled near New Sharon.

She had been married twice. One son. Roger Armstrong, survives the arst marriage. To the accord union five children were born: Anna. Mamie, Agnes. Karl and Rebecca. Of these all survive except Karl who died in infancy.

Besides these she took a real mother's place to her husband's five children, Mrs. C. U. Bell, Mrs. John Alertsen, Mrs. Jake Blankenfeld, now deceased; Carrie and Herman Larson.

She was a member of the Lutheran church and an active member of the Ludies' Aid. She had been in poor health for some time but had not been conduced to her bed until the past two months.

Her death occurred Wednesday morning, <u>October</u> 23rd, at her home, heven miles southeast of Grienell, and she was laid to rest in the Hazelwood cometery Friday afternoon, Rev. J. M. Brown conducting the services.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Whinery, and Mr. Chris Appleby of Altoona, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. J. Manad. Mitcheitville, Jowa: Mrs. Jettie Adams, Chicago: Mr. Chrisen Appleby, Des Moines: Mr. O. Shayer, Gilman, Jowa: Mrs. Martha Windahl, Mr. Ed Windahl and Mr. Henry Windahl of New Sharon.

MRS. MARTHA LARSON DEAD.

The death of Mrs. Martha Larson, wife of Abe Larson, occurred Wednesday morning at her home, seven miles southeast of Grinnell. Interment took place at 2 P. M. today. Services at the grave were conducted by Mr. Peterson of the Grinnell Baptist church.

