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## DEATH OF W. T. WILKINS

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### An Early Settler of Minnesota and Former State Senator.

Special to The Journal.

Austin, Minn., Sept. 19.—W. T. Wilkin, an early settler of southern Minnesota, died at his home here at 8:30 to-day, of pneumonia, after a brief illness, aged 76. He was born in Chatauqua county, New York, and came to Spring Valley in 1854. He was register of deeds of Fillmore county eight years. He came to Austin in 1868, and was state senator from Mower county in 1883.

He was formerly in the banking business here. His wife and only child are dead. He was a member of St. Bernard commandery, Knights Templar, which will have charge of his funeral.

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