

Thornton P. Heller

Occupant Name: Thornton P. Heller

Location: **Section 2, Lot 6**

Date of Birth: 1/7/1874

Date of Death: 1950

Date of Burial: 1950

Veteran: Yes-Spanish-Am War

Lot Owner: Thornton P. Heller

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Funeral Rites Set for Thornton P. Heller

Funeral services for Thornton P. Heller, 76, prominent resident of Brownstown and a life-long resident of Jackson county, will be conducted at 2 o'clock (DST) Saturday afternoon from the Brownstown Methodist Church, with the Rev. Russell Hall, pastor, in charge. Burial in Fairview Cemetery, Brownstown.

Friends may call at the Winklepleck Funeral Home, Brownstown.

Mr. Heller died Thursday morning at Methodist Hospital, Indianapolis. His condition had been considered critical for several days, but he had been ill since last February.

Born just south of Brownstown on January 7, 1874, the son of the late John W. and Phoebe Doerr Heller, Mr. Heller was twice married. On August 10, 1902, he was married in Brownstown to Ethel Perry, who preceded him in death. On November 10, 1938, he was married in Brownstown to Lena B. Dixon, who survives.

A Spanish-American War veteran, Mr. Heller was recently awarded 50-year membership pins in both the Masonic Lodge and Knights of Pythias lodge in Brownstown. He was also a member of the Brownstown Methodist Church. Mr. Heller served as a second lieutenant in the 159th Regiment Company G, in the Spanish-American War, and was a member of Ralph B. Applewhite Camp No. 74, United Spanish War Veterans.

Mr. Heller was associated with the Brownstown Brick and Hollow Ware Company.

Survivors in addition to the widow include three daughters and two sons, Mrs. Vivian Winks, of Coatesville, Mrs. Bernice Kenny, of Brownstown, Miss Lena Heller, of Beech Grove, John T. Heller of Brownstown, and George M. Heller, of Columbus; one brother, James B. Heller, of Brownstown; one sister, Miss Bertha Heller, of Brownstown; and four grandchildren.