

Eloise Chilton

(- 22 Oct 1926)

Chilton. Suddenly, Friday, October 22, 1926, at her residence, 1840 Vernon st. n.w., Eloise B. Chilton, age 18 years. Funeral services at Hysong's funeral home, 1300 N st. n.w., Sunday, October 24, at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

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18-Year-Old Widow, Ill, Kills Herself

Mrs. Eloise Chilton Had Been Sick for Year – Husband Was Killed in July

Mrs. Eloise Bohanon Chilton, 18-year-old widow, shot and killed herself yesterday afternoon at her apartment, 1840 Vernon street, leaving a note to her mother, Mrs. Mae Waters, saying she was unable any longer to bear continued ill health.

Mrs. Chilton had been ill for about a year. It was stated at her home yesterday that her husband had been killed in an accident in New York last July and that the shock also had aggravated her condition.

Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt issued a certificate of suicide. Funeral arrangements had not been completed this morning.