[De Nike, Margaret Myers]

MRS. MARGARET MYERS DE NIKE

Mrs. Margaret Myers De Nike, one of the oldest members of the Universalist Church of Our Father, Grand avenue and Lefferts place, died Saturday at 428 Tompkins avenue, and her pastor, the Rev. Dr. Thomas E. Potterton, will conduct her funeral services this evening. The interment, tomorrow, will be in Greenwood Cemetery. Mrs. De Nike was born in old Greenwich village, in Manhattan, the daughter of the late Bernard and Abigail Myers. Her father was a pioneer in the banking business on Fulton street, Brooklyn. Her late husband, Joseph P. De Nike, who was a builder, served in the Civil War as a first lieutenant in the Fifth Regiment of New York Volunteers. Mrs. De Nike in early life was a teacher in the Sunday School of the Church of Our Father and also sang in the choir. Mrs. De Nike was the mother of Professor Paulding De Nike of East Eighteenth street, Flatbush, who is widely known as [a] 'cello virtuoso and head of the studio bearing his name at 427 Tompkins avenue. She is also survived by two brothers, Miles N. and Charles B., and a sister, Miss Adelia E. Myers.

Brooklyn Daily Eagle, New York NY, Mon. 29 Mar 1915

Transcribed on 21 Oct 2009 by Karen E. Dau of Rochester, NY