

William A. Linton (Jr.) **(- 11 May 1912)**

Linton. On Saturday, May 11, 1912 at his residence, 532 4th street n.e., William A., husband of Sallie Chichester and son of the late William (Buck) and Julia Lipscomb Linton. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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Paralysis Is Fatal To William A. Linton

Lifelong Resident of Washington Dies Without Regaining Consciousness

William A. Linton, a lifelong resident of Washington, died at his home, 532 4th street, yesterday afternoon about 5:45 o'clock. His death came suddenly following a stroke of paralysis which he suffered Friday night. He was sitting at home with the members of his family when stricken and he did not recover consciousness.

Mr. Linton was sixty-six years old. Many years ago he resided in the northwest section of the city and was employed in the government printing office. He gave up his position about fifteen years ago and later was in the coal business.

Mr. Linton was an enthusiastic member of the Washington Light Infantry in his younger days, and later in life he joined the Association of Oldest Inhabitants, the National Union and the East Washington Citizens' Association.

Took Active Part

At most of the meetings of the three organizations Mr. Linton participated in the proceedings, and his suggestions were usually adopted. He rendered valuable service to the Northeast Washington Citizens' Association, having served as chairman of a committee and member of the executive committee during most of the time he was a member.

He had appeared before the committees of both branches of Congress and discussed needed improvements or talked in favor of or in opposition to proposed legislation which was calculated to affect the northeast section.

He was a son of the late William A. Linton, who was familiarly known in this city as "Buck" Linton. He kept a restaurant on Louisiana avenue near 6th street and many members of Congress were his patrons.

Mr. Linton is survived by his widow, who was Miss Sallie Chichester, member of the Virginia family of Chichester, and three children -- William A. Linton, jr., Miss Julia Linton and Miss Eveline Linton. James Chichester, brother-in-law of Mr. Linton, came here from Richmond yesterday, arriving before the death of Mr. Linton.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, but it has been decided to hold funeral services at the family home either tomorrow or Tuesday. Burial will be in Congressional cemetery.

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Last Rites For The Dead

Association of Oldest Inhabitants at Burial of W.A. Linton

A delegation representing the Association of Oldest Inhabitants attended the funeral of William A. Linton, a member of that organization, which was held at 3 o'clock this afternoon from his late home 532 4th street northeast. Rev. Charles H. Holmead of the Protestant Episcopal Church of Wilmington,

Del. a nephew of Mr. Linton, officiated, and burial was made in Congressional cemetery. Pallbearers representing the Association of Oldest Inhabitants were William B. Palmer, Washington Topham, William E. Reiss and Benjamin W. Reiss. Pallbearers representing the Northeast Washington Citizens' Association were Evan H. Tucker and William G. Lang.