

Name	Birth/Death	Age	Range/Site
Purcell, Andrew J.	d. 27 Dec 1908		R122/195
<p>Purcell. On Sunday, December 27, 1908 after a short illness, Andrew J. Purcell. His busy hands are folded His work on earth is done His trials are all ended His heavenly crown is won. By His Wife Funeral from his daughter's residence, 317 I street southwest on Wednesday, December 30 at 2:30 p.m. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.</p>			
Purcell, Ann	d. 7 Mar 1887		R2/18
<p>Purcell. On March 7, 1887, Ann Purcell, aged 60 years. Funeral from Trinity church corner 3d and C streets, Wednesday at 1 p.m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.</p>			
Purcell, Annie A.	d. 7 Mar 1898	14 yrs. 4 mos.	R138/217
<p>Pursell. On Monday, March 7, 1898 at 2:50 o'clock p.m., Annie A., youngest beloved daughter of J.R. and O.A. Pursell, aged 14 years and 4 months. Funeral Wednesday, March 9 at 3 o'clock p.m. from the Anacostia M.E. Church. Friends invited to attend.</p>			
Purcell, Blanche	d. 1 Jun 1890	3 yrs. 4 mos. 6 days	R1/156
<p>Purcell. At 8:30 o'clock on June 1, 1890, Blanche, beloved daughter of Sarah and Andrew Purcell aged 3 years 4 months 6 days. Little Blanche was our darling Pride of all our hearts at home But an angel came and whispered Darling Blanche do come home. By Her Parents. Funeral will take palce from her late residence, 106 M street southwest, Tuesday, June 3 at 3 o'clock p.m. Friends and relatives invited to attend.</p>			
Purcell, John F.	d. 5 Jan 1892	70 yrs.	R14/256
<p>Purcell. Fell asleep in Jesus Tuesday, January 5, 1892 at 9 p.m., John F. Purcell. Funeral from the residence of his daughter, No. 1213 street southwest Thursday next at 2 p.m.</p>			
Purcell, John R.	d. 3 Aug 1899	55 yrs.	R138/218
<p><i>The Evening Star, August 4, 1899, p. 12</i> <i>Anacostia Affairs</i> John R. Purcell, a life long resident of the District, died shortly after 7 o'clock last evening at his residence, 117 Jefferson street, Anacostia, aged 54 years. Mr. Purcell had resided in Anacostia for the past seventeen years. He was born in Georgetown. He enlisted toward the close of the civil war as a member of the 2d District Volunteers and served in Company I. Recently an operation was performed upon Mr. Purcell at the Episcopal Eye and Ear Hospital, and for a short time he grew better. His mother, wife and three grown children survive him. The funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Anacostia Methodist Church. Interment will be at Congressional cemetery.</p> <p><i>The Evening Star, August 7, 1899, p. 8</i> <i>Anacostia Affairs</i> <i>Funeral of John R. Purcell</i> The funeral of John R. Purcell, who died Thursday evening at his residence on Jefferson street, at the age of 54 years, was held yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the Anacostia Methodist Episcopal Church, corner of Jackson and Pierce streets, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. Charles O. Isaac. The pallbearers were Robert Walker of Falls Church, Va., and James Taylor, George F. Pyles, George W. King, sr., John W. Barse and Benoni Milstead of Anacostia. The interment was at Congressional cemetery.</p>			
Purcell, John T.	d. 25 Jan 1888	30 yrs.	R85/198
<p>Pursell. On January 25, 1888 at 8 p.m., John T. Pursell in the 31st year of his age. Funeral will take place from his late residence, 405 13th street southwest on Saturday at 1:30 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.</p>			

Purcell, Margaret O.	d. 6 Nov 1938	87 yrs.	R59/153
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Purcell, Margaret O. On Sunday, November 6, 1938 at her residence 1012 13th street s.e., Margaret O. Purcell, the beloved wife of the late James Purcell. Funeral from the H.M. Padgett funeral home, 131 11th street s.e. on Tuesday, November 8 at 2 p.m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Retired G.P.O. Worker Dies at Age of 87

Mrs. Margaret O. Purcell, 87, retired bookbinder of the Government Printing Office, where she worked for 42 years, died yesterday at her home, 1012 Thirteenth street S.E., after a long illness.

A native of this city, Mrs. Purcell was retired from Government service 16 years ago. She was the widow of James R. Purcell, who died five years ago. She belonged to the Daughters of America.

Surviving are three sons, John, James and Charles Purcell, and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Beall, all of this city. She also leaves a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow in Padgett's funeral home, 131 Eleventh street S.E. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

Purcell, Mary A.	d. 14 Nov 1897	88 yrs.	R86/197
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Pursell. On Sunday morning, November 14, 1897, Mary A., widow of Thomas Pursell in the 89th year of her age. Funeral service at her late residence, 29 E street northwest at 2:30 o'clock, Tuesday, November 16. Friends invited. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

The Evening Star, November 16, 1897

M.W. Beveridge Buried

Funeral at Same Hour of Widow of His Former Employer

A large number of friends paid a last tribute of respect to the late M.V. Beveridge by attending the funeral services held over his remains this afternoon at the late residence, 1618 H street northwest. It is a noteworthy coincidence that at the same hour funeral services were in progress over the remains of Mrs. Mary A. Pursell, widow of Thomas Pursell, at the family residence, 20 E street northwest. The funeral was not only held at the same hour, but Mrs. Pursell died Sunday morning about the same time that Mr. Beveridge passed away. Mrs. Pursell was in her 89th year. In the earlier years of Mr. Beveridge's business career in this city he was employed as a clerk in the china store which was owned by Mrs. Pursell's husband. The acquaintance that was begun so many years ago with the family of his employer was continued through the subsequent years.

Pursell, Olive A.	d. 7 Jan 1920		R138/218
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Pursell. Wednesday January 7, 1920, Olivia Ann, widow of the late John R. Pursell. Funeral from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. D.L. Trainor, 1201 B street northeast, Saturday January 10 at 2 p.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Relatives and friends invited.

Purcell, Sarah A.	d. 14 Sep 1898		R14/256
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Purcell. Suddenly on Wednesday, September 14, 1898 at 6 o'clock p.m., Sarah A. Purcell, beloved wife of the late John T. Purcell, passed into a peaceful slumber. Funeral will take place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. West, No. 467 N street southwest, Friday, September 16 at 4 o'clock p.m. Friends and relatives respectfully invited to attend.