

## Mary Emma Adams

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**Adams, Mary Emma.** On Sunday, September 4, 1932, at Providence Hospital, Mary Emma, widow of John R. Adams, mother of Blanche G. Lockett. Services at the Joseph Gawler's Sons' chapel, 1754 Pa. ave. n.w., on Tuesday, September 6, at 2 p.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

*The Washington Post, September 5, 1932, p. 5*

### **Mrs. Mary Adams, Old Resident, Dies**

#### **Former School Teacher in Georgetown Lived Here 80 Years**

Mrs. Mary Emma Adams, former teacher in the District public schools and a resident of Washington for 80 years, died yesterday in Providence Hospital.

Mrs. Adams was the widow of the late John R. Adams, former chief of files and documents in the Treasury Department. The couple were married in 1872. Mr. Adams died in 1911. Mrs. Adams taught school in Georgetown for many years.

She had been a member of the Methodist Protestant Church for almost 60 years. Surviving Mrs. Adams are a daughter, Mrs. Blanche G. Lockett, and a son, J. Ray Adams, both of this city.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2 o'clock from Gawler's funeral home. Interment will be in Congressional Cemetery.

*The Evening Star, September 5, 1932, p. A7*

### **Mrs. Mary E. Adams Dies Here At Age of 80**

#### **Former School Teacher, Native of Washington, Will Be Buried in Congressional Cemetery**

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Emma Adams, 80, former school teacher and native of Washington, who died in Providence Hospital yesterday, will be held tomorrow at 2 p.m., at Gawler's funeral parlors. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams was the widow of John R. Adams, former chief of files and documents in the Treasury Department. They were married in 1872. Mr. Adams died in 1911. Mrs. Adams formerly was affiliated with the District Public School system, having taught in Georgetown schools for many years.

She had been a member of the Methodist Protestant Church for 60 years. Surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Blanche G. Lockett, 408 Sixth street southeast, with whom Mrs. Adams lived. A son, J. Ray Adams, died three years ago.