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Dr. A. George Wilkinson, 58 Years In Office, Dead

Was Long in Active Service in Patent Office and

Recognized Dean of Corps

Dr. A. George Wilkinson, for fifty-eight years a member of the examining corps of the patent office, died at his residence, 1526 K street, Sunday evening. He had remained in the active service of the patent office until a month ago, and had long been known as dean of the corps, both in total length of service and in length of service as a principal examiner.

Dr. Wilkinson was born in Willimantic, Conn., February 22, 1834. He graduated from Yale University in the class of 1856, which also included ex-Senator Depew, the late Justices Brewer and Brown of the United States Supreme Court and other distinguished men, and was a member of Scroll and Key and of Delta Kappa Epsilon Fraternity. He received the degree of A.M. from Yale in 1859 and honorary A.M. from Columbian College the same year. From the latter institution (now George Washington University) he received in 1878 the honorary degree of Ph.D.

After graduating from Yale he studied in France and Germany, and in 1861 was appointed assistant professor of ancient languages and literatures at the State University of Missouri, at Columbia, Mo. In 1864, the university being closed on account of the civil war, he accepted an appointment in the United States patent office.

During the greater part of his service at the patent office Dr. Wilkinson had special charge of patents relating to dentistry and to artificial limbs and was recognized as an expert in these lines. During and since the recent war he gave particular attention to artificial legs and other appliances for the rehabilitation of our wounded soldiers, and was frequently called into consultation at Walter Reed Hospital and with other government officers in regard to this work.

Dr. Wilkinson was internationally known in patent work. At the Paris expositions of 1878, 1889 and 1900 he served as a member of the international jury of awards, and also in 1889 presided over the fourth section of the Paris International Patent Congress. In 1893 he was one of the patent office examiners chosen to have charge of the exhibit of that branch of the government at the world fair at Chicago. He was one of the secretaries of the international patent conference held in Washington, D.C., during May and June 1911.

Dr. Wilkinson joined the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church of Washington, in 1857, and retained his membership there during the rest of his life, ever active in the discharge of the church duties. January 26, 1865, he married Lue Burnam Wilson of Columbia, Mo., who survives him. He also leaves three children: Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins and Miss Lucille W. Wilkinson of Washington and George L. Wilkinson of Chicago; six grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence, 1526 K street. Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe and Rev. Dr. Henry Allen Tupper will officiate. Dr. Wilkinson's grandsons, Howard Wilkinson Hodgkins, George Wilson Hodgkins and Lawrence Wilkinson, and two of his associates in the patent office, Herbert Wright and William Hutchinson, will serve as pallbearers.

Wilkinson, James A.	d. 3 Aug 1892	42 yrs.	R86/181
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Wilkinson. At St. Elizabeth Hospital, Wednesday, August 3, 1892, at 5:30 p.m., James A. Wilkinson, youngest son of the late Richard and Sarah Wilkinson, in his 43d year. Funeral from Mr. M. Mitchell's undertaker, 729 11th street southeast, Friday at 4:30 p.m. Friends invited. Interment at Congressional cemetery.

Wilkinson, Lucille Warfield	b. 1876 - d. 21 Feb 1937	60 yrs.	R61/254
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Wilkinson, Lucille Warfield. On Sunday, February 21, 1937, at George Washington Hospital, Lucille Warfield Wilkinson, the beloved daughter of the late A. George and Lou B. Wilkinson and sister of Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins and George L. Wilkinson. Remains resting in the vault at Congressional Cemetery. Services postponed until the arrival of relatives from abroad. Funeral services by the W.W. Chambers Co.

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Miss Wilkinson, Teacher, Is Dead

Science Instructor Was Active in Many D.C. Organizations

Miss Lucille Warfield Wilkinson, 60, teacher of elementary sciences in the John Quincy Adams School, died yesterday after a long illness in George Washington University Hospital.

Miss Wilkinson, a native of this city, had been connected with the elementary science department of the District public schools for about 15 years. For the last few years she had been teaching at the Adams School, but had been on sick leave during the present school year.

She was the daughter of the late Dr. A. George Wilkinson and the late Mrs. Lou B. Wilkinson. Her father was an examiner at the Patent Office for many years. Miss Wilkinson received her early education in public and private schools and later attended George Washington University.

Active in many organizations here, she belonged to the Audubon Society, the Wild Flower Preservation Society, the Our Flag Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the First Baptist Church and the Current Topics Club.

Some years ago she wrote a history of the Baptist denomination here. She had spent considerable time in travel in Europe.

She is survived by a sister, Mrs. Howard L. Hodgkins, with whom she lived at 1821 Kalorama road, and a brother, George L. Wilkinson, a Chicago patent lawyer, who resides in Evanston, Ill.

Funeral arrangements are being delayed, pending arrival here of the brother, who is traveling in Europe.

Wilkinson, Richard d. 29 Sep 1865 59 yrs. **R86/180**

Wilkinson. Suddenly on the 29th ult. Near Charlotte Hall Post Office, St. Mary's county, Maryland, Richard Wilkinson in the 60th year of his age, a native of England but for the last 39 years a resident of this city. He leaves a family of ten children to mourn his untimely end. May he rest in peace. His funeral will take place at 3 o'clock on Saturday the 7th inst. from the residence of his son-in-law, William Fullalove, south C street between 2d and 3d east, Capitol Hill.