

## **Anna A. Eselhorst** ( - 14 Jan 1938)

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**Eselhorst. Anna A.** On Friday, January 14, 1938 at her residence, 1436 A street s.e., Anna A. Eselhorst, the beloved daughter of the late Ernest L. and Lena Eselhorst. Funeral from H.M. Padgett's funeral home, 131 11th street s.e. on Monday, January 17 at 2 p.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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### **Miss Eselhorst Dies At Home Here**

#### **Lifelong Resident of City Was Former Employe at U.S. Botanical Gardens**

Miss Anna A. Eselhorst, 63, lifelong resident of this city, died last night of heart disease at the home of her sister, Mrs. L.A. Denslow, 1436 A street S.E.

Miss Eselhorst was for 17 years employed at the United States Botanical Gardens as secretary to the former director, George W.S. Hess. She retired about three years ago due to illness. Previously she was employed for 19 years at the S. Kann Sons Co. department store.

She was a member of the Columbia Historical Society and St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran Church. She had been active in church work at the latter for many years, until becoming ill.

Miss Eselhorst was a daughter of the late Ernest L. Eselhorst, who was a merchant tailor here many years. Besides her sister, Mrs. Denslow, with whom she had lived for the last 20 years, Miss Eselhorst leave two brothers, Henry and Fred Eselhorst, and a nephew, L. Alton Denslow, all of this city.

The body is at the Padgett funeral home, 131 Eleventh street S.E., where funeral services will be held Monday, at an hour to be announced later. Rev. Dr. Theodore P. Fricke, pastor of St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran Church will officiate. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.