

## PARROTT, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN

### Birth

January 5, 1848 in Fountain  
Co., Indiana



### Death

January 1, 1923 at near Orilla in  
Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., Iowa

Standard Certificate of Death  
Polk Co., Iowa  
77-309  
Registered No. 2753



Benjamin Franklin Parrott  
Residence: Bloomfield Twp.,  
Post Office, Orilla, Iowa Benjamin with grandson Clifford Parker  
Date of birth: January 5, 1848  
Place of birth: Fountain Co., Indiana  
Date of death: January 1, 1923  
Place of death: Bloomfield Twp., Orillia, Iowa  
Age: 74yr 11mo 26da  
Occupation: Retired farmer  
Cause of death: Chronic nephritis  
Father and mother unknown  
Informer: Clarence Parker, Orilla, Iowa  
Place of burial: Orilla Cemetery  
Undertaker: R. R. McBride, 1025 High Street, Des Moines, Iowa  
Physician: A. L. Cochran, Cumming, Iowa

### Cause of Death

Chronic Nephritis  
Ref: Old Burial Permit and Death Record

### Cemetery Lot

Buried on Lot 60  
Lot was bought by C. J. Parker on October 24, 1913

### Marriage

Benjamin F. Parrott to Sarah "Sadie" Kathryn Morgan Crooks in January 1876

Father

Edmond Parrott was born in Maryland on September 8, 1784.

Mother

Susannah Wright

Census

1850 – Shawnee Twp., Fountain Co., Indiana; Page 98A; August 6, 1850  
Dwelling 168; Family 169

Parrott, Edmond	65	farmer	MD
Susan	39	idiot	KY
Catharine	35	idiot	OH
James	18	laborer	IN
May J.	12		IN
Elizabeth	10		IN
Nancy	08		IN
Samuel	07		IN
Caroline	05		IN
George	03		IN
<b>Benjamin</b>	<b>01</b>		<b>IN</b>

1860 – Shawnee Twp., Fountain Co., IN; Page 659; August 14, 1860; Post Office, Robrey  
Dwelling 1009; Family 985

McLean, Robert	58	farmer	PA
Jane	52		PA
Amanda A.	15		VA
Earee E.	10		VA
<b>Parrot, Benj. F.</b>	<b>11</b>		<b>IN</b>

1870 – Lancaster Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; Page 373A; August 12, 1870; Post Office, Lancaster  
It is showing him as B. F. McLean and living in the home of Charles Bryan. I believe  
this

**Is Benjamin Parrott, age 22 and a retail merchant**

1880 – Jackson Twp., Keokuk Co., IA; ED161; Page 213D; June 7, 1880  
Dwelling 111; Family 111

<b>Parrott, Benjamin</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>laborer</b>	<b>IN</b>	<b>IN</b>	<b>IN</b>
Sarah	28		IN	IN	IN
Frank	03		IA	IN	IN
Maude	2/12		IA	IN	IN

1885 – Richland Twp., Keokuk Co., Iowa; State census; Page 56

Dwelling 78; Family 79  
 Lot 5, Block 12

Parrott, Benj	34	Laborer	IN		
Sarah	30	Keeping house	IN		
Maud	05			Keokuk Co., Iowa	

1895 –

1900 – Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; ED61; Page 10; June 14, 1900  
 Dwelling 142; Family 143

Parret, B. F.	52	Farmer Born January 1848 Married 23 years	IN	OH	IN
Sarah	47	3 children; 1 living; Born June 1852	IN	IN	KY
Maud	20	Housekeeping Born May 1880	IA	IN	IN

1905 –

1910 – Township 135, Morton, North Dakota; ED126; Page 19A; May 27, 1910

Parrott, Benjamin F.	62	Farmer - Married 31 years	IN	OH	IN
Sarah	57	1 child	IN	IN	IN

1915 – Walnut Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; Post Office, Commerce, Iowa  
 Card #530

Parrott, Benjamin F.	67	Retail Clerk Fountain Co., IN 40 years in Iowa	IN	OH	IN
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1920 – Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., IA; ED 233; Page 14A; February 9, 1920  
 Dwelling 332; Family 334

Parker, Clarence J.	44	farmer	IA	IN	IN
Maude	39		IA	IN	IN
Clayton	16		IA	IA	IA
Bonnie	10		IA	IA	IA
Harold	07		IA	IA	IA
William R.	05		IA	IA	IA
Viola	02	9/12	IA	IA	IA
Parrott, Benjamin F.	74	father-in-law	IN	IN	IN
Sadie	69	mother-in-law	IN	IN	IN

Funeral Home

R. R. McBride Funeral Home

Misc.

On October 30, 1915 Benjamin was appointed Post Master at Commerce, Polk Co., Iowa  
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[The Indianola Advocate Tribune, Thursday, July 20, 1905]  
Cumming News Items:

Mr. Parrot, of Orillia, is on the sick list.

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Benjamin Certificate of Death

Franklin Parrott born on January 5, 1848 in Fountain Co., Indiana; died January 1, 1923 at Orilla, Bloomfield Twp., Polk Co., Iowa; age 74yr 11mo 26da; cause of death was chronic nephritis; he was a retired farmer; the funeral director was R. R. McBride; buried in Pleasant Ridge Cemetery, Orilla, Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa.

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Military

He was in the Civil War; died January 1, 1923; buried in PleasantRidgeCemetery, Orilla, Linn Twp., Warren Co., Iowa; this information was provided by Veteran Affairs, Indianola, Iowa; No other information available.