

Virginia A. Gallagher (- 24 Dec 1938)

Gallagher, Virginia. Officers and members of Temple Chapter, No. 13, OES are requested to meet at the Masonic Temple, 13th and New York avenue n.w. at 12 o'clock Tuesday, December 27, 1938 for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late sister, Virginia Gallagher.

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Miriam Lewis, Secretary

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Mrs. Gallagher Succumbs at 83

Mrs. Virginia A. Gallagher, mother of Washington's first police-woman, died Saturday at the Masonic and Eastern Star Home here. She was 83.

Mrs. Gallagher was a native of Washington and had lived here all her life. Her daughter, Irene Gallagher, at one time directed traffic at the corner of Seventh and K streets northwest.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in the Hines funeral home 2901 Fourteenth street northwest. Burial will be in the Congressional Cemetery.

A son, John P. Gallagher, of New Jersey, survives.