

William McKenzie (- 16 Mar 1900)

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Inquest Not Necessary

Sudden Death of William McKenzie This Morning

William McKenzie, sixty-six years old, who and was an employee of the bureau of engraving and printing, dropped dead about 7 o'clock this morning while cleaning snow from the rear of his house. Members of his family who saw him fall, thought he had become exhausted from the labor of removing the snow and that he would soon recover. He was taken into the house and a physician was summoned. Examination revealed that he was dead.

It is believed he succumbed to an attack of heart disease. Coroner Carr was notified. An inquest will not be held for the reason that death resulted from natural causes.

Mr. McKenzie was a member of an organization of Odd Fellows in Westminster, Md.; a member of the Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows, and held membership in the New Jerusalem Lodge of Masons, No. 9, of Washington. A wife and four grown children, including one son, survive him.

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Funeral of William MacKenzie

The funeral of William MacKenzie, who died suddenly Friday morning at his home, No. 122 Pierce street, Anacostia, took place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from his late residence. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Miller, pastor of the Garden Memorial Presbyterian Church, and Rev. W.H. Gibbons, assistant at the Emmanuel Protestant Episcopal Church. The funeral was under the auspices of New Jerusalem Lodge of Masons, No. 9, of this city, and the interment was made in Congressional cemetery. Mr. MacKenzie was in his 66th year, was a native of Scotland and had been employed at the bureau of engraving and printing for the past nineteen years.