

Edwin H. Pearson

(- 26 Oct 1900)

Pearson. On Friday, October 26, 1900, at 7 a.m., after a lingering illness, Edwin Henry Pearson, beloved husband of Mary Derry Pearson, in the 68th year of his age. Funeral on Sunday, October 28, at 2 p.m., from the First Presbyterian Church, 4 1/2 street between C and D. (Wheeling, W. Va.; Philadelphia and Somerset, Pa., papers please copy).

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Death of E.H. Pearson

Prominent in I.O.O.F. Circles and Widely Known and Esteemed

Expressions of regret sincere and numerous were heard today at the announcement of the death of Mr. E.H. Pearson, which occurred at his home, No. 132 11th street southeast. In the ranks of Odd Fellowship the sorrow was especially deep, as Mr. Pearson had been one of the most active and useful members of the order.

For many years he was librarian at Odd Fellows' Hall, 7th street, and held that place at the time of his death. He was also grand scribe of Grand Encampment, I.O.O.F.; past chief patriarch and a member of Mt. Nebo Encampment, No. 6, I.O.O.F., and belonged to Metropolis Lodge, No. 16, and Ruth Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F.

He was a man of high qualities, rugged, sturdy, honesty being distinctive among them, and enjoyed the esteem of a wide circle. The funeral will take place when arrangements are completed, under Odd Fellow auspices.

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Funeral of E.H. Pearson

The funeral of Edwin Henry Pearson, the prominent Odd Fellow whose death occurred yesterday, as noted in The Star, will take place at 2 o'clock p.m. tomorrow from the First Presbyterian Church, 4 1/2 street between C and D streets. The services will be attended by delegations from the several branches of the order with which he was connected.