

William T. Hancock

Occupant Name: William T. Hancock

Location: **Section B**

Date of Birth: 9/2/1845

Date of Death: 9/29/1920

Date of Burial: 10/3/1920

Veteran: Yes- Co. G, 13th Indiana Vol.

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:

DEATH RECORD.

Hancock—William T. Hancock, one of Brownstown's well-known citizens, passed away at his home at this place Wednesday night, September 29, of heart trouble, aged 75 years and 27 days. He had been in failing health for two years and for the past two months had been confined to his bed.

Deceased was born at Salem, Indiana, September 2, 1845. He was united in marriage to Miss Susan E. Spurgeon, of Salem, in 1871, and to their union were born four sons, Alva, Frank and Charley, of Brownstown, and Will Hancock, of Indianapolis, who with their mother survive him. He also leaves two grandchildren, Doren and Miss La Dean Hancock, who made their home with him, and one brother, Aaron Hancock, of Orleans, Ind.

He enlisted in the Civil War and was a member of the 13th Ind. Co. G, Vol., and served three years and nine months. The family moved to Brownstown forty-two years ago, where he resided continuously until his death. By occupation he was a contractor and carpenter and some of Brownstown's most substantial business houses stand today as a monument to his craftsmanship.

Funeral services were conducted at his late home Friday afternoon at two o'clock by Rev. N. C. Wilson, of Indianapolis, followed by burial in Fairview cemetery.

