

Name	Birth/Death	Age	Range/Site
Burns, Amanda Malvina	b. 1832 - d. 25 Mar 1903	61 yrs.	Public Vault
<p>Burns. On March 25, 1893, Amanda Malvina Burns, in the sixty-first year of her age. Past her suffering, past her pain; Cease to weep, for tears are vain; Calm the tumult of they breast, For she that suffered is at rest. By Husband Funeral from her late residence 1110 8th Street S.E., Monday, March 27, at 3 p.m. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited.</p>			
Burns, Ann	d. 20 Nov 1879	87 yrs.	R34/83
<p>Burns. November 20th, 1879, at 5 o'clock a.m., Mrs. Ann Burns, relict of the late Benjamin Burns, in the 88th year of her age. Her funeral will take place Saturday at eleven o'clock, from the residence of her son-in-law, Nathaniel Wells, 1242 9th street, northwest. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.</p>			
Burns, Belle V.	d. 7 Aug 1939		R89/196
<p>Burns, Belle V. On Monday, August 7, 1939 at 1432 Girard street n.w., Belle V. Burns, widow of Charles T. Burns. Services at the S.H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th street n.w. on Wednesday, August 9 at 1:30 p.m. Friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery. (Please omit flowers).</p>			
Burns, Benjamin (Sr.)	d. 8 Feb 1850	70 yrs.	R34/82
<p>[Sacred to the Memory of ... Sunbury, Northumberland, England but for the last 30 years a resident of Washington City, D.C. who departed this life, Feb. 8, 1850, aged 72 years]</p> <p>Burns. On Friday evening, the 8th instant, Benjamin Burns, Senior, in the 71st year of his age. His friends are invited to attend his funeral tomorrow (Sunday) at 3 o'clock from his late residence on B between 10th and 11th streets, immediately opposite the Smithsonian Institution.</p> <p>Merchant Tailor. Pennsylvania avenue, one door east of Gadsby's Hotel (Wash. Dir., 1834)</p>			
Burns, Charles	d. 25 Sep 1873	22 yrs.	R83/290
<p>Burns. On the evening of the 25th instant, of consumption, Charles Burns, in the 23d year of his age. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 236 9th street, between B and C southeast, tomorrow (Sunday) at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.</p>			
Burns, Charles T.	d. 9 Jun 1924		R89/196
<p>Burns. Monday, June 9, 1924 at 9:50 p.m. at Garfield Hospital, Charles T., beloved husband of Belle V. Burns. Funeral services at the chapel of John R. Wright Co., 1337 10th st. n.w., Wednesday, June 11, at 3 p.m.</p> <p><i>The Evening Star, June 10, 1924, p. 7</i> <i>Charles P. Burns Dies; Long in U.S. Service</i> <i>Was Chief of Printing at Weather Bureau-Prominent in Masonic Circles</i> Charles P. Burns, fifty-one years old, chief of the printing division of the United States weather bureau, died at the Garfield Hospital last night following a protracted illness.</p> <p>Mr. Burns was a native of Lancaster, S.C. He was born November 4, 1872. In September, 1893, he accepted a position with the government printing office, where he worked until April 1903. In May of that year he entered the United States weather bureau as a compositor. Later he was promoted to an assistant foreman of the printing division, and in 1919 was made chief of the division, which position he held at the time of his death.</p> <p>He had been prominent in Masonic circles, being a member of Mount Pleasant Lodge, No. 13, F.A.A.M., Washington Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar; Almas Temple of the Mystic Shrine and Jackson Lodge, No. 53, A.F.M., of Lancaster, S.C. He also was a member of Columbia Typographical Union, No. 101.</p> <p>He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Belle V. Burns, and one son, Willard Burns. Funeral arrangements have not been made.</p> <p><i>The Evening Star, June 11, 1924, p. 7</i> <i>Rites For C.T. Burns</i> <i>Funeral Services Under Auspices of Masonic Fraternity</i></p>			

Funeral services for Charles T. Burns, chief of the printing division of the U.S. weather bureau, who died at Garfield Hospital Monday night, were conducted by Washington Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar, at John R. Wright's undertaking establishment, 1337 10th street this afternoon. Services at the grave, Congressional cemetery, were conducted by Dawson Lodge, No. 16, F.A.A.M.

In addition to other Masonic affiliations, Mr. Burns was a member of Mount Pleasant Chapter, R.A.M.

The Evening Star, May 16, 1913, p. 2

Weather Bureau Employe Reduced

Charles T. Burns, an Assistant Foreman, Is Given Cut in His Salary

Guilty of Misconduct in Performing Duties

Case Is Outgrowth of Charges Resulting in Dismissal of Prof. Moore

Charles T. Burns, an assistant foreman in the weather bureau, suspended at the time of the dismissal of Chief Willis L. Moore, today was reduced in rank and salary by Secretary Houston, who declared Burns "guilty of misconduct in the performance of his duties."

Moore was dismissed for "serious irregularities" and misuse of his office, of which it was alleged he had been guilty in his campaign for appointment as Secretary of Agriculture in President Wilson's cabinet. The case was referred to the Department of Justice for investigation. Burns was charged with complicity.

Only One Charge Sustained

Prof. Oliver L. Fassig, against whom charges were preferred by Moore, was acquitted of all except one - that of making a false statement regarding an item of expense amounting to \$6.65. No action was taken in his case. Fassig contended Moore made the charges because he refused to support his candidacy for the Secretary of Agriculture.

Secretary Houston's investigation of the case disclosed, an official statement says, that December 27, 1912, Burns recommended that an inspection of weather bureau printing plants in various cities was necessary in the interest of economy and efficiency, "whereas the trip was planned by Moore for the primary purpose of promoting his candidacy for appointment as Secretary of Agriculture, and not for the promotion of economical or efficient administration of the bureau."

Burns Feared Dismissal

Mr. Burns' official excuse for doing this was that he feared dismissal if he did not comply with the orders of his chief. Secretary Houston said that this was not a valid excuse, and Burns was reduced from a salary of \$1,800 to one of \$1,250.

There are a number of parallel cases in which Prof. Moore is alleged to have used his position to forward his campaign for a cabinet place. These have been placed in the hands of the Department of Justice and will be acted on individually, as was done in the Burns case.

Burns, David W.	d. 6 Oct 1806		R32/26
(A David Burnes was a hold-out on selling his land to the Government, but eventually a signer)			
Burns, Edgar	b. 23 Apr 1882 - d. 6 Nov 1882	6 mos. 14 days	R32/214
Burns. On Monday, November 6th, 1882, at 12 o'clock m., after a short illness, Edgar, infant son of Frank H. and Julia A. Burns, aged 6 months and 14 days. Funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, No. 635 G street southwest, on Thursday, November 9th, at 2 1/2 o'clock p.m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.			
Burns, Edward Milton	d. 9 Nov 1881	79 yrs.	R32/214
Burns. On Wednesday, November 9, 1881 at 12 o'clock p.m. of diphtheria, Edward Milton, son of Frank H. and Julia A. Burns in his 80th year. Funeral will take place from the residence of his parents, 635 G street s.w. on Saturday, November 12 at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited to attend.			
Burns, Elizabeth Ellen	b. 17 Nov 1847 - d. 6 May 1863	15 yrs.	R33/219
Died at Emmitsburg, MD			
Burns, Mrs. Ellen Louisa	d. 19 Sep 1870	48 yrs.	R83/288
Burns. On the 16th instant at 8 o'clock p.m., Ellen Louisa Burns, aged 48 years, wife of John Burns. Funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 227 6th street east between north G and Massachusetts avenue at 3 o'clock on Monday. Friends of the family are invited to attend.			

Burns, Frank H. (Jr.)	d. 3 Jun 1901	28 yrs. 17 days	R32/215
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Burns. On Monday, June 3, 1901 at 9:30 p.m., Frank H., Jr., eldest son of Frank H. and Julia A. Burns, aged 28 years. Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 223 8th street southwest, Thursday, June 6 at 2 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

Burns, George	d. 20 Nov 1862	28 yrs.	R33/218
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Burns. On Thursday afternoon, 20th inst. At his residence, near this city, George Burns in the 29th year of his age. His friends and acquaintances are requested to attend his funeral from Wesley Chapel, corner of 5th and F sts. On Saturday afternoon, 22d inst. At 2 o'clock.

Burns, George K.	d. 18 May 1861		R33/216
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The Evening Star, May 20, 1861
Distressing Death

Saturday afternoon last, the eldest son of Mr. George Burns, of this city, aged twelve years, who had been riding on an omnibus in Fourteenth street, jumped suddenly off, and before he could get off the street another omnibus, close behind, run against him, knocking him down, and the wheels passed over the lower part of the body, inflicting fatal injury. He died at 12 o'clock that night, after lingering up to that hour in great suffering. Yesterday morning, the driver of the omnibus (John Lane) was arrested and taken before Justice Donn, who held an examination into the case. The evidence showed that the lad was riding behind the first omnibus on the steps with two others, when he jumped off, and in an instant was under the horses of the second one, before the driver had time to pull them up. All the witnesses agreed in holding the driver blameless in all, except the single circumstance that he did not stop to see what harm had been done. Lane appeared very much distressed at the accident, and said that he saw the boy fall or jump off, and before he could possibly pull up his horses they were upon him. He looked over the side of the coach, and seeing the lad on his feet and the other boys coming up to him, concluded that the omnibus had not touched him, but that he had passed under the axles, and was not hurt. He was held for further examination.

Burns, George N.	d. 26 Jan 1901	71 yrs. 10 mos. 9 days	R80/44
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Burns. On Saturday, January 26, 1901, at 4:50 p.m., George N. Burns, beloved husband of Harriet Burns. Funeral services at his late residence, 907 Virginia avenue southwest, Tuesday, 2 p.m. Interment private.

Burns, George Oscar	d. 8 Apr 1905		R32/216
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The Evening Star, April 9, 1905
His Life Crushed Out
George Oscar Burns Killed By Railway Engine
Was Assistant in the Pennsylvania Yard at Benning
Result of an Accident

George Oscar Burns, who was employed as assistant yardmaster at the "J.U." tower in the Benning yard, was struck by engine 5257 of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company yesterday afternoon about 4:30 o'clock and instantly killed. He was killed while in the performance of his duty, and his father was satisfied with a certificate of accidental death being given by the coroner without the formality of holding an inquest. His father, Mr. Frank H. Burns, is a clerk in the War Department, and lives at 223 8th street southwest. He was at Lee's undertaking establishment, 832 Pennsylvania avenue, last night when the remains of his son arrived there in charge of the superintendent of the morgue. The unfortunate young man was thirty years old and lived at the home of his parents. He had been in the employ of the railroad company about four years. He had been advanced several times during the four years, and would probably have received another promotion in a short time had he not met with the fatal accident.

Ran in Front of Locomotive

The young man was in the tower and knew there was an engine approaching from the city. Being in a hurry to cross the tracks to book some cars, he ran from the tower and passed in front of one big locomotive. He apparently did not count upon the second engine being there, and ran directly in front of it. The engine was making fast speed at the time, and Burns was struck with such force that he was instantly killed, as stated. His body was dragged a distance of fifty yards or more along the track and horribly mutilated. Railroad employees gathered the remains and had them in a car on a siding by the time the wagon from the morgue reached the scene. Burns' gold watch was missing from his vest pocket, and search was made for it along the line of the tracks, but without success.

Last night Undertaker Lee prepared the body for burial, and it will be taken to the home of the young man's parents this morning. The arrangements for his funeral have not yet been made, but it is thought it will take place tomorrow afternoon. The Rev. B.F. Bittinger will officiate, and the interment will be at Congressional

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Cemetery. The father of the young man has had four deaths in his family during the past four years, and has a host of friends to sympathize with him in his present bereavement.			
Burns, Harmon	b. 25 Aug 1817 - d. 26 Oct 1872		R33/220
Married JULIA L. DESAULES on 26 Feb 1852 DC. He was a shoe merchant.			
Burns, Hortense R.	b. 1858 - d. 28 Mar 1923		R79/182
The Washington Post, March 30, 1923 Rites for Mrs. Hortense R. Burns Funeral services for Mrs. Hortense R. Burns, who died in her apartment in the Cordova, will be held in the apartment tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be in Congressional cemetery. The Rev. C. Ernest Smith, pastor of St. Thomas' church will officiate.			
Mrs. Burns was a member of the Washington Women's club and the Women's City club. She was born in 1858. She is survived by husband, Edward J. Burns.			
Burns, Howard Alexander	b. 17 Feb 1886 - d. 9 Aug 1938		R32/219
Burns, Howard A. On Tuesday, August 9, 1938, at the residence of his sister, 2715 Wisconsin ave. n.w., Howard A. Burns. Funeral Thursday, August 11, from the above residence. Services and interment private.			
Burns, Joseph (Sr.)	b. 1833 - d. 10 Jan 1895	61 yrs.	Public Vault
Burns. On January 10, 1895 at 9:30 a.m., Joseph Burns, Sr., Aged 61 Dearest father thou has left us Looking for our mother dear; Hoping you'll unit in heaven And guide our ways while we are here. By his children Funeral from his late residence 1110 8th Street, S.E., Sunday at 3 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.			
Burns, Julia Agnes	d. 29 Oct 1929	74 yrs.	R32/218
Burns, Julia Agnes. On Tuesday, October 29, 1929, Julia Agnes Burns, wife of the late Frank H. Burns. Funeral from 2320 Ashmead place n.w. on Thursday, October 31 at 2 p.m. Kindly omit flowers.			
<i>The Evening Star, October 31, 1929, p. 9</i> <i>Funeral of Mrs. Burns</i> <i>Rites for Lifelong Resident of D.C. Held Today</i> Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Agnes Burns, widow of Frank H. Burns, who died Tuesday evening, were held this afternoon at her home, 2320 Ashmead place. Rev. Henry Tolson, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, officiated. Interment was in Congressional Cemetery.			
Pallbearers at the funeral were H.E. Bittinger, N.D. Miller, J.W. McKerichen, B.H. Roberts, W.H. Yerkes and Dr. Warren Price. Mrs. Burns was in her seventy-fifth year and was a lifelong resident of Washington. She is survived by two sons, Howard A. and Gregg C. Burns, and two daughters, Mrs. Harry F. Boryer and Miss Eleanore Burns, all of this city.			
Burns, Mary	d. 3 Dec 1928		R83/286
Burns, Mary. On Saturday, December 3, 1928 at Chicago, Ill., Mary Burns (nee Morgan) beloved wife of Thomas J. Burns. Services will be held at the residence of her sister, Mrs. G.A. Bray, 116 5th street s.e. on Wednesday, December 12 at 2 p.m. Interment in Congressional Cemetery.			
Burns, Mary A.	d. 4 Mar 1896		R67/334
Burns. On March 4, 1896 at 12:05 a.m. at her residence, 2137 I street, Mrs. Mary A. Burns, widow of the late James A. Burns, formerly of Georgetown, D.C. Funeral from Union M.E. Church, 20th street, Friday, March 6 at 3 p.m. Interment private.			
Burns, Mary Ellen	d. 22 Sep 1854	24 yrs.	R33/217
Burns. On the evening of the 22d instant after a long protracted illness, Mary Ellen, consort of G. Burns in the 25th year of her age, with a bright hope of blissful immortality. Her funeral will take place on tomorrow			

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(Sunday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from Wesley chapel corner of F and 5th sts. To which all her friends are invited without further notice.

Burns, Minnie H. d. 10 Jul 1873 11 mos. 20 days **R80/44**

Burns. On the 10th instant, Minnie H., only child of George N. and Harriet M. Burns, aged 11 months and 20 days. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, at the residence of her parents, No. 477 G street southwest, on Saturday, the 12th instant, at 4:30 p.m.

Burns, Paul C. d. 17 Mar 1861 17 yrs. 7 mos. **R34/86**

Burns. On the 17th instant, Paul C. Burns, son of Ann and the late Benjamin Burns, after a long and painful illness, which he bore with Christian fortitude, aged 17 years and 7 months.

Burns, Robert b. 3 Oct 1883 - d. 13 May 1921 **R32/216**

Burns. Friday, May 13, 1921 at 6 p.m., Robert, husband of Aileen Burns (nee Miller) and son of Julia A. and the late Frank H. Burns. Funeral from 3821 H street northwest, Monday, May 16 at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment at Congressional cemetery.

Burns. A special communication of Lebanon Lodge, No 7, F.A.A.M. is hereby called on Monday, May 16 at 1:30 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Robert Burns.

Arthur G. Fessenden, Master

Burns, William Bittinger b. 2 Sep 1879 - d. 22 Nov 1899 20 yrs. 20 days **R32/215**

Burns. On Wednesday, November 22, 1899 at 3 o'clock p.m., William Bittinger, son of Frank H. and Julia A. Burns in the 21st year of his age. Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 223 8th street southwest, Saturday at 2 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.