

Thomas Sprague

Occupant Name: Thomas Sprague

Location: **Section 3, Lot 31**

Date of Birth: 12/6/1887

Date of Death: 10/1948

Date of Burial: 10/1948

Veteran: No

Lot Owner: Theresa Sprague

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Thomas Sprague Dies At Freetown

Thomas B. Sprague, well known Freetown businessman, and former postmaster at Freetown died early Sunday morning at his home in Freetown. He had been ill since last March and in serious condition since August when he underwent an operation at Schneck Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Sprague lived in Jackson county all his life and had operated a general store in Freetown. He was a member of the Freetown Evangelical United Brethren Church, Clearspring Lodge No. 123, Free and Accepted Masons, at Kurtz, Seymour Chapter No. 85, Royal Arch Masons, Seymour Council No. 38, Royal and Select Masters and Seymour Commandery No. 56, Knights Templar. He was also a member of the Freetown Order of Odd Fellows and of the Modern Woodmen lodge.

Mr. Sprague was 70 years old. He was born December 6, 1877, in Spraytown, the son of John W. and Sarah Ann Weekly Sprague. He was married in 1903 to Theresa Smith, who survives.

Also surviving are three sons, Edward Sprague, teacher and former coach at Freetown High School, Paul Sprague and Carl Sprague, Freetown, who will continue operation of the general store; a daughter, Mrs. Gladys Lee, Indianapolis; two brothers, John L. Sprague, Freetown and Elmer Sprague, Anderson, and four grandchildren.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Freetown Evangelical United Brethren Church with the Rev. Albert Howard officiating. Burial in Fairview cemetery, Brownstown. Clearspring Lodge will conduct Masonic services and a Knight Templar escort will be provided by Seymour Commandery No. 56.

Friends may call at the Winkler's Funeral Home, Brownstown, this afternoon, and until the time of the funeral Tuesday, with