Elsie Ann Smith

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Sixtieth Wedding Day Is Followed By Death

Mrs. Hiram Smith Taken III After Celebration on Christmas Eve

The excitement incident to the celebration of her sixtieth wedding anniversary Christmas eve is believed by relatives to have been a contributing factor in the death yesterday morning of Mrs. Hiram B. Smith of 704 F street northeast. Mrs. Smith, who was seventy-nine years old, had been in good health prior to her death, but the abnormal activity she experienced in receiving many friends who called upon her on the wedding anniversary was thought by members of the family to have caused a sinking spell Monday night.

Funeral services will be held at the residence tomorrow morning, at 11 o'clock, by Rev. E.E. Richardson. Interment will be in Congressional cemetery.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband, two children, Mrs. D.R. Moore and Mrs. Salvadore Hebbs; nine grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.