

PIONEER OF VADER PASSES SUDDENLY

VADER, Nov. 8.—(Special)—Richard Townsend, a pioneer of Vader, and the father of Mayor Max Townsend, died this week of heart trouble. While he had been ill for some time death came unexpectedly and suddenly, as Mr. Townsend was feeling better than usual. The deceased was born in New York city in 1855 and came west 30 years ago. His first home was in Tacoma, and two years later he moved to Vader where he has resided since. He was active in public life, having twice been mayor of Vader and he also served on the city council and on the school board. Beside the widow and son in Vader, Mr. Townsend is survived by a daughter, a brother and two sisters.