

# Harry C. Murphy

Occupant Name: Harry C. Murphy

Location: **Section 3, Lot 7**

Date of Birth: 3/26/1878

Date of Death: 8/3/1937

Date of Burial: 8/6/1937

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Harry Murphy

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



He was a member of the Presbyterian church and was a 32nd degree Mason.

Funeral services will be conducted at the residence Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock with the Rev. Robt. Crosby, pastor of the Brownstown Presbyterian church, in charge. Burial in Fairview cemetery.

Surviving beside the widow and

children he leaves one granddaughter, Ruth Ann Hommel; one brother, Byron Murphy, of Quincy, Ill., and three sisters, Mrs. Emma Fosgate, of Beardstown, Ill., Mrs. Nellie Prather, of St. Louis, Mo., and Mrs. Jessie McBride, of Washington, Ind.

## Dr. Murphy Expires Suddenly

Death Follows Heart Attack  
At His Home In B'town  
Tuesday Evening.

### Wide Acquaintance

Funeral Services Thursday Afternoon At 3 o'clock At Family Residence.

The news of the sudden death of Dr. Harry C. Murphy at his home in Brownstown Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock came as a severe shock to his many friends and acquaintances.

He had been in apparently good health until a short time before his death and had spent the day as usual at his dental office in Seymour, returning to his home here on the six o'clock Leppert bus.

About 6:30 after reaching home he was seized with a heart attack. A physician was sent for and he seemed to be getting better.

A short time later as Mrs. Murphy had finished talking over the telephone, she heard a noise and found her husband had fallen to the floor and was dead by the time she reached his side. It is thought that a blood clot had formed near the heart.

Dr. Murphy had a wide acquaintance over Jackson county and elsewhere, having practiced his profession for many years in Brownstown and Seymour. He helped organize the Citizens State Bank in Ewing and served as cashier four years. He was honorable and upright, of a friendly nature and much devoted to his home and family.

Dr. Murphy was born at Seymour March 26, 1878, the son of James E. and Emma Meulder Murphy, both deceased. He was married in Medora to Miss Ruth Branaman of Brownstown March 1, 1903. To their union were born one son, Harold W. Murphy, an attorney at Steubenville, Ohio, and a daughter, Mrs. Helen Hommel, of Philadelphia, Pa., who has been spending the summer here with her parents. He came to Brownstown thirty-six years ago June 1st.

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