

## James H. Kidd

( - 5 Aug 1886)

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**Kidd.** Drowned on August 5th, 1886, at 5 o'clock, James, oldest son of Fannie and the late John R. Kidd, in the 14th year of his age.

Jimmie, darling, he has left us,  
Left us, yes, forever more;  
But we hope to meet our love one  
On that bright and happy shore.  
Rest in peace.

Funeral will take place Sunday, at 3 o'clock p.m., from his stepfather's, Harvey F. Sands, No. 706 G street southeast.

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### **A Boy Drowned**

Robert Kidd, a boy about 15 years old, while stepping from one sailboat to another in the Eastern Branch near Richard's wharf, foot of 3d street southeast last evening, fell into the water and was drowned. The body was afterwards recovered by James Sommers (who has a boathouse nearby) and was taken to the home of the deceased, 706 G street southeast.