

Joseph Fry

(- 25 Sep 1892)

Fry. Departed this life, Sunday, September 25, 1892, Joseph Fry at 6:45 a.m. Funeral Tuesday afternoon, 27th inst. at 3 p.m. from his late residence, 319 New Jersey avenue southeast. Relatives and friends of the family invited.

The Evening Star, September 28, 1892

Funeral of Joseph Fry

The funeral of the late Joseph Fry, an old and esteemed citizen of Capitol Hill, took place from his late residence on New Jersey avenue near D street southeast yesterday afternoon and a large concourse of friends and relatives were in attendance. Mr. Fry had passed three score and ten, which he spent in the neighborhood where he died and was a well-known carpenter. He was an active member of the old Columbia Fire Company from 1837 to the time of its disbandment in 1864, and was a member of the Veteran Volunteer Firemen's Association, which attended the funeral in uniform. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Parson of the Church of the Reformation, an old friend and neighbor, and he paid a feeling tribute to the worth of the deceased as a quiet, unassuming yet useful citizen. The remains were borne to the hearse by pallbearers selected from the veteran firemen and neighbors, and escorted by the firemen and followed by a large number of relatives and friends they were taken to the Congressional cemetery, where the interment took place.