

Samuel B. Kendig

(6 Jan 1854 – 25 Mar 1921)

Kendig. Friday, March 25, 1921, at his residence, 820 5th st. n.e., Samuel B., beloved husband of Edna L. Kendig. Funeral from his late residence, Monday at 2:30. Relatives and friends invited.

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Was Bailiff in Police Court for Thirty-Two Years

Samuel B. Kendig, well known bailiff in the District Police Court for the past thirty-two years, died today at his home, 820 5th street northeast. Death was caused by paralysis, following an illness of nearly a month. Funeral arrangements will be made later. He was born January 6, 1854.

Mr. Kendig, the son of a police telegraph operator in Cleveland, Ohio, came to this city when a youth and had lived here continuously ever since. He was appointed as bailiff by the late Judge Thomas F. Miller in Cleveland's first administration. Since that time he has been a familiar figure around the Police Court, serving in the capacity of "turnkey" in the cells.

Surviving him are a widow, brother, daughter, and three sons, all of this city.