

André-Michel Guerry, Death Notice

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Notice of death of André Michel Guerry, 9 April 1866, Paris 5eme

On the ninth of April eighteen hundred sixty six at four p.m.

Notice of death of André Michel Guerry deceased today at four a.m. in Paris at his house at boulevard Saint-Michel number 123 aged sixty four years, Member of the Institute, Knight of the Legion of Honor, born in Tours (Indre-et-Loire), single without further information.

The said death being duly confirmed upon declaration of André René Poisson aged fifty eight years landlord in Neuillé-Pont-Pierre (Indre-et-Loire) and of Pierre Alexandre René Vaslin aged fifty six years landlord living at La Croix (Indre-et-Loire) both cousins of the deceased, who have signed with us Étienne Augustin Albinet, Deputy Mayor of the fifth borough having read the said Act.

(signed) Vaslin Poisson Albinet

Acte de décès de André Michel Guerry, 9 avril 1866 Paris 5eme

Du neuf avril mil huit cent soixante six à quatre heures du soir

Acte de Décès de André Michel Guerry décédé ce jour d'hui à quatre heures du matin à Paris dans son domicile boulevard St Michel n°123, âgé de soixante quatre ans, Membre de l'institut, Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur, né à Tours (Indre-et-Loire), célibataire, sans autres renseignements.

Le dit décès dûment constaté sur la déclaration de André René Poisson âgé de cinquante huit ans propriétaire à Neuillé Pont Pierre (Indre et Loire) et de Pierre Alexandre Vaslin âgé de cinquante cinq ans propriétaire demeurant à La Croix (Indre et Loire) tous deux cousins du défunt qui ont signé avec nous Étienne Augustin Albinet adjoint au maire du cinquième arrondissement lecture faite du dit acte

(signé) Vaslin Poisson Albinet

Further information about the cause of death comes from the necrology by Diard (1867):

As early as last August, he had been struck with a dizziness (stroke?), while looking through the archives of the Paris City Hall. He only recovered from this attack to offer to his numerous friends the sad spectacle of an exhausted intelligence, which was becoming weaker every day. He died suddenly in Paris on the 9th of this month.