Etta McCrary

Occupant Name: Etta McCrary

Location: Section W, Lot 9

Date of Birth: 7/8/1870

Date of Death: 1945

Date of Burial: 1945

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Etta McCrary

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Mrs. Etta McCrary, 75, Succumbs at Hospital

Mrs. Etta McCrary, age seventy-five, resident of Brownstown for many years, died Monday afternoon at Schneck Memorial Hospital, where she had been receiving treatment. Although she had been in failing health for several years, she had been ill only a few days and her sudden death came as a shock to her many friends in the county.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the Winklepleck Funeral Home in Brownstown with the Rev. Frank M. Templin, pastor of the Brownstown Methodist Church, in charge. Burial in Fairview Cemetery at Brownstown.

Mrs. McCrary was born July 8, 1870, in Pekin, the daughter of Albert and Carrie Trainer Martin, both deceased. She was married to Frank McCrary, who preceded her in death.

She was a resident of Brownstown for many years, where she was active in church and civic affairs. She was a member of the Brownstown Methodist Church and as long as her health permitted was active in the Women's Society of Christian Service, the women's organization of the church.

She was also a member of the auxiliary of Camp Jackson Post No. 112, American Legion, at Brownstown, where she served as sergeant-at-arms for a great number of years. For the past two years she had been made honorary sergeant-at-arms. One of the oldest members of the auxiliary both in age and length of membership, she was affectionately known as "Mother McCrary" by the auxiliary members.

She is survived by five children: Edward McCrary, Seymour; Hugh McCrary, Brownstown; Mrs. Frankie Harmon and Mrs. Margaret Klitch, both of Indianapolis, and Miss Lillian McCrary, at home. Eight grandchildren and two brothers, Ellis Martin, of Pekin, and Lawrence Martin, of Salem, also survive.