

Mary A. Hendley

(25 Feb 1831 – 28 Apr 1915)

Hendley. On Wednesday, April 28, 1915 at 7:15 a.m. at her residence, 1216 L street northwest, Mary A. Hendley, widow of Charles Hendley in the 85th year of his age. Funeral services, Friday, April 30 at 2:30 p.m. Interment private. It is the earnest request of the family that no flowers be sent.

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Mrs. Mary A. Hendley Dies

Long-Time Resident Noted for Activity in Charity Work

Mrs. Mary A. Hendley, widow of Charles Hendley, died this morning at the residence of her son, C.M. Hendley, 1216 L street northwest, in the eighty-fifth year of her age. Mrs. Hendley had been in failing health for a long time, and her death was due to the infirmities of advanced years.

She was born at Athens, on the Hudson river, in New York state, and after her marriage spent ten years at Cincinnati before coming to Washington in 1861, since which time she had lived continuously in this city. During the civil war she was especially active in ameliorating the sufferings of invalid soldiers in Washington, this service being rendered principally in connection with the Armory Square Hospital, near which she resided.

Mrs. Hendley was active in charitable enterprises. She is survived by two sons and two daughters -- Charles M. Hendley, Eugene R. Hendley, Flora L. Hendley and Myra M. Hendley, all of his city; one grandson, Charles W. Hendley of Baltimore, and one great grandson, Charles W. Hendley, jr.

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Mrs. Hendley's Funeral Tomorrow

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Hendley, widow of Charles Hendley, and resident of Washington since the early days of the civil war, who died yesterday morning, are to be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of her son, C.M. Hendley, 1216 L street northwest. Rev. Dr. William Tayloe Snyder of the Church of the Incarnation is to officiate, and interment is to be in Congressional cemetery.