

## Thomas H. Havenner, Sr.

( - 15 Sep 1871)

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### **Going Ahead**

We learn with pleasure that the machinery in the cracker-bakery of Thos. H. Havenner is to be driven by steam. The demand for this kind of bread has increased so greatly that it is impossible to supply it with the machinery driven by hand. The new machinery is to be constructed by our enterprising fellow-citizen, Mr. J.B. Ellis, at the establishment formerly conducted by Mr. McKinstry, and the experience of the machinist in constructing works of the kind required, gives assurance that there will be no failure in the apparatus.

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### **Generous**

Mr. Thomas Havenner, on C between 4 1/2 and 6 streets, sent yesterday, four hundred of his finest fresh loaves to the office of the National Freedmen's Relief Association, 394 North Capitol street, to be distributed among the poor. The stores of the office were nearly exhausted, and the appeals to the city and Congress not yet having been responded to, this donation was most acceptable.

**Havenner.** At 11 o'clock p.m., September 15, Thomas Havenner in the 84th year of his age. Funeral services at his residence on C street near 4 1/2 street on Monday the 18th at 3 o'clock p.m. (City papers please copy).

*The Evening Star, September 16, 1871*

### **Death of an Old Citizen**

Mr. Thomas Havenner died at his residence, on C street, near 4 1/2 street, last night, in the 84th year of his age. Mr. Havenner was a native of Prince George's county, Md., but, after attaining his majority, established a bakery at his late place of business, and has since conducted it, his bread and crackers having been known to our people for over half a century, and many of our citizens will recollect his old sign-board, "May our country never want for bread!" He was a very conscientious business man, and a prominent member of the Methodist Church. His funeral will take place on Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock.