

James Trimble

(31 Jul 1845 - 17 Mar 1919)

Trimble. On Monday, March 17, 1919, at 7 p.m. at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Charles W. Bland, 503 A street southeast, James Trimble. Funeral from the above address Thursday, March 20, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment private.

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James Trimble Dies

Came to Washington From Ireland in 1846 -- Two Sisters Survive

James Trimble, a resident of this city since 1846, died Monday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Charles W. Bland, 503 A street southeast. Funeral services were held at the home of Mrs. Bland, this afternoon, interment being in Congressional cemetery.

Mr. Trimble was born July 31, 1845, in the north of Ireland. His parents, William and Lucinda Trimble, came to this country the following year, at the urgent request of Matthew Wright, an uncle, then of advanced age and suffering from an illness that a year later caused his death. Matthew Wright located in Washington about 1790 and at his death left a legacy of \$20,000 to the city, the interest on which is paid annually to the Washington City Orphan Asylum and St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum, these being the only institutions of the kind in existence at that time. The fund is now invested in 3.65 bonds of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Trimble was unmarried and is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Bland and Mrs. Adam Gaddis, 1017 East Capitol Street.