Anna Elizabeth Jones

(31 Aug 1848 - 29 May 1923)

Jones. Tuesday, May 29, 1923, 5:30 a.m., at her residence, the Montgomery, Apt. 35, Anna Elizabeth Jones, dearly beloved mother of Alex. H. Williams, sr; Grace Williams and Bessie W. Franzoni. Funeral Friday, June 1, at 2 p.m. Friends and relatives invited.

Jones. A special meeting of Martha Chapter, No. 4, O.E.S., is called for June 1 at Naval Lodge Hall, at 1 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of Sister Anna E. Jones. By order of the worthy matron. Marion McCathran, Sec'y.

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Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Jones

Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Jones, one of the oldest government employes and widely known member of the Order of the Eastern Star, who died of apoplexy at her home in the Montgomery apartments early Tuesday, will be buried at 2 o'clock this afternoon in Congressional cemetery.

Mrs. Jones was born in Portsmouth, Va., August 31, 1848, and was a daughter of John and Elizabeth Williams. She entered the government service here in 1863 in the bureau of engraving and printing. The last year of the civil war she met Edward P. Williams, a volunteer in the Union army, and after he had been discharged they were married here in 1865. Mr. Williams died in 1876 and in 1880 Mrs. Williams was married to Bernard A. Jones, who died several years afterward.

Mrs. Jones continued in the government service until she was retired August 20, 1922, having completed 40 years in the service. She leaves three children, Alexander H. Williams, Miss Grace Williams and Mrs. Bessie W. Franzoni of Washington, and seven grandchildren.