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Powell

Russell Powell, 80, of 273 Broadway, died Monday night at the Estill County Hospital after a long illness. He was a native of Estill County, a member of Irvine First Baptist Church, retired engineer of L & N Railroad and a member of the Irvine Lodge No. 137 F & AM. He was serving his eighth term as Irvine City Councilman.

Survivors include one brother, Otis Powell, of Irvine, and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p.m. Thursday at the Lewis Funeral Home, with Rev. J. W. Farmer officiating. Burial was in the Oakdale Cemetery with Masonic rites at the graveside.

Casket bearers were Tom Williams, D. L. Shoemaker, Sam Watson, Jim Oaks, Frank Witt, and Ivan Mabry.