

<b>Schroeder, Altazera</b>	d. 2 Jul 1908		<b>R68/28</b>
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Schroeder. On Thursday, July 2, 1908 at 3 o'clock p.m., Altazera Henderson, beloved wife of August W. Schroeder. Funeral service at her late residence, 524 9th street southeast on Monday, July 6 at 10 a.m. Friends and relatives invited. Interment private. (Martinsburg, W. Va. papers please copy).

*The Evening Star, July 6, 1908, p. 16*

*Last Honors Paid*

*Funeral Services Over Remains of Mrs. August W. Schroeder*

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Altazera Henderson Schroeder, wife of August W. Schroeder, who died last Thursday afternoon at her home, 524 9th street southeast, were held at 10 o'clock this morning at the residence. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Arthur Jones, pastor of the Christ Episcopal Church. Interment was in Congressional cemetery.

The pallbearers were John VonHermann, Watson F. Clark, Thomas Lear, John H. Shelton, George B. McShelton and Dr. C.M. Buckey.

Mrs. Schroeder was born in Green Spring, W. Va., in 1840. She was married to Prof. A.E. Schroeder, who, with ten children, survives her. The children are John C., Charles, Clarence, Raymond and Robert Schroeder, Mrs. Blair Domer, Misses Leila, Emma and Rida Schroeder and Mrs. Bell.

<b>Schroeder, Caroline Seaton</b>	d. 8 Oct 1856		<b>R57/171</b>
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Wife of Hon. Francis Schroeder, Minister to Sweden. Died in Stockholm

<b>Schroeder, Charles E.</b>	d. 21 Dec 1932		<b>R68/26</b>
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Schroeder, Charles E. Suddenly on Wednesday, December 21, 1932 at 6 a.m., at his residence, 624 9th street, s.e., Charles E. Schroeder, beloved son of the late August W. and Altazera Henderson Schroeder. Services will be held at his late residence on Friday, December 23d at 2 p.m. Friends invited. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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*Schroeder Name in D.C. Music History*

*Thousands of Citizens Here Knew First Local Head of House,*

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The third son, Charles Ernest Schroeder, played with his father in the old National Theater orchestra, was in the Columbia Theater orchestra for 20 years, and is in the National Theater orchestra now.

<b>Schroeder, Christian</b>	d. 28 May 1854		<b>R95/112</b>
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In 1840 Christian Schroeder, his wife, Dorathea Miller Schroeder, and their son, August, landed at Baltimore from Germany after three months at sea in a sail ship. August was born at Hanover, Germany, in 1836. The family came from Baltimore to Washington a few days after entering the United States and went to live on a farm near Four Corners, this side of Burnt Mills, on the Colesville road in Montgomery County, Md.

Christian was a musician and from his youth had been a German military bandsman. Soon after making a home near Four Corners, Christian enlisted in the Marine Band and moved to Washington, with his wife and son renting the house on the southeast corner of Tenth and G streets southeast. The house stands.

Christian served several enlistments in the Band -- I believe three of four years each and part of a fourth -- and died May 28, 1854. His grave is in Congressional Cemetery. His widow Dorathea, lived until 1884, and the Rambler has seen a sear certificate giving her a little pension as widow of Christian Schroeder of the Marine Band, "who died of disease contracted in line of duty." The Rambler has looked at issues of the *Evening Star*, May 27-30, 1854, but they do not hold an account of Christian Schroeder's death. No significance is in that because newspapers did not gather news so well then as now.

<b>Schroeder, Dorothea</b>	d. 9 Feb 1884	88 yrs.	<b>R67/28</b>
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*The Evening Star, February 11, 1884*

*Locals*

Mrs. Dorothea Schroeder, mother of Prof. A.W. Schroeder, the musician, died Saturday at her son's home, in East Washington, aged 88 years. She was a native of Hanover and one of the early German settlers of this city. The funeral takes place this afternoon.

**Schroeder, Francis William** d. 5 Jan 1894 30 yrs. **R67/26**

Schroeder. On Friday, January 5, 1894, Frank W., beloved son of August W. and Altie Schroeder, in the 31st year of his age. Funeral from the residence of his parents, No. 524 9th street southeast, Sunday, January 7, at 3 o'clock p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

*The Evening Star, January 6, 1894*

*Frank Schroeder Dead*

Frank W. Schroeder whose illness has been announced in the Star died on his home, 539 9th street s.e. He was the son of Professor August Schroeder, leader of the National Guard Band and was a member of the Academy of Music orchestra.

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Frank William Schroeder, second son of August Schroeder died in 1894 and had become a musician of merit and experience. He played in his father's orchestra and was of the Academy of Music orchestra when he died.

**Schroeder, Joanna A.** d. 13 May 1948 **R56/172**

Schroeder. On Thursday, May 13, 1948, at Laconia, N.H., Joanna A. Schroeder, daughter of the late Rear Admiral and Mrs. Seaton Schroeder and sister of Miss Sarah F. Schroeder, Mrs. Moulton K. Johnson, Seaton Schroeder and Wainwright Schroeder. Services and interment private.

**Schroeder, John C.** d. 27 Nov 1927 **R60/257**

Schroeder. On Sunday, November 27, 1927, at 4 a.m., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charles S. Zurhorst, 301 East Capitol st., John C. beloved husband of Ovelton Shelton Schroeder. Services will be held at Christ Episcopal Church, G street between 6th and 7th sts. s.e. on Wednesday, November 30 at 11 a.m. Interment in Congressional Cemetery.

*The Evening Star, November 28, 1927*

*Musical Leader Dies*

*John C. Schroeder Dies; Was Music Conductor*

*Was Leader of Orchestras at Prominent Hotels Here for Past 30 Years*

John C. Schroeder, 66 years old, musical conductor, whose orchestras for many years furnished the music for leading hotels, diplomatic and social functions in this city, died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs Charles S. Zurhorst, 301 East Capitol street, yesterday after a long illness. For nearly 30 years Mr. Schroeder's orchestra furnished the music at the Willard, Ebbitt and Raleigh Hotels. He retired from business about 10 years ago.

He was assistant secretary of the Washington Safe Deposit Co., until retiring about a year ago, after a service of 38 years. For 20 years he was vestryman of Christ Episcopal Church of Southeast Washington.

Funeral services will be conducted in the Christ Episcopal Church Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. C.E. Buck, rector, will officiate, assisted by Rev. William Pettus, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church. Interment will be in Congressional Cemetery.

Mr. Schroeder was the son of the late August W. and Altazern Henderson Schroeder. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ovelton Shelton Schroeder; a daughter Mrs. Charles S. Zurhorst; three brothers, Clarence W., Charles E. and Robert M. Schroeder; five sisters, Mrs. M.B. Domer, Mrs. David Bell, Mrs. Rita von Herrmann, Miss Emmie Schroeder, and two grandchildren, Charles S. Zurhorst, jr., and Mary Ovelton Zurhorst, all of this city.

*The Evening Star, November 29, 1927*

*J.C. Schroeder Rites*

*Church Services Tomorrow for Widely Known Musician*

Funeral services for John C. Schroeder, 66 years old, widely known musician who died at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Charles S Zurhorst, 301 East Capitol street, Sunday, will be conducted in Christ Episcopal

Church of Southeast Washington tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. C.E. Buck, rector, will officiate, assisted by Rev. William Pettus, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal Church.

For 30 years Mr. Schroeder conducted orchestras here. He also was assistant secretary of the Washington Safe Deposit Co. many years. For 20 years he was vestryman of Christ Episcopal Church.

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The eldest son, John Christian Schroeder, was given broad musical schooling and adopted the piano. He played in the old Willard Hotel orchestra and conducted the Raleigh Hotel orchestra during the years T.J. Talty was manager of the hotel. Retired from professional music, and since 1888 -- 37 years -- has been assistant secretary of the Washington Safe Deposit Company. I often meet John at lunch and with George Havenner, Ed Hazleton Bradbury Heights, Ed Scanlon, Bill Cross, "Sid" Wallberg, Mike Levy and Welby Smallwood, we hold a consortium on affairs of government. The newspapers, commissioners, congress, and the President do not always conform to our decisions and we have thought of asking them to sit at our table and get the right dope on how the country should be run. We would like to hand them some knock-out reasons why the income tax in the higher brackets should be lowered. Every time one of us makes a hundred thousand or so we feel that the tax is heavy.

**Schroeder, Raymond Duncan**

d. 27 Aug 1926

**R68/27**

Schroeder. Friday, August 27, 1926 at his residence, 524 9th street s.e., Raymond Duncan Schroeder, beloved son of the late August W. and Altazera Henderson Schroeder. Service will be held at his late residence on Monday, August 30 at 11 a.m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment (private) Congressional Cemetery.

*The Evening Star, August 28, 1926*

*Raymond D. Schroeder,*

*Veteran Violinist Dies*

*Native Washingtonian Was Soloist at National Theater 20 Years Ago*

Raymond D. Schroeder, native of Washington, and remembered as the soloist violinist of the National Theater orchestra 20 years ago, died at his home, 524 Ninth street southeast last night. He was in his fifty-fourth year.

Until an accident 18 years ago, Mr. Schroeder was recognized as one of Washington's leading violinists, rendering many solos at the National Theater and at the old Ebbitt Hotel, with which he was connected for 20 years. He also furnished an orchestra at Marshall Hall for many years.

Mr. Schroeder kept up his interest in music and musicians of Washington through his connection with the American Federation of Musicians of which organization he was a member of the board of directors. He was also a member of Columbia Lodge, F.A.A.M.

Surviving him are four brothers, John C., Charles E., Clarence W. and Robert M. Schroeder, and five sisters, Mrs. M.B. Domer, Miss Leila H. and Miss Emmie M. Schroeder, Mrs. Rita von Herrmann and Mrs. David W. Bell.

Funeral services will be held at the residence, Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be in Congressional Cemetery.

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Raymond Duncan Schroeder, the fourth son and eighth child of August Schroeder, is one of Washington's eminent violinists, conducted the Ebbitt House orchestra a long time and is a music teacher now.

**Schroeder, Robert Morgan**

d. 27 Aug 1938

**R68/25**

Schroeder. On Saturday, August 27, 1938 at his residence, 524 9th street s.e., Robert Morgan Schroeder, beloved son of the late August W. and Altazera H. Schroeder and brother of Clarence W., Emmie M. Schroeder, Mrs. Rita von Herrmann and Mrs. David W. Bell. Funeral will be held from his late residence on Tuesday, August 30 at 2 p.m. Interment at Congressional Cemetery.

*The Evening Star, August 29, 1938*

*Robert M. Schroeder Dies at Residence*

*Retired Musician of Soldiers' Home Band*

*To Be Buried Tomorrow*

Robert Morgan Schroeder, 56, retired musician of the United States Soldiers' Home Band, died Saturday at his home, 524 Ninth Street S.E. after a long illness. Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. tomorrow at the residence. Burial will be in Congressional Cemetery.

A lifelong resident of this city, Mr. Schroeder was a son of the late August W. Schroeder and the late Mrs. Altazera H. Schroeder. His father was a founder of the old National Guard Band here.

Surviving are a brother, Clarence W. Schroeder, and three sisters, Miss Emmie M. Schroeder, Mrs. Rita von Hermann and Mrs. David W. Bell.

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The sixth son, Robert Morgan Schroeder, was in the Belasco Theater orchestra several years and is now of the Soldiers' Home Band.

<b>Schroeder, Roberta</b>	d. 28 Feb 1872	1 yr. 24 days	<b>R67/27</b>
Schroeder. On Wednesday morning, 28th inst., Roberta, daughter of August and Altie Schroeder, aged 1 year 24 days. Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the parents, No. 524 9th street s.e., Friday, March 1 at 2:30 o'clock p.m.			

<b>Schroeder, Sarah Franklin</b>	d. 13 Sep 1973		<b>R57/173</b>
Schroeder. On Thursday, September 13, 1973, Sarah Franklin Schroeder, aunt of Belle Morse Johnson, Mrs. Gardner Emmons and Dr. Moulton K. Johnson. Service and interment private.			

<b>Schroeder, Adm. Seaton</b>	b. 1849 – d. 19 Oct 1922	73 yrs.	<b>R56/171</b>
<i>The Evening Star, Friday, October 20, 1922</i>			
<i>Funeral Tomorrow of Admiral Shroeder</i>			
<i>Retired Naval Officer Passes Away. Had Long and Distinguished Career.</i>			
Rear Admiral Seaton Shroeder, U.S.N., retired, died at the Naval Hospital in this city yesterday afternoon from heart disease, with which he had suffered for many months. He is survived by his widow, two sons, Seaton Shroeder, jr., and Wainwright Shroeder, and three daughters, Sarah F. Shroeder, Joanna A. Shroeder and Mrs. Moulton K. Johnson. For many years the family has resided at 1816 N street. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon and burial will be in the Arlington national cemetery, with the usual military ceremonies.			

*Son of U.S. Minister*

Admiral Schroeder was the son of Francis Shroeder, former United States minister to Sweden, and was born in this city in August 1849. Graduating from the Naval Academy in September, 1868, he served successively with the Pacific fleet, on the *Benicia* in Chinese waters, on the *Pinta* in the north Atlantic, on the *Swatara*, and on the *Gettysburg* on a special mission in the Mediterranean in 1877-8. He served various details in the hydrographic office, the fish commission and the Navy Department.

*Held Various Posts*

During 1879-80 he was associated with the late Lieut. Commander H.H. Gorringe, U.S.N., in transporting from its original site in Egypt, the Obelisk now in Central Park, New York city. Later he served on the dynamite cruiser *Vesuvius*, and the battleship, *Massachusetts*. He commanded the battleship *Virginia* and afterward the *Louisiana*, during the memorable cruise around the world of the Atlantic battleship fleet in 1898-9. He served at the Washington navy yard and in July, 1900 was appointed naval governor of Guam, where he performed efficient service for about two years.

*Succeeds Admiral Sperry*

In May 1906, he succeeded the late Rear Admiral Sperry in complete command of the Atlantic fleet and served in that capacity until his statutory retirement for age in August, 1911. He was advanced in rank for eminent and conspicuous services in the Spanish-American war. During the world war he was recalled to active duty in the hydrographic office, Navy Department.

*The Evening Star, October 22, 1922*

*Rites for Schroeder -- Rear Admiral Buried in Congressional Cemetery*

Funeral services for Rear Admiral Seaton Shroeder, United States Navy, retired, were held in the chapel of the Congressional cemetery yesterday afternoon in the presence of relatives and many friends and burial was made in the family plot in that cemetery. Rev. Eugene B. Pierce of All Souls' Church conducted the services. The honorary pallbearers were Rear Admirals Hugo Osterhaus, W.L. Rodgers, Joseph Strauss, Washington L. Capps, and W.F. Fullam, Commodore R.G. Davenport, General Andre Brewster, and Col. Alexander Rodgers.

<b>Schroeder, Winslow Seaton</b>	d. 18 Jul 1882	8 mos. 29 days	<b>R57/172</b>
Schroeder. At Oakland, Md., July 18, 1882, Winston Seaton, infant son of Seaton and Maria Schroeder, aged 8 months 29 days.			