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Walter A. Myers was born Nov. 1, 1852, in this city. His parents were Michael and Catherine Myers, and he has always resided in this city. He obtained his education in the public schools, and from 1868 to 1872 worked at the molder's trade. In 1879, '80 and '81 he was connected with the State Survey. In 1881 he was elected a general assessor for the term of three years, and later was made captain of police. He is now in charge of the First Precinct. Captain Myers represented the Ninth Ward in the Common Council from 1874 to 1880, and was recognized as one of the most energetic and conscientious of our city fathers. He was married Jan. 1, 1876, to Miss Jennie Heffernan, and has one child, a son 12 years old.



