

Thomas F. Kinslow

(12 Jan 1866 – 22 Feb 1901)

Kinslow. On Friday, February 22, 1901 at 11 o'clock a.m., Thomas F. Kinslow, aged 32 years, beloved husband of Pauline Kinslow (nee Carr) son of Michael and the late Janette Kinslow. Funeral from his late residence, 1820 K street northwest, Monday, February 25 at 9 a.m. Requiem mass at St. Stephen's Church, 25th and Pennsylvania ave. conducted by Father O'Connell (New York and Brooklyn papers please copy).



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"Tom" Kinslow Dead

Well-Known Washingtonian and Prominent Base Ball Player

Thomas F. Kinslow, the well-known professional ball player of this city, died this morning of consumption. "Tom" has been out of the game for the past two or three years, and for a year has been a victim of the dread disease. He is known all over the country on account of his splendid record on the diamond. Tom Kinslow began playing ball with the old "Quicks" of the first ward of this city and as a youngster was a star.

About 1885 he was signed by the Detroit of the National League, but without a trial was resold to the London, Ont., team. Tom caught every game played by the Ontario club that season and in such fine style that he was immediately gobbled up by one of the major league teams. He probably did his best work with the Brooklyn's under Johnny Ward, in the Brotherhood year, his batting being well over the coveted .300 mark, while his fielding was sensational. Of a genial, sunny disposition,

Kinslow made friends by the score, all of whom will lament his untimely taking off.

From Baseball Statistics:

Height: 5 ft. 10 in.; Weight: 160 lbs.

Began his professional career June 4, 1886. He played 10 seasons for 8 teams. His career ended 1898.

- 1886 Senators
- 1887 Metropolitans
- 1890 Wonders (Brooklyn Wards)
- 1891-94 Bridegrooms
- 1895 Pirates
- 1896 Colonels
- 1898 Senators
- 1898 Browns

Baseball card of Mayo Tobacco Works of Richmond, Va., 1889.