

Edward Noble Richards

(- 25 Dec 1908)

Richards. At his residence, 45 D street southeast, at 12:30 o'clock p.m., December 25, 1908, E.N. Richards, beloved husband of Elizabeth Robeson Richards, aged 33 years. Funeral from his late residence, 1706 10th street northwest.

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Employes Given Stock

Will of E.N. Richards Directs That Business Be Continued

By the terms of the will of Edward N. Richards, filed in the probate court, five employes are to receive stock in his wall paper business, which is to be continued until the youngest child of Mr. Richards is thirty years old. William C. Prentiss is named as trustee and he is instructed to organize a corporation to take over the business at 1332 G street northwest and also that in Baltimore, unless it is decided to close it. The business is valued in the will at \$100,000, and on this basis the following employes are given stock for their faithful service: Elmon Cook, \$5,000; A.M. Tubman, \$2,500; W.W. Bokman, \$2,500; J.C. Cassada, \$1,000; Bernard Talbott, \$1,000.

Mrs. Anna E. Richards, the widow, is left a monthly allowance of \$250 and the house at 45 D street southeast, except in case of remarriage, when the allowance would be \$100 per month and the house would go to the children.

When the trust expires or the trustee dies, the estate is to be divided, one-fourth to the widow and the remaining three-fourths to the children. The will is dated July 13, 1907.