

Archibald Etzler

(- 21 May 1899)

Etzler. Passed away Sunday, May 21, 1899 at 4:45 o'clock p.m., Archibald Etzler, beloved husband of Ann L. Etzler, aged 60 years and 3 months. Funeral service at the M.E. Church, Anacostia, Wednesday, May 24 at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

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Death of Archibald Etzler

Fatal Effects of a Fall Tuesday Morning Last

Archibald Etzler, an old and esteemed resident of Anacostia, died yesterday afternoon about 4:45 o'clock at his home, 119 Maple avenue, from the effects of a severe shock to his system, the result of a fall he sustained on Tuesday morning last. Early that morning Mr. Etzler fell on the platform at the top of his rear steps and broke his right leg near the hip. The same limb had caused him to lose a week from his work, and he had not yet returned. He considered it was slightly injured as the consequence of a light wall while at work.

Mr. Etzler was sixty years of age and had resided continuously in Anacostia for about twenty-five years, going there almost directly upon his arrival in the District. He was born in Libertytown, Frederick county, Md., and followed the trade of a wheelwright, continuing that business in Anacostia for a time. For the past nine years he was employed at St. Elizabeth's Asylum. He was a member of Anacostia Commandery, No. 423, United Order of the Golden Cross. He leaves a widow and six children. The latter are Mrs. Samuel Campbell, Mrs. J. Frank Campbell and Messrs. Vernon, Charles, James and Harry Etzler.

The funeral of Mr. Etzler will take place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church of which he had long been a member. The interment will be made in Congressional cemetery.

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Anacostia Happenings

Funeral of Archibald Etzler

The funeral of Archibald Etzler, whose death occurred Sunday afternoon, as published in The Star, was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church, the services at the Church being largely attended. Rev. Charles O. Isaac, the pastor officiated. The pallbearers were H.A. Linger, Charles F. Williamson, George F. Pyles, James H. Doney, D.C. Smithson and William E. Johnston. The interment was private and was made in Congressional cemetery.