

# Ralph Tidwell

Occupant Name: Ralph Tidwell

Location: **Section 7, Lot 8**

Date of Birth: 11/2/1896

Date of Death: 3/22/1995

Date of Burial: 3/24/1995

Veteran: Yes

Lot Owner: Ralph Tidwell

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



## Ralph A. Tidwell

Nov. 2, 1896-March 22, 1995

Ralph A. Tidwell, 98, of Brownstown died at 11:40 a.m. Wednesday, March 22, 1995, at Hoosier Christian Village, Brownstown, after being in failing health since 1992.

Mr. Tidwell retired in 1946 from Kingsbury Ordinance Plant, LaPorte, where he was an assembly line worker. The World War I U.S. Army veteran was discharged in 1918.

The oldest veteran of World War I in Jackson County, he was a 74-year member of the Brownstown American Legion Post 112 and a 70-year member of the Washington Lodge 13 Free and Accepted Masons.

Born Nov. 2, 1896, in Jackson County, he was the son of James Tidwell and Regetta Scott. On Dec. 8, 1925, in Col-

umbus, he married Bernice U. Brock, and she died April 8, 1986.

Survivors include a sister, Anna Eastin, Brownstown.

He was preceded in death by three sisters.

Morris Tippen will conduct services at 1:30 p.m. Friday at Winklepleck-Weesner Funeral Home, Brownstown, with burial to follow in Fairview Cemetery, Brownstown. Military graveside services will be conducted at the cemetery.

Friends may call from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. today and from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Friday at the funeral home. A Masonic service will be conducted at 7 p.m. today at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be given to the Brownstown Christian Church or Hoosier Christian Village.

