## DEATH CLAIMS LOCAL DOCTOR

Dr. Leland Baxter Succumbs Following Illness of One Week.

Dr. Leland Baxter, practicing physician here for the past 23 years, died this afternoon at 2:20 o'clock in the home, 211 North 11th street, following an illness of one week. Dr. Baxter's condition grew worse this morning as a result of a head infection suffered several days ago which was followed by pneumonia and meningitis.

Born in Fayette, Fulton county, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baxter, who are at present located in Hooker, Okla., he began his practice in Newark in 1913 after several years spent at Fayette.

Dr. Baxter received his B. A. degree at Hiram college, Hiram, and his medical degree at Rush Medical college in Chicago. His postgraduate work was obtained in Harvard Medical school and the University of Michigan. Additional medical work was gained in Austria where he attended schools and lectures at Vienna.

Dr. Baxter was a member of the American Medical association, Ohio State Medical association, the Licking County Medical society and the staff of the City hospital. He was also affiliated with the K. of P. lodge, Masonic order and the Trinity Episcopal church.

Surviving are his widow and one son Leland, Jr., of the home and his parents.