James Hyman Causten (Jr.)

(Jul 1818 - 3 Oct 1856)

Causten. At Weston, the residence of his father on the 3d instant, Dr. James H. Causten, eldest son of James H. Causten, aged 38 years. In the death of Dr. Causten our city has lost a valuable and estimable citizen, and his family one of its brightest ornaments. His funeral will leave St. John's Church at 1 o'clock on Monday, the 6th instant and his friends are invited to attend without further notice.

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Born July 1818, Baltimore, Md. M.D., 1842, Columbian. Died Oct. 3 or 5, 1856. [Eldest son of J.H. Causten, U.S. Consul to Ecuador; his mother was the daughter of Thomas Meyer of Baltimore]. Attended St. Mary's College, Baltimore, in 1830 and Georgetown College in 1835. After graduation in medicine, went abroad with Dr. R.K. Stone, infra. Retired early from practice of medicine to engage in translation of documents. Married, April 9, 1850, Miss Anna Payne, adopted daughter of "Dolly Madison." Author of "Claims against France," Washington, 1871.