

## Juliana Allan

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### **Death of Mrs. Allan**

#### **Prominent Member of Local Orders and Earnest Church Worker**

Mrs. Juliana Allan, wife of William P. Allan, died after an illness of three months, at her residence, 522 6th street southeast, Tuesday, the 29th instant, at 10:10 o'clock a.m. She was born September 22, 1845, in Southeast Washington and was the daughter of the late John and Julia Murphy. She leaves five children, Ernest A. Allan of the naval architect's office, at Bath, Maine; Alexander R. Allan, private secretary to Senator Jonathan P. Dolliver of Fort Dodge, Iowa; Minerva P. Acton, Edna G. Clark and Margaret Herrell Allan.

Mrs. Allan was connected with the Daughters of Rebekah, I.O.O.F., and the Order of the Eastern Star. In the former she held membership for over a quarter of a century, serving in important positions in Naomi Lodge No. 1, and having been its treasurer for a number of years. She was a charter member of Electa Lodge No. 2, O.E.S., and its second worthy matron; also its treasurer for a term, succeeding which she was unanimously elected grand treasurer of the Grand Chapter, which position she held at the time of her death.

Mrs. Allan was a devoted wife, a loving mother, a loyal friend and a sincere, practical Christian. Her work was varied and important, and so devoted was her attentions, so high her standing, so interested was she in all movements to exalt and extend the usefulness of the orders to which she belonged that the sense of bereavement by her death was not confined among those who enjoyed an intimacy with her.

The funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the family residence, conducted by Rev. Dr. J.C. Nicholson of Trinity M.E. Church, of which organization she had been a consistent member for over thirty years. Dr. Nicholson was assisted by Rev. J.W. Gray, pastor of the First M.P. Church. The remains were interred in Congressional cemetery, where the funeral ceremonies of both orders were conducted by the officials of those bodies. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Joseph Burroughs, John I. Brown, Richard H. Sorrell, Wm. H. Mothershead, John F. O'Neill and Richard A. McLean.