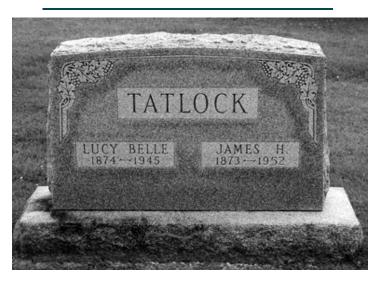
## James H. Tatlock

Occupant Name: James H. Tatlock	
Location:	Section 3, Lot 31
Date of Birth:	1/26/1873
Date of Death:	1952
Date of Burial:	1952
Veteran:	No
Lot Owner:	James Tatlock
Multiple Occupants: No	

## Comment:



## Kites Held Sunday For James Tatlock, Co. School Head Had Devoted Sixty-Three Years To Academic And **Religious** Training Of Youth. James H. Tatlock, Jackson county superintendent of schools and one of Brownstown's best loved citizens, who had devoted more than a half century toward more than a hair century toward the religious and academic train-ing of youth, died in his sleep early Friday morning at his home here. Mr. Tatlock, who would have been eighty years old next month, had been in failing health for two years, but each day found bim at had been in failing health for two years, but each day found him at his office in the county court-house. Wednesday of last week he attended the annual courthouse Christmas party and Christmas Day joined members of his family for Christmas dinner. He had had a cardiac condition for sometime and death was due to a heart attack. Funeral rites wer held Sunday to a heart attack. Funeral rites were held Sunday afternoon from the Brownstown Church of the Nazarene in charge of the pastor, the Rev. W. C. Fields, and the Rev. Leo Davis, of Bedford. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery. The twelve trustees of Jackson county served as honorary pall-hearene Ine twelve trustees of Jackson County served as honorary pall-bearers. Mr. Tatlock was born January 26, 1873, near Medora, a son of the late Joseph and Mary Ange-line Smith Tatlock. His father was a ploneer resident of Jack-son county and his mother was born in Louisville, Kentucky. He attended grade schools in the county and since there was no accredited high school in the county at that time, he entered Franklin College after passing a high school equivalency extmins-tion. In 1927, he received a de-gred from Franklin. He also did graduate work at Indiana Uni-versity.

graduate work at Indiana Uni-versity. He began his teaching career in Sait Creek township at the age of seventeen and had taught at Freetown, Houston, Cortland, Val-lonia, Clearapring, Tampico and vicinities. In June of 1925 he was appointed county superinten-dent of achools and during the more than a quarter of a century he served in this important post his progressive ideas won him high commendation from state educators.

high commendation from state educators. Mr. Tatlock's life was motivat-ed by high Christian ideals and combined with his sixty-three years in school work was an equi-valent numbers of years devoted to the religious training of youth. to the religious training of youth. In each community where he taught he also taught Sunday School classes and served as Bible School superintendent, and his young people with whom he came in contact. Mr. Tatlock was a fluent speak-er and until his health began to fail, was in constant demand for commencement addresses each spring.

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endeared him to the entire com-munity. On March 10, 1894, he was mar-ried at Freetown to Lucy Belle Moore, who died May 25, 1945. He and, his family moved to Brownstown in 1910. Surviving are a son, Sheldon Tatlock, of Sullivan. two daugh-ters, Mrs. Clifford Stotz and Mrs. Flossie Owens, of Brownstown: a half-brother, Daniel Godfrey of Harrisburg, Illinois, and a sister, Mrs. Sadle Hanner, of Kurtz; five grandchildren and six great-