

John R. Whaley

(– 5 Dec 1900)

Whaley. On Wednesday, December 5, 1900 at 6:35, John R., husband of Sarah E. Whaley. Funeral service at his late residence, 120 C street northwest on Saturday, December 8 at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend (Savannah, Ga. and Nashville, Tn. papers please copy).

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Burial of "Honest John" Whaley

The burial of the late John R. Whaley, widely known here as "Honest John," took place in Congressional cemetery Saturday afternoon, funeral services having been previously held at his late residence, No. 120 C street northwest. Nearly 200 of the employees of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, with which Mr. Whaley had been connected for the past eighteen years, escorted the body to the grave.