

John Miller

(23 Oct 1850 – 26 Feb 1909)

Miller. On Saturday, February 27, 1909 at 2 p.m. at Atlantic City, New Jersey, John Miller in his 58th year. Funeral from his late residence, Woodlawn, Cleveland Park. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Obsequies For John Miller

Services Monday for Dead Brick Manufacturer

Succumbs at Atlantic City to Internal Troubles

Family at His Bedside in Last Moments

The funeral of John Miller, prominent in local business affairs for years, who died at Atlantic City yesterday afternoon, will be held Monday at 2 o'clock. The details for the services have not been completed. The remains have been brought to Washington, where the obsequies will be held.

Mr. Miller went to Atlantic City two weeks ago to recuperate from an attack of internal and muscular trouble, from which he had suffered at various times for several years. Instead of improving, his condition became worse.

His daughter, Mrs. B. Wilson Brocket of Cleveland, and his son, William C. Miller, a student at Yale University, joined the other members of the family at the seacoast resort. Mrs. Miller and one son and daughter went to Atlantic City with Mr. Miller.

John Miller was born in England 58 years ago, but came to Washington at the age of 23 years. At the time of his death he was one of the prominent businessmen of the city.

He turned his attention to the manufacture of brick soon after coming here and gained much experience from manufacturers of this vicinity. Several years ago he became president of the Washington Brick and Terra Cotta Company.

He was a member of several fraternal bodies, among them Masonic orders of the Scottish Rite and the Mystic Shrine. During the last campaign he took much interest in the work of the democratic party in this city.

The members of his family who survive him are his wife, his sister, Mrs. A.M.P. Maschmeyer, his daughters, Agnes Miller, Sarah Miller and his sons, Henry Miller, William C. Miller and Allison Miller.

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John Miller's Will Filed

Estate in Trust to Widow

The will of John Miller, dated March 20, 1908, provides a bequest of \$1,000 to Mrs. Ann Miller Maschmeyer and the cancellation of all her obligations to him. The remaining estate is devised to his widow, Mrs. Sarah B. Miller, in trust to use the income for her maintenance and the care of the children until her death or remarriage.

Should she remarry she is to take one-third of the personal estate absolutely, and a third interest in the real estate for life. The remaining estate shall be distributed equally among the children.

Should the widow die before the youngest child attains majority, John H. Miller and William C. Miller, sons of the testator, are to become trustees and hold the property during the minority of the youngest child.

Mrs. Miller is named as executrix.