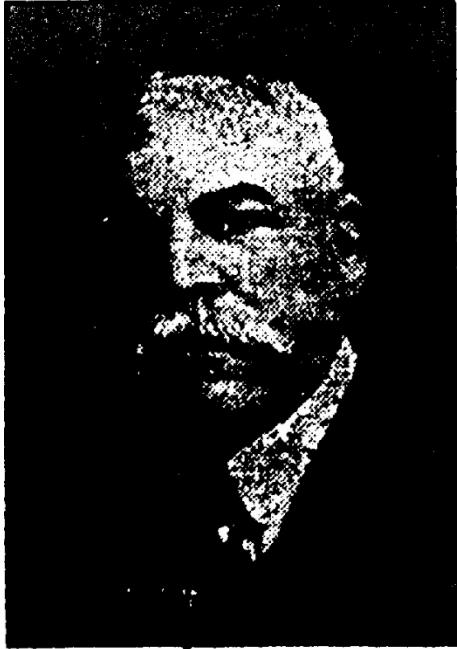


## Richard Jackson Earnshaw (1852 -24 Sep 1918)

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**RICHARD J. EARNSHAW.**

**Earnshaw.** On Tuesday, September 24, 1918 at 5:40 a.m., at his residence, 1225 Clifton street northwest, Richard J. Earnshaw, beloved husband of Alice K. Earnshaw. Funeral Thursday, September 26, 2 p.m from his late residence, 1225 Clifton street northwest. Interment at Congressional cemetery. Friends invited.

**Earnshaw.** Members of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services of our late associate, Richard J Earnshaw, at his late residence, 1225 Clifton street, Thursday, September 26, at 2 p.m.

Theodore W. Noyes, President,  
Benj. W. Reiss, Rec. Sec.

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**Richard J. Earnshaw Dead; Funeral Today  
Native of Maryland, Was Prominent Business Man and Bank  
Director Here.**

Richard J. Earnshaw, for forty-five years a resident and business man of Washington, died Tuesday at his home, 1225 Clifton street. The funeral was held from his home this afternoon, members of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, Masons and business associates attending.

He was born in Prince George's county, Md., in 1852, and came to Washington forty-five years ago, when he opened a mercantile brokerage business, which is today one of the city's largest. Gaining fortune in the commercial world, Mr. Earnshaw became director of several banking institutions, among which are the Continental Trust Company and the Commerce and Savings Bank, of which he was vice president. He was an Odd Fellow and a Shriner, and also a vestry man of St. Andrew's and St. Mark's churches.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Alice King Earnshaw, and six children; Mrs. Robert H. Martin of Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. John M. Couden of Baltimore, Miss Margaret C., George V., Pinkney A. and Robert J., the latter being with the overseas forces.

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### **Will of R.J. Earnshaw**

#### **Provision is made for Income to Widow and Final Distribution**

The will of Richard J. Earnshaw dated January 8, 1898, has been filed for probate. A life interest in the entire estate is given to the widow, Alice K. Earnshaw. At her death the real estate is to be distributed among George O., Pinkney A., Robert J., Alice K., Mary P. and Margaret C. Earnshaw. The widow is also named as executrix.