

Jemima Buckingham

(- 12 Jul 1901)

Buckingham. On Friday, July 12, 1901 at 3:15 p.m., Jemima, beloved wife of J.E. Buckingham, sr. in her 69th year. Funeral Monday, 11 a.m. from her late residence, 113 Third street southeast. Friends invited to attend.

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Funeral of Mrs. Buckingham

Funeral services will be held Monday over the remains of Mrs. John E. Buckingham, who died yesterday at the family residence, 113 3d street.

Mrs. Buckingham was the wife of John E. Buckingham, well-known as a theatrical doorkeeper, having been employed at the National Theater and at Albaugh's Opera House for many years. He was also the doorkeeper at Ford's Theater upon the night that President Lincoln was assassinated. Mr. and Mrs. Buckingham had made arrangements to celebrate their golden wedding, but Mrs. Buckingham's illness prevented anything of the kind. The deceased had been ill for some time prior to her death, and about two weeks ago one of her sons was summoned here from the west because of her extremely critical condition. She was a woman of many sterling qualities, and her death will be sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. It is expected that at the funeral on Monday all of her sons and their wives will be present.