Louis Frederick William Weber

(Dec 1832 - 20 Dec 1910)

Weber. On Tuesday, December 20, 1910, Louis F.W. Weber, beloved husband of Belle Weber in his 76th year. Funeral on Friday, December 23 at 2 o'clock from his late residence, 727 7th street southeast. Friends and relatives invited to attend. Interment at Congressional cemetery (Warrenton, Va. papers please copy).

Weber. The members of the Association of the Oldest Inhabitants, District of Columbia are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services of our late associate, Louis F. Weber at her late residence, 727 7th street southeast on Friday the 23rd inst. at 2 p.m.

Theodore Noyes, President

Benjamin W. Reiss, Recording Secretary

The Evening Star, December 21, 1910, p. 2 **Apoplexy Is Fatal To Noted Musician** Louis F.W. Weber Was Member of Marine Band and Later Orchestra Leader



LOUIS WEBER.

Funeral services for Louis F.W. Weber, for about a quarter of a century a member of the Marine Band, will be held at the family residence, 725 7th street southeast, at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon. Burial will be in Congressional cemetery. Mr. Weber died at his home at 7 o'clock last night, following a second stroke of apoplexy last Wednesday. He was first stricken about a year ago.

Mr. Weber was born in Baltimore, Md., in 1834, came to Washington in 1838 and had lived here ever since. He had been actively engaged in musical endeavor all his life and enjoyed the distinction of having directed the orchestra at the inaugural ball of President Buchanan in 1857, as well as that of President Lincoln in 1861. During his life of nearly four-score years he was identified with the growth of Washington and always took a keen interest in all local affairs.

Belonged to Many Organizations

He was connected with a number of organizations, among which was the Association of the Oldest Inhabitants and Musicians' Union. He was also a member of Naval Lodge, No. 4, F.A.A.M.; a Royal Arch Mason and a member of Columbia Commandery, No. 2, and Almas Temple, Order of the Mystic Shrine.

Mr. Weber leaves four son – George W. Weber, a member of the Washington Stock Exchange; William H. Weber of the government printing office; Louis K. Weber of the bureau of engraving and printing and Harry M. Weber, an orchestra leader in Memphis, Tenn. - and two daughters - Mrs. Carter Catts and Miss Hattie B. Weber, both of this city.

After leaving the Marine Band in 1867 Mr. Weber was a member of an orchestra under the leadership of his father, Christian Weber, which was noted in its day, and succeeded his father as leader of the organization, continuing in charge until he retired from active duties in 1900.

The pallbearers will be selected from the different organizations of which he was a member, and Naval Lodge will, according to Masonic custom, participate in the ceremonies.

The Evening Star, December 23, 1910, p. 18 **Louis F.W. Weber Buried**

The body of Louis F.W., musician and orchestra leader, who died at his home, 725 7th street southeast last Tuesday was buried in Congressional cemetery this afternoon with Masonic honors. Funeral services were held at the residence at 2 o'clock, Rev. Henry S. France, pastor of Trinity M.E. Church, officiating. Pallbearers were selected from the Masonic bodies and the Association of the Oldest Inhabitants, to which the deceased belonged.