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ACADEMICAL DEPARTMENT.

1796.

TIMOTHY BISHOP, son of Daniel and Louisa (Hotchkiss) Bishop, was born in New Haven, Conn., Oct. 29th, 1777.

Upon leaving college he engaged in business in this city, and after a long life of business activity, during which he held in a high degree the esteem of his fellow-citizens, lived in his native city in retirement until his death, March 6th, 1873, at the age of 95 years and 4 months. Since October, 1870, he had been the oldest surviving graduate of the college, and for some five years the only survivor of his class.

He married, April 3d, 1800, Louisa, daughter of William Walter, of New Haven, who died about a month after her marriage. His second wife, Esther Huggins, of New Haven, died in Feb., 1845, and his third wife, Mrs. Elizabeth (Beers) Huggins, in 1854. Of his children, only one son, by his second marriage (Y. C. 1826), survives him.

1803.

THOMAS DAVIES BURRALL, second son of Jonathan Burrall (Y. C. 1781) and of Charlotte, daughter of Rev. Thomas Davies (Y. C. 1758), was born in Canaan, Conn., June 2d, 1786.

In "Memoranda for my Children," written when over 83 years of age, he says, "At 13 I entered college, a mere boy, a round-faced, red-cheeked, curly-headed boy, in a round-about jacket, open

collar with ruffles over my shoulders, with my head tolerably well filled with Latin and Greek, but unconscious of art or guile,— a veritable Freshman.”

Soon after graduation he entered the office of Hon. Sherman Boardman, in New Milford, Conn., as a student at law, but subsequently removed to Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and there began practice. After a year or two his health failed, and he passed one year at the South. After his return he removed to Geneva, N. Y., in Sept., 1812, where he resumed practice, but in a short time finding his strength unequal to the labors of his profession, he abandoned it, and purchased a farm near by, where he resided for more than forty years; the last twelve years of his life were spent at his residence on the banks of the Seneca Lake, in Geneva, where he died after a three weeks' illness, June 24th, 1872.

For more than forty years he gave most of his time and thoughts to the invention and improvement of agricultural implements, having erected foundries and shops for that branch of manufacture, and having accomplished much in the way of lightening the labors of the farmer.

He was one of the founders and original trustees of the Geneva Academy, now Hobart College, and took the deepest interest in its welfare, remaining a trustee till his death.

He married Miss Charlotte, daughter of William and Polly Davies, of Poughkeepsie, Aug. 25th, 1813, who died, without issue, in Geneva, Sept. 14th, 1820. In Jan., 1822, he married Miss Sarah J. Mann, of Hudson, N. Y., who died in Geneva, April 12th, 1831, leaving two sons, still surviving. In March, 1837, he married Mrs. Margaret W. Mott, widow of Samuel Mott, who, with one son by this marriage, is still living.

1806.

FREDERICK MARSH, son of Jonathan and Damaris (Pitkin) Marsh, was born in New Hartford, Conn., Sept. 18th, 1780.

After graduation he studied theology with Rev. Asahel Hooker (Y. C. 1789), of Goshen, Conn., and was licensed to preach by Litchfield North Association, Sept. 30th, 1806. He spent the following year in preaching in North Goshen and New Preston, Conn., and in Newark, N. J. In the course of the next year he declined calls to Simsbury and Branford, Conn., on account of ill health. In Dec., 1808, he accepted an invitation to settle over the Congregational Church in Winchester, Conn., and was ordained

pastor Feb. 1st, 1809. He occupied the house which he entered at this date until his death, Feb. 6th, 1873, in his 93d year. He continued sole pastor until Feb. 1st, 1846, when he relinquished his salary and asked for a colleague. Oct. 1st, 1851, he was dismissed from the pastorate, and for the next ten years, until his eyesight failed, he preached for neighboring churches as he was needed. At the time of his death he was the oldest Congregational clergyman in the State. From 1836 to 1870 he was trustee of the "Theological Institute of Connecticut."

He married, May 22d, 1809, Parnal, daughter of Joseph Merrill, of New Hartford, who bore him eight children, of whom four sons and a daughter survive him. She died March 11th, 1860.

1807.

GUY RICHARDS died in New York City, March 26th, 1873.

He was the son of Guy and Hannah (Dolbeare) Richards, and was born in New London, Conn., January 8th, 1788. After graduation he began the study of law, but soon left this profession, and for several years followed the sea, rising in a short time to the position of Master. In 1820 he commenced business in New York, to which he devoted himself with great zeal, and from which he retired many years since with the ample rewards of an industrious life.

He was twice married, but had no children.

ELY WARNER, son of Jonathan and Hephzibah (Ely) Warner, was born in Chester (then a parish in Saybrook), Conn., May 24th, 1785.

After graduation he taught school for a year or more, and then entered the Law School at Litchfield, Conn., and was admitted to the bar at Middletown about 1811. So untiring was his industry while pursuing his professional studies, that he wrote from his own stenographic notes the entire course of lectures, making three manuscript volumes, said to be the only correct copy of the lectures of Judges Reeve and Gould now extant.

Settling in Haddam in 1816, he afterwards represented that town in the State Legislature for two sessions, in 1825 and 1831. In 1828 he was appointed chief judge of the Middlesex County Court, and was re-appointed for several terms. Subsequently he became cashier of the East Haddam Bank, but removed to Chester in 1837, where his farm was situated, and where he resided during

the remainder of his life. In 1855 he was appointed County Commissioner, and held office for two terms. He was also for more than fifty years actively engaged as County Surveyor. He died of paralysis, at his residence in Chester, Oct. 23d, 1872, in his 88th year, being at that time the oldest lawyer in the State.

Judge Warner was married, Nov. 11th, 1817, to Sarah H, eldest daughter of John Warner, of Chester, who survives him. Of their eight children, three sons and three daughters are now living. One son, Jared C. Warner, graduated at this college in 1854, and died Aug 9th, 1855, in East Saginaw, Mich., where he was engaged in teaching.

1808.

JOSEPH HARVEY, a native of East Haddam, Conn., the son of Deacon Ithamar and Electa (daughter of Rev. Joseph Fowler, Y. C. 1743) Harvey, was born March 1st, 1787.

After graduation he studied theology with Rev. Ebenezer Porter, D.D, of Washington, Conn. (afterwards Professor in Andover Seminary), and was licensed to preach by the Litchfield County Association in June, 1809. Accepting a unanimous call, he was ordained and installed over the Congregational Church in Goshen, Conn., in Oct., 1810. During the early part of his pastorate he was married to Catharine D. Selden, his companion for more than fifty years. Of their seven children, one son and two daughters survive him.

In Sept., 1825, he resigned his pastorate, to accept the position of Secretary of the American Education Society, whose office was in Boston. Disappointed with the nature of his work, he returned after a short experience to the place of his birth, in impaired health. On his recovery, he was installed pastor of the Second Congregational Church, in Colchester (Westchester Society), Conn. He remained here until Dec 13th, 1835. In the last named year the degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on him by Amherst College. During his last two years in Westchester, he edited the "Evangelical Magazine," and for the next three years a weekly paper called the "Watchman." Meanwhile he removed his residence to South Windsor, Conn., in 1836, and supplied the Congregational Church in that place for one year.

In the latter part of 1838 he was engaged to preach stately in Thompsonville, a village in Enfield, Conn. Here his labors soon led the people to desire a church organization, and as they preferred connection with the Presbyterian body, Dr. Harvey was

installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church formed in Connecticut, on the 10th of July, 1839. He held this charge until his resignation at the age of seventy, April 28th, 1857. In the spring of 1858, he removed to the upper peninsula of Michigan, where he continued for 15 years, preaching and teaching from time to time, as he was enabled by the bracing influence of that climate; and where he died in the village of Harvey, on the shore of Lake Superior, Feb. 4th, 1873, wanting 24 days of 86 years of age.

RALPH ISAACS INGERSOLL, son of Hon. Jonathan and Grace (Isaacs) Ingersoll, was born in New Haven, Conn., Feb. 8th, 1789. His father graduated at this college in 1766, and his grandfather, Rev. Jonathan Ingersoll, in 1736.

He studied law with Seth P. Staples, Esq., of New Haven, and was admitted to the bar in Dec., 1810. He immediately entered on the practice of his profession in his native city, and was thus successfully employed, with the exception of the time spent in the public service, until his last illness. In 1818 he became prominent in State politics, allying himself with the Democratic party in the movement for a new Constitution. From 1819 to 1825, he was a representative of New Haven, in the General Assembly, and for the last two of these years Speaker. In 1825, he was elected a Representative in Congress, where he remained until his resignation in 1833. During this period he served for one year (1830-31) as Mayor of New Haven. On retiring from Congress he was appointed State's Attorney for New Haven County, and held that office until 1845, when he declined further re-appointment. President Polk, who had been intimate with Mr. Ingersoll while in Congress, nominated him, in August, 1846, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the U. S. to the Court of Russia. The nomination, which was unanimously confirmed by the Senate, was entirely unsolicited and unlooked for. Mr. Ingersoll accepted, and was recalled in Sept., 1848, at his own request.

Mr. Ingersoll was severely disabled by a fall in the street, in the early summer of 1872, and gradually lost strength until his death, Aug. 31st, in the 84th year of his age.

His widow survives him. One of his sons graduated at this college in 1840, and is at present the Chief Magistrate of this State.

JAMES HILL PARMELEE, son of Capt. Ezra and Sybil (Hill) Parmelee, was born in Newport, N. H., on the 15th of May, 1783. His parents were natives of Killingworth, Conn.

After his graduation he taught in New Berne, N. C., for two years or more, and subsequently in 1812 joined the first class which was formed in Princeton Theol. Seminary. In the year 1813-14 he was employed as a tutor in the College of New Jersey, and in the spring of 1815 was licensed to preach by the Presbytery of New Brunswick. From 1815 to 1819 he taught in Baltimore with unusual success. In 1816 he was married in Baltimore to Priscilla Horn, a lady of English birth, who assisted him in maintaining a school for young ladies. Mrs. Parmelee's health obliged them to give up this school in 1820, and they removed to Zanesville, Ohio, where she died in 1822.

He was ordained by the Presbytery of Lancaster, and spent several years in pastoral service, and in the work of a home-missionary and colporteur. During this time he removed to Duncan's Falls, O., where his residence continued till his death. In 1836 he was married to Catherine F., daughter of Col. Barker, of Dutchess Co., N. Y. She died in 1844, and he afterwards married Miss Hannah Wilson, who survives him. His only child, a son by his first wife, died in opening manhood.

Mr. Parmelee died, of pneumonia, at Duncan's Falls, on the 6th of April, 1872, in his 89th year.

1809.

WILLIAM HUNGERFORD, the son of Robert and Olive (Ely) Hungerford, was born in Hadlyme parish, in the town of East Haddam, Conn., Nov. 22d, 1786.

For six months after graduating, he taught at West Chester, in the town of Colchester, Conn., and then entered on the study of law with Hon. Matthew and Ex-Gov. Roger Griswold, at Lyme, Conn., and was admitted to the bar in 1812.

He pursued his profession in his native town until 1829, when he came to Hartford, where he resided (in full practice until 1860) until his death, Jan. 15th, 1873.

For his legal attainments, this college gave him the degree of Doctor of Laws in 1856. He represented both East Haddam and Hartford in the Legislature, but beyond this declined to accept public office. He was never married.

1811.

SELAH BREWSTER STRONG, eldest child of Judge Thomas S. and Hannah (Brewster) Strong, was born in Brookhaven (L. I.), N. Y., May 1st, 1792, and died at his country-seat, in Setauket, L. I., Nov. 29th, 1872.

He studied law in New York city, and was admitted to the bar in November, 1814. He subsequently removed his office to his father's house, and in 1821 was appointed District Attorney of Suffolk County, and held the position (with the exception of one interval of nine months) for twenty years. In 1842 he was elected to Congress, and served for one term. In 1847 he was elected, under the new constitution, Judge of the Supreme Court of the State of N. Y. for the Second District, drawing the short term of two years. Two years later he was re-elected, and served for the full term, until Jan., 1860. He was also a member of the State Constitutional Convention of 1867.

Judge Strong married, Aug. 14th, 1823, Cornelia, daughter of Dr. Richard Udall, of Islip, L. I., who survives. They had six sons and four daughters, of whom the eldest son graduated at this college in 1855, and the next two surviving sons in 1864.

1812.

GEORGE BLISS, eldest son of Hon. George Bliss (Y. C. 1784), by his first wife, Hannah, daughter of Dr. John Clark (Y. C. 1749), of Lebanon, Conn., was born in Springfield, Mass., Nov. 16th, 1793.

Upon graduation he entered his father's law-office as a pupil, and on being admitted to practice, in Sept., 1815, established himself in Monson, Mass., where he remained for 7 years. He then returned to Springfield, entering into partnership with Mr. Jonathan Dwight, Jr., whose daughter Mary he married in April, 1825. In 1827 he entered public life as a member of the House of Representatives of Mass., and was re-elected in 1828, 1829 and 1853, serving in the last instance as Speaker; he was also chosen a member (and President) of the State Senate in 1835. Among many public enterprises which occupied his attention, the chief was his bringing the Western Railroad, between Worcester and Albany, to a successful completion. On retiring from the Presidency of this road, in 1846, he visited Europe, and after his return became interested in other railroad schemes, chiefly at the West, in conducting which he gained an enviable reputation. In May, 1860,

he withdrew from all active business. He died in Springfield, April 19th, 1873, in his 80th year. His wife died a few years before him. Of their three children, one died in infancy, and a son and daughter are still living.

1813

ZEDEKIAH SMITH BARSTOW, the youngest child of Deacon John and Susannah (Smith) Barstow, was born in Canterbury, Conn., Oct. 4th, 1790.

Having previously prepared himself in the mathematics and the higher English branches, while working on his father's farm, he commenced the study of the classics at the age of 19, with Rev. Erastus Learned, of Canterbury, and after 6 months of persevering study, was admitted to college in 1811. After graduation he pursued his theological studies under the direction of President Dwight, and was licensed to preach in New Haven in 1814. For two years he was tutor and college chaplain in Hamilton College, where he received the degree of A.M. (*ad eundem*) in 1816, and was invited to accept a professorship, but declined, preferring to devote his life to pastoral work.

He was settled over the Congregational Church in Keene, N. H., July 1st, 1818. July 1st, 1868, he resigned his charge, after 50 years of pastoral service, during which long period he had failed to preach but 8 Sabbaths. After his resignation he still continued to preach for destitute parishes in the vicinity until within a year of his death, which occurred in Keene, March 1st, 1873, in the 83d year of his age.

Dr. Barstow's influence as a pastor, a scholar, and a public man, will long be felt not only in the town where he lived, but throughout the State. For 37 years he served as trustee of Dartmouth College (never missing attendance on a single meeting of the Board during his term of service); he was secretary for many years of the Gen. Association of N. Hamp., a corporate member of the A. B. C. F. M., trustee of Kimball Union Academy, trustee and secretary of Keene Academy until his death, and prominent in all the educational and religious movements of the day. He was also member of the N. H. Legislature, and chaplain of that body in 1868 and '69. He received the degree of Doctor in Divinity from Dartmouth College in 1849.

Dr Barstow married, Aug., 1818, Elizabeth Fay Blake, eldest daughter of Elihu Blake, of Westborough, Mass., who died Sept 15th, 1869. Two sons only of their five children survive them.

1814

JOHN MULLIKEN ATWOOD, the eldest son of Moses and Mary (Tenney) Atwood, was born in Haverhill, Mass., Aug. 4th, 1795. One of his sisters was the well-known missionary, Harriet Newell

He studied law one year in Haverhill, but then decided on a mercantile life. After a single year's clerkship in Boston, he established himself in Philadelphia, in 1816, in partnership with a relative, and the firms of "Atwood & Co.," and "Atwood, White & Co.," are names honored in Philadelphia and among Western merchants. He withdrew from business in 1864.

He gave to public interests much of his time, and was connected with many beneficent efforts. He was one of the formers of the American Sunday School Union, and on its committee of publication for more than forty years. He was one of the founders, and for fifteen years the president of the Merchants' Fund, a noble charity for the relief of decayed merchants.

He died suddenly in Hartford, Conn., May 29th, 1873, at the house of his son-in-law. His wife, a Miss Coffin, of Gloucester, Mass., died many years before him.

JOSHUA LEAVITT, eldest child of Roger and Chloe (Maxwell) Leavitt, was born in Heath, Mass., Sept. 8th, 1794. His grandfather, Rev. Jonathan Leavitt, of Charlemont, Mass., graduated at this college in 1758.

After teaching awhile, he studied law, and was admitted to the bar in Northampton, Mass., in 1819. He then practiced as an attorney in Putney, Vt., until 1823, when he returned to New Haven, and pursued theological studies with the first class in the newly-organized Theological Department. In August, 1824, he was licensed to preach, and on February 23d, 1825, was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Stratford, Conn. While in this place, he became interested in the Temperance movement, and served for four months as an agent of the American Temperance Society. In 1828 he was appointed secretary of the American Seamen's Friend Society, and removed to N. Y. city, being dismissed from his pastoral charge Oct. 22d. In his new position he took charge of the "Sailor's Magazine," and the rest of his life was devoted to editorial service. In 1831, he became editor and proprietor of the "N. Y. Evangelist," and so continued until the financial crisis of 1837 obliged him to dispose of the paper.

Meantime he had been a pioneer in the Anti-Slavery cause, and now gladly seized the opportunity of devoting his whole time to it, as editor of the "Emancipator," from 1837 to 1847. In 1848 he became office editor of the "Independent," and retained this position until he reached the age of 70, when he relinquished the management, and took a place of less labor, which he occupied till his death. He died of an apoplectic stroke, while at the residence of his son, in N. Y. city, Jan. 16th, 1873, aged 78.

Besides his conspicuous connection with the Anti-Slavery movement, Dr. Leavitt was active in many other directions. He was a diligent writer in behalf of Free Trade, and in 1869 received from the Cobden Society of England a gold medal for an essay. He was also a vigorous advocate of cheap postage. He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Wabash College in 1854.

He married Sarah, daughter of Rev. Solomon Williams (Y. C. 1770), of Northampton, Mass. One of his sons graduated at this college in the class of 1840.

JOHN TITSWORTH, a native of Deckertown, N. J., died in that place in the spring of 1873, aged nearly 80.

He studied medicine in New Haven, receiving his degree in 1818, and immediately establishing himself in this city. He remained here as a physician and apothecary for about eight years, and then retired and spent the rest of his life upon a farm in his native town.

Dr. Titsworth married Abigail A., daughter of Deacon Nathan Beers, of New Haven. She died before him, as did two of their four children.

1815.

EDWARD HARLESTON, son of Edward and Annabella (Moultrie) Harleston, was born in Charleston, S. C., 25th Dec., 1794, and died 11th Feb., 1871, aged 76 years.

Most of his life was passed as a planter of rice and cotton. He served in the State Legislature several years. He married, 26th Jan., 1826, Ann Isabella Huger, who survives him.

ANDREW HUNTINGTON, ninth son of Capt. Andrew and Ruth (Hyde) Huntington, of Lebanon, Conn., was born May 31st, 1791.

Soon after graduating he began to teach in the academy in Greenville, N. Y., and while there he married, May 1st, 1819, Mary, daughter of Barnabas Chipman, of Shoreham, Vt. In 1822, he

removed to N. Y. city, where he continued to teach, at the same time studying theology and reciting with a class to Rev. Drs. Spring and Cox, and Rev. Mr. Whelpley. In 1825, he was licensed to preach by the North River Presbytery. About 1830, he became principal of an academy in Pompey, N. Y., and while there supplied during most of the time vacant churches of the neighborhood. He afterwards taught and preached in various places in N. Y. State, and was ordained as a Presbyterian clergyman, Feb. 19th, 1852. From 1850 to 1862, he preached in Chenango County, N. Y., but refused all offers of settlement. In 1862 he retired from his professional labors. He died in Milan, Ohio, June 5th, 1872, aged 81. His widow survives him, with three of their four children. One son graduated at this college in 1843, and is now a clergyman.

1817.

ROBERT HARTSHORNE was born March 14th, 1798. On his return from college he took up his residence at his family home, the Highlands, in Portland, N. J., where he lived until his death, July 18th, 1872, at the age of 74. He was foremost in all public improvements in his neighborhood, and thus a benefactor to the community. His wife was a Miss Minton of N. Y. city. He leaves a family.

1818.

CALEB DAY died in Catskill, N. Y., June 6th, 1873, of paralysis. He was the son of Ira Day, of Catskill, and born April 7th, 1798.

He studied law in Catskill, and there practised from 1821 till his retirement in 1850. For more than forty years he was an elder in the Presbyterian church. He married, Jan. 18th, 1826, Lucretia, daughter of Moses Lyman, of Goshen, Conn., and had five children, of whom three are still living, with his widow.

RALPH RANDOLPH GURLEY was born in Lebanon, Conn., May 26th, 1797. His father, the Rev. John Gurley (Y. C. 1773), was the first pastor of the Congregational Church in Exeter Parish, in Lebanon. His mother was Mary, daughter of the Rev. David Porter, D.D., of Catskill, N. Y.

After graduation he studied theology, and was licensed to preach by the Baltimore Presbytery. In 1822 he was appointed Agent of the American Colonization Society, and from that time till his death devoted himself to its service. He resided in Washington,

D. C., and though never ordained performed much labor as a preacher and pastor among the poor of the city. He thrice visited Liberia; for the first time in 1824, when he originated the plan of government under which the colony has been successfully conducted. He edited the "African Repository," the monthly organ of the Society, prepared the annual reports, and published several volumes, of which the most important were a life of Ashmun, the Agent at Liberia, a life of Rev. Sylvester Larned, and an account of his own mission to England. In 1864, on account of declining health, he was made honorary secretary. His death took place in Washington, July 30th, 1872.

His wife, Eliza McLellan, whom he married in 1827, died April 27th, 1872. Eleven of their children died before them.

JAMES STARR HUGGINS, son of Samuel and Martha D. (Starr) Huggins, was born in New Haven, Conn., May 1st, 1799.

After some eighteen months spent in teaching in North Carolina, he began the study of law with Seth P. Staples, Esq., of New Haven, and subsequently completed his preparation in the office of Ludlow Ogden, Esq., of N. Y. city, where he was admitted to the bar. He entered into partnership with Mr. Ogden, and afterwards continued in practice by himself until the time of his death. He was especially trusted in the administration of estates and in the drawing of wills.

In the spring of the year 1872 he suffered from a severe attack of pneumonia, after which he never recovered his full strength. About the first of September, he was rendered unconscious by paralysis of the brain, and he died at his residence on Sept. 4th.

He married, about May, 1839, Helen, daughter of Mr. Richard Arden, of Putnam County, N. Y., who died a few years before him. Of their seven children, one son and two daughters are still living.

1820.

PHILIP GADSDEN, son of Philip and Catharine (Edwards) Gadsden, of Charleston, S. C., and grandson of Gen. Christopher Gadsden, of Revolutionary fame, was born in Charleston, Sept. 13th, 1798.

The means of the family being at the time greatly reduced, he was educated entirely at home, and was prepared for college by his brother, the Rev. Christopher E. Gadsden (Y. C. 1804), afterwards Bishop of South Carolina.

On his return to Charleston in 1820, he engaged for a short time in teaching, but entered the General Theol. Seminary, in N. Y. city, in 1822. There he remained for a little over two years, when pecuniary circumstances obliged him to withdraw. He continued his studies at home under his brother's supervision, and was ordained deacon by Bishop Bowen, Feb. 6th, 1825. He was subsequently ordained to the priesthood by the same prelate, April 14th, 1830. The earlier years of his diaconate were spent in arduous missionary work in the lower counties of the State, and in 1827 or 1828 he accepted a call to the Church of St Paul's, Stono. The church lay in the unhealthy region contiguous to the Edisto river, and was attended in the winter season by the planters whose plantations were situated in that section. Mr. Gadsden immediately devoted himself to the erection of a chapel at Summerville, the summer resort of his parishioners, and thus in the service of this community passed his active life. His health was always delicate, and in the autumn of 1863 failing strength and the loss of an eye from paralysis of the nerve compelled him to resign his charge. He retired to the up-country, still laboring as he had strength in the work of the ministry. In 1869 he accompanied his eldest son to Charleston, and there died on Dec. 26th, 1870.

In 1831, he married Miss Susan B. Hamilton, daughter of ex-Gov. Paul Hamilton, by whom he had six children, four sons and two daughters, all of whom survived him.

1821.

JOSIAH BREWER was born June 1st, 1796, in Monterey, then a part of Tyringham, Mass.

He began the study of theology at Andover Seminary in 1822, but in 1824 transferred himself to New Haven and finished his studies with the first class which received instruction in the Theological Department of Yale College. He was also for nearly two years, from 1824 to 1826, a tutor in the college.

He was ordained at Springfield, Mass., May 10th, 1826, as a missionary, and in the following September embarked for the East, under the direction of the "Boston Female Society for the promotion of Christianity among the Jews." He spent about two years in laboring in Smyrna and Constantinople, and then returned to the U. S. While here he published a volume descriptive of his residence in Turkey, and was married, Dec. 1st, 1829, to Emilia

A., daughter of Rev. D. D. Field (Y. C. 1802), of Stockbridge, Mass. In 1830 he went back to Smyrna, where he remained for eight years as a missionary of the "Ladies Greek Association" of New Haven, Conn. After his final return to this country, in 1838, he was for three years chaplain of the Connecticut State Prison, at Wethersfield, and for a short time afterwards agent of the Anti-Slavery Society, and editor of an anti-slavery paper in Hartford, Conn. In 1844 he opened a Young Ladies' Seminary in New Haven, Conn., which was afterwards removed to Middletown, Conn., and which occupied him until 1857. He then took up his residence in Stockbridge, Mass., and after serving for nine years as stated supply of the Congregational Church in the neighboring town of Housatonic, lived in retirement until his decease (preceded by a few months of severe suffering), Nov. 19th, 1872.

His first wife died Dec. 16th, 1861, and he was married in May, 1863, to Miss Lucy T. Jerome, of New Hartford, Conn., daughter of the late Rev. Amasa Jerome. Two sons (graduates of this college in 1852 and 1856), and four daughters, by his first wife, survive him, his youngest son having died of fever contracted in the late war.

1822.

FRANCIS HIRAM CASE, son of Titus and Sarah (Egleston) Case, was born in West Simsbury, now Canton, Conn., Oct. 1st, 1797.

He entered the Yale Divinity School immediately upon graduation, being a member of the first class and continuing for a three years' course. Feb. 1st, 1826, he was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Goshen, Conn. From this charge he was dismissed, Sept 30th, 1828. He was then for 18 months an agent of the American Tract Society in the Southern States. Returning to Connecticut, he was installed pastor of the Congregational Church in Avon, Dec. 22d, 1830. He was dismissed, April 28th, 1840, and soon after removed to Whitewater, Wisc., where he supplied the pulpit from 1842 to 1844, and where he resided until 1863. He then returned to his native town, but in 1868 went again to Wisconsin, and there died, in the town of Cold Spring, Dec. 20th, 1872, aged 75.

He married, Oct. 26th, 1825, Lucinda, daughter of Uriah Case, and had four children, of whom two sons survived him.

HARVEY PRINDLE PEET, son of Richard and Joanna (Prindle) Peet, was born in Bethlem, Conn., Nov. 19th, 1794.

He began to teach a district school at the age of 16, and persevered until he had earned money enough for a two years' course at Phillips Academy, Andover. On leaving college his intention was to devote his life to the Christian ministry, but an invitation to teach in the "American Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb," at Hartford, Conn., gave him the opportunity to discover and develop his rare fitness for what was then a new profession. His life was thenceforwards devoted to the cause of deaf-mute education. For nearly nine years he continued in Hartford, and was then appointed Principal of the "N. Y. Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb," in N. Y. city. Entering on this office in Feb., 1831, he fulfilled its duties for more than thirty-six years,—for fourteen of them being President of the Board of Directors. The degree of LL.D. was conferred on him in 1849 by the Regents of the University of the State of N. Y., and that of Ph D. by the National Deaf-mute College in 1871. Under his care the N. Y. Institution rose to be much the largest of its kind in the world, and one of the most successful. He published a series of elementary text-books for the use of deaf-mutes, and wrote numerous papers on deaf-mute education and kindred topics.

In 1867, Dr. Peet retired from the active labors of his position, retaining the title of Emeritus Principal, and serving as one of the Board of Directors until his death. For the last few years of his life he suffered from rheumatic affections, which finally reaching the region of the heart induced congestion of the lungs. He died within two hours after the opening of the New Year, 1873.

Dr. Peet was thrice married. His first wife, Margaret Maria Lewis, daughter of Rev. Isaac Lewis, D.D. (Y. C. 1794), to whom he was married Nov. 27th, 1823, died Sept. 23d, 1832, leaving three sons, who became able and accomplished teachers of the deaf and dumb. The two younger, Edward and Dudley (the latter a graduate of this college in 1852), died in 1862; and the eldest (Y. C. 1845) has succeeded to his father's office. Dr. Peet married, in 1835, Miss Sarah Ann Smith, a daughter of Matson Smith, M.D., who died Dec. 30th, 1864. His third wife, Mrs. Louisa P. Hotchkiss, to whom he was married Jan. 15th, 1868, survives him.

The number of the "American Annals of the Deaf and Dumb" for April, 1873, is a memorial of his life and services.

1823.

MILTON BADGER was born May 6th, 1800, in Coventry, Conn., and died March 1st, 1873, in Madison, Conn.

After spending a year in teaching in New Canaan, Conn., he began his theological studies in Andover Seminary, but in 1826 removed to New Haven to become a tutor in Yale College (a position which he held for a little more than a year), and to finish his preparation for the ministry in the Yale Divinity School. He was licensed to preach in 1827 by the New Haven East Association, and was ordained, Jan. 3d, 1828, pastor of the South Congregational Church in Andover, Mass. From this promising field of labor, he was called in May, 1845, to be an associate secretary of the American Home Missionary Society. He was dismissed from his pastoral charge, Oct. 4th, and removed to New York, and entered on his duties during the following month. His faithful service in this work ceased four years before his death, when he was obliged by disease to retire to his residence at Madison. He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Middlebury College in 1844.

His widow and two sons survive him.

HANDEL GERSHOM NOTT, son of Josiah and Sarah (Williams) Nott, and great-grandson of the Rev. Abraham Nott (Y. C. 1720), was born in Saybrook, Conn., Nov. 10th, 1799.

After a three years' course in Yale Theol. Seminary, he received a unanimous call to the First Congregational Church in Nashua, N. H., in 1826, where he began his labors in August, and was ordained Nov. 8th. His health failing after four years, he was absent from his people for nearly a year. Becoming a Baptist from conviction of duty during the eighth year of his pastorate, he left Nashua, and was engaged as agent of the Amer. Bethel Society, and as Bethel chaplain in Buffalo, N. Y., from Oct., 1834, to Sept., 1837. After an interval of a few months, he became pastor of the Federal (now Clarendon) Street Baptist Church, in Boston, in May, 1838, but resigned a year later, the field proving discouraging from the formation of new churches and the encroachment of business houses. From Oct., 1839, to July, 1847, he was settled over the Baptist Church in Bath, Me. Then, after supplying the church in Waterville, Me., for several months, he became pastor of the church in Kennebunkport, Me., in July, 1848, and remained there for 12 years. Suffering from bronchial and lung

difficulties, and hoping for benefit from a change of climate, he accepted a call from the Baptist Church in Avon, N. Y., in July, 1860, where he continued until Aug., 1864. Physical infirmities then compelled him to give up active service, and after a few years spent in Avon, in Champaign, Ill., and at the South, he resided in Rochester, N. Y., from the summer of 1868 until his death, May 3d, 1873, after a short but very distressing illness.

Mr. Nott was married, July 11th, 1827, to Lydia C , daughter of Dea. Abner Kingman, of Providence, R. I. She died in Bath, Feb. 9th, 1844, leaving six children, of whom one son and four daughters are still living. Mr. Nott married a second time, Jan. 29th, 1846, Sarah L. Smith, of Bath, who survives him. Of the children of this marriage, one son is still living.

WILLIAM STARLING SULLIVANT died at his residence in Columbus, O., April 30th, 1873. He was the eldest son of Lucas Sullivant, a noted surveyor of the "North Western Territory," and was born, Jan. 15th, 1803, in Franklinton, then a frontier settlement, near the site of the present city of Columbus.

The death of his father, occurring in the year of his graduation, frustrated his plans for studying a profession, and obliged him to occupy himself with the care of the family property. He became a surveyor and practical engineer, and was actively engaged in that business during the larger part of his life. His residence being established near Columbus, in a rich floral district, his interest was excited in botany, and he began a careful study of the plants of central Ohio. After giving special attention to the grasses and sedges, he turned to the mosses, and by his diligent study in this department for thirty years, became the most accomplished bryologist of America. Several elaborate works, mostly printed at his own expense, have laid the foundation for the study of mosses in this country. The degree of LL.D. was given him by Kenyon College in 1864.

In January last, Dr. Sullivant was prostrated by an attack of pneumonia, from the effects of which, after a seeming convalescence, he died on the last day of April. His first wife, Jane Marshall, of Kentucky, a niece of Chief Justice Marshall, died a few years after marriage. His second wife, Eliza G. Wheeler, died of cholera, in 1850 or 1851. His third wife, Mrs. Caroline E. (Sutton) Sullivant, survives him, as do several children.

1824.

JOEL TALCOTT, son of Deacon Phineas and Hannah (Kellogg) Talcott, and grandson of Rev. Ebenezer Kellogg (Y. C. 1757), was born in North Bolton, now Vernon, Conn., Oct. 12th, 1797.

He pursued his theological studies at Auburn (N. Y.) Theol. Seminary, and was licensed to preach by the Hartford North (Congregational) Association, June 3d, 1828. He was ordained at Hartford, Conn., as an evangelist, July 1st, 1828, and went directly to Wellington, Lorain Co., Ohio, where he was settled as pastor for ten years. He afterwards preached for different periods in Sullivan, Brighton, and Norwalk, Ohio. In consequence of impaired health and weakness of the eyes, he relinquished preaching during the last ten or twelve years of his life, and engaged in agricultural pursuits in the town of Wakeman, Ohio, where he died, Dec. 28th, 1871, aged 74 years.

He was twice married, first, in 1829, to Lois Twining, of Tolland, Mass., by whom he had three children, and who died in 1836. He then married, in 1838, Sarah Ann Cummings, of Sullivan, O., who survives him, as does one of her four children; one son having lost his life through service in the army in 1865.

WILLIAM PATTERSON VANRENSSELAER, son of Gen. Stephen VanRensselaer, the Patroon of Albany, and of his second wife, Cornelia (Patterson) VanRensselaer, was born in 1803.

He studied law, and after traveling in Europe settled at Rensselaerwyck, across the river from Albany. When the anti-rent difficulties broke out, he removed to Norwalk, Conn., and subsequently to the village of Portchester, in Rye, N. Y., where he resided for most of the time until his death, which occurred in N. Y. city, Nov. 13th, 1872.

He married Miss Ehza Bayard Rogers, who died at Matanzas, March 20th, 1835. He subsequently married a sister of his first wife. He left several children

1826.

ISAAC CLOSSON BEACH was born in New Milford, Conn., March 2d, 1802.

He studied theology in private, and after being licensed to preach by the Litchfield South Association in 1828, preached in Washington, Conn., and in Bethel, Conn. His health failing, he engaged as an agent of the American Bethel Society in Ohio, in 1829-'30.

He was then ordained pastor of the Presbyterian Church in New Paltz, Ulster County, N. Y., where he remained for about five years. Thence he removed to a small church in Chester, Orange County, N. Y., where he continued about eleven years. After about eighteen months' service as pastor of a church in Newburgh, N. Y., he removed in 1848 to Northern Illinois, where he labored for three and a half years as a home missionary. His next remove was to Southern Ohio, where he had charge of the church at North Bend for about three years; thence he went to Cincinnati, and spent between three and four years as pastor of the Sixth Presbyterian Church. His health again failed, and in September, 1858, he settled in Kansas, residing first at Wyandotte, and afterwards at Olathe, where he died, Feb 23d, 1873. Until 1862 he was the general missionary of the Presbyterian Church for the Territory, and traveled largely over the southern portion, engaged in organizing churches.

In 1829, he married Miss Emily A. Wheeler, of New Haven, Conn., who survives him. They had eight children, of whom three sons and two daughters are living.

EDWIN ELEAZAR CLARK died in Ann Arbor, Mich., Feb. 1st, 1873, aged 66 years.

He was born in Belchertown, Mass., and after studying law in his native town with Hon. Mark Doolittle (Y. C. 1804), and practicing for a short period, he removed to Ann Arbor in 1837, and resided there for the rest of his life. In his latter years he abandoned his profession. He was never married.

GEORGE JAMES PUMPELLY, son of James and Mary (Pixley) Pumpelly, was born in Owego, N. Y., Dec. 11th, 1805, on the same estate where his life was spent, and where he died May 9th, 1873.

After completing the course at the Litchfield Law School, he entered the office of Judge Wm Kent, in New York city, and in 1829 was admitted to the bar. He then entered his father's land office, where he found an opportunity of putting his legal knowledge in practice. About 1835 he also began to devote himself largely to agricultural improvements and to the breeding of choice stock. In these pursuits he passed his honored and useful life.

In April, 1832, he married Susan I. Pumpelly, by whom he had four sons and a daughter. His second son graduated at this college in 1858. Mrs Pumpelly died in 1864.

1827.

ALBERT GALLATIN BRISTOL, son of Hon. William Bristol (Y. C. 1798) and Sarah (Edwards) Bristol, was born Dec. 22d, 1808, in New Haven, Conn.

After his graduation he studied medicine with Dr. Jonathan Knight, receiving his doctor's degree from the college in 1830, and then supplemented his professional course by spending two years in the hospitals in Paris. On his return to this country he established himself in Canandaigua, N. Y., where he married. He soon afterwards removed to Rochester, N. Y., where he continued the practice of his profession for some years, finally relinquishing it on account of ill health and spending the remainder of his life in manufacturing pursuits.

He died in Rochester on the 9th of Jan., 1873, at the age of 64. His widow survives him.

PHILIP ROGERS HOFFMAN entered college from Baltimore in the Junior year.

Upon graduation he entered the Yale Medical School, and continued medical studies also in Baltimore, but afterwards studied law. He married Miss Emily L. Key, of Maryland, and spent many years abroad, settling in Dresden, Saxony. On his return to this country, about 1860, he made N. Y. city his home, but was not obliged to rely upon the active pursuit of his profession for the support of his family. He died in N. Y. city, June 12th, 1873, aged about 66. He had three children. A son graduated at this college in the class of 1863.

HENRY HOGEBOOM was the son of John C. and Margaret (Styck) Hogeboom, of Ghent, Columbia Co., N. Y., and was born at Claverack in that county, Feb. 25th, 1809.

After completing his academical course, he began the study of law in the office of his brother-in-law, Abraham Van Buren, in Ghent, where he continued until the following spring, when he entered for one year the office of Powers & Day, in Catskill. He was afterwards in the office of Campbell Bushnell, of Hudson, N. Y., and was admitted to the bar in the summer of 1830. From that date he practiced his profession in Hudson until elected a Judge of the Supreme Court of the State in 1857, which office he held at the time of his death. In 1836 he was appointed by Gov. Throop Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for his native county,

and served for two or three years, when he resigned. In 1839, he was a prominent member of the General Assembly of the State. He received the degree of LL.D. from Rutgers College in 1870.

Judge Hogeboom married, in Nov., 1832, Miss Jane Eliza, daughter of Col. James Rivington, of Poughkeepsie, N. Y. She died March 25th, 1858.

He died Sept. 12th, 1872, at his residence in Hudson. He had been failing in health for some months, from over-work.

1828.

EDWARD WILLIAM CASEY was born in Middletown, Conn., Oct 3d, 1809, the son of James and Susan (Chandler) Casey.

After graduation he studied law in Philadelphia. He removed to Chicago about the time of its first settlement, and practiced his profession there from 1833 to 1838. His health then failed, and he was never afterwards able to resume work. He returned to the Eastern States, purchased a farm in North Charlestown, N. H., and there remained until 1853, when he moved to New Bedford, Mass. (where several relatives of his wife resided), and lived there until his death, of diabetes, May 3d, 1872.

He married, Jan. 1st, 1842, Susan Hilliard, of Claremont, N. H., who survives him. Their four children are also all living.

JOHN ERSKINE EDWARDS died at Longwood, Brookline, Mass., April 3d, 1873, of paralysis of the brain. He was born in Hartford, Conn., July 4th, 1809, a great-grandson of President Edwards, and son of Jonathan Walter Edwards, Esq. (Y. C. 1789), a distinguished lawyer of Hartford, and of Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of Capt. Moses Tryon, of Wethersfield, Conn. He was the first to die of a family of six brothers, all graduates of this college, one in the same class with himself, and the others in the classes of 1819, 1820, 1832, and 1839.

He studied theology at Andover, graduating in 1835. His first settlement was in Stonington, Conn., where he was ordained pastor of the Second Congregational Church, April 6th, 1840. In April, 1843, he resigned his charge, and removed soon after to Lancaster, Mass., where he settled upon a farm. Here he remained for many years, preaching only occasionally. In 1862 he began to preach statedly to the Congregational Church in Blackstone, Mass., where he continued until failing health compelled him to retire, about a year before his death. He then removed to Brookline, and sank

gradually to rest. His character was remarkable for conscientiousness, sincerity, and purity

He married, in May, 1840, Elizabeth Lucretia Weir Hubbard, of Worcester, Mass., who died May 23d, 1841. In Oct., 1841, he married Mrs. Ann Phelps, widow of Charles P. Phelps, of Stonington, and daughter of Mr. Hammond, of Newport, R. I. By his second marriage he had two daughters, who with their mother survive him.

1829.

ALEXANDER CHARLES ROBINSON was born in Baltimore, Md., where his father was a merchant, Aug. 29th, 1809, and died after a lingering illness, Nov. 10th, 1871. His early studies were pursued in St. Mary's College, Baltimore, and in Columbia College, N. Y. city, whence he entered Yale in 1827.

On his return home, he selected medicine as his profession, and after the usual course of study, graduated with distinction at the Medical School of the University of Maryland. He established himself in practice in Baltimore, and was soon in the foremost rank of his profession. For one or two years he took part in the instruction in the Medical College where he had graduated, but finding the tax upon his time too great, he devoted himself solely to active practice, in which he continued until obliged by failing health to retire a few years before his death. He was especially earnest in efforts for the relief of the unfortunate classes and for institutions established for their benefit. He was also keenly alive to his convictions in regard to political affairs.

At an early age Dr. Robinson married Rosa Wirt, a daughter of the distinguished William Wirt. Of six sons and five daughters born to them, only four are now living. His wife died in 1849, and he married, in 1857, M. Louisa, daughter of Col. R. W. Hall, a veteran of the war of 1812. A son and two daughters by this marriage are all living.

1830.

BENJAMIN DUFFIELD NEILL died in Philadelphia, Pa., in Sept., 1872, aged 60.

He was a native of Philadelphia, and entered college in Sophomore year. He became after a few years hopelessly insane, and was the inmate of an asylum until the time of his death.

1831.

HUGH THOMPSON HARRISON was the son of Hall Harrison, Esq., of Baltimore, Md. He was born in 1809, in Easton, Md., where his father was then living.

After taking his degree he studied theology at the Theol Seminary of Virginia, and became a clergyman of the Protestant Episc. Church. Shortly after his ordination he became Rector of Christ Church, Queen Caroline Parish, and of St. John's Church, Howard County, Md. In a few years he resigned the former charge. The latter he retained (living near Ellicott city) until 1866, when growing infirmity of health compelled him to give up regular ministerial work. He then removed to Baltimore, where he resided until his death, which occurred June 21st, 1872, in the 63d year of his age.

He was married in 1834, and left a widow and four children. He was regarded as specially versed in German theology, and had collected a library of German, Dutch and Latin theological writers quite unusual for a country clergyman.

EPHRAIM DOD SAUNDERS, who died suddenly at his residence in W. Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 13th, 1872, was the son of Ephraim and Sarah (Rodgers) Saunders, and was born near Mendham, N. J., Sept. 30th, 1809.

After graduation he remained in New Haven for several months for the purpose of theological study. In the autumn of 1832 he went to Virginia to fill the position of tutor in a family in Cumberland County, and after a year spent in teaching and study, he was licensed to preach by the Presbytery of East Hanover, in session at Nottoway, Oct. 18th, 1833. After four years of pastoral work, during which time he collected money to build two churches, he opened a school for boys in Cumberland County, which he subsequently removed to Goochland County. In 1843 he became principal of the Classical Institute at Petersburg, Va., and held this position for four years. In 1848 he visited Europe, and on his return established a church in Pottsville, Pa., collecting the funds needed for the purchase and repairing of a church-building. In 1851 he removed to West Philadelphia, and founded a school for boys, which was afterwards chartered as a college. During the late war a military department was established, the pupils being styled the "Courtland Saunders Cadets," in honor of the founder's only child, who was killed in battle in September, 1862. After

the death of his son, Dr. Saunders was made chairman of the "Bounty Fund Commission" of Philadelphia, and rendered very efficient service in securing the quota of men necessary to save the city from a draft.

In 1871, he offered to give his real estate in W. Philadelphia, valued at \$160,000 (reserving a life-annuity of \$4000), to the Presbyterian Alliance for the purpose of founding a hospital. The offer was accepted, and the property was publicly transferred on July 1st, 1871. Dr. Saunders also obtained subscriptions, to the amount of \$100,000, towards the endowment of the hospital.

He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Lafayette College.

He was married, Nov. 13th, 1833, to Miss Ann P., daughter of Halsey Guern. She is still living.

1832.

HENRY EDDY, second son of Thomas and Abi (Lewis) Eddy, of New Britain, Conn., was born in New Britain, Oct. 1st, 1805, and died in North Bridgewater, Mass., Sept. 23d, 1872, aged 67.

He studied theology for one or two years after graduating, at Andover Theol. Seminary, and then continued his studies in the Yale Seminary. He was ordained, Feb. 16th, 1836, pastor of the Congregational Church in West Granville, Mass., from which charge he was dismissed, Sept. 25th, 1839. He was installed over the Congregational Church in Stoughton, Mass., Nov. 4th, 1840, and dismissed in 1844. He then supplied for two years the pulpit of the Congregational Church in Turner, Me., and was next settled for two years over a church in Kennebunkport in the same State. At this time, finding that his voice was failing, he thought it best to prepare himself for another profession, and while supplying the Congregational Church in North Guilford, Conn. (from Jan., 1849, to March, 1851), studied medicine in New Haven and received the degree of M.D. from this college in 1851. From that date until his death he resided in North Bridgewater, Mass., at first practicing medicine, but after a few years engaged in farming and in business growing out of inventions of his own, and the patent-rights connected with them.

He married, first, Miss Cornelia, daughter of Rev. Luke Wood, of Clinton, Conn., Jan. 25th, 1836. She died Feb. 6th, 1842, leaving one daughter, who is still living. He married, secondly, Miss Sarah H. Torrey, of N. Bridgewater, Mass., Aug. 23d, 1843, who

survives him, with two sons, graduates of this college in 1867 and 1870.

1833.

RUFUS ABBOT was born in Wilton, N. H., Apr. 17th, 1807; the second son of Zebadiah and Elizabeth (Hale) Abbot.

For two years after graduation he taught school and studied medicine in Greensburg, Ky., and then attended a course of lectures in the Medical School in Lexington, Ky. He began practice in the spring of 1836, but subsequently, in the winter of 1838-39, attended lectures in Louisville, Ky., and received the degree of M. D. He then established himself in Jefferson City, Mo., where he practiced until 1856, when he removed to Fulton, Mo. In 1867 he removed to Pleasant Hill, Mo., where he died Jan. 12th, 1873. Dr. Abbot married, Apr. 5, 1838, Mary B., daughter of Joseph Aikin, of Greensburg, Ky., who died on the 12th of the following October. He again married, October 21st, 1840, Mary R. Hart, of Jefferson City, who survives him, with their three children.

EDWARD ANTHONY BRADFORD was born in Plainville, Conn., Sept. 27th, 1813, the son of Henry and Lois (Eaton) Bradford.

He began the study of law at the Harvard Law School in 1834, graduating in 1837; and in the winter of 1837-8 established himself in practice in New Orleans. He pursued his profession there with eminent success until 1869, when he was attacked by an incurable disease which forced him to give up all business. The winter of 1869-70 he spent at Pau, France, and in June went to Berlin for medical treatment. The war prevented his intended removal to Paris, and he passed the two years from Sept., 1870, to Aug., 1872, in Torquay, England. He then was taken to Paris, where he died Nov. 22d, 1872.

He married Sarah E. Fanning, of N. Y., Sept. 14th, 1848, who survives him, with two sons.

JOHN HENRY SOUTHARD, son of Zebulon and Catharine (Van Voorhies) Southard, was born in Fishkill, N. Y., Jan. 10th, 1812, and died in the same place, Dec. 19th, 1872, aged nearly 61 years.

He studied law, after graduation, in N. Y. city, and was in practice there until the time of his death. He was never married.

1835.

NEHEMIAH BUSHNELL was born in Westbrook, Conn., Oct. 9th, 1813.

Shortly after graduation he began the study of law, at the Law School in Cambridge, Mass., where he remained for one year. In 1837 he was admitted to the bar in Middletown, Conn., and immediately removed to Quincy, Ill., where he associated himself in the practice of his profession with Hon. O. H. Browning. Mr. Bushnell soon became identified with some of the most important public improvements in the western part of the State. In 1851 he became President of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Co., and held that position till 1861, when he retired, and was appointed attorney for the road, which office he held until his death. He was elected in the autumn of 1872 to represent the city of Quincy in the General Assembly of the State. While in Springfield in attendance on this duty, he contracted a severe cold, which superinduced an attack of erysipelas, which terminated fatally, Jan. 31st, 1873.

In Oct., 1840, he married Miss Eliza H. Benedict, of Millbury, Mass. They had seven children, of whom four are now living, one son being a graduate of this college in the Class of 1865.

GEORGE PETER PRUDDEN, son of Peter and Charity (Davis) Prudden, was born in Orange, Conn., Feb. 13th, 1816.

After graduating he taught in Lockport, N. Y., for one year. He studied theology at the Yale Divinity School for two years (1837 to 1839), and was licensed to preach by the New Haven West Association, in May, 1838.

In May, 1839, he was called to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church in Medina, N. Y., and was ordained there on the 25th of Sept. following. From this charge he was dismissed in Nov., 1844. From Dec., 1845, to March, 1851, he served as stated supply for the Congregational Church in Middlebury, Conn., his health not permitting him to settle. For the next four years he supplied the pulpit of the Congregational Church in Southbury, Conn., and was then obliged by ill-health to cease from professional labor for a year. From Nov., 1856, until 1861, he was acting pastor of the Congregational Church in Watertown, Conn., and for the two following years sustained a similar relation in Monroe, Conn. In 1864 he removed to New Haven, Conn., but was not able to engage in active labor again. He died in Brattleboro, Vt., Aug. 20th, 1872, after a depressing illness continued through many years.

Mr. Prudden was married, Nov. 4th, 1839, to Miss Eliza A. Johnson, of Southbury, Conn., who survives him, with four of

their five children. Two of his sons have received degrees from this college.

1836.

HENRY CHAMPION DEMING was born in Colchester, Conn., May 23d, 1815, the son of Gen. David and Abigail (Champion) Deming.

He studied law at the Harvard Law School, where he graduated in 1839. He then opened an office in New York city, but devoted himself rather to literature than to his profession. At this time he was engaged with Park Benjamin in editing the "New World," a literary weekly, and at this time also he published a translation of Eugène Sue's "Wandering Jew." In 1847 he removed to Hartford, Conn., and opened a law-office. In 1850 he married Sarah, daughter of Laurent Clerc, the first deaf-mute instructor in this country. In 1849, 1850, 1859 and 1860, he was a member of the State House of Representatives. In 1854 he was elected Mayor of Hartford, and served until 1858, and again from 1860 to 1862. At the close of the year 1861, he was appointed Colonel of the 12th Connecticut Volunteers, and accompanied Gen. Butler's expedition to New Orleans. After the capture of that city he was detailed mayor, and served with tact and ability until January, 1863, when he resigned both military and civil position, on account of his own health and the health of his wife. In the spring of the same year, he was elected to Congress, and represented the First District of Connecticut for four years. In 1868 he wrote a life of General Grant, which had an extensive sale. In the following year he was appointed by the President, Collector of Internal Revenue, and this office he held until his death, which occurred at his residence in Hartford, Oct. 9th, 1872. His wife died in July, 1869, leaving three sons, of whom two graduated at this college in 1872. In June, 1871, he married Mrs. Annie Putnam Jillson, a great-granddaughter of Gen. Putnam, who survives him.

Besides his Congressional speeches, Col. Deming published a Eulogy of Abraham Lincoln, delivered before the General Assembly of Connecticut, in 1865; an Oration delivered at the completion of the Monument to Gen. Wooster, at Danbury, in 1854, and many other public addresses. These with his unpublished writings abundantly attest his great fertility of intellect; his personal power as an orator was equally remarkable. He received the degree of LL.D. from Trinity College in 1861.

HENRY HATCH DENT was born in Maryland, on Feb. 11th, 1815.

He studied law under the late Hon. Felix Grundy, at Washington, D. C., and began practice as a partner with the distinguished jurist under whom he had completed his professional studies.

He married Miss Adlum, of Georgetown, D. C., on Sept. 14th, 1841.

After having fulfilled all his duties with honor and fidelity, he departed this life in the city of Baltimore, Nov. 19th, 1872.

1837.

THOMAS TALLMAN, son of Eleazar and Susan Tallman, was born in the parish of Middle Haddam (in Chatham), Conn., June 12th, 1815

He studied theology in Yale Theological Seminary for three years after leaving college, and was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Scotland, Conn., March 20th, 1844. From this charge he was dismissed, June 26th, 1861. From July, 1861, to Nov., 1863, he supplied the pulpit of the Congregational Church in Groton, Conn. In 1864, he removed to Thompson, Conn., and there resided until his death, in the interval preaching in Westminster (in 1864-65), and in East Putnam (from April, 1868, to Nov., 1869). He was a member of the State House of Representatives in the sessions of 1866 and 1867. He died, after great sufferings, Oct 9th, 1872, from the effects of a cartilaginous tumor, which had been forming in the abdomen for more than three years.

Mr. Tallman was married, May 17th, 1842, to Frances M., daughter of Simon Hazleton, of Haddam. She died July 30th, 1860. He was again married, April 27th, 1864, to Hannah C. Graves, of Thompson, who survives him. His children were a son and a daughter by his first, and a son and a daughter by his second marriage. The elder son graduated at this college in 1867.

1841.

JACKSON JONES BUSHNELL was born in Old Saybrook, Conn., Feb. 19th, 1815, and died after a week's illness, of typhoid pneumonia, in Beloit, Wisconsin, March 8th, 1873.

He entered Andover Theol. Seminary in December, 1841, but after a few months there, became a tutor in Western Reserve College, Ohio. After a tutorship of two years, during the latter of which he was licensed to preach, he was appointed financial agent of the college, and served in that relation, and as an agent of the

Western College Society, until April, 1848. He was then appointed Professor of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy in Beloit College, and entered on his office as the pioneer instructor of the new institution. In 1858 he resigned, and devoted himself to business in Beloit, but in 1863 was re-appointed and continued in office until his death. Besides his proper work as a professor, he was the financier of the college, and its prosperity, as well as the growth of the business interests of the town, is largely due to him.

Professor Bushnell married in 1854 Miss Sarah E. Lewis, of Southington, Conn. She survives him, with their three children.

1842.

JAMES HADLEY, son of James Hadley, was born in Fairfield, N. Y., March 30th, 1831, where his father was then Professor of Chemistry in the Medical College. After a boyhood peculiarly set apart to study by an accident which early disabled him, he entered this college at the beginning of the Junior year, and graduated the foremost of his class.

After living in New Haven one year as resident graduate, he entered the Theological Department, where he remained two years, except a few months, from Sept., 1844, to April, 1845, during which he acted as tutor in Middlebury College. In Sept., 1845, he became a tutor in Yale College, and held that office three years, until Aug., 1848, when he was appointed Assistant Professor of Greek. In July, 1851, when President Woolsey resigned the Professorship of Greek, he was appointed to succeed him in that place. He died, after an illness of about a month, in New Haven, Nov. 14th, 1872, aged 51 years. The discourse delivered at his funeral by President Porter was printed in the "New Englander" for Jan., 1873, and has also been published separately.

Professor Hadley published a Greek Grammar in 1866, and an abridgment of the same in 1869. Since his death a volume of essays selected from his papers has been published, and also a volume of Lectures on Roman Law.

He was married, Aug. 13th, 1851, to Miss Ann Twining, daughter of the late Stephen Twining, Esq. (Y. C. 1795), of New Haven, who survives him, with one son, now a member of the Freshman Class in this college.

1844.

EDWARD ARTEMAS RAYMOND, only child of Robert Raymond, was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., Jan. 27th, 1826. He entered

college from the Canandaigua Academy in the third term of Freshman year.

After leaving college he remained at his father's residence, then in Lima, N. Y., for two years, for the purpose of recruiting his health. In 1846 he went to Rochester, N. Y., where he studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1850. He entered into partnership with Wm S. Bishop, Esq., and in 1854 was elected District Attorney, which office he held for several years. He continued in successful practice in Rochester until his final illness. For a year or more before his death, he suffered from a pulmonary difficulty, which steadily undermined his vital powers. He died at his residence in Brighton, a suburb of Rochester, May 12th, 1873, leaving a widow, with five sons and one daughter.

Mr. Raymond was an elder in St. Peter's Presbyterian Church, in Rochester, and had held many positions of official trust in the community.

1847.

ANDREW TULLY PRATT, eldest child of Wm. T. and Eliza H (Steele) Pratt, was born at Black Rock, near Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 22d, 1826. During his college course, his family resided in Berlin, Conn.

He taught for a few months after graduation in Southport, Conn., and spent the next year in the Union Theol. Seminary, N. Y. city. He then began the study of medicine in New Haven, was also connected with the Yale Theol Seminary for two years, and graduated M D at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, N. Y., in 1852.

In pursuance of the plan which had been in his mind from the time when he began to study in the academy at Berlin, he was ordained as a missionary and physician of the American Board, at New Haven, Aug 8th, 1852; and, having been married on the same day to Miss Sarah Frances Goodyear, of New Haven, sailed with his wife, Dec 22d, for his mission field in Syria. His first station was at Aintab, but he removed to Aleppo in 1856, and to Marash in 1859. In 1868, he was transferred to the Western Turkey Mission, and stationed at Constantinople, where he was engaged on the revision of the Armeno-Turkish Bible, until his death in that city, Dec 5th, 1872.

Of his ten children, four survive him.

1848.

EDMUND DENISON STANTON was born in Stonington, Conn., April 15th, 1829, and died in N. Y. city, May 29th, 1873.

The first three years after graduation were spent at home and in European travel. He then entered a broker's office in N. Y. city, and continued in that business until the brief illness which preceded his death.

He married, Oct 11th, 1863, Louise, daughter of the late Courtlandt Babcock, Esq., of N. Y. city, who survives him.

1849.

GEORGE ANDERSON GORDON was born in Savannah, Ga., Sept. 26th, 1830, and died in Huntsville, Ala., Oct. 5th, 1872, aged 42.

He entered the Sophomore Class in Sept., 1846, and after graduation remained for a year, engaged in the study of law, in the Law Department. In Nov., 1850, he began the practice of his profession in Newark, N. J., but in the following summer returned to Savannah, where he continued in practice till the close of the year 1860. During this period he was, successively, U. S. District Attorney and Member of the House of Representatives. In 1860-61 he was a member of the State Senate, and then entered the Confederate military service, as captain in the 1st Regiment of Georgia Volunteers. He subsequently became major and colonel. After the close of the war, he removed to Huntsville, where he engaged in the practice of the law until his last illness.

He married Carolina B. Steenbergen, of Virginia, June 5th, 1850. She died July 16th, 1851, leaving one son. He was again married, Jan. 12th, 1854, to Ellen C. Bevine, of Huntsville, Ala., who died Aug. 15th, 1867, leaving six children.

JOHN WATIES, the son of Thomas Waties, was born in Statesburg, Sumter County S. C., in March, 1828. His mother was a sister of Bishop Rutledge (Y. C. 1820), of Florida.

For four years succeeding graduation he was employed in civil engineering. Afterwards he studied law, serving meantime from 1854 to 1859 as Clerk of the Court of Appeals of his native State. From 1857 until his death he practiced his profession in Columbia, S. C., except that during the civil war he served as a lieutenant and captain of artillery in the Confederate service. In his military career were sown the seeds of the disease which, after a long and painful illness, closed his life, on the 29th of April, 1873.

Mr. Waties was married, Dec 18th, 1853, to Miss Fannie C. Parker, of Columbia, S C., who survives him, with several children.

ERASTUS HAY WEISER was born in York, Pa., Jan. 28th, 1826. After a course of legal study in his native place, he was admitted to the bar, June 1st, 1851, and began the practice of his profession, at first in partnership with Hon. Daniel Durkee, of York. After Judge Durkee's death, in 1854, he continued in practice alone until his death, July 11th, 1872. He was for a number of years before his death an elder in the Presbyterian Church.

He married, Oct. 12th, 1852, Miss Anne Franklin, of York, and had one child.

1851.

WILLIAM PITT RIDDELL, fifth son and ninth child of Professor John L. and Lephe (Gates) Riddell, was born in Preston, Chenango Co, N Y, Oct 1st, 1828. He entered this college from Amherst College in the Sophomore year.

He went to New Orleans in 1851, studied chemistry at the University of Louisiana, and was afterwards appointed Professor of Chemistry

He spent his life as a teacher in the South. He is reported to have been killed in Houston, Texas, in the month of June, 1872.

RICHARD CRESSON STILES was born in Philadelphia, Oct. 3d, 1830.

He pursued the study of medicine with Dr. Joseph Carson, in Philadelphia, attended lectures at the University of Pennsylvania, and received the degree of M.D. in 1854. After a short service as Assistant Physician at the Kings County Hospital, Flatbush, L I, he went to Europe where he continued his studies, chiefly in Paris, until 1857.

In the year of his return to this country, he was appointed professor of Physiology in the University of Vermont. Although he had faithfully prepared himself for such a position, on his appointment he returned immediately to Paris, and spent several months in the review of physiological studies, before entering on his course of lectures. In 1858 he accepted also the chair of Physiology in the Berkshire (Mass.) Medical Institution. In 1860 he established with Dr. W H Thayer the Berkshire Medical Journal, a monthly publication; but the absorption of all interests in the war was unfavorable for the enterprise, and it was discontinued at the close of the first year.

In 1862, Dr. Stiles was impelled by patriotic motives to enter the U. S. Service. Passing his examination as Surgeon of Volunteers, he was ordered to the charge of a General Hospital at Pittsburgh, Pa. The next year his desire for field-service was gratified by his transfer to the Army of the Potomac as Surgeon-in-chief of Caldwell's Division, Hancock's Corps, in which position he participated in all the movements of the arduous campaign of 1863.

In 1864 he left the service, and coming to Brooklyn, N. Y., was appointed Resident Physician of the Kings County Hospital. His connection with the Berkshire Med. Institution terminated with his entering the army, but he retained his position in the Univ. of Vermont until 1865. In 1865, also, he removed to Brooklyn to practice medicine; and at the formation of the Metropolitan Board of Health, in 1866, accepted the office of Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics, that is, Registrar for Kings County. In 1868 he was made Assistant Sanitary Superintendent, and held the two positions until the Board of Health was dissolved in 1870. In the summer of this year his mental powers, which had been severely overworked in his professional studies, gave way. After a few months' residence in an Insane Asylum, his health improved and he engaged again in general practice. In 1872 he traveled in Europe, but in the following spring his mental disease grew more serious, and towards the close of March he left Brooklyn for his mother's home in West Chester, Pa. There he was attacked with pneumonia, and after ten days' illness he died on the 16th of April, 1873.

Dr. Stiles married in 1856, in Leghorn, a daughter of Dr. Thomas Wells, of New Haven, Conn. His widow survives him, with one son

1852.

JAMES HARRISON DWIGHT was born on the island of Malta, Oct. 9th, 1830. His father was Rev. H. G. O. Dwight, D.D., late missionary of the A. B. C. F. M., and his mother (Elizabeth Barker) was from North Andover, Mass. His early years were spent at Constantinople and Broosa, in Turkey. At the age of 17 he came to this country and entered Williston Seminary, Easthampton, Mass.

From 1852 to 1855 he was a member of the Union Theol. Seminary, in N. Y. city. He was licensed to preach in May, 1855, by the 4th Presbytery of N. Y., and in the following September married Miss Susan E., daughter of Rev. Benjamin Schneider,

D.D, of Turkey. He then attended medical lectures at the 23d St. Medical College, N. Y. city, finishing the required course though not taking the degree. He now engaged with his next younger brother (Y. C. 1854) in maturing plans for opening a college in Constantinople, and meanwhile, after receiving ordination, May 24th, 1857, supplied for one year the Presbyterian Church in Cherry Valley, N. Y. Returning to N. Y. city in 1858, he spent nearly a year in developing the college enterprise; but at the last moment found himself confronted with unforeseen obstacles, which caused the transfer of the whole scheme to other hands. Disappointed in what he had looked forward to as the work of his life, he removed to the new town of Englewood, N. Y., where he organized a Presbyterian Church, and was installed pastor. Just after his installation, he suffered another bitter trial in the death of his wife, Feb. 13th, 1860.

In the autumn of 1861, under leave of absence from his church, he accepted the appointment of chaplain of the 66th N. Y. Vols., and served for 18 months with the Army of the Potomac.

In March, 1866, he was attacked with hemorrhage from the lungs, and in May, 1867, was obliged by his health to resign his pastoral charge. He continued to reside in Englewood, contenting himself with occasional work of various kinds. He was for a time associate editor of the "Church Union," now the "Christian Union," and subsequently had charge of special departments of that paper and of the "Independent." His last work was the task of raising funds for the Palestine Exploration Society, and of providing for the equipment of the expedition. When after many weary months of labor, he saw the expedition sail out of the harbor of New York, he felt that his work was over, and sank so rapidly that he died within about three weeks. After a final illness of a very few days, he passed away, Dec. 2d, 1872.

Mr Dwight married for his second wife, in 1865, Miss Josephine C. Wilder, daughter of the late S. V. S. Wilder. She survives him, as does one son by his first marriage.

REGINALD HEBER HALL died in Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 16th, 1872, in the fortieth year of his age. He was the son of Robert C. Hall, and was born at Muncy Farms, Lycoming Co., Pa., June 1st, 1832.

After studying law in Williamsport, Pa., he was admitted to the bar in Nov., 1854, and in the following month settled in In-

dianapolis, Ind., where he remained in full practice until his death. He left home early in February, 1872, on a journey for the benefit of his health, and after a few days of exposure to severe cold, was seized while in Memphis with a paralytic attack, from which he never rallied.

Major Hall married, July 29th, 1859, Sarah L., daughter of Dr. George W. Mears, of Indianapolis, who survives him.

NATHANIEL WILLIAM TAYLOR ROOT, son of Rev. Judson A. Root (Y. C. 1823), and of Emily M. (Peck) Root, was born in New Haven, Conn., Nov. 24th, 1829.

He was connected with college only during the Freshman year, but in 1864 received the honorary degree of M.A., and was subsequently enrolled with his class

After leaving college he spent several years in teaching in New Haven and elsewhere. He afterwards pursued theological studies in the Berkeley Divinity School, in Middletown, Conn., and was ordained Deacon by Bishop Wilhams, at Middletown, May 25th, 1859. A year later he removed to Rhode Island, where he was advanced to the priesthood, and took charge of the parish of Lonsdale. This charge he relinquished in May, 1861, to become chaplain of the Ninth Regiment of R. I. Volunteers. After three months' service, he returned to his parish, and early in 1865 returned to Newtown, L. I., as rector of the Episcopal Church. This charge he resigned in 1868, and he then went to Portland, Me., where he served as rector of St. Paul's Church until his death, of small-pox, Dec. 14th, 1872. A few months previous to his death he was appointed instructor in drawing in Bowdoin College.

Mr Root married, Jan. 1st, 1855, Charity E., daughter of Capt. Burr Nash, of New Haven, who survives him, with two sons and one daughter.

1853.

SAMUEL ADAMS LYONS LAW POST was born in Meredith, Delaware County, N. Y., June 10th, 1829. His parents were Stephen and Amanda W. (Burchard) Post, who emigrated from Bozrah, Conn., in 1818.

He was early obliged to provide for himself, beginning by teaching a district school, in the winter of 1842-43, when he was not yet 14 years old. These necessities delayed his entrance into college, and determined also his subsequent work

After graduation he taught for a year in an academy in Mamaroneck, Westchester County, N. Y., and then took charge

of a classical school in Derby, Conn. In 1856, he removed to Ulster County, N. Y., as principal of the Ellenville High School. Two years later he became also the proprietor of the school, and conducted it successfully until 1868, when having been admitted to the bar he began the practice of law. In the autumn of 1871 he was prostrated by a disease of the lungs, which prevented his further pursuit of his profession. He now undertook the editorship of the "American Odd-Fellow," published in N. Y. city, but strength was soon exhausted, and he came back to Ellenville to die. His death occurred Jan 8th, 1873.

He married, Dec. 6th, 1854, Miss Laura Judd, of Lockport, N. Y., who survives him, with children.

1855.

EMIL SPANIER, son of Louis and Rosalie L. (Meyer) Spanier, was born in Hanover, Germany, March 21st, 1836.

He came with his parents to this country when three years of age, and resided at Albany, N. Y., until he entered the Junior Class in this college.

His health failing, at the time of his graduation, he was compelled to abandon his intention of studying law. He visited Europe with his mother in 1857, and consulted eminent physicians, but his tour was without benefit, and for years he was confined to his room, yet without losing his marked literary tastes and his innate gentleness of disposition. In May, 1864, he removed with his parents to N. Y. city, and became a partner in a manufacturing house. He remained in this business until the time of his death, and found leisure for the prosecution of his favorite studies, and also for the cultivation of his poetical talent, so that he left a manuscript volume of poems nearly ready for publication.

He died after five months of intense suffering, on the 13th of October, 1872, a true and zealous believer in the Jewish faith. He was unmarried.

1858.

SAMUEL CAIDWELL, son of William and Sarah (Lindsay) Caldwell, was born in Salem, Mercer County, Pa., April 14th, 1834. His parents removed to Farmington, Ill., from which place he entered this college at the beginning of the Junior year, having spent the two preceding years in Knox College.

On graduating, he edited a paper in Rock Island, Ill., during the State campaign of 1858, and then spent some time in the study

of law and in teaching. In April, 1861, he enlisted as a private in the 8th Illinois Infantry, and remained in service until May, 1866; from February, 1864, with the rank of captain. In Jan., 1867, he formed a law-partnership with his classmate Robison, in Peoria, Ill., whose sister, Mary J. Robison, he had married, Jan. 5th, 1865. In 1870 he was elected to the lower House of the State Legislature, and contracted while at the Capitol a malarious disease, which after distressing physical and mental weakness ended his life, on the 13th of Sept., 1872.

His wife survives him, with one of his two daughters.

1860.

EDGAR AUGUSTUS FINNEY, son of James and Harriet Finney, was born in Norwalk, Conn., March 27th, 1836.

After graduation he studied law for two years,—during the first year in N. Y. city, and then in Norwalk. He was about to be admitted to the bar when he enlisted for nine months in the 31st New Jersey Volunteers, in which regiment he was soon after chosen captain. At the battle of Chancellorsville, in May, 1863, he was taken prisoner, and was confined for two months in Libby Prison.

After his return to the North, he was engaged in business for a short time in New York, but soon retired to his native place, where he died of consumption, Sept. 21st, 1872, in the 37th year of his age.

Mr. Finney was married, March 5th, 1867, to Mary, eldest daughter of John Van Cleef, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who remains his widow. Their only child, a daughter, died in infancy.

1862.

WILLIAM RUSSELL KIMBERLY, son of Henry and Julia A. (Fratt) Kimberly, was born in West Troy, N. Y., Sept. 19th, 1840.

In the winter of 1862–63, he was a student in Bryant and Stratton's Commercial College at Troy, N. Y., and in that institution he taught during the year 1863. He was then for a year a teacher in the Hudson River Institute at Claverack, N. Y., and in 1865 was employed in Bryant and Stratton's Commercial College in N. Y. city. In October, 1865, he purchased a half-interest (and subsequently the entire interest) in the Philadelphia establishment of the same firm. The position of principal in this institution he retained until his death.

In the summer of 1872 he visited a sister in Wisconsin, and was there attacked with intermittent, afterwards changing to typhoid fever. His anxiety to return home was so great that his physician consented; but the journey exhausted his strength, and he died four days after reaching Philadelphia, Aug. 26th, 1872.

He was married at Williamsburgh, N. Y., April 19th, 1866, to Miss Mary Harding, who with an only daughter survives him.

1864.

THOMAS KAST BOLTWOOD, seventh son of Hon. Lucius and Fanny H. (Shepard) Boltwood, was born in Amherst, Mass., Feb. 15th, 1844.

He entered college, from Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass., in Sept., 1859, but at the end of the first term of his Sophomore year was obliged to go away on account of illness. A year later he joined the next class.

He studied law, receiving the degree of LL.B. from the Albany Law School in May, 1866, and in April, 1867, he began to practice his profession in Toledo, O. In 1869 he suffered from mental disease, and was obliged to give up his profession. He subsequently resided in Castleton, N. Y.

He died in Hartford, Conn., Dec. 25th, 1872, in the 29th year of his age.

He married, June 5th, 1867, Miss M. Matilda Van Hoesen, of Castleton, N. Y., who survives him.

ALFRED EASTMAN WALKER, youngest son of Alfred and Eunice (Minor) Walker, was born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 5th, 1842.

He studied medicine in New York and New Haven, receiving the degree of M.D. from this college in 1867. Intending to devote himself to the study of nervous diseases, he became Assistant Physician at the Insane Asylum in Worcester, Mass., in May, 1868, but a short experience cast a depressing influence over his mind, from which, perhaps, he never entirely recovered. He subsequently went to Washington Territory, and then established himself in practice in Chicago. After the fire in that city, in Oct., 1871, he returned to New Haven for a permanent residence, but the state of his health made him a great sufferer, and he found relief in death, March 5th, 1873.

He leaves a wife and child.

1868.

JOHN MARVIN CHAPIN, son of Marvin Chapin, was born in Springfield, Mass., May 15th, 1844.

Already of mature years at graduation, and with experience in the charge of a mission-church, he labored as an evangelist in North Blandford, Mass., for the most of the time from February to November, 1869. At the latter date he entered the Theological Seminary at Hartford, Conn., where he graduated in June, 1872. On the 19th of the same month, he was ordained pastor of the First Congregational Church in West Springfield, Mass., and labored untiringly through the hot summer months which followed. His health declined, and at the end of the summer he took a vacation, from which he returned at the beginning of October, much refreshed: but after preaching two Sundays he grew rapidly worse, and symptoms of typhoid fever were developed. He was removed to his father's house in Springfield, where he died on the evening of the 25th of October, aged 28 years. He was not married.

1869.

JOHN ELIASON, son of Thomas W. Eliason, was born in Chestertown, Md., July 29th, 1848. He was a student in Washington College, Md., before entering this college.

The first year after graduation he spent in teaching in Easton, Conn. He then returned home and studied medicine, completing his preparation by attending lectures at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, where he received the degree of M.D., March 12th, 1873. He died, at his father's house, of typhoid fever, on the 4th of the following month. He was unmarried.

1870.

HENRY AUGUSTUS CLEVELAND, the youngest son of Henry and Charlotte A. Cleveland, was born Aug. 27th, 1848, in Batavia, N. Y. His preparation for college was conducted in the New Haven Hopkins Grammar School.

After his graduation he visited St. Louis in October, and in November sailed for Germany, with the purpose of spending a year or more in study and travel. Soon after settling in Dresden his health began to decline. The change did not appear serious to himself, and his physician gave him no reason for anxiety until the first of June, 1871, when he was ordered to a consumptive-cure. By advice he returned home in August, and in September

his mother and sister went with him to Italy and Egypt for the winter. He remained abroad for ten months, but with no material benefit. The winter of 1872-73 was despairingly begun in Perry, Wyoming County, N. Y., but as spring opened he seemed to be gaining, and plans were hopefully made for the summer, when fatal symptoms suddenly appeared in the night of April 21st, and before noon of the following day he was dead.

1872.

ROBERT ELMER COE, second son of Rev. David B. Coe (Y. C. 1837), and of Rebecca (Phoenix) Coe, was born in New York city, Dec. 13th, 1850.

He was prepared for college at the private school of Mr. Morris W. Lyon (Y. C. 1846), in N. Y. city. While an undergraduate, he showed scholarship of a high order, and unusual promise as a writer. After the summer vacation, he returned to New Haven to pursue his studies privately, and while thus engaged was attacked with typhoid fever. The disease terminated fatally on the 12th of November, 1872.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

1824.

NELSON CARPENTER, eldest child of Joseph T. and Huldah (Davidson) Carpenter, was born in Eastford, Conn., Jan. 12th, 1801.

By his father's early death, he was obliged from the time he was nine years old to provide for himself; but he persevered in obtaining a good education, and in 1822 entered the Medical School, as a resident of Willington, Conn.

On April 1st, 1824, he established himself as a physician and Surgeon in Warren (then called Western), Mass., where he remained in successful and extensive practice until his death, at the age of 71, Aug. 21st, 1872.

Dr. Carpenter was married, in Jan., 1829, to Miss Eliza S., daughter of Harvey Sessions, of Warren, by whom he had two daughters and three sons; the daughters and one of the sons are still living. His wife died Sept. 16th, 1839, and he was again married, June 6th, 1841, to Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Wm. McCray, of Ellington, Conn., who survives him.

1828.

THOMAS BELDEN BUTLER was born in Wethersfield, Conn., Aug. 22d, 1806, the son of Frederick Butler (Y. C. 1785) and of Mary (Belden) Butler. His father, a man of literary tastes, gave him a classical education. After attending two courses of lectures in this Medical School he received his degree, and he then spent an additional year in professional study in Philadelphia. On his return he settled in Norwalk, Conn., where he continued in practice for nearly eight years. Finding that the strain of his profession upon him was too severe, he decided to abandon it, and after studying law with Hon. Clark Bissell (Y. C. 1806) he was admitted to the bar in 1837.

He formed a partnership almost immediately with Hon. Thaddeus Betts (Y. C. 1807), of Norwalk, and after the death of Mr. Betts, in 1840, entered into partnership with George A. Davenport, Esq. At a later period he associated with himself O. S. Ferry, Esq. (Y. C. 1844), and still later, in 1847, J. M. Carter, Esq. (Y. C. 1836). The firm of Butler & Carter continued until Judge Butler was raised to the bench. He served in the Conn. House of Representatives in 1832, 1833, 1837, 1843, and 1846, and in the State Senate in 1848, 1852, and 1853. In 1849 he was elected to Congress, and served for one term. In May, 1855, he was elected a Judge of the Superior Court of Connecticut, and served until 1861, when he was appointed to the Supreme Court, of which he was made Chief Justice in 1870. On account of continued ill health he resigned his position May 20th, 1873, and rapidly sinking died at his residence in Norwalk, June 8th, in his 67th year.

Judge Butler won deserved respect in his professional career. His active mind also led him to an uncommon degree of interest in other affairs, especially in agriculture, mechanics, and meteorology. He was the author of "The Philosophy of the Weather," published in 1856, and of "The Atmospheric System developed: a Weather Book for practical men," published in 1870.

He married, March 14th, 1831, Mary Phillips Crosby, of Norwalk, who survives him. They had no children.

1829.

IRA GREGORY was born in Wilton, Conn., Jan. 31st, 1804, and died at his residence in Norwalk, Conn., Sept. 2d, 1872.

He began the study of medicine under Dr. David Willard, of Norwalk, and after receiving his degree settled in Moriches, L. I.,

where he practiced his profession for some twelve years. He then removed to Norwalk, where he continued in practice until within a few weeks of his death. He was also especially influential in all the educational interests of the town, being for many years chairman of the Board of Education. He often represented Norwalk in the State Legislature. At the time of his death he was the President of the Medical Society of Fairfield County, and the Vice-President of the State Medical Society.

Dr Gregory married soon after his removal to Norwalk. One son graduated at this College in 1865, and follows his father's profession

1846

JOSIAH HALL BEECHER was born in Barkhamsted, Conn., about 1825, and died in New Haven, Conn., March 14th, 1873. His medical studies were pursued under David A. Tyler, M.D. (Y. C. 1844), of New Haven. On receiving his degree he settled in East Haven, Conn., and married in 1847 Susan J., daughter of Hoadley Bray, of that town. He practiced in East Haven and Fair Haven until 1856. He then moved to N. Y. City, but after an interval of about eighteen months returned to New Haven, where he continued until his death. During the war he served for six months in the 1st Conn. Artillery. In the fall of 1867 his wife died, and he afterwards married again. He leaves a widow but no children.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

1846.

JAMES MONTGOMERY WOODWARD died in Wolcottville, Conn., Jan. 11th, 1873, at the age of 46. He was a son of Thomas G. Woodward, founder and editor of the Herald, the first daily paper printed in New Haven.

He was admitted to the New Haven bar, and practiced law in this city until 1851, when he became the principal editor of the New Haven Daily Journal and Courier. This position he occupied until the breaking out of the late war, when he was elected lieutenant colonel of the Second Conn. Militia, and had charge of the camps in this vicinity during the organization of the nine-months troops. He afterwards resumed editorial work, at first in the office of the Waterbury (Conn.) American, and afterwards at his old post in New Haven. He was obliged to cease work about 1869, on account of failing health. He was unmarried.

SUMMARY.

ACADEMICAL DEPARTMENT

Class	Name and Age	Place and	Time of Death
1796	Timothy Bishop, 95,	New Haven, Conn ,	March 6, '73
1803	Thomas D Burrall, 86,	Geneva, N. Y ,	June 24, '72
1805	Frederick Marsh, 92,	Winchester, Conn ,	Feb. 6, '73
1807	Guy Richards, 85,	New York City,	March 26, '73
"	Ely Warner, 87,	Chester, Conn ,	Oct 23, '72.
1808	Joseph Harvey, 86,	Harvey, Mich ,	Feb 4, '73
"	Ralph I Ingersoll, 83,	New Haven, Conn ,	Aug 31, '72.
"	James H Parmelee, 89,	Duncan's Falls, O.,	April 6, '72
1809	Wilham Hungerford, 86,	Hartford, Conn.,	Jan 15, '73
1811	Selah B Strong, 80,	Setauket, L I ,	Nov 29, '72
1812	George Bliss, 79,	Springfield, Mass ,	April 19, '72
1813	Zedekiah S Barstow, 82,	Keene, N H ,	March 1, '73
1814	John M Atwood, 77,	Hartford, Conn ,	May 29, '73
"	Joshua Leavitt, 78,	New York City,	Jan. 16, '73
"	John Titsworth, 79,	Deckertown, N. J ,	'73
1815	Edward Harleston, 76,	Charleston, S C.,	Feb 11, '71
"	Andrew Huntington, 81,	Milan, O ,	June 5, '72
1817	Robert Hartshorne, 74,	Portland, N J ,	July 18, '72
1818	Caleb Day, 75,	Catskill, N Y.,	June 6, '73,
"	R Randolph Gurley, 75,	Washington, D C ,	July 30, '72.
"	James S Huggins, 73,	New York City,	Sept 4, '72
1820	Philip Gadsden, 72,	Charleston, S C ,	Dec 26, '70
1821	Josiah Brewer, 76,	Stockbridge, Mass ,	Nov 19 '72
1822	Francis H Case, 75,	Cold Spring, Wisc ,	Dec 20, '72
"	Harvey P Peet, 78,	New York City,	Jan 1, '73
1823	Milton Badger, 72,	Madison, Conn ,	March 1, '73
"	Handel G Nott, 73,	Rochester, N Y ,	May 3, '73
"	Wilham S Sullivant, 70,	Cincinnati, O ,	April 30, '73.
1824	Joel Talcott, 74,	Wakeman, O ,	Dec. 28, '71
"	William P Van Rensselaer, 71,	New York City,	Nov 13, '72
1826	Isaac C Beach, 71,	Olathe, Kan ,	Feb 23, '73
"	Edwin E Clark, 66,	Ann Arbor, Mich ,	Feb 1, '73
"	George J Pumpelly, 67,	Owego, N Y ,	May 9, '73
1827	Albert G Bristol, 64,	Rochester, N Y ,	Jan 9, '73
"	Philip R Hoffman, 66,	New York City,	June 12, '73
"	Henry Hogeboom, 63,	Hudson, N. Y ,	Sept 12, '72
1828	Edward W Casey, 62,	New Bedford, Mass ,	May 3, '72
"	J Erskine Edwards, 63,	Longwood, Mass ,	April 3, '73
1829	Alexander C Robinson, 62,	Baltimore, Md.,	Nov 10, '71
1830	Benjamin D Neill, 60,	Philadelphia, Pa ,	Sept, '72
1831	Hugh T Harrison, 62,	Baltimore, Md ,	June 21, '72
"	Ephraim D Saunders, 63,	W Philadelphia, Pa ,	Sept 13, '72
1832	Henry Eddy, 67,	N Bridgewater, Mass ,	Sept 23, '72.
1833	Rufus Abbot, 65,	Pleasant Hill, Mo ,	Jan 12, '73
"	Edward A Bradford, 59,	Paris, France,	Nov 22, '72
"	John H Southard, 61,	Fishkill, N Y ,	Dec 19, '72
1835	Nehemiah Bushnell, 59,	Quincy, Ill ,	Jan 31, '73
"	George P Prudden, 56,	Brattleboro, Vt ,	Aug 20, '72
1836	Henry C Deming, 57,	Hartford, Conn ,	Oct 9, '72

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1836	Henry H Dent, 57,	Baltimore, Md ,	Nov 19, '72
1837	Thomas Tallman, 57,	Thompson, Conn.,	Oct 9, '72
1841	Jackson J Bushnell, 58,	Beloit, Wisc ,	March 8, '73
1842	James Hadley, 51,	New Haven, Conn ,	Nov 14, '72
1844	Edward A Raymond, 47,	Rochester, N Y.,	May 12, '73
1847	Andrew T Pratt, 46,	Constantinople, Turkey,	Dec 5, '72.
1848	Edmund D Stanton, 44,	New York City,	May 29, '73
1849	George A Gordon, 42,	Huntsville, Ala ,	Oct 5, '72
"	John Waties, 45,	Columbia, S C ,	April 29, '73
"	Erastus H Weiser, 46,	York, Pa.,	July 11, '72
1851	William P Riddell, 43,	Houston, Tex ,	June, '72
"	R Cresson Stiles, 42,	West Chester, Pa ,	April 16, '73
1852	James H Dwight, 42,	Englewood, N. J ,	Dec 2, '72.
"	Reginald H Hall, 39,	Memphis, Tenn ,	Feb 16, '72
"	N W Taylor Root, 43,	Portland, Me ,	Dec. 14, '72.
1853	Samuel A L L Post, 43,	Ellenville, N Y ,	Jan 8, '73
1855	Emil Spaner, 36,	New York City	Oct. 13, '72
1858	Samuel Caldwell, 38,	Peoria, Ill ,	Sept 13, '72
1860	Edgar A Finney, 36,	Norwalk, Conn ,	Sept 21, '72
1862	William R. Kimberly, 32,	Philadelphia, Pa ,	Aug 26, '72.
1864	Thomas K Boltwood, 29,	Hartford, Conn ,	Dec 25, '72
"	Alfred E Walker, 31,	New Haven, Conn.,	March 5, '73
1868	John M Chapin, 28,	Springfield, Mass ,	Oct 25, '72
1869	John Ehason, 24,	Chestertown, Md ,	April 4, '73
1870	H Augustus Cleveland, 24,	Perry, N Y ,	April 22, '73
1872	Robert E Coe, 22,	New Haven, Conn.,	Nov 12, '72

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1824	Nelson Carpenter, 71,	Warren, Mass ,	Aug 21, '72
1828	Thomas B Butler, 66,	Norwalk, Conn ,	June 8, '73.
1829	Ira Gregory, 68,	Norwalk, Conn ,	Sept 2, '72
1846	Josiah H Beecher, 48,	New Haven, Conn ,	March 14, '73.

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1846	James M Woodward, 46,	Wolcottville, Conn ,	Jan 11, '73
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The whole number of deaths reported above is 80, and the average age of the graduates of the Academical Department is 61½ years

Of the Academical graduates, 25 were Lawyers, 23 Clergymen, 7 Physicians, and 7 in Business

The deaths are distributed as follows—in New York, 19 Connecticut, 18, Massachusetts, 7, Pennsylvania, 5, Maryland and Ohio, 4 each, New Jersey and South Carolina, 3 each, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Europe, 2 each, and the remaining 9 in as many different States

The only surviving graduate of the last century is (class of 1800) Rev THOMAS WILLIAMS, Providence, R I, born Nov 5th, 1779.

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