

VETERAN COAST GUARD IS DEAD

Thomas McNally of Port Austin, Sick Several Weeks

Port Austin, Oct. 20—Thomas McNally, a member of the Port Austin Coast Guard, died in the Bad Axe hospital, Friday afternoon, October 15th., after an illness of several weeks. Mr. McNally was born in England, February 22, 1871 and came with his parents to this country when about sixteen months old, while still a small boy his parents moved to Grindstone City and there he grew to manhood. He entered the Coast Guard service under Capt. Gill and served for seven years, then went north for a time and later to Detroit, about ten years ago he returned to the service here and has continued there ever since. There is left to mourn for him, his widow and two children, Walter and Helen, his mother and two brothers, John, of Detroit, and Walter, at Pointe Aux Barques and two sisters, Mrs. Edward Meagher, of Kinde, and Mrs. Edward Miller, of Detroit. Funeral services were held in St. Michael's church at ten o'clock, Monday morning. Rev. Father Kruszka was assisted by Rev. Father Crowley, of Kinde. The body was carried to the grave by six friends, while the members of the Coast Guard formed a guard of honor. Among those from out of town who attended the funeral, were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Miller, Mr. and Mrs. John McNally, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Yaroch, William Grannal, Richard Lundy and Edward Moran, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. William Ryan, of Bad Axe; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Meagher and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walsh and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wagner and Mr. and Mrs. John Ahearn, of Kinde; Mr. and Mrs. John Welsh and Mr. and Mrs. James Welsh, of Pinnebog.

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