

Finagin, Leroy

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Finagin. Saturday, March 31, 1923, at his residence, 1002 Savannah st. s.e, at 10:30 o'clock p.m., after a short illness, LeRoy, son of J.B. and Sarah E. Finagin. Funeral from residence, Tuesday, April 3, at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional cemetery. (Baltimore papers please copy.)

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Le Roy Finagin Dies After Short Illness

Past President of Business High School Alumni Victim of Pneumonia

Le Roy Finagin, past president of the Business High School Alumni Association, and a student at George Washington University, died Saturday night of pneumonia, following an illness of only a few days' duration. He was twenty-three years old.

Mr. Finagin, who was a native of the District of Columbia was widely known in local high school circles. He graduated from Business High in 1918. During the war he served in the Marine Corps, undergoing training at Paris Island, S.C., and being later sent to Quantico, Va., for overseas assignment at the signing of the armistice.

He served as president of the Alumni Association in 1921 and 1922. He was engaged in the study of law at George Washington University.

Mr. Finagin was a member of the Costello Post of the American Legion and of the Congress Heights Methodist Church.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua H. Finagin, two sisters, Mrs. Walter Marlow and Mrs. Raymond Hunt, and by two brothers, Archie and Walter Finagin, all of this city.

Funeral services will be held at the home, 1002 Savannah street, Congress Heights, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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Rites For Le Roy Finagin

Funeral Services Held This Afternoon for World War Veterans

Funeral services for Le Roy Finagin, who died at the family residence, 1002 Savannah street, Congress Heights, Saturday, were held at the home this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment was in Congressional cemetery. He was twenty-three years old. At the time of his death he was a student at George Washington University. During the world war he served with the United States Marine Corps and was stationed at Paris Island, S.C., and Quantico, Va. He was a member of Costello Post, American Legion, and the Congress Heights Methodist Church. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Finagin; two sisters, Mrs. Walter Marlow and Mrs. Raymond Hunt, and two brothers, Walter and Archie Finagin. Costello Post sent a delegation for the military funeral at the grave.