

Fannie A. Vernon

(15 May 1833 – 23 Feb 1920)

Vernon. Monday, February 23, 1920 at 11:30 a.m. at her residence, 719 F street southwest, Fannie A. Vernon, beloved wife of the late Charles R. Vernon. Funeral from her late residence, Wednesday at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment private.

The Evening Star, February 24, 1920

Mrs. F.A. Vernon Dead

Widow of D.C. Police Captain Passes Away After Long Illness

Mrs. Fannie A. Vernon, widow of Capt. Charles R. Vernon of the metropolitan police force of this city, died yesterday at her residence, 719 F street southwest, after a long illness.

At the time of her death Mrs. Vernon was the oldest member of the Fifth Baptist Church. Dr. John E. Briggs, pastor of the church, will conduct the funeral services tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at her late residence.

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Pension for Mrs. F.A. Vernon

Upon the recommendation of Commissioner West the board of District Commissioners today granted a pension of \$40 per month to Mrs. Fannie A. Vernon of 807 F street southwest, the widow of Charles H. Vernon, a former police lieutenant. Her husband was a member of the local police force from the date of its organization until November 27 last, when his death occurred, as the result of injuries received in the line of his police duties.

Mrs. Vernon wrote to Maj. Sylvester, chief of police, and told him that she is seventy-five years of age and in urgent need of financial help. The police pension board inquired into the case, and it was upon their report that Commissioner West based his favorable recommendation.