

## Isabel E. Tavenner

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**Tavenner, Isabel E.** On Friday, August 23, 1963, at Washington Hospital Center, Mrs. Isabel Tavenner of 824 Gist ave., Silver Spring, Md., the beloved wife of the late Clyde H. Tavenner; mother of Clyde Tavenner and Mrs. Homer G. Smith; sister of Mr. Clyde Bell and Miss Mildred Martin. Also survived by 11 grandchildren. Friends may call at the Lee Funeral Home, 4th st. and Massachusetts ave. n.e., until 9:30 a.m., Monday, August 26. Services will be held at Christ Episcopal Church, 6th and G sts. s.e., on Monday, August 26, at 10:30 a.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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### **Isabel Tavenner, Congressman's Widow, Was 71**

Mrs. Isabel E. Tavenner, 71, widow of the late Representative Clyde H. Tavenner of Illinois, died Friday at Washington Hospital Center after a long illness.

Her husband, who died in 1942, was in Congress from 1913 to 1917.

Born in Washington, she attended the old Business High School and was married while working as a secretary on Capitol Hill.

Mrs. Tavenner had been secretary and treasurer for the past nine years of Home Arts, Inc., a tableware firm at 518 Kennedy street N.W.

She previously worked for 15 years in the Washington branch of Empire Crafts Corp.

Mrs. Tavenner was a member of Christ Episcopal Church. She lived at 824 Gist avenue, Silver Spring.

She leaves a son, Clyde H., jr., of 4111 Beverly road, Manor Club Estates, Md., and a daughter, Mrs. Homer G. Smith of 4108 Franklin street, Chevy Chase View, Md.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. tomorrow at Christ Episcopal Church, 620 G street S.E. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.