

CAPT. M'KENNA DIED EARLY TODAY; CAPTAIN NOTABLE

Captain William McKenna, aged 75 years, died Friday morning at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Morgan, 3504 Armstrong avenue, Highland Park.

Captain McKenna was born in Bennington, Vt., in 1839. He was living in Pittsfield, Mass., at the beginning of the Civil War, and was one of the first to respond to the call for volunteers, enlisting first in the Allen Guards, later in the Thirty-First Massachusetts, serving three years. He was with General Butler in the expedition which captured New Orleans and in the reorganization of troops in 1863, was made captain. During most of his time of service he was stationed at Fort Pike, La. In 1865 he was on detached duty as inspector, and during this time served as a member of a court martial at New Orleans. He was mustered out in November, 1865, but did not return to the North, preferring to remain in the South.

In 1870 Captain McKenna went to Shreveport as assistant assessor of internal revenue, and soon after was appointed postmaster at Shreveport, relieving C. W. Keating, in which capacity he served from 1873 to 1886. Captain McKenna had three commissions signed by General Grant. In 1878 while at Shreveport he was married to Miss Katherine Maroney, sister of the late James Monorey of this city.

Surviving relatives of Captain McKenna are: Miss Anne McKenna, Mrs. Katherine Jones, Mrs. Alice Donegan and Miss Margaret McKenna, all of Boston, Mass.; also three daughters, Mrs. Frank Weaver, Mrs. W. P. Campion and Mrs. E. H. Morgan, all of this city.

Mass will be said tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock at Holy Trinity Chapel, by Very Rev. Patrick Finney. Funeral services at Holy Trinity Chapel Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Father Finney. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery.

McKenna Funeral to Be Held Tomorrow

Funeral service for Captain William McKenna, aged 75 years, who died yesterday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Morgan, 3504 Armstrong avenue, Highland Park, will be held at Holy Trinity Chapel at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, Rev. Patrick Finney officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Pallbearers will be W. G. Currie, Prof. Joseph Morgan, Charles Sorg Sr., P. A. Richardson, J. H. Morgan Jr., and J. D. Warford. Mass was said at 7 o'clock this morning at Holy Trinity Chapel by Rev. Patrick Finney.

Captain McKenna was born in Bennington, Vt., in 1839. He later joined the Thirty-First Massachusetts and served three years during the Civil War. He was actively engaged in military movements at various points in the country during those years.

Surviving relatives of Captain McKenna are Miss Annie McKenna, Mrs. Katherine Jones, Mrs. Alice Donegan and Miss Margaret McKenna, all of Boston, Mass. Also three daughters living in Dallas, Mrs. Frank Weaver, Mrs. W. P. Campion and Mrs. E. H. Morgan.

McKenna—On Christmas day, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. H. Morgan, 3504 Armstrong Avenue, Dallas, Capt. William McKenna, aged nearly 75 years. The deceased was born at Bennington, Vermont, and joining the volunteers during the Civil War he served three years in the Federal army and was actively engaged in military operations at various points in the country. He leaves three daughters surviving him in Dallas—Mrs. Frank Weaver, Mrs. W. P. Campion and Mrs. E. H. Morgan—besides a number of relatives in Boston, Mass. Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon in Holy Trinity Chapel, Rev. Patrick A. Finney, C. M., officiating and interment was made in Calvary Cemetery. A large number of friends followed the remains to their last resting place. A Mass of Requiem was celebrated in Holy Trinity Chapel on Sunday morning.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace.

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