

PIONEER BRICKMAKER DIED ON SATURDAY

Elijah Hayes Passed Away at His
Home in Bountiful--Funeral
in Second Ward Tuesday

Elijah Hayes, a pioneer brick-maker, passed away at his home in Bountiful, Saturday, of blood poisoning. He was confined to his bed for about a week being unconscious most of the time, and scarcely suffered any pain. His health had been poor for several months. About two months before his death blood poisoning developed in his hand.

Mr. Hayes was born in England and came to Utah when he was about 17 years old with his father and sister, Mrs. Richard Ashdown; his mother having died before they left their native land. He was the youngest of a family of fifteen children nearly all of whom remained in England. Mr. Hayes was about 62 years old. His father was the late Charles Hayes, who had been a brick manufacturer in England all his life and his father before him.

On arriving in Utah, the family located in Bountiful where the deceased had lived ever since.

The father established a brickyard here and the deceased worked with his father up to the latter's death and has followed that line of work more or less all his life, although of late years he did considerable bricklaying. They were about the first brick-makers in Bountiful, and many of the old buildings that still remain in the south end of the county contain brick made by them.

He married Bessie Lynham, several children being born to them but his wife and all the children but one daughter who lives in Ogden, passed away. Later he married Sarah Eckwright, five children being born to them, three of whom—two sons and a daughter—together with his wife, survive him.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 2 p. m. in the Bountiful Second ward meeting house.

There was a large attendance and many beautiful floral offerings. The speakers were Elders, E. L. Hanson, James Neville, Nephi Giles, Cyrus Page, C. R. Mabey, B. C. Holbrook and Bishop Stringham. Interment was in the Bountiful cemetery.