

Sadie Hamilton

Occupant Name: Sadie Hamilton

Location: Section D

Date of Birth: 2/28/1859

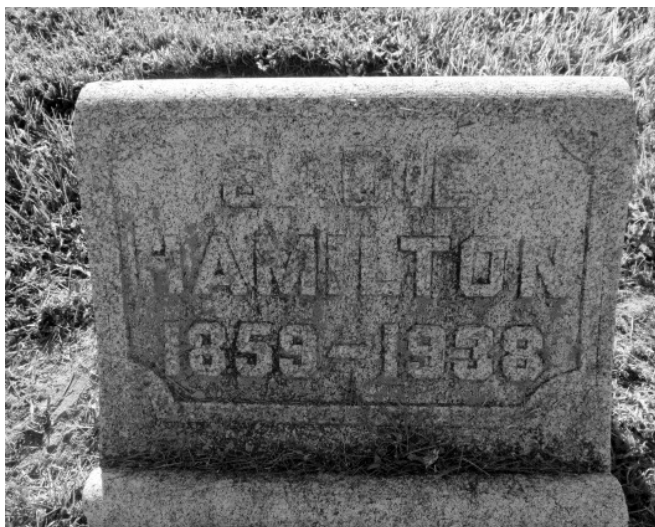
Date of Death: 1938

Date of Burial: 1938

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Death Of Well Known Local Woman

**Mrs. Sadie Hamilton Expires At
Home Of Nephew In Indi-
anapolis.**

Mrs. Sadie Hamilton, widow of George R. Hamilton, died at the home of her nephew, Roy D. Branaman, at Indianapolis Friday morning at 12:35 o'clock. Although she had been in poor health for some time, her death came as a shock, as she had visited friends here just a month before she passed away. She had been bedfast three weeks.

The body was brought to Brownstown and taken direct to the Presbyterian church where funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. L. V. Rule, former pastor of the Presbyterian church, assisted by the Rev. R. W. Crosby, pastor. Burial in Fairview cemetery.

Sadie Daly Hamilton was born at Houston, Indiana, February 28, 1859, daughter of William and Mary Jane Freese Daly, and was the last surviving member of the family. On October 20, 1878, she was united in marriage in Brownstown to George R. Hamilton at the home of her mother, Mrs. Walter Benton, and went to housekeeping at once in their home on Poplar street where she continued to live until she sold her home about a year ago and went to Indianapolis to live with her nephew, whom she had had reared as a son. Mr. Hamilton died August 23, 1910.

Many years ago she united with the Presbyterian church and remained a most devoted member through life. She was a kind, obliging friend and neighbor and in time of sickness or need she was ever ready to aid. Her kindly presence has been felt in many homes of sorrow and affliction in Brownstown.

Mrs. Hamilton was an ardent reader and was always conversant with current topics of the day. She was an active member in civic as well as social enterprises. Probably foremost of these was the active part she took in the first steps to establish an endowment fund for Fairview cemetery for its future maintenance. She not only helped to secure the original fund through contribution by the lot owners, but when the movement was finally consummated she was appointed as one of the members of the cemetery board of trustees, which she held continuously until her death. She was a member of the Brownstown Library board, a charter member of the Study Club and was a member of the Friendship Club.

Survivors besides the nephew, at whose home she died, is one niece, Mrs. Walter Hawkins, and a great-niece, Miss Margaret Alice Branaman, both of Indianapolis.