

Frank S. Hancock

Occupant Name: Frank S. Hancock

Location: **Section B**

Date of Birth: 2/9/1880

Date of Death: 1951

Date of Burial: 1951

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Frank Hancock, 70, Takes Own Life Monday Morning

Apparently Was Despondent
Over Poor Health—Funeral
Services Held This Morn-
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Leaving no note but probably despondent over poor health, Frank Spurgeon Hancock, age 70, took his own life Monday morning in his apartment in the Pferrer building in Ewing.

The exact time he took his life is not known. He was seen moving about in his room, which fronted on the street, at six o'clock and it was about seven when his body was found. Placing a pillow on the floor near the baseboard on which he rested his head he had used a short stick with a nail in it to trip the trigger of a double barrel 12 gauge shotgun. The load struck his heart.

Mr. Hancock was born in Brownstown, February 9, 1880, the son of William T. and Susan Spurgeon Hancock, deceased. On June 16, 1905, he was married in Indianapolis to Emma Talkington and to this union were born two children, Frank Doren Hancock, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Mrs. Lydean Hyatt, of Seymour, who survive. Also surviving is one grandson.

Funeral services were held this morning at ten o'clock at the Zabel Funeral Home, in charge of the Rev. E. E. Pedicord, of Brownstown. Burial in Fairview cemetery.