Alston C. Whitney

(-30 Jan 1926)

Whitney. January 30, 1926 at 7 pm. At his residence, 47 D st. s.e., Alston C. Whitney, aged 85 years. Funeral from above residence Tuesday, February 2, at 2 p.m. Interment at Congressional Cemetery. Please omit flowers.

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Alston C. Whitney, 85, Dead; G.A.R. Veteran Resident of City for Half Century Was Member of Association of Oldest Inhabitants

Alston C. Whitney, 85 years old, Union Army veteran, died at his residence, 47 D street southeast, Saturday, after a long illness. He was a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia, having lived here more than half a century. A daughter, Miss Cornelia Whitney, a teacher at the Wilson Normal School, survives.

Born in Oswego, N.Y., Mr. Whitney served with the 8th Regiment of Infantry from that State during the Civil War. He was a member of Lincoln Post of the Grand Army of the Republic.

As a member of Grace Baptist Church, he served as deacon many years

Funeral services were conducted at the residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. F.W. Johnson, pastor of Grace Baptist Church, officiated. Interment was in Congressional Cemetery.