Ellen E. Fowke

(- 17 Apr 1908)

Fowke. On Saturday, April 18, 1908 at her home, Prince William County, Ellen C. Fowke in the 88th year of her age. Interment Monday, April 20 at 1 o'clock p.m. at Congressional cemetery.

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Mrs. Ellen E. Fowke Dead

Mrs. Ellen E. Fowke, widow of Capt. Samuel H. Fowke, who up to the time of his death, in March 1873, was captain of the ill-fated steamboat Wawasett, the destruction of which by fire in August, 1873, was one of the most terrible of Potomac river tragedies, has just died at her home in Prince William county, Va. Mrs. Fowke was 87 years of age, and for many years a resident of this city, where one of her sons, Roy T. Fowke, now resides. Her remains will be brought to this city and the interment will be made in Congressional cemetery next tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock. One other son, Thad Fowke, and one daughter, Mrs. Susie Reed, survive the deceased.