

## Henry Christian Bergheimer ( - 15 Oct 1923)

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**Bergheimer.** Suddenly at Atlantic City, N.J., October 15, 1923, 2 a.m., Henry Christian. Funeral services at his late residence, 1515 Allison st. n.w., at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, October 17. Interment at Congressional cemetery (Richmond, Va, papers please copy).

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### **H.C Bergheimer Claimed By Death**

#### **Manager of Galt & Bro. Dies While Seeking to Regain Failing Health**

Henry Christian Bergheimer, for a long period manager of the jewelry firm of Galt & Bro. of this city, died suddenly this morning at Atlantic City, where he had gone for the recuperation of his health, which has been failing for the past year, although he was able to attend to his business regularly until recently.

Mr. Bergheimer was born in Richmond, Va., seventy-three years ago and had been a highly esteemed resident of this city for nearly half a century. In his early manhood he became connected with the firm of M.W. Galt, Brother & Co., as a watchmaker and gem expert, which position he occupied until the death of the surviving member of the firm, Mr. Norman Galt, which occurred fifteen years ago, when he was made manager.

He had established a national reputation in the jewelry trade as a man of scrupulous integrity and honesty and of exceptional ability and discriminating judgment in its details. Possessing at all times a genial and attractive personality, he made for himself a host of genuine friends, who will regard his passing as a most deplorable loss, not only to themselves, but to the business community of Washington generally.

Mr. Bergheimer was a member of the National Press Club Columbia Country Club, the Washington Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association.

In respect to the memory of Mr. Bergheimer, the store will be closed on Tuesday and Wednesday. Notice of funeral hereafter.