

## William Forrest Gatchell

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**Gatchell.** On Wednesday, November 16, 1910 at 6 o'clock p.m. after a lingering illness, Dr. William Forrest Gatchell, beloved husband of Jennie Dixon Gatchell in the 51st year of his age. Funeral service at the residence of his brother-in-law, Arthur H. Smith, 114 11th street northeast, Friday, November 18 at 2 p.m.

*The Washington Post, November 17, 1910*

### **Death of Dr. W.F. Gatchell**

#### **Prominent Physician Succumbs After Illness of More Than a Year**

Dr. William F. Gatchell, a prominent physician of Washington, died yesterday of nervous prostration, following an illness of more than a year. Dr. Gatchell's wife and his two daughters were out of the city at the time of his death. The funeral will be held in this city, the burial being in Congressional Cemetery.

Dr. Gatchell was 51 years old. He came to Washington in 1886, as chief clerk of the steamboat inspection service, now under the Department of Commerce and Labor. After his arrival he was graduated with honor from Columbian University. He took up practice, but recently was forced to give it up because of ill health. He was a member of Lebanon Lodge, F.A.A.M.

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### **Funeral of Dr. William F. Gatchell**

Funeral services for Dr. William Forrest Gatchell, who died yesterday after an illness of more than a year, were held at the residence of his brother-in-law, Arthur H. Smith, 155 11th street northeast, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Lebanon Lodge #7, F.A.A.M. and Lafayette Chapter #5, R.A.M. of which the deceased was a member, had charge of the funeral arrangements. The interment was in Congressional cemetery.