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1816.

HENRY WYLLYS TAYLOR, third son of the Rev John Taylor (Yale 1784) and Elizabeth (Terry) Taylor, was born in Deerfield, Mass., where his father was then pastor, on February 2, 1796. On graduation he went to Ontario County, N. Y., and began the study of law in the office of Spencer Coleman, Esq., of Bloomfield. In November, 1818, he entered the office of the Hon. John C. Spencer, of Canandaigua, in the same county, where he continued for one year, or until admitted to the bar. On January 1, 1820, he opened an office in the village of Canandaigua, and soon won his way to public confidence and to success in his profession. In 1836, and the three succeeding years, he was elected to the State Assembly. In 1840 he removed to Marshall, Michigan, to take charge of a large estate there. In 1846 he was a member of the State Senate, but in 1848 he returned to Canandaigua and resumed the practice of the law. He was appointed by the governor, in March, 1850, a Justice of the

Supreme Court of the State, to fill an unexpired term of nearly two years, being also ex-officio Associate Justice of the Court of Appeals. He also held the office of Judge of the County Court from 1856 to 1860. He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from this college in 1869. He was a deacon of the Congregational Church in Canandaigua, from 1828 until his death, except during the period of his residence in Michigan.

On October 4, 1832, he married Martha C., the eldest daughter of Thomas Masters, a distinguished shipping merchant of New York City, who died in 1884. They had no children.

After a long and highly honored life, he died in Canandaigua, December 17, 1888, aged nearly 93 years. He was the last survivor of his College class, and the oldest member of the bar in the State of New York.

1822.

EDWARD HENRY LEFFINGWELL, the youngest child of William Leffingwell (Yale 1786) and Sally M. (Beers) Leffingwell, was born in New Haven, Conn., in April, 1803.

After graduation he studied medicine, and received the degree of M D from the Medical Institution of Yale College in 1824. The next year he went to South America, to practice his profession, and remained for three years in Lima, the capital of Peru, and then for six years in Lambayeque, in the northern part of the same republic. While in Lambayeque he married Maria del Carmen Garcia Fani, a native of that place, by whom he had two children, both of whom died in infancy. He returned to the United States in 1834, and lost his wife on the last day of the same year. He made a short visit to Buenos Ayres in 1836, after which he abandoned his profession and devoted himself, under the tuition of Professor Cleaveland, of Bowdoin College, to preparation for a professorship of physical science.

In 1843 he was elected Professor of Chemistry and Natural History in the University of Missouri, and remained in connection with that institution until 1852, when he was obliged to resign on account of a bronchial affection. Shortly after he was appointed to the chair of Chemistry and Toxicology in the Medical College of Memphis, Tenn., but the state of his health forbade his continuance there beyond one or two years.

From 1855 to 1863 he resided in Boston, and for the rest of his life in New Haven, where he died on the 25th of June, 1888, in his 86th year.

During these years of his residence in Boston and New Haven he devoted himself to forming a collection of autographs, which grew to be one of the most valuable in this country.

1825.

LORENZO JAMES was born in Camden, S. C., April 19, 1805. His grandfather, John James, was a Captain in General Marion's command in the Revolution. His father, Samuel James, who had been a member of the South Carolina legislature and a man of some note, emigrated to the neighborhood of Jackson, in Clarke County, south-western Alabama, in 1818, but soon died, leaving a numerous family to the care of his wife, who was a sister of Col. John Darrington, of South Carolina. He entered College in 1822 from a private school in Jamaica, L. I.

Returning to Alabama he married in 1827 Eliza, daughter of Gen. John Scott, of Montgomery, and settled on a plantation in the western part of Montgomery County, afterwards embraced in the new county of Lowndes. He was a successful planter, and led a happy, independent life, bringing up a large family of children. He represented the county in the State Senate in 1835. Removing again to Clarke County, where his mother still resided, he represented that county in the House of Representatives in 1849, and in the Senate in 1851. His large property was destroyed by the results of the war, but he preserved to the last the cheerfulness of temper which always distinguished him. He was a man of polite and refined tastes, and his character and integrity were beyond reproach. Northern friends who heard of his reverses advised his opening an office in Montgomery for the purchase of cotton on commission for their factories, and he did so with some success.

His wife died in 1872, and in 1875 he was again married to Mrs. Margaret Briscoe, of Georgetown, Ky., who survives him. His last years were spent in Cincinnati, O., and he died on September 19, 1888, in his 84th year, worn out with old age and infirmities, in Petoskey, Mich. He had visited that place annually for several years, on account of hay fever, from which he had long been a sufferer.

1826.

ELIJAH PORTER BARROWS, son of Nathan and Sophia (Hanks) Barrows, was born in Mansfield, Conn., January 5, 1805. On his

father's death, in 1818, an uncle for whom he was named took him to his own home in Baltimore, and provided for his education. He entered as Sophomore from that city in 1823.

For six years after graduation he was Principal of the Hartford (Conn.) Grammar School, and in the mean time pursued theological studies. On June 6, 1832, he was ordained at Simsbury, by the Hartford North Association, as an evangelist, and labored in feeble parishes in this State until the spring of 1835, when he was called to the First Free Presbyterian Church in Dey street, New York City, where he remained for two years, during which he took part in the founding of the Union Theological Seminary. In 1837 he accepted the Professorship of Sacred Literature in Western Reserve College, at Hudson, Ohio, where for fifteen years he labored indefatigably. He resigned this position in the spring of 1852, and in April, 1853, was elected Professor of Sacred Literature in the Theological Seminary at Andover, Mass.; in 1858 the title of his chair was changed to the Professorship of the Hebrew Language and Literature, and he performed its duties until August, 1866. On his resignation he removed to Middletown, Conn., and for the next six years was mainly occupied in literary work. During this period he prepared among other works, two volumes for the American Tract Society. Companion to the Bible (668 pp., 8vo.), and Sacred Geography and Antiquities (685 pp., 8vo.) In September, 1872, he became Professor of Hebrew in the Theological Seminary at Oberlin, Ohio, and retained this post until his resignation, early in 1880. His closing years were spent in Oberlin, where he died, of old age, September 14, 1888, in his 84th year.

He married, in March, 1829, Miss Sarah Maria Lee, daughter of Dr. Daniel Lee, of Westerly, R. I.; she died a few years before him. Their children were five sons and five daughters, all of whom grew to maturity. Two of the sons were graduated at Western Reserve. The youngest daughter is the wife of Edward Dummer (Yale 1865)

In 1858 he received the degree of D.D. from Dartmouth College.

ALDEN SCOVEL, son of Jonah and Sarah (Brigham) Scovel, was born in Peru, Berkshire County, Mass., April 4, 1801, but before he entered college the family residence was removed to Albany, N Y

After graduation he pursued the full three years' course in Princeton Theological Seminary, and on August 17, 1831, was ordained as an evangelist by the Albany Presbytery. He had already taken charge as stated supply of what was then the Second Presbyterian Church, in the city of Hudson, N. Y., now within the limits of Stockport, where he spent seventeen years engaged in preaching and teaching. In 1846 he removed to Bordentown, N. J., where he was similarly engaged for nearly the same length of time. Thence he went to Bloomington, Ill., to take charge of a select classical school ; and in 1873 he settled in Chicago, where his later years were spent and where he died, July 16, 1887, in his 87th year.

He was married in Princeton, September 27, 1827, to Miss Elizabeth B Hutchinson, of that town, who survived him. Of their eleven children, five sons and three daughters survived him.

1827.

JAMES DARRACH, son of James and Elizabeth (Bradford) Darrach, was born in Philadelphia, Pa., June 27, 1806.

After graduation he learned the business of a woollen manufacturer at a factory in the village of Glenham, in Fishkill, N. Y., and engaged with his brother in this business in Manayunk, Pa. The hard times of 1836--7 led to reverses, in consequence of which he left manufacturing in July, 1837, and for the next year was engaged in teaching in Walden, Orange County, N. Y. He was then employed as superintendent of the manufactory where he had learned his business, until in November, 1840, he settled on a farm near Walden. There he was engaged in teaching in an academy which he founded, and in insurance business, until December, 1854, when he was chosen superintendent of the New York Hospital, on Broadway, opposite Pearl street. He remained in this position until December, 1864. The rest of his life was spent on his farm near Walden, and with his children. His health was much broken for two years before his death, in the fall of 1888 he settled in Fishkill-on-the Hudson, where he died after a painful illness on May 15, 1889, aged nearly 83 years.

He was an elder in the Presbyterian Church, both in Manayunk and New York City (Rev. Dr. Spring's) ; he was instrumental in the organization and building up of several churches, and always active in promoting the social and moral improvement of the communities in which he lived.

He was married on April 22, 1830, to Helena, eldest daughter of the Hon. Barlow White, M.D., of Fishkill Village, who survives him with four of their nine children; of the three surviving sons, one is a graduate of this College in the Class of 1859.

FORREST SHEPHERD, son of Daniel and Anna (Forrest) Shepherd, was born in Boscawen, N. H., October 31, 1800. He entered Dartmouth College in 1823, but spent the Senior year at Yale. He was admitted to the Bachelor's degree at both Colleges in 1827.

He remained in New Haven as a graduate student for two or three years, and on April 29, 1832, married Miss Sophia W. Storer, of Rutland, Vt. His active life was spent in teaching and in the study of the natural sciences, and while his home remained in New Haven he was absent during a large portion of the time on geological and geographical explorations. In 1841 and 1842 he took a partial course in the Yale Divinity School.

In 1846 he visited the southern shore of Lake Superior, where he surveyed and located several of the copper and iron mines which have since become important; and in 1847 he surveyed the mineral lands between Lake Superior and Hudson's Bay. In 1848 he traveled extensively in Great Britain, in 1849 in Cuba and Central America, and in 1850 and 1851 he explored nearly the whole of California. In 1856 and 1857 he explored the island of Newfoundland, and in 1859 and 1860 New Brunswick and the islands in the Bay of Fundy. In 1865 he visited Northern Mexico and the southwestern part of the union.

From 1847 to 1856 he held the Professorship of Economic Geology and Agricultural Chemistry in Western Reserve College, at Hudson, Ohio, delivering an annual course of lectures in fulfilment of the duties of his chair.

His wife died before him, and his later years were spent with his children. He died in Norwich, Conn., December 7, 1888, in his 89th year, while visiting his eldest daughter, the widow of the Rev. Wilham Hutchison (Yale 1854). He leaves also a daughter, the wife of the Rev. Charles T. Weitzel (Yale 1869), and a son (M.D., Yale 1866).

1828.

FREDERICK AUGUSTUS PORTER BARNARD, second child and eldest son of Col. Robert F. and Augusta (Porter) Barnard, was born in Sheffield, Mass., May 5, 1809.

During the two years that followed his graduation he was an instructor in the Hartford (Conn.) Grammar School. Deafness was hereditary in his family, and while holding this position he had an attack of illness which impaired permanently his hearing. For the next year he was a tutor in Yale; then for a year instructor in the American Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, at Hartford, and then for over five years filled a similar position in the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb. At the beginning of the year 1838 he accepted a call to the professorship of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy in the University of Alabama, at Tuscaloosa, having already shown marked proficiency in those departments. In 1849 he was transferred to the chair of Chemistry and Natural Philosophy. In September, 1854, he was elected to the professorship of Mathematics and Astronomy in the University of Mississippi, at Oxford, and two years later exchanged his position for the presidency of the same institution.

Owing to the breaking out of the civil war, he left the South in 1862, and found temporary employment in the office of the Coast Survey in Washington.

In May, 1864, he was called to the presidency of Columbia College, New York City, and the rest of his life was devoted to the purpose of making that institution a true university. After a year of feebleness, he died in New York City, April 27, 1889, at the age of 80.

He was a voluminous writer on educational and scientific subjects. He was president of the American Metrological Society, and took great interest in its work; he was in 1866 president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, was one of the incorporators of the National Academy of Sciences, and a member of various other learned bodies. Jefferson College, Mississippi, gave him the degree of LL.D. in 1855, and Yale in 1859; in 1861 the university of Mississippi gave him the degree of D.D., he having been admitted to Deacon's orders in the Protestant Episcopal Church by Bishop Cobbs on October 4, 1854. The Regents of the University of the State of New York added the degree of L.H.D. in 1872, and King's College, Nova Scotia, that of D.C.L. in 1887.

He married, Dec. 27, 1847, Miss Margaret McMurray, of Mississippi, daughter of Robert McMurray, originally of Cumberland, England, who survives him without children.

PLATT TYLER HOLLEY, son of Isaac and Sarah Holley, was born in Greenwich, Conn., August 20, 1807, and was the last surviving representative of a large family.

After graduation he took a course in theology at Yale, which was not completed until 1832,—a short part of the intervening time having been spent at Princeton Seminary. He married Julia A., the youngest daughter of Matthew Beale Whittlesey, of Danbury, Conn., on November 20, 1832, and on December 12, was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Sandisfield, Berkshire County, Mass., where he spent eighteen years. He resigned his charge on January 1, 1851, on account of ill-health, and established at West Winsted, in the town of Winchester, Conn., a young ladies' seminary, which was removed after four or five years to Sharon, and again in 1858 to Fairfield, Conn.

His home was broken up in 1860 by the death of Mrs. Holley, but in November, 1863, he undertook the stated supply of the Congregational Church in Riverton, a village in the town of Barkhamsted, Conn., where he continued for five or six years, and resumed work after an interval; in June, 1874, he took charge of the First Church in the same town, but in the early part of the year 1876 withdrew from public employment, and resided for the rest of his life with his only child, Mrs. L. H. Norton, in Bridgeport, Conn. He entered into his rest on April 12, 1889, in his 82d year. His character was one of remarkable sweetness, and his life most exemplary.

FREDERICK ADOLPHUS PORCHER was born January 16, 1809, at Cedar Spring plantation, near Charleston, S. C. His earlier years were passed in Pineville, and he has left in his history of Craven County a charming sketch of the life and manners of this place, typical of life in lower Carolina at the beginning of the nineteenth century.

Three years after graduation he was elected a member of the State Legislature, and served thus for several terms. Politics were, however, distasteful to him after the first draught, neither did a planter's life satisfy him; so that it was with great pleasure that he became in 1849 a member of the Faculty of the College of Charleston as Professor of Belles Lettres and History. He continued in active service until 1881, after which he lectured to the advanced classes until prevented by feeble health in 1886.

He was one of the founders of the South Carolina Historical Society, and its president from 1856 until his death; few men of

his day were more thoroughly informed in regard to the history of his native State. °

Three daughters survive him. He died after an illness of two years on October 15, 1888, in his 80th year.

1830.

JOSHUA TROWBRIDGE EATON, only son of Nathan and Asenath (Fiske) Eaton, was born in Framingham, Mass, February 23, 1803.

He began the study of theology in 1831 in the Andover Seminary, but remained there only one year. He was ordained a Deacon in the Protestant Episcopal Church by Bishop McIlvaine at Chillicothe, O., Sept. 7, 1834, and was advanced to the priesthood by the same Bishop at Cleveland, O, September 11, 1836. He had charge of various parishes, in Ohio from 1834 to 1845, and from 1846 to 1856 in the State of New York. He then returned to Ohio, and in consequence of adopting the views of Emanuel Swedenborg was deposed from the ministry of the Episcopal Church on June 8, 1859. On June 13, 1860, he was ordained in the New Jerusalem Church, and was subsequently settled in Urbana, O, Wilmington, Del., and Yarmouthport, Mass. The later years of his life, after 1870, were spent in broken health in Shrewsbury, Mass., where he died January 7, 1888, in his 85th year.

While living in Painesville, O., about 1837, he was married to Mrs. Jane Caroline Paine, who died in Painesville in 1865, leaving two daughters.

WILLIAM RIDGLEY MORRIS, son of Dr. William Morris, a prominent physician of Dover, Delaware, was born in Dover in 1811.

After graduation he studied law for three years with the Hon John M. Clayton, in Dover, and soon after his admission to the bar was elected clerk of the State Senate. At the close of the session he settled in York, Pa, where he became prosecuting attorney for the County, and soon secured a good practice. In General Taylor's administration (1849) he was appointed Consul at St. Thomas, and on his return from that post resumed the practice of his profession, in Philadelphia, from which city he was chosen the next year as a representative to the State Legislature.

In the spring of 1856 he returned to Dover and established himself on a fruit farm near the town, where he attended mainly to agricultural pursuits and indulged his genius for poetical composition during the rest of his life. In 1858 he was nominated for Congress by the so-called People's party, but was defeated by a small majority. During the war he was a strong supporter of the Union, and after the war had closed he held for a time a position in one of the government departments at Washington.

He died at his home near Dover, on February 27, 1889, at the age of 78.

1831.

STAATS SMITH MORRIS was born in Newark, N. J., April 5, 1809, a son of Thomas and Lucy Morris. He entered this college in 1826, and remained until April, 1828, as a member of the class which was graduated in 1830.

He was admitted to the bar in 1834, and from that date until his death was engaged in active practice in Newark,—a period of fifty-four years; after the first few years, however, he confined himself strictly to office practice. He was elected a member of the Common Council of the city in 1854. Under the Act of Congress of 1867 he was appointed register of bankruptcy for the Fifth District of New Jersey, and he continued in that office for many years. In 1855 he sold a part of his ancestral homestead in Newark, and removed his residence to East Orange, where he died, after a brief illness, of paralysis of the heart, on October 26, 1888, in his 80th year.

He married, first, Elizabeth F., daughter of the Rev. Enoch Pratt (Brown Univ 1803), of Brewster, Mass., who died November 26, 1866. He next married Annie, daughter of Paul Revere, of Bridgewater, Mass., who survives him. One son and two daughters are also living.

EDWARD WALN, the son of Jacob S. Waln, a prominent merchant of Philadelphia, and a descendant of Nicholas Waln, the companion and legal adviser of William Penn, was born in Philadelphia, in the house in which he afterwards lived for many years, on October 22, 1811.

He studied law in the office of the Hon. Joseph R. Ingersoll, in his native city, and was admitted to the bar in September, 1834. Shortly afterwards he took an extended European trip, and on his return home engaged actively in his profession, making ad-

miralty law a specialty, and acquiring a large practice. After 1870 he retired gradually from general business, and devoted himself to his private affairs. He was highly respected and beloved in the community, as a man of strict integrity and uniform courtesy, and known especially to the poor as their friend. He died at his country-seat, Walthamstowe, in Cheltenham, near Philadelphia, October 2, 1887, at the age of 76. His death was caused by a swelling in the throat, which had for a long time troubled him.

In 1838 he was married to Miss Ellen Nixon, a grand-daughter of Robert Morris, who survives him with a large family of children.

1832.

WILLIAM CULLEN FOOTE was born in North Haven, Conn., November 6, 1811, the youngest child of Dr Joseph Foot (Yale 1787) and Eunice (Foote) Foot.

He studied theology for three years in the Yale Divinity School, and received a call to settle in the ministry, which the threatening condition of his health obliged him to decline. He afterwards devoted himself to teaching as a profession, and in the spring of 1839 took charge of a young ladies' seminary in Newburgh, N Y., where he remained until 1845, when he transferred his school to Yonkers, N Y., where for ten years longer he conducted a very successful boarding- and day-school. He then discontinued teaching for two years, on account of his wife's illness, but later opened a day-school, which he maintained for fifteen years, or until he retired in consequence of his own failing health. His residence was in Yonkers until his death there, September 19, 1888, in his 77th year. His influence in that community and the excellence of his work as a teacher were highly esteemed. He was for many years before his death an elder in the Presbyterian Church in Yonkers.

He married, April 2, 1836, Hannah W., daughter of George Davis, Esq, a lawyer of Sturbridge, Worcester County, Mass, who survives him. Their children were a daughter, who is still living, and a son who died at the age of six years.

WALTER WELLES SEYMOUR, a son of Ashbel and Mary (Lowrey) Seymour, was born in Newington, then a parish in Wethersfield, Conn., February 23, 1806.

Soon after graduation he began to read law in the office of Henry Z. Hayner (Yale 1826), of Tróy, N Y., and continued the

study later in the same city in the office with which his brother, David L. Seymour (Yale 1826), was connected. He also attended lectures in the Yale Law School in the winter of 1834-5. In 1835 he was admitted an attorney at law, and began the practice of the profession in Troy, where he continued in it until 1855. He was then at leisure until 1859, when he became engaged in agricultural pursuits in Illinois. His interest in this enterprise continued for twenty years or more, though his residence in Illinois was for only about four years. The rest of his life was spent in New York State, and since 1869 in New York City, where he died on January 23, 1889, aged nearly 83 years. He was never married.

A few weeks before his death he spent a day in New Haven, and left with the Treasurer the sum of \$9000, to be added to \$1000 previously given, in aid of young men preparing for the ministry in the Divinity School.

1833.

EBENEZER KINGSBURY HUNT was born in Coventry, Conn., August 26, 1810, the eldest child of Eleazer and Sibyl (Pomeroy) Hunt. His father practiced medicine in his native place for almost sixty years.

In the first year after graduation he taught in Monson, Mass., and for the next two years in Natchez, Miss. He then began the study of medicine in the Jefferson Medical College, in Philadelphia, where he took the degree of M. D. in March, 1838. He practiced his profession in Ellenville, Ulster County, N. Y., until October, 1839, when he removed to Hartford, Conn., where he enjoyed an extensive practice, until his gradual retirement.

He was President of the State Medical Society in 1864 and 1865. For many years he was a director and medical visitor of the Hartford Retreat for the Insane, and physician to the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb. He died in Hartford, May 2, 1889, in his 79th year. He married in Hartford, June 13, 1848, Mary A., daughter of Daniel P. Crosby, who survives him with two daughters,—two elder daughters having died in infancy.

1835.

JOHN BROCKLESBY. See page 540.

HUGH WHITE SHEFFEY, son of Henry L. and Margaret Sheffey, was born in Wythe County, Va., April 12, 1815, and was named

for his mother's brother, Gen. Hugh White, of Kentucky. His father died when he was 8 or 9 years old, and his mother being already dead he was adopted by his uncle, the Hon. Daniel Sheffey, of Staunton, Va. He entered College at the end of the Freshman year.

After graduation he taught for a few years, and while thus engaged in South Side, Va., studied law with the Hon. Thomas S. Gholson. In 1840 he began the practice of law in Staunton. In 1846 he was elected to the General Assembly of the State, and for the next eight years he remained in public life as representative, senator, and member of the Constitutional Convention of the State. In 1861 he was again elected to the General Assembly, and from December of that year till the end of the war he occupied the position of Speaker of the House of Delegates. He was originally a Union man, and had declined to stand for election to the convention which had passed the ordinance of secession; but when the step had been taken, he stood by his state. After the close of the war he was appointed a Judge of the Superior Court, and continued on the bench until the winter of 1869, when he was removed by reason of his inability to take the "iron-clad" oath required by the general government. He then resumed practice at the bar and remained in Staunton until his death there, April 8, 1889, at the age of 74.

He was very active in the councils of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, and was continuously from 1868 a delegate to the General Convention and prominent in their deliberations. The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon him by this College in 1880, as it had been previously in 1877 by Washington and Lee University.

On December 23, 1847, he married Louisa, daughter of John Cole, of Baltimore.

1836.

ELI BENEDICT CLARK was born in Waterbury, Conn., February 22, 1808, the son of Eli and Rebecca (Benedict) Clark. He entered college in 1831, but left in the spring of 1832, returning to the next class in the fall of 1833.

After graduating he spent three years in the Yale Divinity School, at the close of which time he accepted a unanimous call to settle over the Second Congregational Church in Springfield, now the First Church in Chicopee, Mass., where he was ordained October 16, 1839. On the 23d of the following December he

was married in New Haven to Cornelia, daughter of Garrit DeWitt, of Milford, Conn. In this useful pastorate he continued until the close of the thirty-sixth year, October 16, 1875, when he resigned the office. He continued in Chicopee, not seeking any other pastoral charge on account of the feeble condition of his wife, who died, after years of ill health, on January 14, 1880.

He next married Rose, daughter of Deacon Cyprian Willcox, of New Haven, who survives him. In the fall of 1888 he removed to the city of Springfield, where he died somewhat suddenly on April 23, 1889, in his 82d year

His only son is a graduate of Amherst College in 1863 and a Congregational clergyman

JULIAN VAIL PETTIS, eldest son of Oliver and Wealthy (Fitch) Pettis, was born on May 3, 1812, in Lebanon, Conn.

After graduation he studied law (1839-41) in New York City and Norwich, Conn., and began the practice of that profession in Brooklyn, Conn., but soon retired and became Principal of the Norwich (Conn) Academy In 1848 he removed to New York, and was for a short time the publisher of the *American National Preacher* In later years he was engaged in the insurance business. He resided in Brooklyn, N. Y., and there died on October 27, 1888, aged 76½ years.

He married, June 11, 1851, Angeline, eldest daughter of Jesse and Philura (Fuller) Wright, of Lebanon.

1837

GEORGE DUFFIELD, the eldest son of the Rev Dr. George Duffield (Univ Pa. 1811) and Isabella G. (Bethune) Duffield, was born in Carlisle, Pa., where his father was then pastor, September 12, 1818, and entered Yale in the Sophomore year.

He studied theology for three years after graduation in the Union Seminary, New York City, his father being one of the leaders in the New School wing of the Presbyterian Church.

On October 22, 1840, he married Miss Anna Augusta Willoughby, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and on the 27th of the following December he was ordained pastor of the 5th Presbyterian Church in the same city In 1847 he removed to the Presbyterian Church in Bloomfield, N. J., and thence in 1852, to the Central Church in the Northern Liberties of Philadelphia. In 1861 he was called to Adrian, Mich., where he remained until April, 1865,

when he went to the 2d Presbyterian Church in Galesburg, Ill. This pastorate he exchanged in 1869 for one in Saginaw City, Mich., where he was prostrated with malarial fever in 1874. After two years of rest, he took another charge, in Lansing, Mich., which he was obliged to resign in 1880 on account of the serious illness of his wife, who died on the 30th of October, of that year. About three years later he removed to Detroit, where he had thrown himself with ardor into a new evangelistic movement, when he was summoned to Bloomfield, N J, by the last illness of his gifted elder son, the Rev. Samuel W. Duffield (Yale, 1863). This illness terminated fatally in May, 1887, and the father remained in Bloomfield until his own death, on July 6, 1888, in his 70th year. His younger son also died in a short time before him; an only daughter is still living.

He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Knox College in 1871. Having some private means, he felt it to be his duty throughout his active ministry to devote himself to building up feeble churches. He was always abundant in evangelistic labors, and especially prominent in the revival work in Philadelphia in 1857-58, of which he published a history. He was also deeply interested in education, and as a Regent of the University of Michigan for seven years exercised a marked influence on the development of that institution. He wrote easily, both in prose and poetry, and a few of his hymns are of wide currency.

WILLIAM DAVID GILLISON was born June 9, 1817, and entered college from Coosawhatchie, Beaufort District, S C, at the beginning of the Junior year.

After graduation he studied medicine in Philadelphia and in Charleston,—receiving the degree of M.D in 1840 from the Medical College of South Carolina in the latter city. He began practice at Gillisonville, in his native township, combining with his profession the life of a planter. In 1846 he went to Mexico as Surgeon of the 5th Regiment of U. S Infantry, and there served with distinguished credit. In 1848 he renewed his former pursuits in Gillisonville, where he remained until July, 1859, when he removed to Grahamsville, about ten miles to the southward. During the civil war he served for a time in the Washington Artillery; he was also employed in the Medical Department of the Confederate Army.

He afterwards resumed the practice of his profession in Au-

gusta, Ga., and in the fall of 1884 removed to the house of his only surviving son in Aiken, S. C., where he died on August 16, 1887, at the age of 70.

He married, October 12, 1841, Mary S., third daughter of Captain Daniel Bird, of Edgefield, S. C., by whom he had two daughters and three sons.

JOSEPH DARLING HULL, the eldest child of the Rev. Arætius B. Hull (Yale 1807) and Abigail (Darling) Hull, was born in New Haven, Conn., February 21, 1818. His father died in 1826, and his mother returned to New Haven (her native place) for a residence.

After brief engagements as a teacher in Sandusky, Ohio, and Farmington, Conn., he entered the Yale Divinity School in 1839.

On January 31, 1844, he was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Centerbrook, in the town of Essex, Conn., where he continued until October 1, 1848. From May 5, 1849, to June 1, 1851, he was settled over the Congregational Church in Plymouth Hollow, now Thomaston, Conn. Then followed two temporary engagements, in Suffield, Conn., and Brattleboro, Vt; after which he was installed, on December 27, 1853, as associate pastor with the Rev. Reuben Emerson of the First Parish in Reading, now Wakefield, Mass. He was dismissed from this charge, April 14, 1856, and for the next two years resided in Somerville, Mass. He was then for five or six years in Hartford, Conn., engaged in teaching, and in March, 1864, he established the Murray Hill Institute, a school of high order, in New York City, which he conducted for seventeen years. He then retired to West Hartford, Conn., where he kept up a family school until the failure of his health, from an injury to the spinal cord, in 1883. The rest of his life was spent in Roxbury (Boston Highlands), Mass., where he died on February 16, 1889, at the age of 71.

He married, December 14, 1843, Charlotte L., daughter of Horace Cowles, Esq., of Farmington, Conn., who died March 7, 1866. He next married, July 13, 1871, Miss Kate E. Brown, of New York City, who survives him. Of three sons and three daughters by his first marriage, a son and two daughters are still living. The only child of his second marriage died in infancy.

WILLIAM RUSSELL, son of Alden and Sarah (Norton) Russell, was born in Stratford, Conn., February 15, 1815.

After graduation he taught in Jersey City, N. J., for a year, and then took a full course of study in the Yale Divinity School. On December 1, 1842, he was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Wakeman, Ohio, where he remained for three years. In January, 1846, he began to supply the pulpit of the Congregational Church in East Hampton, Conn., over which he was installed on October 14. He was dismissed from this charge on October 11, 1855, having already contracted an asthma, which was fastened upon him with increasing severity for the rest of his life. In June, 1856, he was installed over the 2d Congregational Church in New Ipswich, N. H., but after three years' experience of that climate was obliged to seek a dismissal. Early in 1860, he began an engagement as acting pastor of the Congregational Church in Sherman, Conn., where he labored until the progress of disease obliged him in 1862 to relinquish his profession. From that date until 1886 he held a clerkship in the Government service in Washington. After great suffering he died in Washington on March 17, 1889, in his 75th year.

He married, May 10, 1842, Miss Sarah E. Brown, of New Haven, who died December 21, 1885. Two of their three daughters survive them.

JOHN STACY was born in Belchertown, Mass., June 15, 1810, the son of Ira and Roxana (Glover) Stacy, who removed in 1825 to the adjoining town of Ludlow.

After graduation he taught school in Belchertown, in 1838-39, and in West Springfield, Mass., in 1840. From 1840 to 1850 he taught in the Academy in New Salem, in the same vicinity; and for the next two years in the Academy in Addison, Steuben County, N. Y. In 1853 he removed to Syracuse, N. Y., to take charge of one of the public schools; but after one term's teaching he engaged in the manufacture of salt, and he continued in that business with marked success until his retirement in 1880. He died in Syracuse on April 21, 1889, aged nearly 79 years.

He married, November 28, 1838, Betsey M., second daughter of the Hon. Mark Doolittle (Y. C. 1804), of Belchertown, who died January 27, 1876. He next married, August 30, 1883, Miss Emma Brace, of Syracuse, who survives him. He left no children.

1838.

EDMUND LOVELL DANA, son of Asa S. and Ann (Pruner) Dana, was born in Wilkes-Barre, Pa., January 29, 1817. His family

was among the first settlers in that region, both his grandfathers being among the victims of the Wyoming massacre in 1778. In his infancy his father removed to a farm in the town of Eaton, about thirty miles north of Wilkes-Barre, where his boyhood was spent. He entered as Sophomore from Wilkes-Barre in 1835.

After a few months' employment in civil engineering, he began the study of law in April, 1839, with the Hon. Luther Kidder, of Wilkes-Barre, and was admitted to the bar on April 6, 1841. From that date to December, 1846, he was in active practice. In 1846 he was in command of the Wyoming Artillerists, and in response to a call from the government for aid in the prosecution of the Mexican war, he tendered the company's services, which were accepted. He was thus occupied, with credit to himself, until July, 1848, when he resumed his professional duties.

When the civil war broke out, he held the position of Major General of the 9th Division of Pennsylvania Militia, and in the summer of 1862 he was appointed by the Governor Commandant of a camp of organization and instruction located in his vicinity. The 143d Regiment Pa. Volunteers was organized at this camp, and he was chosen Colonel in October, 1862. He remained in active service until the close of the Rebellion, when he was breveted Brigadier General, for his brilliant record in the field.

He again resumed the practice of the law, and in the fall of 1867 was elected a Judge of the 11th Judicial District of Pennsylvania, comprising his native county. He took his seat in December, and served for the full term of ten years with growing reputation.

His later years were spent in Wilkes-Barre in dignified retirement. While traveling in Colorado early in 1889 he was prostrated by an apoplectic attack, caused in part by the rarefied air. He was brought home, and after a lingering illness died on April 25, in his 73d year.

He married in 1842 Sarah Eleanor Peters, granddaughter of Judge Richard Peters, of Philadelphia, who survives him with their only son.

1839.

SAMUEL FOWLER, the son of James and Lucy (Douglas) Fowler, was born in Westfield, Mass., November 16, 1820.

After graduation he traveled in Europe, and in December, 1840, enrolled himself as a student in the Law School of Harvard University. His course there was interrupted in 1841 by ill-

health, but he continued his studies subsequently in the office of Theodore Sedgwick, Jr., in New York City, and was finally admitted to the bar in 1846. About this time he was attacked with hemorrhage from the lungs, and was forced to spend the two following years in travel. On May 24, 1848, he married Sarah M., daughter of Samuel Jones, Esq., of Stockbridge, Mass., and spent the rest of his life in Westfield. He served for many years as chairman of the school committee, and in many other ways devoted himself to the advancement of the town. He was one of the organizers of the first savings bank; by his efforts the gas works were established; and he was instrumental in organizing the company which introduced water into the town from the present sources of supply.

He died in Westfield, July 30, 1888, after a lingering and painful illness, in his 68th year. His wife survives him with three of their four sons and a daughter.

SAMUEL JOHN MILLS MERWIN, younger son of the Rev Samuel Merwin (Y. C. 1802), and Clarina B. (Taylor) Merwin, was born in New Haven, Conn., where his father was then pastor of the North Church, on Nov. 3, 1819. In 1832, his father was installed over the church in Wilton, Conn., where the son was prepared for College.

He spent the year after graduation as a teacher in Manchester, Vt., and then studied for one term in the Yale Law School. He then decided to prepare for the ministry, and entered the Andover Seminary; but at the close of the academic year suspended his studies for one year, during which he resumed his position in Manchester. In 1842-44 he completed his theological course in the Yale Divinity School, and on December 18, 1844, he was ordained over the Congregational Church in Southport, Conn. He married, January 20, 1846, Miss Mary Frances Bulkley, daughter of Jonathan Bulkley, Esq., of Southport, who died of consumption, March 25, 1859. This bereavement, with his own impaired health, led him to resign his pastorate, on the 3d of May following. He then took up his residence in New Haven, and after preaching for some months in Cheshire, Conn., he was invited to South Hadley Falls, a manufacturing village in the town of South Hadley, Mass., where he was installed, December 4, 1860, as pastor of the Congregational Church. He married, May 1, 1862, Miss Arethusa E. Salisbury, of Northampton, Mass.,

daughter of Deacon Barnard Salisbury, of Townshend, Vt. He resigned his charge in May, 1867, and on October 20, 1868, was installed over the church in Wilton, Conn., of which his father was formerly pastor. On July 13, 1880, he retired from this service, and held no regular charge until January, 1883, when he began to supply statedly the vacant pulpit in Georgetown, a village within the limits of the neighboring town of Redding. Soon after this he removed to New Haven, to make a home for his son, who entered College in 1884, and was graduated in 1888. His relation to the people at Georgetown continued until his death. In August, 1888, he visited the White Mountains, where he had a slow fever. He returned home, however, on September 5, and appeared to be growing stronger, when on September 12, he died from a sudden attack of failure of the heart, in his 69th year. His wife survives him, with one of their two sons, and a daughter by his former marriage.

He sustained the reputation of a faithful and devoted pastor, much beloved by his associates. He published in 1854 an account of a summer of European travel, under the title of "Old Sights with New Eyes, by a Yankee."

RICHARD SILL was born in Erie, Pa., August 19, 1817, the eldest of six children of the Hon Thomas H. and Joanna B. Sill, then recent emigrants from Connecticut

After graduation he studied law with his father, and entered on practice at the Erie bar. Before long, however, at first with a temporary purpose, but as it resulted for life, he became engaged in business in Pittsburgh, at first in the lumber trade, and later in the refining of oil. In 1875 he returned to Erie in impaired health, and there at his old home, without active occupation, he awaited the end. He died in Erie suddenly, November 30, 1886, in his 70th year

He married in 1847 Eliza P, daughter of Major-General John Herron, of Pittsburgh, who survived him without children.

FRANCIS WHARTON, son of Thomas I. Wharton (Univ. of Pa., 1807), was born in Philadelphia, March 7, 1820.

He studied law, was admitted to the bar in 1843, and practiced in Philadelphia for thirteen years, being Assistant Attorney-General of the State in 1845. From 1856 until 1863 he was Professor of Logic, Rhetoric, English Literature, and History, in Kenyon College, Ohio.

He was ordained Deacon in the Protestant Episcopal Church by Bishop Bedell, at Cleveland, April 11, 1862, and in the next year became rector of St. Paul's Church, Brookline, Mass. When the Episcopal Theological School was established, at Cambridge, Mass., in 1867, he was made Professor of Ecclesiastical Polity, Homiletics, and Pastoral Care, and in consequence resigned his rectorship in the summer of 1869. His connection with the Theological School continued until 1882.

In the meantime he had become recognized as a leading authority in this country on international law, and in March, 1885, at the instigation of Secretary Bayard, he was appointed solicitor for the Department of State. He continued in this position until his death, at Washington, from failure of the heart, on February 21, 1889, at the age of 69. His wife (by a second marriage) survives him.

Dr. Wharton was a scholar of remarkable learning and a voluminous writer. As early as 1846 he published a Treatise on the Criminal Law of the United States, which reached a seventh edition (3 volumes, octavo) in 1874, in 1849 appeared his Precedents of Indictments and Pleas; his Treatise on the Law of Homicide in the U. S., in 1855; a Treatise on Medical Jurisprudence, with Dr. M. Stillé, also in 1855, a Treatise on the Conflict of Laws, in 1872; a Commentary on the Law of Evidence in Civil Issues (2 volumes), in 1877; a Commentary on the Law of Contracts (2 volumes), in 1882, a Digest of the International Law of the U. S., in 1886 (3 volumes); and many minor works. At the time of his death he was engaged upon a new edition of the Diplomatic Correspondence of the United States in the Revolutionary Period. The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred on him by Kenyon College in 1865 and again by the University of Edinburgh in 1883, and the degree of Doctor of Divinity by Kenyon in 1866. Several of his works have been translated into German and Spanish.

1840.

JOSEPH FEWSMITH was born in Philadelphia, Pa., January 7, 1816. In early life he was in business with his father, a wholesale flour-merchant in Philadelphia, for several years, after which he entered College, in 1837.

On graduation he became a tutor in Western Reserve College, at Hudson, Ohio; and during the two years which he spent

there he was also occupied in the study of divinity under the Rev. Dr. L. P. Hickok, the Professor of Theology.

In 1842 he was ordained by the Lutheran Synod at Rhinebeck, N. Y., and was settled over a church in Valatie, Columbia County. In 1843, however, he removed to the Lutheran Church in Winchester, Va., and after five years' service there he resigned in 1848 to become Professor of Sacred Rhetoric and Pastoral Theology in the Auburn (N. Y.) Theological Seminary. He left Auburn in 1851 for Newark, N. J., where he was installed in December as pastor of the 2d Presbyterian Church. In this office he remained until his sudden death from apoplexy, at Newark, on June 22, 1888, in his 73d year.

As one of the founders of the German Theological School in New Jersey, as President of the Board of Church Election for many years, as a Director of the Union Theological Seminary from 1852, and as a member of various important committees of the Presbyterian General Assembly, Dr. FewSmith had wide ecclesiastical influence; while his eminent usefulness as a pastor was evidenced by the high esteem in which he was held in Newark. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on him in 1855 by Columbia College.

He married, October 31, 1843, Miss Emma C. Livingston, of New York City, who survives him with three of their six children,—two sons and a daughter. One son was graduated at Yale College in 1871.

JOHN KILBOURN, the eldest child of Chauncey and Hannah C. (Kenyon) Kilbourn, was born in Charlotte, Vt., Nov. 1, 1812. In 1813 his father returned to his native town, Litchfield, Conn., and died there in 1819. The son removed to Salisbury, Conn., with his mother after her second marriage, and thence entered College in 1836. He left at the end of Freshman year, to teach school, but resumed his work with the Class of 1842, which he finally left in the spring of Junior year. On receiving his degree, in 1854, he was enrolled with his original class. During the interval he had been occupied as a classical teacher, chiefly in southern Pennsylvania and Maryland. His last work of this kind was in Augusta, N. Y., and when compelled by poor health and deafness to relinquish this occupation, he remained in Augusta for some twenty years, engaged so far as lay in his power in promoting the educational and religious interests of that vicinity; especially by

lectures on the benefits of a college education he influenced many young men. He was for thirty years an elder in the Presbyterian Church, at Augusta, and subsequently in Clarence, N. Y., where his elder son was pastor.

He died at the home of his daughter, in Pittsford, N. Y., February 28, 1889, aged 76 years.

He married in 1844 Catherine M. Crawford, of Fayetteville, Pa., who survives him, with their children, a daughter and two sons. The elder son is a graduate of Hamilton College (1874)

WILLIAM HARRISON LONG, the youngest but one of twelve children of Deacon Isaac and Susanna Long, was born in Hopkinton, N. H., Sept. 9, 1813

He was in poor health for a year after graduation, and afterwards engaged in teaching, but in 1843-46 pursued the regular course of study in the Yale Divinity School. He found himself, however, unable to preach on account of a severe throat trouble. After a brief engagement as teacher in Utica, N. Y., he continued the same employment (from 1847) in Roxbury, Mass. From the sub-mastership of the old Washington Grammar school in that town, he was promoted, on the establishment in 1852 of the Dearborn Grammar school in the same place, to its head-mastership. A continuous and faithful service of thirty years in that position followed until Sept. 1, 1882, when his resignation was accepted by the school committee with many expressions of appreciation and esteem.

His work as a teacher was marked by extreme conscientiousness and thoroughness, and accompanied by a deep influence on his pupils. He died at his residence in Roxbury, Nov. 5, 1886, in his 74th year.

He married, Dec. 25, 1848, Lucia A. D., second daughter of Benjamin Rollins, of Hopkinton, N. H., who survives him without children.

HARRY MCCALL, son of Henry and Lize (Jones) McCall, was born in Louisiana, April 9, 1821, and entered College as a resident of Donaldsonville, in that State, though he had been early taken to Philadelphia, where his family principally resided.

On graduation he studied law in Philadelphia, and practiced (with the interval of a visit to Europe) until 1859, when his father's death devolved upon him largely the care of an extensive

sugar-plantation in Louisiana. The civil war and consequent losses increased extremely the difficulties of management of this portion of his patrimony ; but he overcame those difficulties with remarkable success, re-establishing the plantation, adding much modern machinery, and leaving the inheritance in a prosperous and profitable condition

He died in Philadelphia, on the 12th of November, 1886, after a short illness, and very soon after a return from Europe, in his 66th year

He married in 1844 Charlotte Manigault, daughter of Samuel Wilcocks, of Philadelphia. He survived his wife several years, and left one daughter and a son who was graduated at Harvard University in the class of 1870.

LVALETTE PERRIN, son of Aaron and Lois (Lee) Perrin, was born in Vernon, Conn., May 15, 1816.

He studied theology for one year in the Theological Institute at East Windsor, Conn., and for two years in the Yale Divinity School. On December 13, 1843, he was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Goshen, Litchfield County, Conn., from which charge he was dismissed at his own request, on account of impaired health, on September 4, 1857. In the meantime he had married, June 4, 1844, Ann Eliza, daughter of William Comstock, of Ridgefield, Conn. He was next settled, February 3, 1858, over the First Church in New Britain, Conn., where he continued until May 31, 1870, when he was again obliged to seek rest. After a season of European travel, he was installed, July 1, 1872, over the Congregational Church in Wolcottville, in the township of Torrington, Conn., adjoining his first parish. From this charge he did not withdraw until 1887, when he was made pastor *emeritus*. He was also from 1875 to 1881 an associate editor of the Religious Herald (of Hartford), and during the same period he projected and was very active in securing the establishment of a Congregational Memorial Hall in Hartford. He had also taken the initiatory steps in organizing the State Conference of Congregational Churches in 1867, and the Connecticut Congregational Club in 1876. From 1880 until his death he served as Treasurer of the National Congregational Council. He received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity from Yale in 1869, and in 1882 was elected a member of the Corporation. In all these relations he enjoyed the fullest esteem of his brethren

During the winter of 1888-89 Dr. Perrin and his wife were boarding in Hartford, at the Park Central Hotel, for the sake of nearness to the Memorial Hall, of which he was still the efficient agent. In the early morning of February 18 that hotel was destroyed by the explosion of a steam-boiler, and Dr. and Mrs Perrin perished together in the ruins.

Of their five children, two sons died in infancy, and another in opening manhood. The eldest son, a graduate of this College, survives them, with their only daughter.

GEORGE TERRY, the youngest son of Eli Terry, the pioneer in the manufacture of small wooden clocks, and of Eunice (Warner) Terry, was born in what is now called Terryville, in Plymouth, Conn, January 22, 1815. He entered College in 1835, and withdrew at the end of the Freshman year, to join the next class a year later.

The most of his life after graduation was spent in New Haven, where he died of apoplexy on April 8, 1889, in his 75th year. He was unmarried

WILLIAM WOODBRIDGE, fourth child of James R and Mary (Bull) Woodbridge, of Hartford, Conn, was born in Hartford, August 8, 1819.

He studied medicine in New Haven, receiving his degree in 1844, and settling for practice in Manchester, Conn., whence he removed two or three years later to Brooklyn, in the same State, where he continued until his death, on August 6, 1888, at the age of 69 years. During his long career in Brooklyn he won the respect of the entire community as a physician, and as a leader in religious and civil affairs. He represented the town in the State Legislature in 1869.

He married, April 26, 1847, Mary Ann Bidwell, who died July 6, 1872, leaving two children. He next married, Sept 13, 1878, Abby B. Ensworth, of Canterbury, Conn, who survives him

1841.

EBENEZER BANKS BELDEN, son of Dr. Lewis Belden (College of N. J. 1811) and Rachel (Banks) Belden, was born in New York City, August 17, 1820. His parents both died during his early youth, and his residence while in College was in Fairfield, Conn.

After graduation he was prevented by ill health from studying continuously, but attended two courses of medical lectures at Yale, and received his M.D here in January, 1847. In the summer of 1848 he became an assistant in the Eastern Dispensary, New York City, and subsequently attending physician to the same, and also one of the physicians of the New York Lying-in Hospital. In 1849 he opened an office for general practice, in which he continued to be actively engaged with success until his last illness. He died, from pneumonia, in New York, on August 20, 1888, just after he had completed his 68th year. He was never married.

By his last will, Dr. Belden made the university his residuary legatee, after the death of a near relative.

AZARIAH ELDRIDGE, son of Joseph and Deborah Eldridge, and brother of the Rev Dr. Joseph Eldridge (Yale 1829), was born in Yarmouth, Mass., February 7, 1820, and died in his native town, October 1, 1888, in the 69th year of his age.

He began the study of theology in 1842 at the Andover Seminary, and a year later entered the Yale Divinity School, where he completed the course in 1845. In October, 1845, he entered on a tutorship in the College, which he resigned in the spring of 1847, having accepted a call to the North Congregational Church, in New Bedford, Mass. He devoted the summer to further study, and was ordained as pastor in New Bedford, on September 15, 1847. He was dismissed from this charge on May 1, 1856, in order to visit Europe, where he spent over two years in travel and in study at Berlin. On the 2d of December, 1858, he was settled over the Fort Street Presbyterian Church in Detroit, Mich., where he remained until June 16, 1865, when he was dismissed on account of ill health. He sailed again for Europe in May, 1866, having been invited to take charge of the American Chapel in Paris, where he continued until the spring of 1868. From this time until August, 1869, he traveled in Europe for his health. After his return he acted for a year or two (1870-1871) as Secretary of the Evangelical Alliance in New York City. In September, 1873, he went abroad again for a year in search of health, but still found himself unequal to the strain of pastoral labor, and spent the rest of his life in retirement at his ancestral homestead in Yarmouthport.

He took a deep interest in the prosperity of his native town,

and in these latter years was able to be of great service to its educational, religious, and general welfare. He was nominated for Congress by the Republicans of his District in 1875, and in 1880 was a delegate to the National Convention at Chicago. In 1884 he served as one of the Presidential Electors of Massachusetts. He manifested conspicuous ability as a preacher, and in 1863 received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Hamilton College.

He married, June 22, 1849, Miss Ellen Battell, daughter of Joseph Battell, Esq., of Norfolk, Conn., who survives him. Their only child, a daughter, died in infancy.

ABEL BURRITT JACOBS, son of John H. and Sally (Burritt) Jacobs, was born in New Haven, Conn., July 12, 1813. In April, 1827, he became an apprentice in the printing office of the *Columbian Register*, in New Haven, but on attaining his majority he began the study of law with Silas Mix (Yale 1827). Two years later he began to prepare for College.

On graduation he entered the Yale Divinity School, but after nearly two years' study abandoned the ministry for the law. After a short course in the Yale Law School, he was admitted to the bar on October 30, 1844. He practiced his profession for about a year in Milwaukee, and then returned to New Haven, where he had his office until his death, although his residence during some years was in West Haven. He died in New Haven, on April 22, 1889, in his 76th year.

He married, March 12, 1856, Miss Fannie L. Thomas, of West Haven, who died January 7, 1874. He next married, May 11, 1881, Mrs. Julia E. Morgan, of Madison, Wisc., daughter of George Hotchkiss, of Westville, New Haven. She survives him with his two children, a daughter and a son, by his former marriage.

1842.

CHARLES FABRIQUE, eldest son of William L. and Hannah (Johnson) Fabrique, was born in Southbury, Conn., April 10, 1817. In his infancy his parents removed to the adjoining town of Oxford.

After graduation he spent two years and a half in the Yale Divinity School, and in pursuing general studies; and in April, 1845, took charge of the Academy (now High School) in Water-

bury, Conn., where he remained until August, 1852, and acquired a high reputation as a teacher. In April, 1853, he removed to New Haven, where for twenty years teaching continued to be his main occupation. From 1853 to 1858 he was associated with the late Gen. Wm. H. Russell (Yale 1833) in the conduct of his boarding and day school; he then removed to the western part of the city to recruit his health by farm life, but later, both by himself and for a short time in connection with Gen. Russell, resumed teaching. In 1873 he took charge of the business of the New Haven Brush Company, to which for some years he devoted much of his time. A little earlier than this he had taken the first steps which resulted in the establishment by the State of the Industrial School for Girls, at Middletown. He was the President of the Board of Directors of that School from its organization until his death, and gave himself without stint, under the pressure of enfeebled health, to its administration; in it he found the crowning opportunity of his life, and he wore himself out in the work.

He was at different times a member of both branches of the Common Council, of New Haven, and for a long time did good service as one of the Police Commissioners of the city. From 1872 he was a deacon in the Dwight Place Church. He died in New Haven, April 14, 1889, at the age of 72.

He married, July 14, 1845, Miss Caroline S. Eastman, of New Haven, who survives him with one son, a second son died in infancy.

JOHN HARBECK MEEKER, son of Samuel Meeker, of Newark, N. J., was born in Newark, July 2, 1823.

He studied law in Newark, but owing to interruptions of foreign travel was not admitted to the bar there until July, 1846. He continued in practice in Newark (chiefly in the Court of Chancery), until his appointment, in April, 1877, as Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Essex County, a position which he held for a term of five years, after which he resumed practice; his residence was removed to Orange in 1872. He was twice chosen Secretary of the State Senate, in 1864 and 1865.

He died suddenly at his home in South Orange, of apoplexy, January 20, 1889, in his 66th year.

He was married, October 13, 1846, to Miss Henrietta A.,

daughter of Nathan Bolles, of Newark (formerly of New London, Conn.), who survives him with three sons and two daughters.

CHARLES STEWART STONE, son of Captain A. and Mary T. Stone, was born in Kennebunkport, Me., February 4, 1815. From 1831 to 1835 he was employed in a store in Boston, after which he prepared for Harvard College, which he entered in 1838. He removed to Yale at the end of the Freshman year.

After graduation he taught for one year in an academy in Princess Anne, Md., then for two years in the Carlisle (Pa.) High School, and then for one year in the Academy in Neshaminy, Pa. In 1847 he settled in Trenton, N. J., where he remained as head of the Academy for four years. He then opened a private school in Brooklyn, N. Y., and was soon appointed Professor of Natural Sciences in the Brooklyn Collegiate and Polytechnic Institute. He retired from this position in 1863, to undertake the instruction in Chemistry and Geology in the Free Night Schools at the Cooper Union, in New York City. As teacher and lecturer during the winter months for over twenty-five years he gave entire satisfaction to the managers of the institution, about six months of each year were spent at his country home in Riverhead, L. I.

He died in the rooms which he occupied at the Cooper Union on January 11, 1889, aged 74 years, from pneumonia complicated with other troubles.

He married, June 1, 1848, Mrs. Catharine McDonald, of Trenton, who died March 4, 1849, leaving a daughter who is still living. He next married, December 20, 1856, Miss Helen H., daughter of Dr. Thomas Osborn, of Riverhead, who also survives him.

DAVID TRUMBULL, the son of John M. and Hannah W. (Tunis) Trumbull, was born in Elizabeth, N. J., November 1, 1819, his father being a grandson of Governor Jonathan Trumbull, the elder, of Connecticut. He entered early on a business career in New York City, but when the house with which he was connected was blotted out in the commercial panic of 1837, he returned to his father, who had now removed to Colchester, Conn., and was prepared at the academy there for the Sophomore class in College.

After graduation he spent three years in Princeton Theological Seminary, and was ordained at Norwich, Conn., as a foreign mis-

sionary on June 13, 1845. He had already accepted an appointment to go to Valparaiso, Chili, under the auspices of the Foreign Evangelical Society and the American Seamen's Friend Society, to accomplish what he could in the way of providing opportunities of Protestant worship for sailors and foreign residents speaking the English language. He landed in Valparaiso on Christmas Day, 1845, and began at once with remarkable tact and in a truly apostolic spirit what proved to be his life-long work. In 1847 a Union Church was organized, and in 1848 he began the publication of an English paper. In 1849 he visited the United States, and was married in New Haven, June 5, 1850, to Miss Jane W. Fitch, a niece of the Rev. Professor Fitch, of Yale College.

The next month he sailed again for Valparaiso, which was his home for the rest of his life

Besides his constant service as pastor and preacher, he was continually on the alert to further the cause of religious freedom, and in this direction also his efforts were unexpectedly successful. He took a leading part in all philanthropic and charitable movements in Valparaiso, and won for himself by his Christian career such a place in the public esteem that the Chilian press on the occasion of his death rendered the frankest and warmest tributes to his character and influence. The degree of Doctor of Divinity was conferred on him by his Alma Mater in 1884.

In 1879 he was attacked with *angina pectoris*, and sought rest by a long visit to the United States. In 1886 there was a return of the disease, which was thenceforward kept in control by constant watchfulness. Special exertion at the end of December, 1888, brought on another series of attacks, and his death followed on February 1, in his 70th year.

His wife survives him with two sons (graduates of this College in 1878 and 1883) and two daughters; two other children died in infancy, and three in opening manhood and womanhood,—the deaths of the eldest son (Yale 1876) and of the third son (Yale 1880) being especially sudden and distressing.

1843.

WILLIAM LYON CHAMBERS, son of the Hon. George Chambers (Coll. of N. J., 1804), one of the most brilliant lawyers of his generation in Pennsylvania, and an able Judge, was born in Chambersburg, in Franklin County, in January, 1823, and

entered College in the spring of 1840. The place of his birth was named from his great-grandfather, who was the pioneer white settler in that section of Pennsylvania.

After leaving College he devoted himself for eleven years to agricultural pursuits on an extensive farm near Chambersburg. He then returned to Chambersburg, and engaged in the flour and grain business. From 1862 to 1873, and again from 1880 until his death, he served as a Director of the National Bank of Chambersburg, and for the last six years as its President, with marked ability. In all other respects he was relied on as one of the most prominent members of the community

His health had failed gradually, and after a final illness of about six weeks he died in Chambersburg, April 26, 1889, in his 67th year.

He married, in October, 1847, Emeline, daughter of Judge James P Kennedy, who survives him, with their three daughters.

JOHN WARBURTON SKINNER was born in Connecticut, on December 27, 1818, but at the time of entering College was a resident of St Louis, Mo. His father had intended him for a business life, but his strong desire for an education led him at the age of twenty to begin his preparation for College, which he accomplished after six months' study. During his undergraduate course he was especially prominent as a writer and debater.

Upon graduation he entered on the study of the law in Hartford, Conn., in the office of the Hon. Francis Parsons, at the same time assisting in the editorial work of the Daily Courant. In 1845 he went to St Louis to practice law, and remained there for twenty-two years. Meantime he was an active member of the Presbyterian Church, helping to build up a branch Church and being for the greater part of this period Superintendent of a Sabbath School. He was also active in all matters of public and charitable interest. In 1862-3 he served as 1st Lieutenant in the 10th Regiment of Missouri Volunteer Infantry. On December 8, 1852, he was married to Miss Mary Brace, the only surviving daughter of John P. Brace, a well known teacher of Litchfield and Hartford.

In 1867 he received a call to the Children's Aid Society, of New York City (of which his brother-in-law, Charles L. Brace, was, as he still is, the Secretary), to become Superintendent of their Industrial and Night Schools. This position he accepted,

and held for nearly twenty-two years, until his death from pneumonia, in Yonkers, N. Y., on April 3, 1889, at the age of 70. At the time of his death he had under his charge 21 Day and 14 Night Schools, with an aggregate attendance of over 10,000 poor and destitute children. Nearly one hundred teachers were under his supervision, and he was constantly engaged in inspecting their work and regulating this large system of education for the poor. His favorite object was to take primary teaching out of routine methods, and to enliven it by invention and ingenuity. Through his efforts the schools of the Society present examples of the most advanced and improved primary teaching in this country. Both among the teachers and among the children he was greatly beloved, and steps are being taken by them for the erection of a suitable memorial to him in some one of the schools.

He was also active in Yonkers, where he resided, in various works of public charity, and as an elder in the Presbyterian Church.

His wife survives him. One of their two daughters died in infancy, and the other in early married life.

1847.

WILLIAM HENRY BABCOCK was born in Charleston, S. C., June 5, 1827, the son of William R. and Elizabeth (Chisholm) Babcock.

He began the study of law in the Yale Law School in 1847, but soon abandoned this study for medicine, being a student in the Charleston Medical College from 1848 to 1851. He preferred journalism, however, to the practice of his profession, and before the civil war was the publisher of a paper in Fernandina, Fla. At the outbreak of the war he volunteered as surgeon on the Confederate privateer Jeff Davis, and after the wreck of that vessel on St. Augustine bar he was stationed in one of the hospitals in Richmond. After the war he resumed editorial life in Georgia, and in 1875 removed to Jacksonville, Fla., as associate editor of the Daily Press, with which he continued to be connected for many years. He was for two terms (about 1880) Secretary of the State Senate, and from 1880 until his death held the office of Superintendent of Public Schools for Duval County. In his business relations and in private life he retained the entire esteem of the community. After several months of illness from an affection of the heart he died at his home in Jacksonville, October 4, 1888, in his 62d year.

His wife survives him with three young daughters—a son having previously deceased.

JAMES BRADFORD CLEAVELAND was born in Sharon, Conn., August 20, 1821.

From 1848 to 1851 he studied in the Yale Theological Seminary, also teaching during this time, and for a year longer, in one of the public schools of the city. On September 8, 1852, he was ordained pastor of the First Congregational Church in Durham, Conn. A year later (October 1, 1853) he was dismissed, on account of trouble with his eyes, and for two years he was employed as Agent of the American Sunday School Union for Connecticut. On July 12, 1855, he was installed over the Congregational Church in South Egremont, Mass., where he remained until May 20, 1862. He then supplied for some months the church in Goshen, Conn., and in November, 1863, went to the First Church in New Hartford, Conn., of which he was installed pastor on May 24, 1865. He was dismissed from the charge on November 7, 1867, to accept a call to Bloomfield, Conn., where he was installed on December 3. He left Bloomfield in February, 1875, and was then for four years acting pastor of the church in Kensington, in the town of Berlin, Conn. In September, 1880, he took charge of the 1st Congregational Church in Granby, Conn., and after being there for five years was acting pastor for nearly three years in Oxford, Conn. In 1888 he removed to New Haven, where he died after a brief illness on May 21, 1889, in his 68th year.

He married, on the day of his ordination, Elizabeth H., daughter of Nathaniel Jocelyn, of New Haven, who survives him with one daughter and one son (Yale Law School 1881); an elder son, a graduate of the Law School in 1876, died in 1881; another son died in infancy.

ROBERT PECK, the only son of Nathan and Mary Ann (Townsend) Peck, was born in New Haven, Conn., June 24, 1826.

After graduation he took a partial course of study in the Yale Law School, and then spent several years in the West Indies as the representative of a shipping firm in which his father was interested. His later life was spent in New Haven in retirement, as an increasing deafness unfitted him for society. He died in New Haven after a brief illness on the 19th of November, 1888, in the 63d year of his age. He was never married.

1848.

FREDERIC RANDOLPH ABBE, second son of Alanson Abbe, M.D. (Yale 1821), and Eliza W. Abbe, was born in Litchfield, Conn., October 28, 1827. His mother was a daughter of Jonathan Barnes (Yale 1784). In his boyhood his father removed to Boston, from which place he entered the Freshman class in 1844; his older brother, who at the same time entered the Medical School, afterwards joined the same class.

He studied law in the Harvard Law School and in Boston after graduation, and made two or three voyages to California, before entering the Andover Theological Seminary, where he finished the course in 1855. On September 3, 1857, he was ordained over the First Congregational Church in Abington, Mass., where he labored successfully for thirteen years, or until June 14, 1870. On May 10, 1871, he was installed pastor of the Cottage Street (now the Pilgrim) Congregational Church in Dorchester, Mass., which he served until June 4, 1873. He continued to reside in Dorchester, laboring acceptably with vacant churches. He was thus supplying, in 1889, the Third Church in Medway, Mass., and went there from his home as usual on Saturday, March 30, being in his ordinary health. During the following night he was attacked with neuralgia of the heart, and lingered only until Sunday noon.

He married, November 30, 1859, Mary T., daughter of Joseph H. Thayer, of Boston, who survives him with three sons and a daughter.

ISAAC SPRAGUE NEWTON, the third of seven sons of Captain William and Lois (Butler) Newton, was born in Sherburne, Chenango County, N. Y., May 18, 1825.

He studied law, chiefly in Norwich, in the same county, and was admitted to the bar in December, 1850, after which he spent three months in the office of N. B. Blunt, Esq., in New York City. He then began practice in his native village, but in February, 1853, he formed a partnership with an elder brother, in Norwich, N. Y., which was dissolved in April, 1856, when his brother went into other business. He continued in practice alone until 1884, when his eldest son became associated with him. In November, 1853, he was elected District Attorney of the county, which office he held for two terms of three years each.

His reputation as a lawyer was of the highest; and no one in the county was more often called to the courts of other counties

or to the appellate courts of the state. As a citizen he was conspicuous in all movements affecting the higher interests—educational, philanthropic, or religious—of the community

On March 18, 1889, he left home to attend to some professional business, and in the afternoon of the next day made an argument before a legislative committee in Albany. That evening he died of heart disease in the Union Depot in Albany, while waiting to take the train for his home.

He married, August 9, 1855, Jane C., daughter of Robert Dunlap, of Canajoharie, N. Y., who died December 7, 1864, leaving two daughters and two sons (both graduates of Yale College), who are still living. He next married, in June, 1865, Jane, daughter of Harvey Newton, of Hamilton, N. Y., who survives him with a daughter and a son.

1849

ROBERT PADDOCK BARNARD was born in Greene, Chenango County, N. Y., in December, 1827. He entered college in May of the Sophomore year.

On graduation, he settled in his native town as a merchant and farmer, and was married, September 4, 1851, to Miss Margaret H. Welch; their children were two sons and a daughter, the latter died in childhood. In 1880 he removed his business to Cortland, N. Y., and in 1883 to Binghamton, N. Y., where he died on June 26, 1888, in his 61st year

1853.

ARTHUR EUGENE SKELDING, son of James and Lettia Skelding, was born in Stamford, Conn., April 12, 1832.

After graduation he studied law in New York City, and also engaged in business there, but delicate health compelled him to abandon active pursuits and live a quiet life in the country. For twenty-five years prior to his death he lived at Riverside, in Greenwich, Conn., where he built several houses and added much to the growth and beauty of the place.

He was killed on November 23, 1888, while walking on the railroad track from Riverside to Stamford; it is supposed that in trying to avoid one train he stepped unconsciously in front of another. For six months previously he had suffered from sciatica, and finding relief in walking took the walk from Riverside to Stamford every morning.

He married, January 15, 1862, Essie A. Lockwood, of Fulton, N. Y., who survives him with two children, a son and a daughter; the son is graduated this year from the Sheffield Scientific School.

1855.

JAMES CRUICKSHANKS, son of James Cruickshanks, was born in Haddington, Scotland, November 12, 1828, and came to America at the age of 12. His youth was spent in Chelsea, Mass.

He spent the two years after graduation in the Yale Divinity School, but took the last year of his theological course at Andover. On September 8, 1858, he was ordained over the Winthrop (Congregational) Church, in South Malden, now Everett, Mass., from which he was dismissed on June 29, 1859. On June 6, 1860, he was installed over the 2d Presbyterian Church in Newburyport, Mass., where he continued until November 30, 1862. In January, 1863, he began to serve the Congregational Church in Spencer, Mass., as acting pastor, and after one year (on January 13, 1864) he was installed in that place, and continued there until July 12, 1871. He was next pastor for three years of the Congregational Church in Webster Groves, Mo.; and then for four years from September, 1874, pastor of the 1st Presbyterian Church in Rockford, Ill. His next service was as acting pastor of the Congregational Church in Kenosha, Wisc. (1878-80), and in 1881 he was installed over the Reformed Church in Metuchen, N. J. In 1887 he left this church to become pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Ovid, N. Y.

He died suddenly, of heart-failure, while visiting in Chicago, on June 3, 1889, in his 61st year. His health had not been firm for a year previous.

He married, December 23, 1862, Anna M., daughter of the Rev. Professor John DeWitt (Coll. of N. J. 1809), of New Brunswick, N. J., who died August 1, 1869, leaving a daughter and a son who are both living. He next married, September 27, 1870, Susan M. Ward, of Spencer, Mass., who survives him.

1856.

EDWARD PAYSON NETTLETON was born in that part of Springfield which is now Chicopee, Mass., November 7, 1834, the son of Alpheus and Deborah (Belcher) Nettleton.

After graduation he was mainly occupied in teaching until, in December, 1858, he began the study of law in New York City.

From August, 1859, to November, 1861, he was principal of the High School at Chicopee Falls. He then raised a company for the 31st Regiment, Mass Volunteers, of which he was mustered in as captain on December 10, 1861. He was promoted to be Lieutenant Colonel of the Regiment on April 15, 1864, and to the Colonelcy on June 7, 1865. At the last date he was serving as Provost Marshal General of Alabama, and was not relieved from that duty until the following September.

He then completed his law studies, and on his admission to the bar in 1867 settled in Boston. From January, 1869, to September, 1873, he was Assistant U. S District Attorney, after which he entered into partnership with the Hon. F. W. Hurd. In December, 1876, he was appointed as assistant in the City Solicitor's office, and in May, 1881, was elected City Solicitor. He resigned this appointment in the latter part of the same year, to become counsel for the New York and New England railroad; but in May, 1882, he was appointed Corporation Counsel of the city, which office he held, with the respect of the community, until his resignation by reason of ill-health in December, 1888. He died from disease of the kidneys in Boston, April 17, 1889, in his 55th year.

He married, December 15, 1869, Mary E., eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Joshua T. Tucker (Yale 1833), of Chicopee, who survives him with children.

HENRY EDWARDS PARDEE, son of John H. and S. Caroline (Edwards) Pardee, was born in Trumbull, Conn., August 11, 1831. His father's circumstances being limited he came to New Haven at the age of twelve and earned his support thenceforwards.

After graduation he taught (as he had previously done) for three years in General William H Russell's school in New Haven, in the meantime also studying law, in the Yale Law School and in the office of the Hon. Edward I. Sanford. He was admitted to the Bar on March 8, 1860, and practiced in New Haven until his death. Besides holding minor city offices, he was Clerk of the City Court from 1863 to 1866, City Attorney from 1869 to 1871, Judge of the County Court of Common Pleas for two years (September, 1871, to September, 1873), and Judge of the City Court from 1879 to 1881. He took a deep interest in many of the philanthropic enterprises of the place, and in the last years of his life was especially active in the management of the Young Men's Institute

After some years of poor health, followed by an acute illness of about two weeks from disease of the heart and kidneys, he died in New Haven on January 4, 1889, in the 58th year of his age.

He married in June, 1884, Miss Fannie Bassett, daughter of Dr. Martin B. Bassett (Yale 1823), of Birmingham, Conn., who survives him.

1857.

MILES BEARDSLEY, the only child of Dr. Sheldon Beardsley (Yale 1828, M.D. 1831) and Maria (Rose) Beardsley, was born in North Branford, Conn., in 1836, and died in Montgomery, Orange County, N. Y., April 14, 1887, in the 51st year of his age.

After graduating he occupied the position of principal in several institutions in the State of New York, among which were the Montgomery Academy, and public schools in Cold Spring. On leaving Cold Spring, about 1875, he purchased a share in the Independent newspaper in Honesdale, Pa., which he edited for some time. Later he engaged in mercantile business in Bay Ridge, L. I., and when seized with his last illness was teaching in Port Chester, N. Y.

He married in 1864 Harriet Westervelt, who died in 1868. In 1870 he married Elizabeth Davie Crawford, daughter of Dr. Samuel Crawford, a practicing physician of Montgomery, who died in 1878. One son by his first wife and one daughter by his second wife survive him.

1859.

JOHN CAVARLY MIDDLETON was born in New London, Conn., January 9, 1834.

He studied theology in the Berkeley Divinity School, Middletown, Conn., and was ordained deacon in the Episcopal Church, September 21, 1860, by Bishop Clark, in Providence. He began his ministry the next month as assistant to the Rev. Dr. (now Bishop) Littlejohn, rector of the Church of the Holy Trinity, in Brooklyn, N. Y., where he continued until April, 1863, when he became rector of Calvary Church, Stonington, Conn. In the meantime he had been advanced (March 2, 1862) to the priesthood, by Bishop Williams.

In 1871 he removed from Stonington to St. Mark's Church,

New Britain, Conn., and in 1874, in response to the urgent solicitation of Bishop Littlejohn he accepted a call to the rectorship of St. Paul's Church, Glen Cove, Long Island, which he retained until his death, though flattering opportunities of promotion were frequently placed before him.

For four years after the settlement at Glen Cove he was principal of St. Paul's School for boys ; and in 1877, on being named one of the incorporators of the Cathedral at Garden City he assumed the active supervision of the cathedral schools. He was also chairman of the Diocesan Committee on Christian Education, and for a long series of years the editor of the Lesson Leaflets extensively used in the Sunday Schools of the Episcopal Church throughout the United States. He was also the author of many Sunday School hymns and carols in familiar use. He was very highly esteemed in the diocese of Long Island, and in November, 1887, was chosen as the first Archdeacon of Queens County. Hobart College conferred on him the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1878.

After a long period of ill health he went to the house of a brother in New York City for rest in the summer of 1888, and while there experienced an apoplectic stroke, from the effects of which he died on July 7, in his 55th year.

He was married in Brooklyn, April 28, 1863, to Miss Annie E. Anderson, who with his infant child died very suddenly the following year.

1861.

ROBERT LINTON CHAMBERLAIN, son of Joseph and Jane (Linton) Chamberlain, was born in Johnstown, Pa., May 13, 1838, but entered college from Cleveland, Ohio.

After graduation he studied law at the Ohio State and Union Law College, in Cleveland, and in 1862 was admitted to the bar. In the same year he enlisted as a private in the 84th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and after four months' service was for some time connected with the engineer corps of the Minnesota Central Rail Road. In the summer of 1866 he went to Europe, and remained there until the close of 1867. After his return he resided in Cleveland until about 1878, when he went with his family to California. His later life was mostly spent there, and chiefly in Santa Barbara, where he took an active interest in the public welfare, and served for one term as mayor. Several years before

his death he suffered from a stroke of paralysis which obliged him to give up all activities, in the latter portion of his illness he was almost helpless and a great sufferer, but wonderfully calm and patient. He died in Santa Barbara, August 11, 1888, in his 51st year

He was twice married ; for the first time, on October 25, 1870, to Miss Ellen S., daughter of Joseph Perkins, Esq., of Cleveland, who died in Santa Barbara, leaving several children.

CHARLES POMEROY OTIS, son of the Rev. Israel T. Otis (Williams College 1828) and Olive M (Osgood) Otis, was born in Lebanon, Conn , where his father was then pastor, on April 8, 1840. In 1844 his father removed to Rye, N. H., from which place he entered College.

After graduation he was for nearly a year principal of an Academy in Fairfield, Conn, and then became a teacher in General Russell's school in New Haven, where he remained until he entered on a tutorship (in Latin) in the College, in January, 1865. July, 1869, he resigned this office, and he spent the next three years in Europe, chiefly in study in Paris and Berlin. Then followed an additional year of study at Yale, for the completion of his course for the Doctorate of Philosophy, which he obtained in 1873. In the same summer he was appointed to the Professorship of Modern Languages in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, which he occupied until his death. His life as a teacher was a very busy one, and he broke down in health early in the year 1888. He died at his home in Boston, on the 17th of November in that year, after a brief attack of inflammation of the brain, in the 49th year of his age.

Professor Otis was married, June 11, 1884, to Miss Sarah Margaret Noyes, of Boston, who survives him with two sons.

He published a Grammar of Elementary German, which passed through several editions, and edited for the use of his classes a number of German texts. Of marked enthusiasm and faithfulness in his profession, he was also peculiarly strong in his friendships and in his loyalty to every call of duty and affection.

1862.

MARION FRANCIS MULKEY, son of Johnson Mulkey, was born in Lexington, Johnson County, Missouri, November 14, 1836. In 1847 his father removed to Corvallis, Oregon, from which place

he entered College, after a preparatory course in the Pacific University, at Forest Grove, Oregon.

After graduation he read law with the Hon. Erasmus D. Shattuck, in Portland, Oregon, and was admitted to the bar there in 1864. He rose steadily in his profession, and gained an assured position among the best lawyers of the State. From 1873 until his death he was in partnership with the Hon. John F. Caples.

About the first of January, 1889, he was attacked very suddenly with acute bronchitis, and consequently in the first week in February he left home for a few months' travel. He stopped in Oakland, California, for treatment, and while there died, on February 25, from heart-failure, in the 53d year of his age.

He married, August 12, 1862, Miss Mary E. Porter, of New Haven, Conn., who survives him with their two sons; an only daughter died in infancy.

1863.

HORACE WEBSTER FOWLER, son of the Rev. Dr. Philemon H. Fowler (Hobart College 1832) and Jennette (Hopkins) Fowler, was born, October 31, 1842, in Elmira, N. Y. His father, an eminent Presbyterian minister, removed to Utica, N. Y., in 1851.

In 1864 he entered the Union Army, as 1st Lieutenant in the 16th Regiment New York Artillery, and in May, 1865, he was discharged with the rank of Captain, having served in the meantime as Quartermaster, Commissary of Subsistence, Provost-Marshal (of Yorktown), Aid-de-camp (to General Hawley), and Judge Advocate, besides being detained in hospital by injuries for six months.

He then entered the Law School of Columbia College, and was graduated with special honor in May, 1867. From this time until his death he was engaged in the successful practice of law in New York City, latterly in partnership with Alfred J. Taylor (Yale 1859).

He died of heart-failure at his residence in Orange, N. J., July 20, 1888, in the 46th year of his age.

He married, September 14, 1870, Georgiana Wood, of Clinton, N. Y., who survives him with their only child, a daughter.

1867.

JAMES MATTHEW GAMBLE, son of James Gamble, was born in Jersey Shore, Pa., September 9, 1845.

Upon graduation he studied law in Jersey Shore, and was admitted to practice in May, 1870. He settled in Williamsport,

Pa., in September, 1870, and continued in practice there until obliged to retire a few years before his death by feeble health. He was an elder in the First Presbyterian Church, and for many years in charge of the Sunday School of that church, in which he took a deep interest.

He died in Williamsport, July 16, 1888, in his 43d year.

He was married, October 21, 1875, to Mary L., daughter of the late Hon Henry White, of Williamsport, who survives him with three of their children.

JOHN WARREN PARTRIDGE, son of Warren Partridge, M.D. (Brown Univ 1824) and Amoret (Potter) Partridge, was born in Princeton, Mass., September 24, 1843. His widowed mother resided in Worcester, Mass., while he was preparing for college, and removed with him to New Haven.

He studied theology for one year in Princeton, N. J., and for the next two years in Andover, Mass. On February 7, 1871, he was ordained as pastor of the Davenport Congregational Church in New Haven, where he remained until he accepted a call in the fall of 1874 to the Second Presbyterian Church in Scranton, Pa. His work there was interrupted seriously by the state of his health, and in 1876 he resigned, to seek a more favorable climate. He was first stationed at San Diego, California, and then for two years (1877-79) had charge of the Presbyterian Church in Greeley, Colorado. From the fall of 1879 to May, 1885, he supplied the Presbyterian Church in Cañon City, Colorado. He then ventured to try the climate of the East again, and preached in the following winter in Scranton; but his old lung trouble returned in the spring of 1886, and he accepted in May an invitation to the pastorate of the Presbyterian Church in Fort Collins, Colorado, where he died of pneumonia, February 25, 1889, in his 46th year.

He married, February 14, 1871, Mary E., daughter of Elbridge G Partridge, of Worcester, Mass., who died in Greeley, Colorado, July 19, 1879, the two sons by this marriage died in infancy; the only daughter is still living. He next married, September 15, 1883, Eleanor, daughter of Captain Robert W. Barnard, of Scranton, who survives him with their two children, a daughter and a son

1869.

CHARLES HENRY BULLIS, son of Abram R. Bullis, M.D., was born in Macedon, Ontario County, N. Y., November 11, 1847.

After graduation he taught mathematics for four years in the Hasbrouck Institute in Jersey City, N. J., at the same time studying law in the Law School of Columbia College, where he graduated in 1872. He practiced law for a short time at the East, and then settled in Decorah, in north-eastern Iowa. In 1880 he removed to Sheldon, in the north-western part of the same state, where he practiced his profession until his death, of paralysis of the heart, on August 3, 1886, in his 39th year.

He was married in Jersey City, August 31, 1874, to Mrs Fannie E Walsh; and secondly, November 10, 1881, to Miss Mary L. Bonell, of Sheldon, who survives him with one son.

1871.

ALBANUS AVERY MOULTON was born in Roxbury, Mass., March 23, 1848, and entered the Junior class at Yale (as a resident of Concord, N. H.) from Hillsdale College, Michigan, in 1869.

After graduation he took a short course in civil engineering at the University of Michigan, and was then employed for a brief period in the engineering department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad. In 1873 he opened an office in Cleveland, O., as surveyor and engineer and real estate agent, but in 1876 turned to teaching. After one term in a public school (at Collinwood, Ohio) he was elected in September, 1876, Professor of Mathematics in Rio Grande College, at Rio Grande, Ohio, a new institution under the control of the Free-Will Baptist denomination, with most of its students in the preparatory department. In June, 1878, he was elected President of the College, and in that as well as in his former position exercised a most happy influence. In June, 1885, he was granted a year's release from duty, on account of failing health. He went to Colorado Springs, and at the end of the year being unfit to resume work sent in his resignation; it was not, however, accepted until after a second year, when it was evident that his career as a teacher was ended. In the meantime he had engaged in engineering work in and near Pueblo, Colorado; but in February, 1888, he was forced to retire to his home on the Arkansas River, about 10 miles from Pueblo, where he died on June 22, at the age of 40.

He was married, September 11, 1876, to Miss Lillian Allen, of Cleveland, who survives him with five of their six children.

1874.

JARED WILLSON, son of Jared and Mary A. (Watson) Willson, was born in Canandaigua, N. Y., January 19, 1850.

Upon graduation, following the bent of a strong predilection, he began the study of medicine at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in New York City, from which institution he received the degree of M.D. in 1877. He had already been appointed assistant surgeon on the staff of the Kings County Hospital, at Flatbush, L. I., and for more than a year occupied this position. On leaving the hospital he began the general practice of his profession in Brooklyn, N. Y., devoting himself at a later date to his specialty,—the treatment of the ear and eye. In the autumn of 1883 declining health compelled him to leave Brooklyn, and in the hope that a change of scene and climate might benefit him he settled in San Antonio, Texas, and there continued his medical practice. The hopes of improvement proved delusive, and after two years and a half he returned to the North, making his home in Meriden, Conn. In June, 1887, his health had failed to such an extent that he was obliged to relinquish entirely the practice of his profession. He died in Middletown, Conn., on February 11, 1889, at the age of 39.

On May 4, 1881, he married Mary Russell, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who survives him with their two children, a daughter and a son.

1875.

GEORGE COLLIN, son of Henry C. and Maria (Park) Collin, was born in Benton, Yates County, N. Y., February 3, 1854.

During the two years following upon his graduation he taught in a preparatory school in Newburgh, N. Y. He then returned to his home in Benton, and divided his time between traveling and farming. For six months he was upon a sheep ranch in Texas, or traveling upon horseback through that State. He also took a second extended trip through other portions of the South.

In the autumn of 1882 he went to Greenville, Mich., to engage in the business of manufacturing lumber and shingles, organizing the firm of George Collin & Co.; and under his management the business of that firm was prosperously conducted.

In March, 1887, his health being affected by continued and close attention to business and by climatic influences—but, as he supposed, in no serious degree—he returned to Benton for rest and recuperation. He was even then seriously ill, and died July 8, 1887, in his 34th year. He never married.

1876.

JOHN WOLCOTT ANDREWS, son of Martin and Caroline (Wolcott) Andrews, was born in Steubenville, O., June 10, 1853, and entered College from Chicago, Ill

In April, 1877, he entered on a business career in Chicago, and in March, 1879, became a member of the firm of King & Andrews, iron-founders, in which relation he continued until his death. About the first of December, 1887, he was alarmed by the effects of a sudden cold upon his system ; by his physician's advice he left immediately for a warmer climate, but died on the 30th of the same month, at San Antonio, Texas, of quick consumption, in the 35th year of his age He was not married.

ARTHUR AUGUSTUS LOCKWOOD was born in New York City, January 6, 1856 He was the fourth son of LeGrand Lockwood, founder of the well known banking firm of Lockwood & Co., and of Ann Louisa Benedict Lockwood.

For the first year after graduation he was in business in New York. The next year he went to Riverside, in San Bernardino County, Southern California, where he employed himself in orange culture, aiding two of his brothers in a pioneer life. While there a tendency to lung disease developed, which after varied phases finally caused his death ; but through all the years following his first attack, whether the prospects of recovery were encouraging or otherwise, his unflinching courage and cheerfulness made his companionship delightful to all his friends.

In April, 1881, he returned to New York City, and entered on a business career in Wall street, as a partner of his brother, LeGrand Lockwood, in the firm of Lockwood & Co., with a membership in the Stock Exchange. Upon his brother's death in 1887, his own condition at that time being very critical, he sold his seat in the Exchange, and spent the last year of his life in the effort to regain health by rest in the different health-resorts of this country, until death ended his sufferings, in Manitou, Col, on July 6, 1888, in the 33d year of his age He was never married.

1877.

SAMUEL MORRIS WALN, son of John R. Waln, was born in Walnford, N. J., October 29, 1853.

He studied law and settled in Philadelphia, the home of his

family In May, 1888, in company with a friend who had previously taken similar trips with him, he started on a hunting expedition in Wyoming Territory. The dead bodies of the two friends were found on August 13th by a party of cowboys attached to Ernest's ranch near the North Platte River, under circumstances which indicated that they had been murdered by some unknown persons about three weeks before.

1878.

BURGESS SCOTT HURTT, son of Francis W. and Sarah (Ives) Hurtt, was born in Cincinnati, O., December 6, 1856. During his College course the family residence was in Yonkers, N. Y.

From graduation until July, 1883, he was a clerk in the Second National Bank, of Boston. He then removed to New York City, where he became the Treasurer of the Pond's Extract Company, in which corporation he owned a large interest. He was thus engaged until his death.

On the evening of Monday, October 8, 1888, he was riding a spirited horse in Central Park. On his return, near the 59th street entrance, his horse became unmanageable, and he was thrown, receiving fatal injuries, from which he died two days later, in the 32d year of his age. He was unmarried.

Mr Hurtt was esteemed by his classmates and friends as a man of singularly upright and attractive character, interested and active in all good works

1879.

EDMUND PENDLETON LIVINGSTON, son of Herman T. Livingston, was born in New York City, September 21, 1858

On graduation he went into business in New York, but after two or three years removed to the far west, on a stock ranch. He died at his father's house in Oak Hill, Greene County, N. Y., December 10, 1888, in his 31st year

1881.

CHARLES WITTENBERG HOLZHEIMER, son of Louis Holzheimer, was born in Elmira, N. Y., on February 10, 1861.

He was graduated at the head of his class in scholarship, and began immediately the study of law in Chicago, where he was in due time admitted to practice. He then formed a partnership there with his former classmate and roommate, Eliel, whose

cousin, Miss Eda Eliel, daughter of Gustav Eliel, of Chicago, he married on March 10, 1887.

In February, 1888, while making an argument in court, he had a slight hemorrhage from the lungs, and in consequence left home for New Mexico. At the beginning of June, he removed to Manitou, Colorado, pulmonary consumption having in the meantime made rapid progress.

He died in Manitou on July 25, in the 28th year of his age. His wife survives him with one daughter. His brief career had answered to the promise of his earlier years, and had won the hearty respect of the community in which he moved.

1883.

WILLIAM ALFRED JACKSON, only son of Alfred and Harriet E. Jackson, was born in Norwalk, Conn., May 15, 1863. The first two years of his College course were spent in Trinity College, Hartford.

For one year after graduation he had charge of the academy in Easton, Conn., and then began an engagement as teacher in one of the New York City Grammar Schools, which he was soon compelled to resign from failing health. During 1885 he remained at home, studying law with J. B. Hurlbutt, Esq., and teaching private pupils. In January, 1886, he removed to New York City, and after a temporary engagement with Lloyd's Plate Glass Insurance Company, secured a clerkship in the Appraiser's Office in the U. S. Custom House, in connection with which he pursued the study of law in Columbia College. In 1888 he was promoted to the position of Examiner in the Custom House. He died on the 23d of August in that year, at his mother's house in Norwalk, after eleven days' illness from typhoid fever, in the 26th year of his age. He was unmarried.

1884.

CHARLES EUGENE CARR, son of Patrick and Mary Ann Carr, was born in New Haven, Conn., March 9, 1863.

He attended the Yale Law School during the year after graduation, and in the summer of 1885 went to Portland, Oregon, as classical teacher in the Bishop Scott Grammar School in that city. He continued in this employment until his death there, of typhoid fever, on October 28, 1888, in the 26th year of his age. He had also completed his law studies and had been admitted to the bar of Oregon. He was unmarried.

1886.

THOMAS GLASBY WATERMAN, son of Joshua W. Waterman (Yale 1844) and Eliza (Davenport) Waterman, was born in Detroit, Mich., Aug. 8, 1862. He bore the name of his grandfather, a Yale graduate of 1806.

Immediately upon graduation he went to Colorado Springs, Colorado, in search of health. He died there, of consumption, April 1, 1889, in his 27th year.

In October, 1888, he married Helen Evans, who survives him.

1887.

DEWITT CLINTON HUNTINGTON, son of the Rev. Eleazer P. and Maria (Miller) Huntington, was born in Bingham, Potter County, Pa., August 4, 1858.

He lost no time, on leaving College, in entering on the work of his chosen profession, the ministry, in connection with the Methodist Episcopal Church; and for the first year after graduation he acted as an assistant to his father's brother, whose namesake he was, who was then in charge of a church in Olean, N. Y. He had begun a year of service as pastor in Eldred, McKean County, Pa., and was feeling the results of long continued overwork, when he was prostrated by an attack of typhoid fever, from which he died in Eldred, on February 11, 1889, in his 31st year. He was not married.

YALE MEDICAL SCHOOL.

1829.

ALEXANDER RALSTON CHASE, second son of Jonathan and Hannah (Ralston) Chase, and a cousin of Chief-Justice Salmon P. Chase, was born in Cornish, N. H., September 24, 1802. Dr. Nathan Smith, the head of the Medical School, was his uncle by marriage.

In July, 1829, he settled in Lockport, N. Y., where his residence continued until his death. For the last six years of his life, through the failure of his physical and mental powers, he was obliged to retire from active practice, and spent his time in light work in his garden, in reading, and in the care of his property. He was a well-read and clear-headed man and took a deep interest in the affairs of the country.

He died in Lockport, May 31, 1887, in his 85th year, from calculi in the bladder, after three days' severe suffering.

He married Emily G. Cook, of Cornish, October 21, 1834. She died November 2, 1887. Of their three children the eldest died in infancy ; their only son died in July, 1864, of wounds received at Cold Harbor ; and a daughter survives.

1834.

NATHAN ADAMS was a native of Canterbury, Conn., and the eldest son of Judge Rufus Adams (Yale 1795) and Hannah Byers Adams.

After graduating he practiced for a few years in New York City and after marrying in 1843 Miss Elizabeth Watkinson, of Hartford, Conn., removed to Springfield, Mass., where he continued to practice his profession until 1865, when he relinquished it on account of a severe accident. From this time he lived a retired life in various places till his return to Springfield in 1877. He was successful in his profession and much beloved by rich and poor alike.

He died suddenly of heart-disease, from which he had suffered a long time, at Marblehead, Mass., on October 2, 1888, in the 76th year of his age. His wife, son and daughter survive him,—the latter being the wife of the Rev. J. L. Egbert, of Marblehead.

1835.

ELIJAH BEACH MIDDLEBROOK, son of Elijah and Comfort (Hawley) Middlebrook, was born in Trumbull, Conn., where his father practiced medicine for about half a century.

He practiced his profession in Bridgeport, Conn., but about 1872 removed to New York City with his family, and there died on March 31, 1889, at the age of 75.

1837.

ELISHA BOURNE NYE was born in Sandwich, Mass., November 7, 1812. He was graduated at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn., in 1835, having entered as Freshman at the opening of that institution in 1831.

He began the practice of his profession in the town of East Haddam, Conn., but in 1851 removed to Middletown, where he continued in full practice until his death, from pneumonia, after a few days' illness, March 7, 1889, in his 77th year.

He had long been one of the best-known members of the profession in Middlesex County. In 1883 he was elected to the Presidency of the State Medical Society.

He married, November 20, 1837, Miss Caroline Hubbard, of Middletown, who died August 24, 1877. Their children were three sons and five daughters, of whom all but one son and one daughter died before their parents.

1842.

ALONZO FULLER was the third son of Chester Fuller, of Lebanon, Conn., where he was born on April 6, 1818.

He practiced medicine successfully for twelve years after graduation in his native state,—for the last six in the village of Greenville, in Norwich. In 1857 he removed to Lawrence, Kansas, giving up a prosperous business and pleasant home to join the ranks of those who were devoted to the purpose of making Kansas a free state. During the civil war he was in charge of the United States Hospital in Lawrence, and for many years before, as at the time of his death, he was United States examining surgeon of pensioners. In 1861 he was elected mayor of the city, and he frequently afterwards served in the City Council and Board of Education.

In 1884 he was stricken with paralysis, from over-work, and was for the rest of his life partially disabled. He died very suddenly at his home in Lawrence, January 24, 1886, in the 68th year of his age.

He married, September 14, 1845, Lucy A., daughter of Alfred A. Young, of Jewett City, in Griswold, Conn., who survives him with one daughter,—two sons having died in infancy.

1844.

HENRY LEWELLYN WAKEMAN BURRITT, son of Wakeman and Lucy (Tomlinson) Burritt, was born in Milford, Conn., February 8, 1819. He entered in 1838 the class of 1841 in the Academical Department (as a resident of Ridgefield, Conn.), but was obliged by failing eyesight to leave at the end of the Sophomore year.

He practiced medicine between two and three years in Chester, Orange County, New York, and in February, 1847, removed to Bridgeport, Conn., where he remained in active practice until his

last illness. At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted in the Union army and served efficiently for four and a half years as a staff surgeon.

After a year's illness from Bright's disease he died at his residence in Bridgeport on July 10, 1888, in the 70th year of his age. At the time of his death he was a vestryman of Trinity Church.

He married on November 28, 1844, Jane E. Hubbell, of Bridgeport, who died on October 16, 1877. Their children, two daughters and two sons, are still living.

1877.

FRANKLIN WILSON HALL, fifth and youngest son of Nelson and Susan (Pratt) Hall, was born in the town of Killingworth, Conn., December 31, 1852. He came to New Haven at the age of 16, and entered his brother's store as a clerk. Afterwards his attention was turned towards a higher education, and in 1872 he became a special student in the Sheffield Scientific School, pursuing principally zoology and botany. After these preliminary studies, he decided on the career of a physician.

His first attempt at practice was in New Preston, Conn., whence he went to West Cornwall, Conn. He was then for a short time connected with Bellevue Hospital, and in 1880 and 1881 had an office in West 27th street, New York City.

After this he visited Canada, and was so much pleased with the country that he gave up active practice and made it his home, while occupied in lecturing, in traveling as an agent, and in making extensive botanical collections. While on a visit to a sister, in New Haven, in October, 1888, he was stricken with remittent fever, which terminated his life, after four weeks' illness on November 27, in his 36th year.

SHEFFIELD SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL

1853.

ALBERT BOWMAN ROGERS was born in Orleans, Mass., in 1829. His parents removed to Maine in 1837, and in 1847 to Providence, R. I., where he entered the engineering department of Brown University. On the removal of Professor W. A. Norton in 1852 from Brown to Yale, Mr. Rogers accompanied him, and for the year after his graduation he served as Professor Norton's Assistant in Engineering.

He was afterwards employed as an engineer in New York state and in Iowa; and in 1853 settled in Waterville, Minn., where he was engaged in trade for seven years. He then took charge of the construction of the Iowa and Minnesota division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, and from this proceeded to other similar engagements. From 1881 to 1885 he was occupied in the explorations for and construction of the Rocky Mountain division of the Canadian Pacific Railway. In 1886-7 he was engaged in explorations in Montana and Wyoming.

He died at the residence of a brother, in Waterville, Minn., May 4, 1889, after a long illness from cancer of the stomach.

He married, in 1857, Sarah Lawton, of New York, who died in Waterville, in 1858.

1859.

GEORGE HAZARD SMITH, the youngest son and only child of Orin F. and Emma A. (Loomis) Smith, was born in New London, Conn., February 2, 1840.

After graduation he took charge of several cotton and woolen factories belonging to his father, and in 1861 enlisted in the 42d Regiment, N. Y. Infantry, and after attaining the rank of Captain, was discharged in February, 1863, with health seriously impaired by severe wounds.

He then engaged in the manufacture of cotton and woolen goods, in the New England States and in New York; and later was engaged in the lumber trade in the South, until January, 1886, when he went to Guanajuato, Mexico, in the interest of silver-mining and smelting works. The Mexican climate proved too trying, and in rapidly failing health he returned to his family in Yellow Springs, O., in January, 1889, and there died, on the 19th of the same month, in the 49th year of his age, from an abscess of the liver, caused by a shell wound received in the war.

He married, February 2, 1865, Miss America E. Weakley, of Yellow Springs, who survives him with two daughters and one son.

1866.

JOHN JARVIS MATTHIAS, the only child of the Rev John Jarvis and Mary (Beach) Matthias, was born in Flushing, L. I., January 14, 1843. In 1858 he entered Troy University, and on the collapse of that institution joined the University of the City of New York, from which he was graduated in 1862.

He came to New Haven with the purpose of becoming a chemist, and remained after graduation as an assistant in the chemical laboratory. On May 15, 1867, he married Jennie K., daughter of Daniel Trowbridge, of New Haven, and thereafter relinquished his profession and engaged in the West India shipping trade with his father-in-law. In this business he continued until his death.

He was connected with active Christian work in the church from his boyhood, and during his residence in New Haven was especially enthusiastic and successful in the improvement of church-music by the introduction of boy-choirs.

He had been in poor health for about four years before his death, which occurred most unexpectedly, after only twenty-four hours' illness, at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., July 27, 1888, in his 46th year. His wife and the younger of two daughters survive him.

1872.

CHARLES THEODORE MORSE, the youngest son of Gardner and Mary L. (Brigham) Morse, was born in New Haven, Conn., April 4, 1853.

After graduation he took a course of study in the Yale Law School, receiving the degree of LL B. in 1876. For a time he practiced law in connection with the Hon. Henry E. Pardee, and became much interested in local political affairs. After serving in the Common Council he was elected City Clerk, and filled that office from 1879 to 1881. Later, he was a member of the staff of Governor Andrews, with the rank of Colonel.

He was of delicate constitution, and by reason of failing health spent a large part of his later life in travel. During the last year symptoms of consumption appeared; and after spending the winter in South Carolina, he went at the beginning of March to California. He died in Pasadena, in that State, May 12, 1889, in his 37th year.

He was married in February, 1887, to Miss Marion Burrage, of Boston, who survives him.

1874.

WILLIAM PITT LYNDE, Jr., was the second son of the Hon. William Pitt Lynde (Yale, 1838) and Mary E. (Blanchard) Lynde, of Milwaukee, Wisc., where he was born on July 30, 1852.

While in the Scientific School he showed a special talent for mechanics and mechanical drawing, and looked forward to some line of industrial art as his profession ; but after his return home he decided to enter on the study of law in the office of Finches, Lynde & Miller, the firm of which his father was a member and one of the firms of highest standing in the entire North-west. After a suitable course of earnest study he passed a most creditable examination for admission to the bar. Later, he was also admitted to the bar of the Supreme Court of the State, and to the bar of the Supreme Court of the United States at Washington, and conducted cases successfully through the latter court. He devoted himself to his business with such assiduity, refusing himself recreation and rest, that in 1885 it was found that his health was seriously impaired, and he was forced to give up everything else in the hope of recovering it. It proved, however, that rest had been too long postponed, and the hoped-for results were unattainable. He died on the 29th of March, 1887, a victim of overwork, in his 35th year.

1882.

FRANK JUDSON LAMBERT, only child of George DeForest and Ellen Antoinette (Judson) Lambert, was born in Naugatuck, Conn., October 19, 1862. His family removed in his infancy to New Haven, where he was prepared for College at the Hillhouse High School, being graduated there as the valedictorian of his class.

On taking his degree he began the practice of his profession, dynamic engineering, with his father, working at intervals until his death, as his health would permit

Having tried sea and mountain air and traveled in the west for his health, without benefit, he returned to his home in New Haven, where he died of consumption, April 20, 1888, in his 26th year. He was never married.

 YALE LAW SCHOOL.

1862.

HENRY ROGERS, the only son of Rufus Rogers, was born in North Branford, Conn., July 19, 1838, and died in New Haven, Conn, January 26, 1889, aged 50½ years.

On graduation he entered the law office of the Hon. George H Watrous, in New Haven, and subsequently established himself here in practice. He was led by his physical infirmities to confine himself mainly to office practice, in which his acuteness of intellect and energy of application secured him a good measure of success. Since 1871, when the amputation of one leg at the hip became necessary, he had suffered intensely from necrosis, but the immediate cause of his death was Bright's disease, with other complications.

He married, in 1867, Miss Antoinette Anderson, daughter of Samuel Anderson, of Mansfield, Conn., who survives him with two sons and two daughters.

YALE DIVINITY SCHOOL.

1878.

MELVIN CLINTON WOOD, son of Nelson and Sarah (Wood) Wood, was born in Lowell, Mass., July 12, 1853. He was educated at the Wesleyan Academy in Wilbraham, Mass.

He was ordained on July 25, 1879, as pastor of a small Congregational Church in the southern part of Meriden, Conn., from which he was dismissed November 15, 1881. The next month he began an engagement as acting pastor of the Congregational Church in Burlington, Conn., which continued for nearly three years. He then went, under appointment of the American Home Missionary Society, to the churches in Athens and Leonidas, Mich., which he served until 1887, when he was instrumental in organizing a church in Harrison, in the same State, of which he was pastor for over a year, or until his death there, of typhoid fever, November 2, 1888, in his 36th year.

He married, October 14, 1880, Anna A., daughter of Nicholas Leitzbach, of Robertsville, in the town of Colebrook, Conn., who survives him with two sons.

1883.

HERMAN MOURUS SCHERMERHORN, eldest son of A. Yates Schermerhorn, M.D., and Gertrude (Mourus) Schermerhorn, was born in Fonda, N. Y., February 14, 1859. His father died in his early childhood. He entered Union College in 1876, but left College in the Junior year, and devoted the next year to private study in preparation for the course in the Divinity School.

He finished his course here in May, 1883, and on the 28th of that month was married to Anne Budington Duryee, daughter of the late Rev. Dr. Isaac G. Duryee (Union College 1838), of Schenectady, N. Y. For a year and a half he was engaged in evangelistic work in Schenectady, and in 1884-85 he took a year of graduate study in Princeton Theological Seminary.

On September 10, 1885, he was ordained as pastor of the Congregational Church in Amesbury, Mass., which he had already supplied for several months, and in this relation he exerted a remarkable influence throughout the community for good. His death occurred in Amesbury, on January 24, 1889, at the age of 40 years, after a short and painful illness, caused by strangulated hernia resulting in ulceration of the bowels. His wife survives him, with their two children, a son and a daughter.

1886.

JOSEPH MORGAN JONES was born at Llansawel, in Carmarthenshire, South Wales, December 30, 1857. He received his preparatory training at Bala College, in North Wales, whence he came to this Seminary in 1883.

After graduation he received ordination at Gomer, Allen County, O., and for the next year had charge of a church in Black Diamond, Washington Territory. In 1887 he returned to Ohio, and until his death ministered to a church in the village of Siloam, in the town of Cora, Gallia County. He died there, November 26, 1888, in his 31st year.

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JOHN BROCKLESBY was born on the 8th of October, 1811, in West Bromwich, near Birmingham, England, the son of John and Ann (Brooks) Brocklesby. In July, 1820, the family removed to America, and in 1821 they settled in that part of Farmington which is now Avon, Conn.

In 1836 he began the study of law in Hartford, but in the spring of 1838 accepted a tutorship in Mathematics at Yale, where he remained for two years, in the mean time completing his studies in the Law School. In June, 1840, he entered into a law partnership in Hartford with Walter Mitchell (Yale 1795).

He had already declined the offer of the Professorship of Chemistry in Trinity College, Hartford, but in December, 1841, he accepted the Professorship of Mathematics and Natural Philosophy in the same institution, with which thenceforth his life was connected. In 1873 the chair was divided, and he served for nine years longer with the title of Professor of Natural Philosophy and Astronomy. For the rest of his life he held the rank of Professor *Emeritus*. He died in Hartford on June 21, 1889, in his 78th year.

He married, Aug. 11, 1842, Mary Louisa, daughter of Dr. John H. Kain (Yale 1816), of Knoxville, Tenn, who died a few years before him. His children were three sons, all graduates of Trinity.

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YALE COLLEGE.

Class	Name and Age.	Place and	Time of Death
1816	Henry W Taylor, 93,	Canandaigua, N Y ,	Dec. 17, '88.
1822	Edward H Leffingwell, 85,	New Haven, Conn ,	June 25, '88
1825	Lorenzo James, 83,	Petoskey, Mich ,	Sept 19, '88
1826	Elijah P Barrows, 83,	Oberlin, O.,	Sept. 14, '88
1828	Alden Scovel, 86,	Chicago, Ill ,	July 16, '87.
1827	James Darrach, 83,	Fishkill, N Y ,	May 15, '89.
1827	Forrest Shepherd, 88,	Norwich, Conn ,	Dec 7, '88.
1828	Frederick A P Barnard, 80,	New York City,	April 27, '89.
1828	Platt T Holley, 81,	Bridgeport, Conn.,	April 12, '89.
1828	Frederick A Porcher, 79,	Charleston, S C.,	Oct 15, '88
1830	Joshua T Eaton, 84,	Shrewsbury, Mass.,	Jan. 7, '88.
1830	Wilham R Morris, 78,	Dover, Del.,	Feb 27, '89
1831	Staats S Morris, 79,	East Orange, N J.	Oct. 26, '88.
1831	Edward Waln, 76,	Cheltenham, Pa.	Oct 2, '87
1832	Wilham C Foote, 77,	Yonkers, N. Y ,	Sept 19, '88
1832	Walter W Seymour, 83,	New York City,	Jan 23, '89
1833	Ebenezer K Hunt, 78,	Hartford, Conn ,	May 2, '89.
1835	John Brocklesby, 77,	Hartford, Conn.,	June 21. '89.
1835	Hugh W Sheffey, 74,	Staunton, Va ,	April 8, '89
1836	Eh B Clark, 81,	Springfield, Mass ,	April 23, '89
1836	Juhan V Pettis, 76,	Brooklyn, N Y ,	Oct 27, '88
1837	George Duffield, 69,	Bloomfield, N J ,	July 6, '88.
1837	Wilham D Gilhison, 70,	Aiken, S C.,	Aug 16, '87.
1837	Joseph D Hull, 71,	Boston, Mass ,	Feb 16, '89
1837	William Russell, 74,	Washington, D C ,	March 17, '89
1837	John Stacy, 79,	Syracuse, N. Y ,	April 21, '89.
1838	Edmund L Dana, 72,	Wilkes-Barre, Pa ,	April 25, '89
1839	Samuel Fowler, 67,	Westfield, Mass ,	July 30, '88.
1839	Samuel J M Merwin, 68,	New Haven, Conn ,	Sept 12, '88
1839	Richard Sill, 69,	Erle, Pa ,	Nov 30, '86
1839	Francis Wharton, 69,	Washington, D. C ,	Feb 21, '89.
1840	Joseph FewSmith, 72,	Newark, N. J ,	June 22, '88
1840	John Kilbourn, 76,	Pittsford, Pa ,	Feb. 28, '89
1840	Wilham H Long, 73,	Roxbury, Mass.	Nov. 5, '86.
1840	Harry McCall, 65,	Philadelphia, Pa ,	Nov. 12, '86
1840	Lavalette Perrin, 72,	Hartford, Conn.,	Feb 18, '89
1840	George Terry, 74,	New Haven, Conn	April 8, '89.
1840	William Woodbridge, 69,	Brooklyn, Conn ,	Aug 6, '88.
1841	Ebenezer B Belden, 68,	New York City,	Aug. 20, '88
1841	Azariah Eldridge, 68,	Yarmouthport, Mass ,	Oct. 1, '88.

Class	Name and Age	Place and	Time of Death
1841	Abel B. Jacocks, 75,	New Haven, Conn.,	April 22, '89.
1842	Charles Fabrique, 72,	New Haven, Conn.,	April 14, '89.
1842	John H. Meeker, 65,	South Orange, N. J ,	Jan 20, '89.
1842	Charles S Stone, 74,	New York City,	Jan 11, '89
1842	David Trumbull, 69,	Valparaiso, Chili,	Feb. 1, '89
1843	William L. Chambers, 66,	Chambersburg, Pa.,	April 26, '89.
1843	John W. Skinner, 70,	Yonkers, N. Y ,	April 3, '89
1847	William H Babcock, 61,	Jacksonville, Fla ,	Oct 4, '88.
1847	James B Cleaveland, 67,	New Haven, Conn ,	May 21, '89
1847	Robert Peck, 62,	New Haven, Conn.,	Nov 19, '88
1848	Frederic R Abbe, 61,	Medway, Mass.,	March 31, '89
1848	Isaac S. Newton, 64,	Albany, N Y ,	March 19, '89
1849	Robert P Barnard, 60,	Binghamton, N Y.,	June 26, '88
1853	Arthur E Skelding, 56,	Stamford, Conn ,	Nov 23, '88
1855	James Cruickshanks, 60,	Chicago, Ill ,	June 3, '89
1856	Edward P. Nettleton, 54,	Boston, Mass.,	April 17, '89.
1856	Henry E Pardee, 57,	New Haven, Conn ,	Jan 4, '89
1857	Miles Beardsley, 50,	Montgomery, N. Y.,	April 14, '87
1859	John C. Middleton, 54,	New York City,	July 7, '88
1861	Robert L Chamberlain, 50,	Santa Barbara, Cal ,	Aug 11, '88
1861	Charles P. Otis, 48,	Boston, Mass ,	Nov 17, '88
1862	Marion F. Mulkey, 52,	Oakland, Cal	Feb 25, '89
1863	Horace W. Fowler, 45,	Orange, N J ,	July 20, '88
1867	James M Gamble, 43,	Williamsport, Pa ,	July 16, '88
1867	John W Partridge, 45,	Fort Collins, Col ,	Feb 25, '89
1869	Charles H. Bullis, 38,	Sheldon, Iowa,	Aug 3, '86
1871	Albanus A. Moulton, 40,	Pueblo, Col ,	June 22, '88
1874	Jared Willson, 39,	Middletown, Conn.,	Feb 11, '89.
1875	George Collin, 33,	Benton, N. Y.	July 8, '87
1876	James W Andrews, 34,	San Antonio, Tex.,	Dec 30, '87
1876	Arthur A Lockwood, 32,	Manitou Springs, Col.	July 6, '88.
1877	S Morris Waln, 34,	Wyoming,	July, '88
1878	B Scott Hurtt, 32,	New York City,	Oct 10, '88
1879	Edmund P Livingston, 30,	Oak Hill, N. Y.	Dec 10, '88.
1881	Charles W Holzheimer, 27,	Manitou Springs, Col	July 25, '88
1883	William A Jackson, 25,	Norwalk, Conn ,	Aug. 23, '88.
1884	Charles E Carr, 25,	Portland, Oregon,	Oct 28, '88
1886	Thomas G. Waterman, 26,	Colorado Springs, Col	April 1, '89
1887	DeWitt C Huntington, 30,	Eldred, Pa ,	Feb 11, '89

YALE MEDICAL SCHOOL.

1829	Alexander R. Chase, 84,	Lockport, N Y ,	May 31, '87.
1834	Nathan Adams, 75,	Marblehead, Mass ,	Oct 2, '88
1835	Elijah B Middlebrook, 75,	New York City,	March 31, '89
1837	Elsha B. Nye, 76,	Middletown, Conn ,	March 7, '89.
1842	Alonzo Fuller, 67,	Lawrence, Kan ,	Jan 24, '88
1844	Henry L. W. Burritt, 69,	Bridgeport, Conn ,	July 10, '88.
1877	Franklin W. Hall, 36,	New Haven, Conn.,	Nov 27, '88

YALE LAW SCHOOL

Class	Name and Age.	Place and	Time of Death
1862	Henry Rogers, 50,	New Haven, Conn.,	Jan. 26, '89

SHEFFIELD SCIENTIFIC SCHOOL.

1853	Albert B Rogers, 60,	Waterville, Minn.,	May 4, '89.
1859	George H Smith, 49,	Yellow Springs, O ,	Jan 19, '89.
1866	John J Matthias, 45,	Saratoga Spings, N. Y.,	July 27, '88.
1872	Charles T Morse, 36,	Pasadena, Cal	May 12, '89
1874	William P Lynde, Jr , 35,	Milwaukee, Wisc.,	March 29, '87.
1882	Frank J Lambert, 25,	New Haven, Conn ,	April 20, '88.

YALE DIVINITY SCHOOL.

1878	Melvin C Wood, 35,	Harrison, Mich.,	Nov. 2, '88.
1883	Herman M Schermerhorn, 40,	Amesbury, Mass ,	Jan 24, '89
1886	Joseph M Jones, 31,	Cora, O.,	Nov. 26, '88

The number of deaths recorded this year is 96, and the average age of the 79 graduates of the Academical Department is nearly 63 years

The oldest living graduates are—

Class of 1815, Rev JOSEPH D WICKHAM, D D., of Manchester, Vt , born April 4, 1797

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