

## **John Philip Sousa, Jr.** **(1 Apr 1881 – 18 May 1937)**

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### **Son to Rest Beside March King, Sousa**

John Phillip Sousa, Jr., 56, son of the march king and composer, will be buried here Monday in Congressional Cemetery, where his famous father is buried.

The body is en route from San Diego, Calif., according to the Associated Press. Mr. Sousa, retired automobile parts manufacturer and noted Southern California sportsman, died Tuesday in La Jolla, Calif.

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John Philip Jr., the first of the three children was born at 420 Eighth Street, S.E., Washington, D.C., on April 1, 1881. He was educated in Washington and New York City schools and graduated from Princeton University in 1904. In 1905 he married Eileen Adams of New York. He was active in several businesses, primarily in the manufacturing field. A lover of sports, he played on the Princeton baseball team and was also very much interested in hunting, fishing and tennis. He died in LaJolla, California, on May 18, 1937, and is buried in the John Philip Sousa plot in Congressional Cemetery.