

James Edwards

(- 9 Jun 1883)

Edwards. Suddenly, on June 9th, 1883, at 5:30 p.m., of apoplexy, James Edwards, in the 69th year of his age. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 1102 7th street southeast, on Tuesday, at 5 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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Death of Mr. James Edwards

Mr. James Edwards died suddenly on Saturday evening of apoplexy at his residence, 7th and L streets southeast, in the 69th year of his age. Mr. Edwards was in early life attached to the Marine Corps and served a long series of years. After the war he became attached to the marshal's office as a deputy under Col. Gooding and Dr. Sharp. Since leaving the marshal's office he had been engaged as a constable and collector. He was well known for years past in the secret societies of the District, and was at the time of his death a member of John A. Rawlins Post, No. 1, G.A.R., and of Harmony Lodge, No. 9, I.O.O.F., which bodies will attend his funeral tomorrow.

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Funerals

The funeral of Mr. James Edwards, which took place last evening from Christ church, Navy Yard, Rev. C.D. Andrews officiating, was largely attended. Harmony Lodge, of I.O.O.F., with John H. King as master of ceremonies, and John A. Rawlins Post, No. 1, G.A.R., Dennis O'Connor, commander, and H.E. Weaver, adjutant, attended in a body. Vice Grand Lemuel Sanderson and Chaplain S. Dibble, of Harmony Lodge, conducted the burial services of the Odd Fellows, and the body was committed to the ground by the Grand Army. Messrs. Adam L. Rose, William Young and P.A. Caywood acted as pall-bearers on the part of Harmony Lodge, and J.D.C. Stautenberg, Edward Quigley and W.F. Dewey on the part of John A. Rawlins Post, No. 1.