

FRANK J. PARKER DEAD.

Old-Time Billiard Champion Succumbed to Paralysis in Chicago.

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Frank J. Parker, an old time billiard player of National reputation, died at his home here to-day of paralysis.

Parker was an expert at the four-ball game, and gained a National reputation in 1871, when he met and defeated A. P. Rudolphe for the championship in Buffalo. A few months later he was challenged by C. Dion. The match was decided in Chicago, and resulted in defeat for Parker. He did not again compete in any championship tournaments.

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