

## **E. C. SEVERANCE DROPS DEAD IN MINNEAPOLIS**

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**Father of C. A. Severance Dies Suddenly in a Barber Shop**

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E. C. Severance, of Mantorville, Dodge county, father of C. A. Severance, of St. Paul, died suddenly yesterday of apoplexy in Minneapolis. He was stricken in a barber shop near his Minneapolis residence and fell dead before medical aid could be summoned.

Though he had been ailing slightly during the past year, his condition was not alarming, and the news of his sudden death will be a surprise to his friends in the Twin Cities and throughout the state. Mr. Severance traveled in Europe for his health last winter and was apparently well during the past few months.

Mr. Severance had been a member of the Minnesota bar since 1855, when he settled in Mantorville. He was well known in his section of the state and held many local offices and was a member of the state legislature in 1884. He was born in Pennsylvania in 1829, was educated for the legal profession and came West in the early '50s. He is survived by C. A. Severance, of St. Paul, and a daughter, Mrs. William Howard, of New York city. The remains will be taken to Mantorville this evening for interment.

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