

Caddie H. Shepard

Occupant Name: Caddie H. Shepard

Location: **Section M, Lot 3**

Date of Birth: 11/26/1869

Date of Death: 1956

Date of Burial: 1956

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Allen Shepard

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Miss Caddie Shepard Dies At Noon Today

Miss Caddie Shepard, one of Brownstown's oldest and best known residents, died shortly after noon today at the Rosclawn Nursing Home in Seymour, where she had been a patient for about a year and a half.

Several days ago she fell from her bed at the Home, suffering a hip injury, and her condition had been critical since then.

The oldest of three children of the late Allen Austin and Fannie Holmes Shepard, Miss Shepard was born on a farm in Cowley county, Kansas, on November 26, 1869.

When she was five years of age she moved to Jackson county with her parents, who settled in Hamilton township. In 1888 she came with them to Brownstown where her father opened the Shepard Variety Store, which remained in the family for more than half a century.

Miss Shepard was educated in the Cortland school and also attended a commercial school in Indianapolis. For six years she taught school in this county and later held a secretarial position in Indianapolis.

For many years she was associated with her father and brother in the Shepard Variety Store and maintained an interest in the business until it was sold in October, 1954.

A member of the Brownstown Methodist Church since girlhood, she was devout in her faith and an ardent church worker. She was a member of the Bible School teaching staff for many years and was identified with all women's groups of the church. She also took an active part in community affairs.

Her Christian ideals were reflected in her everyday living and she was loved and admired by everyone who knew her.

Miss Shepard leaves only the one brother, Elmer Shepard. A sister, Mrs. A. J. Bordhecker, preceded her in death.

Funeral rites will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon from the Winklepleck Funeral Home here. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Winklepleck Funeral Home after noon Thursday.