

## Thomas Griffith

( - 14 Sep 1897)

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**Griffith.** On Tuesday, September 14, 1897, Thomas beloved husband of Martha Griffith. Funeral from his late residence, 732 7th street southeast at 3 p.m., Friday, 17th inst. Relatives and friends invited to attend. No flowers.

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### **Half a Century of Service**

#### **Thomas Griffith, Employee of Navy Yard, Passes Away**

Mr. Thomas Griffith, a well-known resident of Southeast Washington, and for nearly 59 years an honored and respected employee of the Navy Yard, died last evening at his residence, 732 7th street southeast, after an illness of about ten days. His service in the navy yard, extending for so long a period, brought him in contact with many of the old officers of the navy, with whom he was a great favorite. His faithful attention to duty down to the first day of his fatal illness had gained him many friends and the confidence and respect of his fellow-workmen. His funeral will probably take place Thursday. He leaves a widow and three children.