

Howard N. Sharpless

(- 28 Apr 1956)

Sharpless, Howard N. On Saturday, April 28, 1956, Howard N. Sharpless, beloved husband of the late Marie A. Sharpless, father of Mrs. John Klossner, Dr. Norman E. and Howard P. Sharpless and brother of Col. Franz E. Sharpless. Funeral from the W.W. Deal Funeral Home, 4812 Georgia ave. n.w., on Monday, April 30, at 11 a.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.



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Howard N. Sharpless, 73, Retired District Merchant

Howard N. Sharpless, 73, retired fruit and vegetable commission merchant, died yesterday of heart disease at Sibley Hospital. He had been a patient one month.

Mr. Sharpless was a lifelong resident of the District and a graduate of the old Business High School. From 1900 until his retirement, he worked for N.J. Ward Co., wholesale commission merchants, first at the market formerly located at 927 B street N.W., and then at the Union Market, Fifth and Morse streets N.E. He also was associated with the Leigh Lawrence Co.

His wife Marie died in 1920. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. John Klossner, 601 Nicholson street N.W., with whom he made his home, and two sons, Dr. Norman E. Sharpless, 10410 Montrose avenue, Bethesda, and Howard F. Sharpless of Olney, Md., and four grandchildren. Also surviving is a brother, Col. Frank E. Sharpless, USA (retired), of Mt. Pleasant, S.C.

Services will be held tomorrow at the Deal Funeral Home, 4812 Georgia avenue N.W. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.