

WINONA WINNOWINGS.

Death of Two of the Pioneers of the City.

Special to the Globe.

WINONA, Aug. 1.—The death of two of our early pioneers occurred to-day, Dr. S. B. Sheardown and Mrs. William H. Laird. Dr. Sheardown was born in Botlin, Chemung county, New York, Oct. 7, 1826. He came here about 1855 and practiced medicine and kept a drug store in this city and at Stockton. He was a prominent Republican in politics, and was several times elected to the legislature. During the war he served as surgeon of the Tenth Minnesota. He was a brother of John Sheardown, clerk of district court. The only child is his son, Dr. T. W. Sheardown. Mrs. A. B. Blair, of Eyota, was brought up in his family as a daughter. Dr. Sheardown was nominated for state senator by the Republicans at the last senatorial election. He was taken sick about six months ago of kidney trouble, and gradually grew weaker, dying at St. John's hospital this morning. Funeral services will be held from St. Paul's church to-morrow,