John W. Fountain

Occupant Name: John W. Fountain

Location: Section T, Lot 22

Date of Birth: 2/2/1858

Date of Death: 7/15/1923

Date of Burial: 1923

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Mary E. Fountain

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:





JOHN W. FOUNTAIN DIES OF PARALYTIC STROKE

Well Known Former Business Man And Farmer—Funeral on Tuesday Afternoon.

John W. Fountain, a well known citizen of Clearspring, died at his home there Sunday, July 15, at 1:15 p. m. Mr. Fountain suffered a paralytic stroke on February 24, 1922, from which he never recovered. His entire right side was paralyzed and he had been confined to his bed since that time.

Mr. Fountain was born in Owen township, near Clearspring, February 2, 1858, making his age 65 years, 5 months and 13 days. In February, 1879, he was married to Miss Mary E. Hamilton. He was a farmer a large portion of his life, but engaged in general merchandise business at Clearspring for several years. He lived in Owen township all his life, except about six or eight years, when he engaged in the insurance business at Brownstown, and about one year when he lived in Seymour before he returned to Clearspring in the spring of 1921. He leaves his widow, two sons, Virgil H. Fountain, who is county clerk-elect of Jackson county, and Major Lee S. Fountain, who is stationed at Fort McPherson, Ga., and two daughters, Mrs. Geo. Hanners, of Bargersville, and Mrs. Bertie Kinsler, who is living at home.

For thirty years Mr. Fountain had been a member of the Clearspring Baptist church where the funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Burial at Brownstown.