

Hosea Tillson, Surgeon, 57 IN Infantry, US

- 1830 December 15: Born to Gershom and Nancy Stewart Tillson in Drake County, Ohio.
- 1840 The US Federal Census enumerated in Drake County, OH showed ten year old Hosea lived with his parents.
- 1854 April 9: Married Indiana Webber in Wayne County, IN.
- 1860 June 26: The US Federal Census enumerated in Wayne County, IN showed Hosea lived with his wife, Indiana, and daughter Cora. His occupation was listed as Physician.
- 1861 December 12: Enlisted into Co. D, 57 IN Infantry as a private.
- 1863 February 18: Rank changed to Assistant Surgeon

October 21: Transferred from Unit D to Unit S

- 1864: November 30: Served as Surgeon at the Battle of Franklin.
- 1865 December 14: Mustered out in Port Lavaca, TX.
- 1870 August 18: The US Federal Census enumerated in Hancock County, IN showed Hosea lived with his wife, Indiana, and two daughters. His occupation was listed as Physician.
- 1878 January 16: Appointed Postmaster in Wayne County, IN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Photo taken by Jayne Beers courtesy of findagrave.com

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- 1880 June 3: The US Federal Census enumerated in Wayne County, IN showed Hosea lived with his wife, Indiana, daughter, and nephew. His occupation was listed as Physician.
- 1883 November 24: A stranger was found wounded on the Hosea farm.

A stranger was discovered in the fence corner on Hosea Tillson's farm in Wayne county, Ind., with a terrible fracture in his skull, from the effects of which he soon died. He was past speaking when found, and had no papers to establish his identity.

1890 July 5: Filed for a Federal Pension

NAME OF SOLDIER :	Ti	llson, Hos	ea	(8-88-8)
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1892 Became a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, a Masonic appendant body.

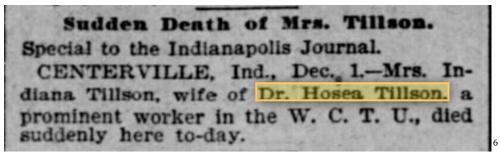
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> National Archives and Records Administration (NARA); Washington, D.C.; *Record of Appointment of Postmasters, 1832-Sept. 30, 1971*; Roll #: *35*; Archive Publication #: *M84* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Washington Register (Washington, Kansas), 24 Nov 1883, Sat, Pg. 1

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The National Archives at Washington, D.C.; Washington, D.C.; NAI Title: *U.S., Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934;* NAI Number: *T288;* Record Group Title: *Records of the Department of Veterans Affairs, 1773-2007;* Record Group Number: *15;* Series Title: *U.S., Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934;* Series Number: *T288;* Roll: *474* 

Sheriff Marlatt and wife and A. W. Hempleman and wife went to Centreville in a carriage last evening and assisted in organizing Wayne Chapter Order of the Eastern Star. The chapter starts out with thirteen charter members and will be a great success. There was an elegant banquet after the ceremonies, and several speeches were made. The grand patron of the state, Mr. Wilson, was among the grandees present. All speak of it in the highest terms and especially the hospitality of the people over there. Dr. Hosea Tillson is first patron of the new chapter and Mrs. Joseph Commons first matron.

1894 December 1: His wife Indiana died in Centerville, IN.



1896 June 10: Married wife Phoebe Doerr in Henry County, IN.

Tillson-Doerr Wedding.
Special to the Indianapolis Journal.
CENTERVILLE, Ind., June 16 This
morning, at the home of the bride, in Knightstown, Dr. Hosea Tillson, a promi- nent business man of Centerville, and Mrs. Phebe Doerr were married by Rev. R. F.
Brewington.

- 1900 June 21: The US Federal Census enumerated in Wayne County, IN showed Hosea lived with his wife, Phoebe. His occupation was listed as Physician and Druggist.
- 1902 November 21: Died of peritonitis at his home in Centerville, IN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> The Richmond Item (Richmond, Indiana)20 May 1892, Fri, Pg. 4

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> The Indianapolis Journal (Indianapolis, Indiana)02 Dec 1894, Sun, Pg. 2

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> The Indianapolis Journal (Indianapolis, Indiana)17 Jun 1896, Wed, Pg. 2

Buried in Abington Cemetery.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> The Richmond Item (Richmond, Indiana)24 Nov 1902, Mon, Pg. 1 <sup>9</sup> Photo taken by Pam Smith courtesy of findagrave.com