John S. Skirving

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Death of John Skirving

After lingering for three months from a stroke of paralysis, John Skirving, an old and respected citizen of East Washington, died at Providence Hospital Saturday last at 12 o'clock noon. Mr. Skirving had been a resident of this city for sixty-five years, and at the time of his death was in the seventy-sixth year of his age. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Carrie T., wife of Mr. W.F. Paxson, and Anna M., wife of Mr. Q.F. Mattingly. His funeral took place this afternoon at 1 o'clock, the interment being in Congressional cemetery.