

John C. Kondrup

(- 28 Jan 1943)

Kondrup, Johan C. On Thursday, January 28, 1943 at his residence, 3012 Cambridge place n.w., Johan C. Kondrup, beloved husband of the late Teresa J. Kondrup and father of Mrs. Charles E. Warren and Mrs. Frank L. Peckhorn. Remains rest at the above residence until 12 noon, Monday, February 1. Services at the S.H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th street nw. on Monday, February 1 at 3 p.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

Kondrup, Johan C. Members of the Association of the Oldest Inhabitants are requested to attend the funeral of our late associate, Johan C. Kondrup. Services at the S.H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th street northwest on Monday, February 1, 1943 at 3 p.m.

Theodore W. Noyes, President

John B. Dickman, Sr., Secretary

The Evening Star, January 29, 1943, p. A12

Johan C. Kondrup, 78, Dies of Heart Attack

Johan C. Kondrup, 78, for many years an employe of the Post Office, died last night of a heart attack at his home, 3012 Cambridge place N.W.

A native of Washington, Mr. Kondrup was the son of the first Danish Consul to this country. He was active as an oarsman in the old Columbia Athletic Club and was a member of one of the volunteer guard companies. He also served as a page in the House of Representatives.

Mr. Kondrup was an employe of the postal service here for 57 years, retiring at the age of 70. He was a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants.

Surviving Mr. Kondrup are two daughters, Mrs. Belle Warren of the Cambridge place address and Mrs. Carnett Warren, 2556 Thirty-sixth street N.W. Funeral arrangements were made today.

The Evening Star, January 31, 1943, p. A14

Funeral Rites Tomorrow for Johan C. Kondrup

Funeral services for Johan C. Kondrup, 78, retired employe of the Post Office Department, who died Thursday night at his home, 3012 Cambridge place N.W. will be held at 3 p.m. tomorrow in Hines' funeral home, 2901 Fourteenth street N.W. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

A native of this city, Mr. Kondrup as a young man was a star oarsman of the old Columbia Athletic Club and also had been active in the old National Fensibles, military organization here. He was a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Kondrup was employed at the Post Office Department for many years, retiring at the age of 70. When a boy he served as a page in the House of Representatives.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Charles E. Warren and Mrs. Frank L. Peckham, both of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Edwin Tillman, this city, and Mrs. William Stilwell of New Rochelle, N.Y., and a grandson.

The Evening Star, November 24, 1927, p. 7

J.C Kondrup Marks 50-Year U.S. Service

Post Office Employe Congratulated by Officials for Long Career With Government

After 50 years of continuous Government work, Johann C. Kondrup, oldest employe in point of service in the Post Office Department, celebrated the anniversary of his completion of a half century of Government labor yesterday with congratulations on his record by officials of the department and his co-workers.

Mr. Kondrup, who resides at 3012 Cambridge street, started his long career in the Government on November 23, 1876, as a page to the official stenographer of the House of Representatives during the extra session of the Forty-third Congress. From there he was appointed as a substitute clerk in the division of rural mails of the Post Office Department, on July 7, 1879, where he was given permanent employment a year later. He has served continuously in the Post Office Department since. He now has charge of all money order business pertaining to the credits and reserves of post offices throughout the country.

He was born on Capitol Hill in the block on First street, where the Library of Congress now stands, and his father was the Danish Minister to this country from about 1870 to 1878. Mr. Kondrup is married and has two daughters, one a widow, and the other the wife of Frank Peckman prominent local attorney, and past District commander of the local post of the American Legion.

Mr. Kondrup was a member of the famous Columbia Boat Club and was one of the nationally known "Columbia Four," which won rowing and sculling honors all over the country during the years of 1880 to 1884 included in which honors were three national championships won in Philadelphia, New York and Boston. He was also a member of the National Fencibles, the old military organization here. He was a companion therein of Clifford K. Berryman. Mr. Kondrup is a member of the Association of Oldest Inhabitants of the District of Columbia, the Georgetown Citizens' Association and the Society of Natives.

While he appears to be in perfect health, he claims that he is just awaiting the time when he will reach 70 years of age and will be eligible for retirement. Just when that time will be, he refuses to say.