

## Louis Dorr

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**The Funeral of the late Louis Dorr**, Baker, 7th street Island, was attended yesterday afternoon by the Turner Association, Sangerbund, and Excelsior Lodge, I.O.O.F. Withers' and Weber's Bands were present. The hearse, furnished by Walters, undertaker, was drawn by four white horses, and each horse was led by a member of the Turner Association, draped in white.

The religious ceremonies were performed by Rev. Mr. Finckel. The Odd Fellows' service at the grave (Congressional Cemetery) by A. Eberly; after which a solemn dirge was performed by the Sangerbund, and two addresses were delivered, one of which, by a Polish exile, was of a most feeling character.

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### **Interesting Funeral Ceremonies**

Yesterday afternoon the remains of Louis Dorr, an esteemed German citizen, were consigned to their last resting place -- the Congressional Cemetery. The procession was one of the most imposing ever seen at a private funeral in Washington. Oriental Lodge No. 19, I.O.O.F., the Turners, Saengerbund, a beneficial society, and an immense number of carriages and pedestrians, marched to the solemn strains of Weber's and Withers' bands. The whole was under the direction of John Thaw, esq., as chief marshal. The church service was impressively read by Rev. Mr. Finckel.