

# Alex C. Snyder

Occupant Name: Alex C. Snyder

Location: Section Q, Lot 2

Date of Birth: 8/3/1852

Date of Death: 1937

Date of Burial: 1937

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: A. Snyder

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



## Alex Snyder, 85, Dies At Slygo

Well Known Brownstown Township Farmer Passes Away—  
Funeral Rites Thursday.

Alex C. Snyder, age eighty-five, one of the county's oldest residents, died at his home at Slygo Hill east of Brownstown at 11:30 o'clock Tuesday night. Death followed an illness of three months and his condition had been critical for the past week.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Thursday

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afternoon from the home with the Rev. Robert Crosby, pastor of the Brownstown Presbyterian Church, officiating. Burial in Fairview Cemetery, Brownstown.

Mr. Snyder was born on August 3, 1852, near Wegan, the son of John C. and Cinderella Miller Snyder. He had spent his entire life in Brownstown township and was one of the vicinity's best known farmers.

On February 28, 1875, he was married to Mary Jarvis, who died on April 7, 1881. They were the parents of three children, all of whom preceded him in death. On October 19, 1882, Mr. Snyder was married to Margaret Jarvis, who survives. They were the parents of six children, five of whom survive.

Mr. Snyder was a member of a pioneer family, his mother having been born in the old fort at Vallonia. He was of an industrious nature and took a keen interest in community, national and world affairs. His honesty and vigorous support of that which was right won him the respect and esteem of all who knew him. His jovial disposition and his readiness to render aid in time of need won him a host of friends throughout the county. He was a member of the Brownstown Presbyterian Church.

Besides the widow, he is survived by five children, John Snyder, of Memphis, Tenn.; Edd Snyder, of Franklin, Ind.; Howard Snyder, of Brownstown; Mrs. Ralph Gossman, of Slygo and Miss Blanche Snyder, who lives at home.