

DISTINGUISHED MAN DIES.

A. Y. P. Garnett, a well-known physician of Washington, D. C., died on Wednesday night at Rehoboth Beach, Del., of heart failure. He had been severely ill for several days and was believed to be slowly convalescing. He left Washington for the seashore on Wednesday morning for the purpose of recruiting his failing health. He was born in Virginia in 1820, was graduated in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania in 1841, entered the United States navy as assistant surgeon the same year, was promoted to surgeon in 1848 and resigned in 1848 in order to accept the professorship of clinical medicine in the National Medical College of Washington. He married the eldest daughter of Henry A. Wise. At the breaking out of the War he left Washington and became the surgeon-general of the Confederate army. He was the family physician of Jefferson Davis and of all his cabinet officers, and accompanied Mr. Davis after the evacuation of Richmond, and at the close of the War he went back to Washington, and was again elected professor in the medical college. Recently he was elected president of the American Medical Association. JULY 19, 1888

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