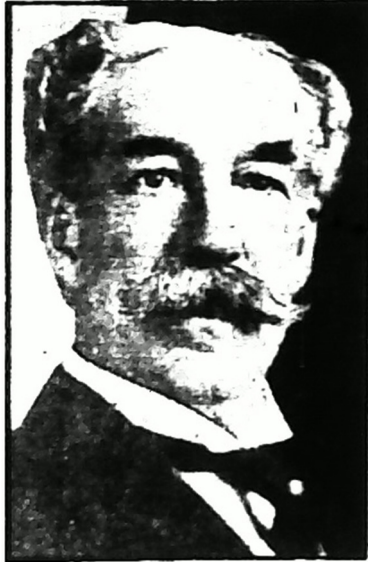


Charles Wallace Church (17 Sep 1849 – 10 May 1932)

Church. On Tuesday, May 19, 1932, at his residence 300 11th st. s.w., Charles Wallace Church, aged 83 years. Funeral services at the Westminster Presbyterian Church, 75h st. between D and E sts. s.w., on Thursday, May 12, at 2 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment Congressional Cemetery.



CHARLES W. CHURCH.

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C.W. Church, Native of District, Dies Lumberman, 83 Long Prominent in Business Circles of Southwest Washington

Charles W. Church, 83, a native of the District, well known in Southwest business circles, died this morning at his home, 300 Eleventh street southwest, after a brief illness. He was a member of the firm of W.A.H. Church Co., lumber dealers.

He was a son of Charles Benjamin and Matilda Harris Church, well known residents. His father was president of the old Independent Ice Co.

When a young son, Mr. Church went to Maine, where he served until about 1900 as paymaster for the Independent Ice Co.'s northern offices and returning to Washington, became connected with the Depue & Church Feed Co., on Four-and-a-half street. Later he entered the lumber firm. His brother whose name the firm took, died less than a year ago.

Mr. Church was one of the oldest members of the Masonic fraternity in the District, a member of Dawson Lodge and was active in the Westminster Church Memorial, at which funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

He is survived by a son, Louis Melville Church; a sister, Mrs. L.S. Depue, and four grandchildren.

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Church Funeral Set

District Native and Trade Leader to Be Buried Tomorrow

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for Charles W. Church, member of the lumber firm of W.A.H. Church Co., who died yesterday at his home. The services, in Westminster Church Memorial, in which he was an active worker, will be followed by burial in Congressional Cemetery.

Mr. Church, who was 83, was a native of the District, the son of Charles Benjamin Church, head of the Independent Ice Co. here for many years. He is survived by a son, Louis Melville Church; a daughter, Mrs. L.S. Depre, and four grandchildren. He was a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia.