

Daniel W. Harbin

(14 Jul 1863 – 4 Oct 1911)

Harbin. On Wednesday, October 4, 1911 at Garfield Hospital, Daniel Harbin. Funeral from his late residence, 635 L street southeast, Saturday, October 7 at 11 o'clock a.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment in Congressional cemetery.

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Six Ill With Smallpox

Children of Daniel Harbin Take Disease from Eldest Daughter

Six children in one family in Southeast Washington were found to be suffering from smallpox Tuesday, and were removed to the smallpox hospital, while the parents and an infant child were taken to the detention camp. The family was that of Daniel Harbin, living at 1109 N street southeast. May Harbin the eldest child, aged sixteen years, was taken sick with what was supposed to be chicken pox on April 14. Her brothers and sisters, Wilma, aged fifteen years; George, aged thirteen years, Eugene, aged eleven years; Ethel, aged nine, and William, aged seven years contracted the smallpox from her and were removed to the hospital at the same time with May Harbin.

None has been vaccinated except May. The health department has been unable to ascertain how the eldest girl was exposed to the disease.

The quarantine on the residence at 111 Fifth street northeast will be raised in a few hours if none of those residing there is taken ill. It was at this number that a victim of "black smallpox" died about three weeks ago. There are two nurses from George Washington University Hospital at the smallpox hospital.