

Emanuel Gordon

(- 18 Nov 1902)

Gordon. Suddenly, on Tuesday, November 18, 1902, at 12 p.m., Emanuel Gordon, in the eightieth year of his age. Funeral from the late residence, 635 G street southeast, on Friday, November 21, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend.

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Instantly Killed

Fall Causes the Death of an Aged Resident

Emanuel Gordon, a resident of Southeast Washington, fell down the areaway in front of his home, 636 G street southeast, about 12:30 o'clock today, and was instantly killed. Coroner Nevitt was notified and made an investigation of the above this afternoon. Mr. Gordon was about eighty years old, and was quite feeble.

He was about to enter the house when he accidentally lost his footing and fell. Those who went to his assistance were shocked to find that he was dead. His body was picked up and taken in the house of Mrs. Schroth, his daughter, with whom he had lived since the death of his wife two years ago.

The coroner discovered that the deceased had received an injury to his head, and death resulted from a cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Gordon was a native of Germany, but came to this city when he was but five years old. For many years he was employed as a carpenter at St. Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane. Seven children, four daughters and three sons, survive him. One of the sons is a member of the police force. The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.