William R. Ruff

(- 19 Jan 1928)

Ruff. On Thursday, January 19, 1928 at 1:30 a.m. at Georgetown Hospital, William R. Ruff, son of the late John A. and Dorothy Ann Ruff. Funeral from W. Warren Taltavull's funeral home, 14th and Spring Road northwest, Saturday, January 21 at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment private.

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W.H. Ruff, 67, Water Service Clerk Dies Lifelong D.C. Resident and Member of Old Family Succumbs After Three Weeks' Illness

William H. Ruff, 67 years old, clerk in the District Water Department, member of an old Washington family and a lifelong resident of this city, died in the Georgetown University Hospital today after an illness of three weeks.

Mr. Ruff formerly was a warrant clerk in the Police Court here for about 15 years and had been employed in the Water Department since 1918. He was the son of the late J.A. Ruff, the founder of the old Washington City Savings Bank, now known as the National Bank of Washington.

Mr. Ruff is survived by a sister, Mrs. William Waller of the Hammond Court apartments.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed but interment will be in the family plot in Congressional Cemetery, it is announced.