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benefit of his personal tuition. He also superintended the studies of several young men preparing for the ministry. For fifty-seven years he was an active and influential member of the Board of Trustees of Westfield Academy, and for forty-seven years he held the same relation to Williams College.

Several of his Sermons and Addresses have been printed. The number of his publications, including his articles in the journals of the day, is not far from sixty.

About twelve years ago, he prepared, with the assistance of Hon. James Cooley, a collection of the memoirs of all the members of the class of 1792, and in 1850 he presented the volume in manuscript to the Library of Yale College.

EPHRAIM STRONG died in Hudson, Ohio, January 25, 1860, aged 88

He was son of Ebenezer Strong, and was born in Woodbury, Conn., December 20, 1771.

* Early in the present century he removed to Greensborough, Vt., where he was engaged as a farmer and trader. He was Postmaster of that town for several years. In 1836 he removed to Hudson, Ohio, where he resided until death.

1797.

GEORGE GRIFFIN died in New York City, May 6, 1860, aged 82.

He was son of George Griffin, and was born January 14, 1778, at East Haddam, Conn. He was a younger brother of Rev. Edward D Griffin

After graduating, he began to study law with Noah B. Benedict of Woodbury, Conn. Six months later he went to the Law School at Litchfield, and there completed his preparatory studies. In December, 1799, he was admitted to the bar, and in the summer of 1800 he located himself at Wilksbarre, Penn., and there pursued the business of his profession for six years. In the autumn of 1806 he removed to the city of New York, where he thenceforth resided, holding a high rank in the profession.

For ten years or more before his death he gradually withdrew from the practice of law, and devoted much time to theological studies and to general literature. As the fruit of these studies he published two works entitled, severally, "The sufferings of our Saviour," and the "Evidences of Christianity."

SYLVESTER MAXWELL died in Charlemont, Mass., December 21, 1858, aged 82.

He was son of Hugh Maxwell, and was born April 16, 1775, at Heath, Mass. The year following his graduation he taught an academy in Burke County, Georgia. He then returned to Massachusetts and studied law with Judge Hinckley of Northampton. He was admitted to the bar, established himself in the practice at Charlemont, and there resided through life. He had for about thirty years the chief direction of the municipal affairs of that town, and was repeatedly a member of the State Legislature, in both branches.

1801.

THOMAS KIMBERLY BRACE died in Hartford, Conn., June 14, 1860, aged 80.

He was son of Jonathan Brace, and was born in Glastenbury, Conn., October 16, 1779. He was through life a prominent citizen of Hartford, Conn. For many years he was a merchant there, and for a long period he was the President of the *Ætna* Insurance Company. He was a Representative of the town of Hartford in the Legislature of Connecticut, and was Mayor of the City from 1840 to 1843.

1802.

WILLIAM LIGHTBOURN STRONG died in Fayetteville, N. Y., August 31, 1859, aged 76.

He was son of Adonijah Strong, and was born in Salisbury, Conn., October 18, 1782.

He pursued a course of theological study, and on the 3d of April, 1805, he was ordained and installed Pastor of the church in Somers, Conn. Here he remained until July 2, 1829. After this he was Pastor of the church in Redding, Conn., for about five years. From Redding he went to Vienna, Ontario Co., N. Y., where in 1835 he was installed, Pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The failure of his eye-sight obliged him to leave the active duties of the ministry five or six years after this period. He then removed to Fayetteville, N. Y., where the last twenty years of his life were passed. He was an occasional contributor to the *Connecticut Evangelical Magazine*, and was the author of several published discourses and of one or two of the tracts issued by the American Tract Society.

1803.

JONATHAN LAW died in Cheshire, Conn., November 4, 1859, aged 76.

He was son of William Law of Cheshire, and was born in that town, January 14, 1784.

He studied Law in the office of Judge Chauncey, in New Haven, and was admitted to the bar, in this city, March 3, 1807. During that year he went to Hartford, in this State, and commenced the business of his profession. He was appointed Postmaster of Hartford, March 23, 1809, and continued in office until 1829. The last fifteen years of his life he spent in his native town.

1807.

JOEL ADAMS died near Columbia, S. C., May 1, 1859, aged 75.

He was son of Joel Adams, and was born in Richland District, S. C., March 6, 1784.

He studied law in the office of the late Judge Nott, in Columbia, S. C. Soon after his admission to the bar, he left the profession, and thenceforward devoted himself, with eminent success, to the pursuits of a planter in his native district. He was occasionally in public life, having been a member of the Legislature of South Carolina in 1812 and 1813, and again in 1832.

1808.

WILLIAM SEWARD PIERSON died in Windsor, Conn., July 16, 1860, aged 72.

He was born at Killingworth, Nov. 17, 1787.

He was the only son of Deacon Abraham Pierson of Killingworth and a descendant of Abraham Pierson, the first Rector of Yale College.

He studied medicine in the Medical School of Dartmouth College, and received the degree of M. D. in 1813.

In 1813 he settled as a physician in Durham, Conn. From this place he removed in December 1818, to Windsor, Conn., where he resided in the practice of his profession until death.

THEODORE POMEROY died in St. Anthony, Minnesota, June 26, 1860, aged 75.

He was born in Southampton, Mass., March 17, 1785.

He studied medicine and commenced practice in Cooperstown, N. Y. In 1820 he removed to Utica, N. Y., where he thence-

forward resided, engaged in the business of his profession nearly to the close of life.

While on a visit to his sons in St. Anthony, he died after a short illness.

1810.

CHAUNCEY ALLEN GOODRICH died in New Haven, February 25, 1860, aged 69.

He was son of Elizur Goodrich, and was born in New Haven, October 23, 1790.

After graduation he taught the Hopkins Grammar School in this city for two years, and was then a Tutor in this College from 1812 to 1814. During his tutorship he pursued his theological studies under the direction of Dr. Dwight. Having preached for a short time, he was in July 1816, ordained Pastor of a church in Middletown, Conn., which place he left on account of ill-health. In 1817 he was appointed to the newly established Professorship of Rhetoric in this College, and he filled this office until 1839. He was then transferred to the Professorship of the Pastoral Charge in the Theological Department, and he continued in this place during the remainder of his life.

In literary labor he was industrious and fertile. While a Tutor he published a compendious Greek Grammar, which he improved in the numerous subsequent editions. In 1832 he published the first edition of his Latin Lessons and Greek Lessons, constructed on a plan now widely adopted. In 1829 he established the Quarterly Christian Spectator, and was its sole Editor until about 1836. He also made important contributions to other religious periodicals. One of these on Revivals of Religion in Yale College, appeared in the Amer. Quar. Register for 1838. In 1852 he published a work of great value, entitled "Select British Eloquence," accompanied by critical and biographical sketches and arguments. To lexicography he gave much time, especially during the last fifteen years. In 1847 was issued his thoroughly revised editions of Webster's quarto and octavo dictionaries, embodying the results of great labor and research. In 1856 appeared his University edition, and in 1859 his large supplement to Webster's Dictionary, enriched with an elaborate collection of synonyms, of which he was the author.

During his long term of service in the College, he has been conspicuous for his zeal and efficiency, and for his devotion to the religious interests of the students.

In the enlargement of the Theological Department of the College, his labors and counsels were of great importance, and his donations for this and other objects connected with the Institution were so liberal, as to entitle him to rank among the largest of its pecuniary benefactors.

A discourse, commemorative of his life and services delivered by President Woolsey, March 5th, was printed in the New Englander for May, and also in pamphlet form. (New Haven, 1860, 8vo., pp. 30.)

1811.

LEVINUS MONSON died in Hobart, Delaware Co., N. Y., Sept. 23, 1859, aged 68.

He was son of Joshua Munson, and was born in Hamden, Conn, May 5, 1792.

He studied law with Hon Samuel Sherwood, in Delhi, N. Y. After his admission to the bar, he removed to Hobart, N. Y., where he resided until his death, excepting a short period while he was a resident of Newburgh.

He was for many years a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, in the County of Delaware, and on the death of Judge Morehouse, of Cooperstown, N. Y., he was in 1850 appointed to fill the vacancy on the bench of the Supreme Court of that State.

1813.

JOHN CRANE died in Fredonia, N. Y., May 20, 1860, aged 69

He was son of Henry Crane, and was born in Durham, Conn, July 21, 1791. He was taken in his infancy, with his father's family, to Whitestown, N. Y.

Soon after graduation he entered on the study of law in the office of Hon Thomas R. Gold of Whitesborough, N. Y., and in May 1817, he was admitted to practice. He removed to Chatauqua County, N. Y., and in July 1817, settled in what is now the village of Fredonia, where he resided till his death, engaged chiefly in the business of his profession. About the year 1822, he was appointed an associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Chatauqua County, and held the office about two years. He was the first secretary of the Board of Trustees of the Fredonia Academy, the first incorporated academy in the county, and now one of the most prominent in Western New York. He was one of its trustees for about thirty-five years, until age and infirmities compelled him to resign.

JONATHAN ASHLEY WELCH died in Brooklyn, Conn., Sept. 9, 1859, aged 67.

He was son of Rev. Moses C. Welch, and was born in Mansfield, Conn.

He studied law with S. P. Staples, Esq., in New Haven, and was admitted to the bar. He established himself in practice at Brooklyn, where he continued to reside till his death.

1816.

WILLIAM WILLIAMS died in Salem, Mass., June 17, 1860, aged 62.

He was the son of Samuel W. Williams, of Wethersfield, Conn., and was born in that town, October 2, 1797.

After graduation he remained in New Haven one year as amanuensis of President Dwight. He studied theology at Andover, Mass., and in 1821 was ordained and settled as pastor of a church in Salem, Mass. He continued there until 1838, when he was called to Exeter, N. H., where he was pastor until his health failed in 1842. He then returned to Salem, studied medicine, and there resided in active professional practice until his death.

1817.

JOEL JONES died in Philadelphia, Penn., February 3, 1860, aged 64.

He was born October 25, 1795, in Coventry, Conn.

He pursued the study of law in New Haven and in Litchfield, and on completing the usual preparatory course, he removed to Easton, Penn., and there commenced practice. In 1830 he was appointed one of the Commissioners to revise the civil code of Pennsylvania. After declining several offers of judicial positions, he accepted the office of Associate Judge of the District Court for the city and county of Philadelphia,—of which Court he afterwards became the President Judge. He continued in this place until he was elected to the Presidency of the Girard College, which office he resigned after about two years. In 1849 he was elected Mayor of the city of Philadelphia. After serving one term, he resumed his professional practice, and continued it during the remainder of his life. He was eminent for his attainments in jurisprudence, philology and theology.

1819.

HORATIO MILLER died in Rhinebeck, N. Y., April 12, 1860, aged 61.

He was son of Rev. Wm. F. Miller, (Y. C. 1786,) and was born Febr. 18, 1799, at Wintonbury, Conn., then a parish of Windsor, now Bloomfield.

After graduating, he remained in New Haven, studying law during the years 1820 and 1821. On account of the partial failure of his eyesight he did not engage in the practice of the profession, but removed to Charleston, S. C., where he embarked in mercantile pursuits. He retired from business several years since, and for a time resided in New York City, whence he removed to Rhinebeck, N. Y., and there passed the remainder of his life.

1820.

JAMES SMILEY PRATHER died in Louisville, Ky., Febr. 14, 1860, aged 58.

He was son of Thomas Prather, and was born in Louisville.

He resided through life in his native city, engaged in business employments

1821.

JOHN GOULDING died in Stratford, Conn., January 10, 1860, aged 63.

He was son of Ephraim Goulding, and was born in Grafton, Mass., January 19, 1797.

He went to Stratford, Conn., soon after graduation, and was a teacher in the Academy there, during a part of the year 1823. He engaged in the study of medicine, and attended the lectures in the Medical Department of this College, receiving here the degree of M. D., in 1824. Thenceforth he resided as a physician, in Stratford, through life.

FREDERICK WILLIAM LORD died in New York, May 24, 1860, aged 59

He was a native of Lyme, Conn.

He studied medicine, and received from this College the degree of M. D. in 1828. He practiced this profession in Lyme from 1828 to 1830, and in Sag Harbor, N. Y., from 1830 to 1846. In 1846 he was a Representative in Congress. He was a delegate from Suffolk County, N. Y., to the Republican Convention in Chicago, Ill., in May, 1860. While on the way

thither he was prostrated by apoplexy, at Albany, N. Y. His friends endeavored to take him to his home at Greenport, L. I., but he died on the journey.

1822.

JOHN MALTBY died in Worcester, Mass., May 15, 1860, aged 65.

He was son of John Maltby, and was born March 8, 1795, at Northford, Conn.

Soon after leaving College he entered the Theological Seminary at Andover, Mass., from which he graduated in 1825. After preaching in Conway and Sutton, Mass., he settled in the latter place, and was ordained June 28, 1826. Here he remained till 1834, when he was called to the Hammond Street Church in Bangor, Maine, of which he was installed the Pastor, July 23, 1834. He continued in this office until his death. A few months before his decease his health failed, and while journeying for its improvement he stopped at Worcester, Mass., where he died after a short illness.

A Discourse commemorative of his life and character, by Prof. Enoch Pond, was published at Bangor, 1860, pp. 24, 8vo.

1823.

HENRY AUGUSTUS ROWLAND died in Boston, Mass., Sept. 4, 1859, aged 55.

He was the son of Rev. Henry A. Rowland of Windsor, Conn., and was born in that town Sept. 18, 1804.

After the completion of a course of theological studies he was ordained to the ministry, and spent a year at the South as an agent of the American Bible Society. In 1833, he was settled as Pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Fayetteville, N. C., from which place he removed after several years, to take charge of the Pearl Street Presbyterian Church, in New York City. From New York he was called to Honesdale, Penn., where he labored as Pastor ten years. About four years ago, he left that place, and became the Pastor of the Park Presbyterian Church in Newark, N. J., which station he occupied at the time of his death. Six months previous to this event, his health gave way, and while travelling for its restoration he died at Boston. He was a frequent contributor to the religious periodicals, and was the author of several valued works, entitled "The Common Maxims of Infidelity," "The Path of Life," "The Way of Peace," and "Light in a Dark Alley."

1825.

JASON ATWATER died in Orange, Conn., April 1, 1860, aged 59.

He was son of Asa Atwater, and was born in Mt. Carmel Society, Hamden, Conn.

He studied Theology in the Seminary of this College, and was ordained as Pastor in Middlebury, Conn., October 20, 1830. In October 1845, he was dismissed from this charge. After this he resided for several years in Newtown, Conn., and in Southbury, Conn., preaching to the Congregational churches in those towns. The latter days of his life were spent in West Haven, in the town of Orange, in this State.

1827.

WILLIAM WILSON HUDSON died in Columbia, Mo., June 14, 1859, aged 52

He was son of William Hudson, and was born in Prince Edward County, Virginia, in 1808

He devoted his life to the business of instruction. He was a teacher in Hampden-Sidney College in Virginia, then a Professor in La Grange College in Tennessee, and afterwards Professor of Mathematics in the University of Alabama. From this station he was, in 1841, called to the chair of Mathematics, Physics and Astronomy in the University of the State of Missouri, at Columbia, which office he held until 1856, when he was unanimously elected President of the same Institution, and so continued until his death.

1830.

ROBERT CLARK died near Augusta, Georgia, June , 1860, aged 51.

He was a native of Georgia, and resided near Augusta engaged in the business of a planter.

1831.

NINIAN EDWARDS GRAY died in Hopkinsville, Ky, Nov. 18, 1859, aged 51

He was a native of Christian County, Kentucky.

On leaving College, he studied law at Lexington, and graduated at the Law Department of Transylvania University. He engaged in the practice of law, and stood in the highest rank

of the profession. He was much in public life. He represented his county and district in both houses of the State Legislature, and was a member of the Convention which framed the present Constitution of Kentucky. He was for many years Attorney of the State, and subsequently Judge of the Circuit Court.

ALEXANDER BALDWIN THOMPSON died in Newark, N. J., May 8, 1859, aged 46.

He was son of Alexander Thompson, and was born in Augusta, Georgia, October 20, 1812. He studied law in New York, and practised this profession in that city, and afterwards in Newark, N. J. He engaged subsequently in mercantile pursuits, from which he retired in 1849, and after that he resided in New York. At the time of his death he held an important position in the office of the Manhattan Gas Company, in New York City: and he also held the office of Recording Secretary of the Cincinnati Society of the State of New York, deriving his membership through his father.

1836.

WILLIAM BEACH died in Albany, N. Y., March 14, 1860, aged 44.

He was son of John H. Beach, and was born in Auburn, N. Y.

After graduating, he was largely engaged in the milling business, at Port Byron, N. Y. Six or eight years later he left the business, and from this time he was chiefly engaged in political concerns, and resided in Auburn, N. Y. In 1847 he was chosen a member of the Senate of the State of New York, and held the office four years.

1840.

JARED OWEN KNAPP died in Beloit, Wisc., July 14, 1860, aged 41.

He was son of Jared Knapp, and was born in North Greenwich, Conn., October, 1818.

He studied theology in the Seminary of this College.

He was settled as Pastor in Central Village, Plainfield, Ct., in October 1846. In 1851 he was called to Hatfield, Mass. Leaving this place in 1855, he was Pastor of the church at Suspension Bridge, Niagara Falls, from that time till 1858. On account of ill health he retired to Beloit, Wisconsin, where he attempted to take charge of a parish, but found his strength insufficient. He remained there till death.

1841.

DAVID IRVINE FIELD died in Bolivar Co., Mississippi, Sept. 11, 1859, aged 39.

He was son of Ezekiel H. Field, and was born at Richmond, Kentucky, April 28, 1820.

He pursued his professional studies in the Law Department of Transylvania University, and graduated there in 1844. He did not, however, engage in legal practice, but after some years spent in business employments, he removed to Bolivar County, Mississippi, and resided there as a planter.

1843.

HORACE HALL REID died in Geneva, Switzerland, March 17, 1860, aged 37

He was the fourth son of Edward Reid, of New York City, and was born in Charlestown, N H, Sept. 25, 1822. After a year and a half spent as Principal of the Academy in Bedford, N Y, he entered the General Theological Seminary in New York, in October, 1845. On completing the regular course of study, he was ordained deacon in the Episcopal Church, July 2, 1848, and for some months following officiated as assistant to Rev Dr. Wyatt, in Baltimore. He then removed to Paris, Kentucky, and took charge of St. Peter's Church for a year or more. Here he was, in 1849, ordained as priest. In 1850, he became Rector of Christ Church, Watertown, Conn., where he remained nearly seven years. In January, 1857, he was made Rector of St Stephen's Church, in Milburn, N. J. This place he left, Nov 1, 1859, on account of impaired health, which he hoped to improve by foreign travel. While in a hotel at Geneva, in Switzerland, he was killed by falling accidentally, during the night, over the baluster, from the second story upon the stone floor beneath.

1845.

ROBERT RANKIN died in San Francisco, Cal., October 7, 1859, aged 36

He was son of John Rankin, and was born in Brooklyn, N. Y. April 23, 1823

He studied law in New Haven and in New York, and in July, 1847, he was admitted to practice. In 1851, he removed to California, where he was engaged in the business of his profession until death.

1847.

BENJAMIN STEVENS MILLER died in Oxford, N. Y., Aug. 2, 1859, aged 32.

During the winter of 1849-50, he was a member of the Yale Scientific School. His health being poor, he did not engage in any profession, but was for a considerable time employed in teaching. For the last three or four years he was occupied as a civil engineer.

1848.

WILLIAM AITCHISON died near Peking, in China, August 15, 1859, aged 33.

He was born at Glasgow, Scotland, January 4, 1826. His father removed with his family to the United States, in 1834, and settled in Greeneville, Norwich, Conn.

He entered on a course of Theological study in the Seminary of this College, and completed it in August, 1851, and during this period he was a Tutor in the College from Sept. 1850, to April 1851.

Soon after this he engaged in the work of preaching, and was for some time pastor at Fitchville, in the town of Bozrah, Conn. On the death of his wife and child, he resolved, in pursuance of a long-cherished purpose, to devote his life to the labors of a missionary in the foreign field. He was ordained at Norwich, Conn., January 4, 1854, to go to Shanghai, China, as a missionary of the American Board. Here and in various other places he labored with great earnestness. In June, 1859, he was offered a place in the American Embassy, then about going to Peking. Hoping thereby to secure new advantages for his missionary work, he accepted the proposal, and went. On the 4th of August, when he had been eight days in Peking, he was taken sick, and early on the morning of the 11th he was borne away from the city, on a litter to the boats at Tang Chow, on the Pei-ho river, twelve miles distant. He died on the journey, just before they reached the river.

1849.

JACOB BROWN KIRBY died in Brownsville, Jefferson County, N. Y., March 9, 1860, aged 32.

He was born in Brownsville, N. Y., April 7, 1827.

For several years subsequent to his graduation, he was engaged in agricultural and manufacturing occupations.

1851.

JOSEPH PERKINS GRISWOLD died in Lyme, Conn., June 9, 1860, aged 29.

He was son of Charles Griswold, and was born at Lyme, Conn., June 30, 1831.

On graduating, he pursued the study of law one year, in the office of Judge Waite, at Lyme. The second year he continued his studies at the Yale Law School. Being admitted to the bar, he began practice in New London, Conn., in the winter of 1853. In July, 1854, he sailed for the Sandwich Islands, intending to practice law in Honolulu or Lahaina. In October 1855, he was appointed District Judge of the Second District of Oahu, and Police Justice of Honolulu, which office he held until compelled, by ill health, to resign in October, 1858. In May, 1859, he returned home, where he remained, his health steadily declining, until his death.

ERSKINE JOEL HAWES died in Plymouth, Conn., July 9, 1860, aged 31.

He was son of Rev Joel Hawes, D. D., and was born in Hartford, Conn., July 23, 1829.

He pursued a course of theological study in the Seminary at Andover, Mass., and in the Theological Department of this College

After preaching in several places, and declining other calls, he was in January 1858, ordained and installed as the Pastor of the Congregational Church and Society in Plymouth, Conn. He continued in this office until his death, which was the result of a painful accident. His body was interred with his father's family, in Hartford.

1853.

JOSEPH WARREN BLACHLY died in Brooklyn, N. Y., April 6, 1860, aged 28

He was son of Joseph W. Blachly, and was born in Cincinnati, Ohio, October 19, 1831.

For some time after his graduation, while his health permitted, he was engaged in mercantile business in Cincinnati, Ohio.

JAMES RAYMOND GOODRICH died at Kewanee, Ill., October 24, 1859, aged 27

He was born January 8, 1831, in Wethersfield, Conn.

From 1853 to 1856, he was engaged in teaching in New Haven. In 1857 he went to Natchez, Miss., and taught a private school there for two or three years. His body was brought home to Wethersfield, to rest with his kindred.

1855.

WILLIAM LEWIS MORRIS died in Cambridge, Minnesota, October 6, 1859, aged 24.

He was son of William Lewis Morris, and was born in New York City, June 12, 1835.

He studied law for three years in New York City, and in Albany, and was admitted to the bar in New York, May, 1857. He resided there, engaged in the practice of the profession, until January, 1859, when his health failing, he went to Minnesota for its recovery. While there, he lost his life by the accidental discharge of his own gun.

1856.

DONALD DOUGLAS SHAW died in Hamden, N. Y., Dec. 29, 1859, aged 25.

He was son of Donald Shaw, and was born in Hamden, N. Y., June 25, 1834.

He studied law in Albany, and in Delhi, N. Y. In November, 1859, he was elected a member of the House of Representatives of the State of New York, but died before the commencement of the session.

1857.

FREDERICK NATHANIEL CHURCH died in Salisbury, Conn., Oct. 4, 1859, aged 20.

He was son of Frederick H. Church of Philadelphia, Penn.

Soon after he had entered on a course of theological study his health began to fail and he returned home.

EDWARD THURSTON FULLER died in Huntington, N. Y., Nov. 7, 1859, aged 21.

He was a member of the Theological Seminary at Princeton, N. J., was there taken sick, went home, and died.

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