

## **Anna C. Simonds** **( - 16 Apr 1916)**

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**Simonds.** On Sunday, April 16, 1916, at 5:53 p.m., Anna C. Simonds, beloved wife of the late Daniel Simonds. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. L. Browning, 29 7th street northeast, on Wednesday, April 19, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. (Philadelphia and Baltimore papers please copy).

**Simonds.** Members of Triumph Council, No. 8, Daughters of America, will convene in regular session Tuesday evening, April 18, at 8 o'clock, to make funeral arrangements for our deceased sister, Annie E. Simonds.

J.W. Schwenk, Recording Secy.  
Emma Conner, Councilor.

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### **She Has 49 Descendants**

#### **Mrs. Annie C. Simonds Celebrates 81st Birthday With Family**

Mrs. Annie C. Simonds received many congratulations on the occasion of the celebration of her eighty-first birthday last Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lewis Browning, 717 A street northeast.

Mrs. Simonds passed the day in a most enjoyable manner, often entertaining those present by recalling incidents of her long life. Especially interesting was the account of the assassination of President Lincoln, she having witnessed the tragedy. Her husband had been introduced to the actor-assassin but a few minutes before.

Mrs. Simonds was born in St. Augustine, Fla., coming to Washington when only 4 years old, on the only means of water transportation at that time, the old sailing vessel.

Mr. Simonds is still active, enjoying good health, and has 24 grandchildren, and 25 great grandchildren, the twenty-five of whom was born on Mrs. Simonds' birthday.