

T O O E L E P I O N E E R D E A D .

George Atkin, Well Known Citizen, Passes Away.  
(Special Correspondence.)

Tooele, Jan. 3.--One of Tooele's oldest settlers, viz: George Atkin, passed away at his residence here at 12:50 o'clock A. M. today. Mr. Atkin has been suffering for two years and has fast failed, finally passing off with heart failure. At 5 o'clock last evening he called the members of his family and wished them a long farewell, and went to sleep, from which he never awoke.

Mr. Atkin came to Tooele with his father in 1851 when but a lad, direct from South Lincolnshire, England; he has grown with Tooele and has been identified with many of its industrial institutions. For a long time he was superintendent of the Tooele E. C. M. I., and when that institution collapsed he fell among the wreck, and has never since recovered his financial standing. Mr. Atkin is 63 years of age and leaves two families to mourn his demise.

Arrangements are being made for the funeral, which will take place in Tooele on Friday.

(The above obituary was found in a large scrap book last owned by Richard and Laura Warburton.)

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(The following items were copied by Pauline Warburton Hadfield, from the Brigham City Library. Each man's picture was by each item.)

Thomas Atkin born 10 Feb. 1804--Legsby, Lincolnshire, England. Came to Utah 23 Sept., 1849 in Orsen Spencer Co.

Thomas Atkin Jr. son of Thomas Atkin and Mary Morely, born June 7, 1833, South Lincolnshire, Eng. Bhp. of Tooele Ward, Patriarch.

George Atkin--son of Thomas Atkin and Mary Morely, born Mar. 12, 1830, South Lincolnshire, England. Seventy, Merchant.

Wm. T. Atkin--son of George Atkin and Sarah Matilda Utley. Born June 8, 1872--Tooele, Utah.

Joseph Warburton born Sept. 21, 1831, Radcliffe, England. Came to Utah in Sept. 1860, Jesse E, Murphy Co. Bhp. of 1st Ward at Salt Lake.

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