

*Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory*

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903 F

Lot Number: 58 Space: F

Find A Grave # 11905736

Name: **Fisher, Eliza Ann McColley**

Birth date: September 21, 1820 Death date: July 29, 1908 Burial Date: July 31, 1908 Age: 87

Spouse: George Purnell Fisher (1817-1899), m. January 7, 1840

Children: Truston Fenwick Fisher (1840-1845); Frances Virginia Fisher (1842-1845); Frances Virginia Fisher (1845-1909); Nancy Owens Fisher Cahoon (1847-1915); Sallie Fisher (1851-1852); Charles George Fisher (1851-1912); Sallie Angelina (Lena) Fisher (1853-1864); George Purnell Fisher (1856-1931); Truston P. Fisher (1859 – 1859) twin of: Hetty Fisher (1859-1859)

Parents: Truston Polk McColley (1793-1874) and Hester Smith McColley (1796-1865)

Siblings: Hiram W. McColley (1816-1888); Hester Angelina McColley Marshall (1830-1920)

Residence:

Cause of death:

Service/occupation information: Obituary places burial in Methodist Churchyard, see next page

Officiate:

Lot Owner: George P. Fisher

Marker: Family monument, name on west side looking east

Inscription: See next page

DIMENSIONS: H 85" x W 44" x D 44" (base)

STYLE: footstone and family monument

Corner markers "F"

No repairs needed



Inventory date: February 9, 2020 Recorder: Robert Marston, Nancy Quinn

MONUMENT INSCRIPTION West side:

Headstone:

Eliza Ann Fisher  
Born Sept. 21, 1820  
Died July 29, 1908

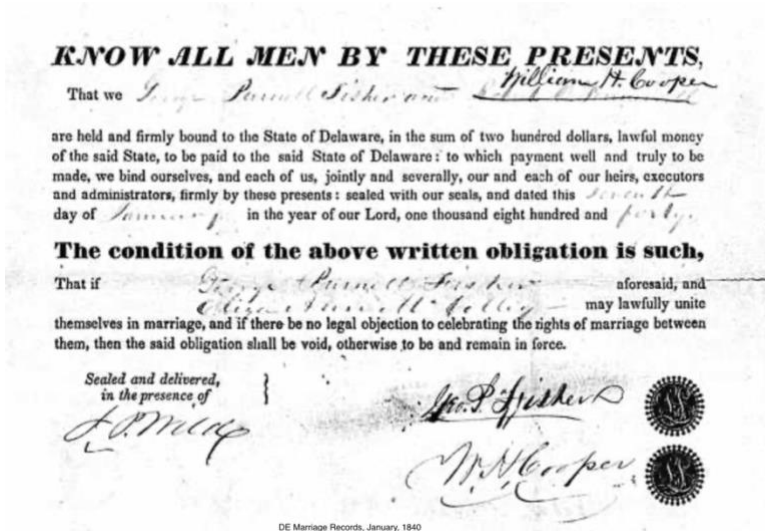
Frances Virginia Fisher  
Born Dec. 17, 1845  
Died Jan. 26, 1909

Nancy Owens Fisher Cahoon  
Born Dec. 25, 1847  
Died Oct. 27, 1915

Footstone at east end of 58 F:

E. A. F.

The Evening Journal, Wilmington, DE  
Saturday, August 1, 1908



Marriage certificate retrieved from ancestry.com on January 20, 2023

# JUDGE FISHER'S WIDOW BURIED

## Prominent Men Acted as Honorary Pallbearers at Dover Funeral

Evening Journal, Sat. Aug. 1, 1908 p. 1

The funeral of Mrs. Eliza A. Fisher, widow of the late Judge George Fisher, which took place in Dover yesterday was one of the largest held in that town for some time. A number of prominent people from different parts of the state attended the funeral.

Services were conducted by the Rev. T. F. Waldron, of Dover, and interment was made in the Methodist cemetery at that place.

The honorary pallbearers were: Chancellor John R. Nicholson, Dover; Congressman R. Hiram Burton, Lewes; Caleb S. Pennewill, Dover; Postmaster Henry C. Conrad, Wilmington; Henry P. Cannon, Bridgeville, and Dr. James Martin, of Georgetown.

Mrs. Fisher was in her 87th year. She died in Washington, D. C., on last Wednesday. Her husband who was one of the judges of the district court of the District of Columbia, died in February 1899. He was a congressman from this state and also state's attorney, and was a well-known citizen, having been born in Sussex county.

Mrs. Fisher was a daughter of Tru- sten P. McColley, of Milford, and was married to Judge Fisher in 1838. Mrs. Fisher had lived in Washington al- most continually since 1861, during part of that time her husband was a judge in that city. Mrs. Fisher is sui- vived by two sons and two daughters, Charles G. Fisher of Milford; George P. Fisher, Jr., of Chicago, and Mrs. Annie Cahoon and Miss Virginia Fish- er, both of Washington, D. C.