

## Henry Frick

(17 Mar 1795 – 1 Mar 1844)

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### Biographical Directory of the United States Congress 1774-1989

A Representative from Pennsylvania; born in Northumberland, Pa.; March 17, 1795; attended the public schools; apprenticed to a printer in Philadelphia; served in the War of 1812, settled in Milton, Pa., in 1816; established the *Miltonian*, a political journal, with which he was connected for over 20 years; member of the State house of representatives 1828-1831; elected as a Whig to the 28th Congress and served from March 4, 1843, until his death in Washington, D.C., March 1, 1844; interment in Congressional Cemetery.

*The National Intelligencer, March 2, 1844*

Whilst preparing for the Funeral of the sufferers by the accident of Thursday (Explosion of the Princeton), Death has stricken another victim in the midst of us, in the person of the Hon. Henry Frick, one of the Representatives from the State of Pennsylvania, who breathed his last yesterday, about 12 o'clock, at his lodgings in this city.

Mr. Frick was in the 50th year of his age, was in delicate health when he came on to attend Congress, and had been so, we believe, for some years. He has left a widow and a number of children, one of whom was with him for several days before his death, to mourn over the heavy loss they have sustained.

In pursuance of the earnest desire of his family, his remains are to be taken home for interment at the place of his late residence. They will leave the city this morning; and will be attended to their resting place by his son and two of his respected colleagues of the House of Representatives.