TRIVIAL GUT FATAL

Veteran Attorney Is Victim of Blood Poison

William Stewart Moore, a veteran attorney of the city died yesterday afternoon shortly after 4 o'clock of blood poisoning. He was 75 years old. A little over two weeks ago Mr. Moore accidentally struck his right hand against the kitchen stove at his home, 931 Grove street, inflicting a slight cut. Nothing was thought of the matter at the time but in a few days the hand began to swell and the entire arm became inflamed, A physician was called who pronounced Mr. Moore to be suffering from a bad case of blood poisoning and ordered him removed to St. Joseph's hospital. Mr. Moore gradually became worse and was unconscious the greater part of the time. Yesterday he was weaker and slowly sank until the end. It is thought that some of the blacking on the stove was rubbed into the flesh on the hand at the time of the accident.

Mr. Moore was a resident of St. Paul for over forty years and was at one time prominently connected with municipal affairs. He was a member of the state legislature and was also counsel for the commission which built the Ramsey county court house and St. Paul city hall.

Mr. Moore was married and leaves three children, Mrs. A. J. Gillette, wife of Dr. Gillette; George Moore and William Moore.

The funeral will take place at the family residence, 931 Grove street, with services at St. Mary's church. The date of the funeral has not been fixed.