Rev. Milton Eldridge Hysore

(-8 Nov 1874)

Hysore. November 8, Rev. M.E. Hysore, in the 37th year of his age. Funeral services will take place at the 12th street M.E. Church s.e. on Tuesday 10th inst. at 2 o'clock p.m. The members of his congregation and friends of the family are invited to attend.

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Died With His Armor On

A Minister Falls Dead in his Pulpit In The Presence of His Congregation

Yesterday, about 12 o'clock, Rev. H.E. Hysore, pastor of the 12th street southeast M.E. church, while preaching his morning sermon, was taken suddenly ill and expired in the pulpit immediately afterwards. When he entered the pulpit he announced to the congregation that he was suffering from inflammation of the throat, and that his discourse would be short in consequence of it. He then proceeded with his sermon: "Word of Life." When about half through he stopped suddenly and remarked that he felt very sick, and placing his hand to his forehead, as if in pain, exclaimed:

"Jesus, Save Me; Save Me Now"

and, staggering back against the sofa, fell in a half reclining position. Several of the congregation rushed forward to his assistance, first among whom was his wife, who, lifting his head to her shoulder, asked: "Do you feel sick?" He replied "yes," and sinking back breathed his last. Drs. Adams and McKim were called in, but too late to render aid, as he had expired. After a consultation, they concluded that the cause was congestion of the brain. After quiet was restored he was placed on a stretcher and carried to his late home on 10th street. Deceased was 37 years old, a native of Baltimore, formerly a minister of the M.P. church, and this was his first charge in the M.E. ministry. He was generally beloved by his congregation and all others who knew him. He leaves a wife and one child.

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The Funeral of Rev. Milton E. Hysore, the Methodist Episcopal clergyman who dropped dead in his pulpit in this city on Sunday last, as stated in THE STAR of yesterday, took place at 2 p.m. today from his late church, the M.E. Mission, on 12th street east, near Pennsylvania avenue. The following clergymen officiated; Rev. O.H. Tiffany, Metropolitan Church; Rev. Wm. F. Speake, presiding elder; Rev. Mr. Cleveland, Foundry chapel, and others. The remains were temporarily placed in a vault in the Congressional cemetery, prior to being taken to Harper's Ferry for final interment. Deceased married a daughter of Rev. Mr. Krebs, of that place.

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Locals

The remains of Rev. M.F. Hysore, late pastor of the 12th street Mission, navy yard, who suddenly expired in the pulpit while preaching a sermon on Sunday, the 8th instant, were yesterday morning conveyed to Harper's Ferry, Md., for final interment.