

Laura D. Shackelford

(1864 – 28 May 1952)

Shackelford. Laura D. On Wednesday, May 28, 1952 at her residence, 3125 Military road northwest, Miss Laura D. Shackelford. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th street and Massachusetts avenue southeast where services will be held on Saturday, May 31 at 2 p.m. Interment in Congressional Cemetery.

The Evening Star, May 31, 1952, p. A-11

Laura Shackelford, 88, Taught in District Schools 45 Years

Miss Laura Shackelford, 88, teacher in District public schools for 45 years and native of Washington, died Wednesday at her home at 3125 Military road N.W.

Miss Shackelford was born in 1864. She attended elementary, high and normal schools here. Her first teaching post was with the first grade at Amidon School. She was later transferred to Jefferson, Smallwood and Bowen Schools.

She also attended George Washington University and in 1913 was appointed physiography teacher at Central High School at the school's old building at Seventh and O streets N.W. She retired in 1928.

Miss Shackelford was a member of several nature and scientific societies. She was also a member of Temple Baptist Church for more than 50 years.

Funeral services were to be held at the Lee funeral home at 2 p.m. today. Burial was to be in Congressional Cemetery.

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Miss Laura Shackelford, Former District Teacher

Funeral services will be held yesterday for Miss Laura Shackelford, 88, of 3125 Military rd. nw., at the Lee Funeral home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. ne. Burial was in Congressional Cemetery.

Miss Shackelford, a teacher in the District public schools for 45 years and a native of Washington, died Wednesday at her home.