Joseph D. Hutton

(- 20 Sep 1880)

Hutton. At Providence Hospital, Monday, September 20, 1880 of typho-malarial fever, Joseph D. Hutton, aged 47 years.

The Evening Star, September 21, 1880

Death of Joseph D. Hutton

The obituary column of The Star records the death of Mr. Hutton and his wife on Saturday and yesterday respectfully. Mr. Hutton served for several years successively as sexton of the Western Presbyterian church of the Congregational church (corner of G and 10th streets) and of the Church of the Incarnation, in this city. During the last sixteen years he has been employed in the Treasury department, and in the bureau of statistics since its establishment in 1866. He was a man of exemplary character, and leaves behind him the influence of a good name. He was an earnest Christian worker and performed considerable voluntary service as a local preacher. At the time of his death he was a member of several societies, and was also chaplain of the Dashaway Club [temperance society].

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Locals

Delegates of a number of temperance organizations met at Odeon Hall last evening--Mr. D.P. Holloway presiding and Mr. J.H. Stone secretary--and adopted resolutions of respect to the memory of Rev. J.D. Hutton and his wife, who died at Providence Hospital, Mr. H. on Monday and Mrs. H. on Saturday as reported in yesterday's Star. Arrangements were also made to attend their funeral at Congressional Cemetery this afternoon, when the remains will be taken from the receiving vault and interred.

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Memorial Services in reference to the late Joseph D. Hutton and his wife, Margaret, who died one week since, will, we understand, be held at Willard Hall, in connection with the Reformed Episcopal church, of which deceased were members, on next Sunday, when a sermon suitable to the occasion will be preached by Dr. Rea, acting minister. The Dashaway, Temple of Honor, Morning Star Lodge, and other temperance organizations, of which the late Mr. Hutton was chaplain, will attend in regalis. He was long and intimately identified with the various organizations of the city engaged in antagonizing the evil of intemperance, and held in the highest esteem by all who were associated with him and the sudden and unexpected death of himself and wife, which occurred only a few hours apart, has produced a profound impression on the community.

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The Dashaways met at Tallmadge Hall last evening--Mr. Eagleston presiding. Rev. Dr. Rea, of the Reformed Episcopal church, offered prayer, in which he made mention of the late chaplain, Rev. J.D. Hutton. Mr. Holloway read an obituary poem on the death of Mrs. Hutton, and the Rev. S. Kramer spoke of the great good done by Mr. Hutton. The petition asking the District Commissioners to appoint a new license board being circulated in the audience 183 signatures were obtained. Mr. J.S. Poler

addressed the meeting, claiming that if the license law was enforced strictly, not a dram shop would be found after November 1st, and Mr. J.S. Lee spoke of the tricks resorted to obtain licenses. The closing address was made by Turney M. Wilkins.