

Inez Long Wagstaff

Occupant Name: Inez Long Wagstaff

Location: Section E

Date of Birth: 4/1869

Date of Death: 1959

Date of Burial: 1959

Veteran: No

Multiple Occupants: No

Comment:



Mrs. Inez Wagstaff Dies In Detroit— Rites To Be Here

Mrs. Inez Long Wagstaff, native of Brownstown and a teacher in the Brownstown schools for a number of years, died early this morning in a hospital in Detroit, Michigan. She had been a patient there since April of last year.

The funeral party will arrive in Brownstown Friday night and funeral rites will be held at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon from the Zabel Funeral Home. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Wagstaff, who would have been 90 years old in April, was the mother of Basil Wagstaff, president of the Chrysler Motor Corporation, and Byford Wagstaff, of Atlanta, Georgia, an automotive sales executive in that city.

Born in Brownstown, she was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Byford Long. Her father was a prominent Brownstown attorney for many years and also served as clerk of the Jackson Circuit Court.

Mrs. Wagstaff was graduated from the Brownstown High School with the Class of 1886. After college training she returned to teach in the schools here prior to her marriage, and taught here again in later life.

She was recognized as an excellent teacher, taking a deep personal interest in her young students and instilling in them a desire for learning. A member of the Brownstown Presbyterian Church, she took an active part in church work and in the cultural life of the community.