

William C. Schlag (- 19 Mar 1918)

Schlag. Suddenly at 2 o'clock, March 19, 1918, William Schlag, youngest son of Gottlieb and Mary Schlag, formerly of Alexandria, Va. Funeral from his late residence, 1214 I street southeast, Washington, DC. Further notice hereafter.

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Gasoline Fumes Fatal

William C. Schlag, Overcome While Cleaning Tank, Dies in Hospital

William C. Schlag, thirty years old, was overcome by gasoline fumes yesterday afternoon while cleaning a tank at the plant of the Christian Heurich Ice Company, 26th and D streets. Other employes had cleaned the tank with gasoline on previous occasions, it is stated, without suffering ill effects. Schlag died at Emergency Hospital about an hour after reaching that institution.

The deceased was a former resident of Alexandria, Va., and had lived in this city only a few days. An inquest will be held at the morgue late this afternoon, when a jury will pass upon the circumstances of the fatal happening.