

John F. Sarver

Occupant Name: John F. Sarver

Location: **Section P, Lot 5**

Date of Birth: 1844

Date of Death: 1/12/1912

Date of Burial: 1912

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: John Sarver

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



SUDDEN DEATH

Of John Sarver, Aged Veteran of the Civil War.

John Sarver, an aged veteran of the Civil war, died suddenly at his home in Brownstown Friday morning, January 12, 1912, about six o'clock. Deceased had been more or less of a sufferer from kidney trouble for a number of years, but was not confined to the house and was able to be up and about as usual on Thursday.

Mrs. Sarver was suffering from an attack of pneumonia and her husband got up about three o'clock Friday morning to fix the fire and give his wife some medicine, and laid down again. It was about 4 o'clock when his wife called him but received no reply; she called a second time and receiving no reply, got up and went to his bedside and saw that he was unconscious. She called to her neighbor, Mrs. England, and at the same time sent their adopted son to Henry Schneider's to telephone for a doctor, but when Dr. Joe Cummings arrived he found the man in a dying condition.

The funeral services, under auspices of Gordon Tanner Post, No. 159, of which he was a member, were conducted at the M. E. church Monday morning, Rev. Edw. F. Schneider officiating, followed by interment in Fairview cemetery.

John Erwin Sarver was born in Gikes county, Virginia, about 85 years ago. At the time of the great Rebellion he was living in Kentucky, and responded to his country's call. He was a member of Co. G, 53rd Regt. Kentucky Infantry Vols., also of Co. B, 14th Regt. Kentucky Cavalry Vols., receiving an honorable discharge from both regiments.

He was united in marriage to Mary Warren at Bedford, Ky., in March, 1869. In the same year he and his wife came to Indiana, first settling near Seymour, later moving to Seymour. Ten years ago they moved near Freetown, and last October they moved to Brownstown, where they purchased the home where he died.

He leaves to mourn his death, his widow and two daughters viz: Mrs. Fry, of Stephensonville, Montana, and Mrs. Ida Kackley, of Soda Springs, Idaho; also an adopted son, Fred Sarver, who lives at home. He is also survived by three brothers and one sister.

