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1794.

Ezekiel Bacon, for nearly six years the oldest surviving graduate of the college, died in Utica, N. Y., 18 Oct., 1870, aged 94.

In reply to a request made a few years since for a sketch of the events of his life, he wrote as follows:—

"Ezekiel Bacon was born in Boston, on the 1st of Sept., 1776, the only son of the Rev. John Bacon, then late pastor of the Old South Church, and of Elizabeth his wife, who was the daughter of Ezekiel Goldthwait, of Boston, and widow of the Rev. Alexander Cummings, Mr Bacon's predecessor in office. The family settled in Stockbridge, Berkshire County, Mass., and the son was educated and graduated at Yale College of the class of 1794; read law at Judge Reeve's law school in Litchfield, Ct., and practiced it in Berkshire; was a member of the legislature of Massachusetts in 1806 and 7; was a member of the House of Representatives of the U. S. Congress from 1807 to 1813, serving on the committee of ways and means, and during one year its chairman. He then held the office of Chief Justice of the Circuit Court of Common Pleas for the Western District of Massachusetts, until he received the office of Comptroller of the Treasury of the U. S.; which owing to ill health he soon after resigned, and removing into the State of N. Y., settled in Utica, where except holding the offices of member of the legislature for one year, Judge of the County Court of Common Pleas for two years, and member of the Convention of 1821 for revising the Constitution of the State, he has since resided in private life, having passed fully one-third of a long-pro-
tracted life in a condition of continued ill health and great depres-
sion of the vital and active powers of being. ‘Sic itur ad astra.’”

He married Abigail, daughter of Dr. Reuben Smith, of Litch-
field, Conn., and had five children.

1808.

Noah Coe, son of Charles and Hannah (Bates) Coe, was born
in Durham, Conn., May 24th, 1786.

He pursued his theological studies in part at Andover, in 1809 and
10, as a member of the second class which graduated from that
institution. He was ordained July 3, 1811, and preached in Ches-
ter, N. Y., for two years. In 1814 he was installed over the Pres-
byterian church in New Hartford, N. Y., where he remained until
1835. In 1836 he commenced preaching in the 2d Congregational
church in Greenwich, Conn., where he was installed May 23d, 1837.
He was dismissed May 20th, 1845, and was not again a settled
pastor, though he preached and labored almost continuously until
over seventy years of age. From 1848 to 1854 he was engaged as
a city missionary in New York city, and in Williamsburg, L. I.
He then removed to New Haven, Conn., where he resided until his
death. From Nov., 1854, to Feb., 1855, he served as stated sup-
ply of the Congregational church in Northfield, Conn., and for the
succeeding year supplied the Congregational church at New Pres-
ton Hill, Conn. He died, suddenly, in Hartford, Conn., May 9th,
1871, aged 85.

His wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Rev. Samuel Goodrich, (Y. C.
1783,) of Berlin, Conn., died in New Haven March 10, 1864. Two
of his sons, Frederick A. and Rev. Samuel G. Coe, graduated
at this college in 1837 and 1838 respectively, and died a little more
than a year before him. His daughter, the widow of Rev. Chaun-
cey Goodrich, (Y. C. 1837,) survives him.

1809.

Garrett Garnsey Brown, son of David and Philena Brown,
was born in Bethlehem, Conn., in 1784.

He was prepared for college under his pastor, the Rev. Azel
Backus, D. D., and at the Morris Academy, Litchfield; and entered
College in the second Sophomore term. After graduation he taught
in Milford, Conn., for one term, and then became a student in An-
dover Theological Seminary. He remained there until licensed to
preach by the New Haven East Association of Congregational
ministers, Sept., 1811.
The next fifty years of his life were spent in the Southern and Southwestern States, where he taught in private families and in select schools, preaching also as opportunity offered, though not ordained. During these years he had no fixed residence, and scarcely remained for a year in any one place. In 1857 he visited the Sandwich Islands, and opened a private school, but returned the next year to the South. After the breaking out of the late civil war, he came back to his native town. The closing part of his life was spent in the almshouse in Woodbury, Conn., where he died Oct. 1st, 1870. He was unmarried.

Samuel Dexter Ward was the eldest son of the Hon. Artemas Ward (Harv. Coll. 1783), Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas in Boston, and grandson of Gen. Artemas Ward (Harv. Coll. 1748), of Revolutionary fame. His mother was Catherine M., daughter of the Hon. Samuel Dexter, of Boston.

He spent the first three years of his College course in Harvard College. He was a lawyer in Boston, where he died unmarried, of pneumonia, May 28th, 1871, aged 82 years, 7 months, and 4 days. He was a member of the Common Council during the first years of the City Charter; but his principles prevented him from further entrance into political life.

Gaylord Welles died from an attack of apoplexy, at the residence of his daughter, in Bristol, Conn., Sept. 24th, 1870, aged 82½ years.

He was the youngest son of James and Abigail (Gaylord) Welles, and was born in Wethersfield, Conn., April 15th, 1788.

He studied medicine and surgery with Dr. Everest, of Canton, Conn., and in 1815 began practice in Hebron, but soon removed to Harwinton, Conn. In 1842 he removed to Hillsdale, N. Y., continuing his practice there till 1855, when at the request of his daughters he retired from his profession and removed to their residence in West Hartford, Conn., and later to Bristol. An attack of paralysis partially disabled him in Jan., 1869, but he continued to employ himself in visiting the sick until the day before his sudden death.

Dr. Welles married, June 16th, 1814, Electa, daughter of James Brace, Esq., of Harwinton. Their eight children, five of whom still survive, were born in Harwinton. Mrs. Welles died March 8th, 1836.
He was well known as a firm supporter of the Temperance and Anti-Slavery causes, and of the American Peace Society in its earlier and more active years.

1810.

Eleazar Thompson Fitch, a descendant in the fifth generation from Rev. James Fitch, of Norwich, Conn., was the youngest child of Capt. Nathaniel and Mary (Thompson) Fitch, of New Haven, Conn., where he was born Jan. 1, 1791.

He early evinced a decided taste for learning, being quiet and thoughtful in manner, and eager and diligent in study. He won distinction in College, both for punctuality and scholarship. His conversion occurred while an undergraduate, and it at once determined the character of his life work. After graduation he was a teacher at East Windsor Hill, and subsequently of the New Haven Hopkins Grammar School. In 1812 he entered Andover Theol. Seminary, where after completing the regular course he remained pursuing advanced studies, giving assistance in instruction, and preaching, until his election in 1817, to succeed Pres. Dwight in the office of Professor of Divinity in Yale College. One branch of his work was to teach Theology to graduates. In this he found his classes so increase that he was led to urge upon the Corporation the founding of a Theological Department, which was organized in 1822. In this Department he filled the chair of Homiletics, at the same time being College Preacher and Pastor, and giving instruction in the Academical Department in Natural Theology and the Evidences of Christianity. As Preacher he delivered to successive classes a series of sermons in Systematic Theology. Some of his doctrinal views thus presented becoming publicly controverted, he was compelled to defend them as publicly; and thus for truth and conscience's sake he was willing to appear in print, a thing which he was never prevailed upon to do on other grounds.

In 1852 his growing infirmities (he scarcely ever enjoyed even from youth full bodily health) induced him to resign his office as Professor, yet he retained his connection with the Theol. Seminary as Lecturer until 1861, and with the Theol. Faculty as Professor Emeritus until his death.

At his resignation he became a member of the "Circle of retired Clergymen and Laymen," in whose weekly meetings he always took an active part, and thus maintained his interest in all the living issues of the day even to the last. He was never a mere
Theologian, but pushed his researches into matters of science, literature, and taste, and of public and social order. He possessed a decided genius for music and its kindred fine arts, and in smaller matters displayed great versatility and ready inventive powers.

He died January 31, 1871, in his 81st year.

He was thrice married: Nov. 12, 1817 to Elizabeth Lucia, only child of Joseph Lucus Wooster of New Haven, a graduate of 1781, and a lawyer by profession. She died Aug. 30, 1821, having lost a daughter in infancy, and leaving a son, now living. Sept. 5, 1822 to Susan Augusta Root of New Haven, who died Oct. 2, 1846: and Jan. 6, 1848 to Mary Coffin Lunt of Newburyport, Mass., who survives him.

1812.

WILLIAM RUMSEY was born in Kent County, Maryland, in 1792. After graduation he studied medicine, and received the degree of M.D. from the University of Pennsylvania; in the meantime he enlisted in the army during the war with Great Britain, and was stationed at Camp Dupont in Delaware.

He settled in Philadelphia, where he continued to practice his profession until April, 1869, when he removed to the home of his sister, Mrs. S. C. Brincklé, near Wilmington, Delaware, where he died of old age, April 23d, 1871, in his 79th year. Although born in a slave-holding State, his attachment to the Union was warm and decided during the late war.

Dr. Rumsey was married, in 1829, to Anna Rumsey Dunlap, of Philadelphia, his second cousin, and the sister of his classmate, Thomas Dunlap. She died in 1835, leaving one daughter, who died in 1838.

1813.

GEORGE AUGUSTUS ELLIOT was born in Guilford, Conn., June 7th, 1792, and was the third son of William and Ruth (Rossiter) Elliot, and a descendant in the fifth generation from Rev. John Elliot, the "Apostle to the Indians."

He pursued the study of law with Seth P. Staples, of New Haven, and being admitted to the bar in this city in the autumn of 1815, started at once for the west. He selected Erie, Pa., as the place of his residence, where he followed his profession successfully until 1855, when with somewhat impaired health he retired from active business, and devoted his leisure to the improve-
ment of his farm. He died in Erie, July 23d, 1870, of paralysis, at the age of 78.

He married, Nov 12th, 1818, Miss Sarah M. Brown, eldest daughter of Robert Brown, of Erie, who still survives him, with one son, John Eliot, Esq.

JEREMIAH VANRENSSELAER was born at the old family mansion, Greenbush, Rensselaer county, N. Y., Aug. 4th, 1793.

He studied medicine with his uncle, Archibald Bruce, M.D., and in 1819 received the degree of M.D.

The three following years were passed in Edinburgh, London, and Paris, in the prosecution of his medical studies. After this course he returned to N. Y. city, and acquired an extensive practice. For many years he was Corresponding Secretary of the N. Y. Lyceum of Natural History, and in 1825 he delivered a course of lectures on geology before the N. Y. Athenæum; he had acquired from Dr. Bruce a great love for the natural sciences.

In 1840 he visited Europe, and after three years spent abroad resumed practice in N. Y. In 1852 he retired from active pursuits, and occupied the old mansion at Greenbush, having charge of his estates. In 1867 he again visited Europe, and returned last autumn in feeble health, and died in N. Y. city, of pneumonia, March 7th, 1871, aged 77½ years. He leaves one son.

JEDIDIAH HUNTINGTON, eldest son of Deacon Jabez Huntington (Y. C. 1784) and Mary (Lanman) Huntington, of Norwich, Conn., was born 15 Sept., 1794, and died in Norwich, 6 Dec., 1870, from paralysis.

He spent his entire life in Norwich, engaged in business. At the time of his death he was a vice-president and director of the Norwich Savings Society.

He married, 2 July, 1834, Rebecca M. Snow, who died 3 Sept., 1835. He married again, 24 Feb., 1841, Happy Kinney. Of his three children, one daughter only is living.

CHARLES JAMES LANMAN died in New London, Conn., 25 July, 1870. He was born 5 June, 1795, the eldest of twelve children of Hon. James Lanman (Y C 1788), of Norwich, Conn., U. S. Senator and Judge of the Supreme Court of Connecticut. His mother was Mary Ann, daughter of Hon. Charles C. Chandler (Harv. Coll. 1783).
He studied law with his kinsman, Hon. Roger Griswold (Y. C. 1780), as well as with his father, and was admitted to the bar early in 1817, in New London. Soon afterwards he decided to seek his fortune in the Territory of Michigan, and joined William Woodbridge, Esq., in his law office at Detroit. He soon settled permanently in Frenchtown, now Monroe. There he held many local offices, as Attorney for the Territory, Judge of Probate and Colonel of the militia. Under Presidents Monroe and Adams he was Receiver of Public Moneys for the District of Michigan.

In 1835 he returned to Norwich, and in 1838 was elected mayor of the city. During the financial revulsion of 1837 he lost the bulk of his property, all of which was located in Michigan. In 1862 he removed his residence to New London.

He married Mary Ghee, who survives him. His only son, Charles Lanman, Esq., of Washington, and seven daughters also survive.

1815.

Julius Steele Barnes, son of Jonathan Barnes (Y. C 1784), was born 23 Feb., 1792, in Tolland, Conn. His mother was Rachel Steele, of West Hartford, Conn, adopted daughter of her maternal uncle, Rev George Colton (Y. C. 1756), of Bolton, Conn, under whose instruction Dr Barnes was fitted for college.

He graduated at the Yale Medical School in 1818, and shortly after commenced practice in Southington, Conn., and there continued until his death, 12 Nov., 1870, in his 79th year. Besides being a skillful practitioner, and devoted to his calling, he also labored heartily for the social good of the community. He served one term as State Senator, and held for a time the office of Judge of Probate.

He married Laura Lewis, of Southington, who died two years before him. Of their nine children, seven survive them; one son graduated at this college in 1847.

George Cooke, son of John and Anne (Lyon) Cooke, was born in New Haven, Conn., March 30th, 1796, and died in the same city, May 30th, 1871.

He taught school at the south for two or three years after his graduation; and was then engaged in business for a few years in New Canaan, Conn. He then entered into the carriage business in N. Y. City with his father and brother, superintending also the ex-
tensive manufactory of the firm in New Haven. About 1849 he removed to New Haven, and continued in the same business with his brother for many years. He was never married.

Thomas Alexander Marshall was born in Woodford county, Ky., Jan. 15th, 1794. His father, Humphrey Marshall, was a U. S. Senator, and his mother was a daughter of Col. Thomas Marshall, of Virginia, and a sister of Chief Justice Marshall.

He studied law at home, and in 1817 began the practice of that profession in Frankfort, the capital of Kentucky. Family considerations induced him to move to Paris, Ky., in 1819, where he closely pursued his practice until his election to Congress in 1831. He served for two Congressional terms, and was then (March 18th, 1835,) commissioned a Judge of the Court of Appeals. He retired to private life in August, 1856. During 1836, he moved to Lexington, and was soon after appointed a professor in the Law School of Transylvania University; he thus continued until 1849 or 1850. In 1857 he removed to Frankfort, and in 1859 to Louisville. In 1866 he was appointed to complete the unexpired term of Judge Sampson, and he served as Chief Justice for six months: thus making twenty two years of service on the bench of the Court of Appeals—for seven years as Chief Justice. In 1866 this college conferred on him the degree of Doctor of Laws. He died in Louisville, April 17th, 1871, aged 77.

In Nov., 1816, he married Miss Price, of Lexington, a niece of Mrs. Henry Clay.

1816.

Frederick Gridley, son of Rev. Uriel Gridley (Y. C. 1783) and Susannah (Norton) Gridley, was born in Watertown, Conn., Febr. 29th, 1796, and died in Stratford, Conn., Febr. 21, 1871.

After completing his College course, he was for two years Principal of the Academy in Monson, Mass. During this time he studied theology with Rev. Dr Aldred Ely, and afterwards pursued his studies for a short time with Professors Fitch and Goodrich in New Haven.

He was licensed to preach by the Hampden (Mass.) Association, March, 1819, and was ordained as pastor of the Congregational Church in Ellsworth (in the town of Sharon), Conn., June 7th, 1820, where he remained until dismissed at his own request in March, 1836. He was installed, Oct. 5th, 1836, over the Congre-
gational Church in East Lyme, Conn., and after twenty years' pastorate, took a dismission, chiefly on account of declining health. His home was afterwards in Newington, Conn., and later in Stratford.

Mr. Gridley was twice married: first, to Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Major Wm. Clark, of North Wilbraham, Mass., and again to Miss Mary Edwards Ely, daughter of Eli Ely, of Hartford, Conn. He had three children, one of whom, the widow of David P. Judson (Y. C. 1831), of Stratford, survives him.

GEORGE EDMOND PIERCE was born in Southbury, Conn., Sept. 9th, 1794. His father was Samuel Pierce, and his mother Martha, daughter of Robert Edmond, from Ireland.

After graduation, he taught in Fairfield (Conn.) Academy for two years, and was for the next three years a member of Andover Theol. Seminary. He was ordained pastor of the Congregational Church in Harwinton, Conn., July 10th, 1822, and continued so until June, 1834, when he was dismissed to accept the Presidency of the Western Reserve College, in Hudson, Ohio. He entered on his new duties in the next month, and remained in office twenty-one years. After his resignation his residence continued in Hudson, till his sudden death, May 27th, 1871.

Dr. Pierce was married, Dec. 1st, 1824, to Miss Susan Rockwell, daughter of Martin Rockwell, of Colebrook, Conn., who now survives him. They had five sons and one daughter: one son died in infancy, and three of the other sons graduated at Western Reserve College.

Dr. Pierce received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Middlebury College in 1838.

1817

AUGUSTUS ALDEN, second child and eldest son of the Rev. Abishai and Betsey (Parker) Alden, was born in Willington, Conn.

After leaving College, he taught one year in Richmond, Va., and thence went to Georgia, where he spent the rest of his life as a teacher. He married, in 1823, Miss Ann S., daughter of Gov. Wilson Lumpkin, and had nine children.

He died at Cave Spring, Ga., Sept. 14th, 1870, aged 73.

ROBERT JOHN CHESEBROUGH, eldest son of Robert and Content (Rathbone) Chesebrough, was born in New York City, Jan. 18th, 1798.
He resided during his life in his native city, first studying law and practicing it for a few years, and then going into business with a brother, in the firm of Chesebrough, Satterlee, & Co., Pearl street. The firm met with great loss in the disastrous fire of 1835, and Mr. Chesebrough returned to his profession, in which he continued till his death, being especially entrusted with the management of many estates, as executor or trustee. He died, of Bright's disease, Dec 30th, 1870.

His wife, to whom he was married in 1839, survives him, with six daughters, out of a family of eight children.

**JOHN GRAMMER** died at Halifax Court House, Va., March 5th, 1871, aged 73. He was born in Petersburg, Va., where he began the practice of law some two years after leaving College. He married, in Dec., 1819, a Miss Barton, of Frederick County, Va., but his wife dying in Oct., 1823, he withdrew from the bar and removed to a farm in Dinwiddie County, Va. In Jan., 1824, he joined the Episcopal Theol. Seminary at Alexandria, Va., and on July 15th, 1826, received Deacon's orders. For the next ten years, his life was that of a missionary. He lived upon his estate, and preached in eight or ten of the neighboring counties. In Oct., 1835, his dwelling house was burnt down, and he removed to Lawrenceville, Brunswick County. In 1838 he accepted a call to the parish of Halifax Court House and removed there, where he continued to reside till his death. In Sept., 1832, he married a Miss Meade, of Brunswick County, and by her he had six children. Washington College, Va., conferred on him in 1853 the degree of Doctor of Divinity.

**1818.**

**ALFRED CHESTER**, the second child and only son of Thomas Chester (Y C 1780) and Esther (M Bull) Chester, of Hartford, Conn., was born March 17th, 1798.

The year after leaving College was spent in the Andover Theol Seminary, and the two succeeding years in Princeton Seminary.

After three years' service as a Home Missionary in South Carolina, he was ordained over the Presbyterian Church in Rahway, N. J., in July, 1826. He left his charge in 1829, and for the next 14 years was the principal of a classical school in Morristown, N. J., where his residence continued until about 1858. During the latter part of his life he resided in Elizabeth, N. J., and for the last nine years was chaplain of the County Prison. He died in N. Y. City, July 2d, 1871.
Mr. Chester married, Aug. 24th, 1826, Mary Ann Frances Chetwood, of Elizabethtown, N. J. By this marriage he had two children.

Richard David Davis, a native of Poughkeepsie, N. Y, died very suddenly at his home in Waterford, N. Y, June 17th, 1871. He studied law, and was admitted to the bar at Poughkeepsie in 1821. He was a Representative in the U. S. Congress, for two terms, beginning with 1841. He subsequently removed to Waterford.

Thomas Clap Perkins was born in Hartford, Conn., July 29th, 1798. His father was Enoch Perkins, Esq (Y. C. 1781), of Hartford, and his mother, Anna Pitkin, was a daughter of Rev. Timothy Pitkin (Y C. 1747), of Farmington, Conn. His brother, Rev. George W. Perkins, graduated in 1824. After graduation he studied law with Seth P. Staples, Esq., in New Haven, and in 1820 was admitted to the bar in Hartford, where he practiced his profession for half a century, with distinguished success. He was several times elected to the State Senate and House of Representatives, and was once elected a Judge of the Supreme Court, but declined the position. He died in Hartford, Oct. 11th, 1870, at the age of 72.

Mr. Perkins married in 1827 Mary, daughter of the Rev Lyman Beecher, D.D. (Y. C. 1797). She survives him, with two sons and two daughters: the elder son being a graduate of this College in the class of 1850.

Gouverneur Morris Wilkins was born Nov. 4th, 1799, and died in New York City, Febr. 7th, 1871, aged 71 years.

He studied law, but never practiced. He was an attaché of the U. S Legation in Paris in the reign of Louis Philippe, who was during most of his exile in this country, while Duke of Orleans, the guest of Gouverneur Morris, whose nephew and adopted son Mr. Wilkins was. Mr. Wilkins mingled but little in public life, preferring the private station which he so becomingly adorned. The record of some of his various services is found in the following pamphlets which he published: “A Letter to the Trustees of Columbia College, from a Citizen,” 1856; “In the matter of the Extension of Central Park,” 1861; “A Project for the Relief of Broadway,” 1866.
His first wife was Mary, daughter of John Wood, Esq., of Charleston, S.C. One daughter survived this marriage, and has just deceased. Subsequently he married Catharine, eldest daughter of Gen. Stephen VanRensselaer, of Albany, N.Y.

1819.

AsaHiel Huntington was born in Topsfield, Mass., 23 July, 1798, and died in Salem, Mass., after a brief illness, 5 Sept., 1870. His father was the Rev. AsaHiel Huntington (Dartmouth Coll. 1786), and his mother was Alethea, daughter of Dr. Elisha Lord, of Pomfret, Conn.

After leaving College, Mr. Huntington commenced his legal studies at Newburyport, and after some interruptions completed them at Salem, Mass., where he was admitted to the bar in 1824. He continued in practice in Salem until 1851, when he was appointed clerk of all the courts in the County; this office he held till his death. He served the State repeatedly in the Legislature, and in the Constitutional Convention of 1853; and in the same year was mayor of the city of Salem.

He was married, 15 Aug., 1842, to Mrs. Caroline (Deblois) Tucker, of Boston, who survives him, with a son and daughter.

Samuel Holden Parsons, second son of Enoch and Mary Wiley (Sullivan) Parsons, was born in Middletown, Conn., Aug. 11th, 1800.

He studied law, was admitted to the bar of his native county in April, 1822, and commenced practice in Middletown. In 1824, he was appointed Attorney to the Branch of the U.S. Bank, located in Hartford, and Pension Agent of the U.S. for Connecticut. He accordingly removed to Hartford, and resided there until after the expiration of the charter of the Bank and the winding up of its affairs in 1847. During the rest of his life, his home was in Middletown. In 1851 he was made the first President of the Farmers' and Mechanics' Savings Bank, and held that office for many years.

He died in Middletown, Feb. 23d, 1871, aged 70. He was unmarried.

Joshua Payne Payson, the son of John H. and Amaryllis (Payne) Payson, was born in Abington, a parish of Pomfret, Conn., Aug. 15th, 1800.

He studied theology in the Andover Seminary, completing the course in 1824. Although in delicate health, he preached, more or
less, for about six years, during the latter half of the time being the stated supply of the Congregational churches in Chilmark and Tisbury (Martha's Vineyard), Mass. He was ordained as an evangelist at Falmouth, Mass., June 26th, 1828.

In 1830 he was compelled, by repeated attacks of bleeding at the lungs, to relinquish preaching, and he retired to his native homestead. From about 1838 until his death he was a confirmed invalid, and for the latter part of the time deprived of sight. He died in Pomfret, Apr 29th, 1871, in the 71st year of his age.

He was married, in Dec., 1840, to Miss Anna, daughter of Rev. Joseph Steward, of Hartford. She survives him, without children.

1820.

JOHN HALL BROCKWAY, the oldest child of the Rev. Diodate Brockway (Y. C. 1797) and of Miranda (Hall) Brockway, of Ellington, Conn, was born, 31 Jan., 1801, and died in the same town, where he had always resided, 29 July, 1870.

After he left College he taught in East Windsor for a few months, but soon commenced to read law in the private school of Seth P. Staples, Esq., and Judge S. J. Hitchcock, of New Haven. He was admitted to the New Haven County Bar in April, 1823, and immediately opened an office in his native town.

In 1832 and in 1838 he was a member of the State House of Representatives, and in 1834 of the Senate. From 1839 to 1843 he was member of Congress. In Aug., 1849, he was appointed State's Attorney for Tolland County, and held the office until April, 1867, when he resigned on account of his health.

He married, 12 Jan., 1829, Miss Flavia Field Colton, of Longmeadow, Mass., who survives him, with her three daughters.

JOHN TUCKER COLLIS, the eldest son of Solomon and Hannah (Howe) Collis, was born in New Haven, Conn., Jan. 8th, 1801.

For a number of years after leaving College he was engaged in the banking business, and afterwards was connected with the U. S. Custom House, in his native city. In the latter years of his life, he was made the curator and librarian of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, upon its organization in 1863, and so continued for several years. He was never married. He died in Hartford, Conn., Aug. 8th, 1870, in his 70th year.
Asa Howe King, son of Rev Asa and Eunice (Howe) King, was born in New Haven, Conn, Apr 5th, 1798, and entered College from Killingworth, where his father was then pastor.

He attended a course of medical lectures in this College in 1824, and subsequently in the same year at Bowdoin College, where he received the degree of Doctor of Medicine. He commenced practice as a physician in Branford, Conn, in 1824. In 1827 he removed to Essex, and in 1835 to Old Saybrook, Conn, where he remained till his death, Nov. 20th, 1870.

In 1831 he was married to Miss Emily Starkey, of Essex. He had four children, one daughter and three sons. His widow and two sons survive him.

Solomon Lyman, son of Deacon Solomon and Lois (Janes) Lyman, was born in Easthampton, Mass., Jan. 11th, 1795.

He worked on a farm until he was 21 years of age, when he resolved to be a minister and began to prepare for College, which he entered as sophomore. After graduating, he studied theology two years in N. Y City, with Rev Drs. Spring, Cox, and Baldwin, and then spent three years in preaching at Pittstown, N. Y, being ordained over the Presbyterian Church there, Jan. 4th, 1826. He was afterwards pastor of the Congregational Church in Keeseville, N. Y., for about 8 years; and was installed over the Congregational Church in Poultney, Vt., Febr 26th, 1835, and dismissed Nov 16th, 1842. His aged parents needing his assistance, he then removed to Easthampton, and for seven years supplied the pulpit in West Farms, about four miles distant. He continued to preach as occasion offered until past 70 years of age. He died in Easthampton, Jan. 17th, 1871, aged 76.

In 1826, Mr Lyman married Mary Curtis, of N. Y., daughter of Reuben Curtis, of Danbury, Conn. She survives him, with two of their three sons.

Luther Wright, son of Luther and Sarah (Lyman) Wright, was born in Easthampton, Mass., Nov 24th, 1796, and died in the same place, Sept 5th, 1870, in his 74th year.

He was principal of an academy in Maryland for two years, and then began the study of theology in New Haven. From March, 1825, to Sept, 1828, he was a tutor in this College, and afterwards taught in Middletown and in Ellington, Conn. From Sept, 1833,
to Oct., 1839, he was principal of the academy in Leicester, Mass., and from Dec., 1841, to July, 1849, the first principal of Williston Seminary in his native town. After resigning this last position, he continued his residence in Easthampton, giving instruction for several years to private pupils.

He married, Oct., 1829, Emeline G., daughter of Samuel Colton, of Longmeadow, Mass., who died suddenly, March 6th, 1863, leaving two daughters and two sons: one of the sons has since died.

Mr. Wright published an Address at the dedication of a new Academy building at Leicester, in 1833; and an historical sketch of Easthampton, in 1851.

1823.

George Ashmun was born in Blandford, Mass., Dec. 25, 1804. His father was Hon. Eli P. Ashmun, afterwards U. S. Senator, and his mother was a daughter of Rev. John Hooker (Y. C. 1751), of Northampton, Mass.

He studied law, and for a short time practiced in Enfield, Mass., but in 1828 established himself in Springfield, where he resided till his death. From 1834 to 1851, when he retired from his profession, he was associated in business with Hon. Reuben A. Chapman, now Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Mass. He was elected to the State House of Representatives, in 1833, 1835, 1836, and 1841, being in the last-named year speaker; and in 1838 and 1839, he was a member of the State Senate. He was three times elected to the House of Representatives of the Congress of the U. S., namely for the years 1845 to 1851. After Hon. Daniel Webster delivered his famous speech, on the 7th of March, 1850, Mr. Ashmun took up his defence in the ensuing political and personal quarrels, and in consequence retired from public life. In 1860 he was induced to attend the convention of the new Republican party at Chicago, which nominated Mr. Lincoln, and to serve as chairman. From this relation to the nomination, he formed an intimacy with President Lincoln, which caused his counsel to be sought and accepted during the years of the rebellion.

For several years a palsy of the nervous system had been coming over him, and confined him to his house for the last months of his life. He died in Springfield, July 17th, 1870, in his 66th year. His wife, Miss Martha E. Hall, of Springfield, whom he married in 1828, died a few years before him. He left two daughters.
Linus Child was born in North Woodstock, Conn., Febr. 27th, 1802, being one of nine children of Rensselaer and Priscilla (Cowles) Child.

He completed his preparatory studies at the Colchester Academy, and entered the College near the close of the Freshman year. After studying with S. P. Staples, Esq., of this city, and Hon. E. Stoddard, of Woodstock, he was admitted to the bar in Connecticut in 1826. He then spent a year in the office of Hon. George Tufts, of Dudley, Mass., and in 1827 began the practice of law in Southbridge, Mass., where he continued till 1845. In that year, relinquishing his profession, he removed to Lowell, Mass., to take charge of one of the large manufacturing establishments of that city, in which employment he continued till 1862, when he resumed the practice of the law in Boston in company with his son, and so continued till his death. He died in Hingham, Mass., his summer residence, suddenly, of congestion, on the 26th of August, 1870, in his 69th year.

In 1835 he was chosen a member of the state senate, and continued in that body for five years: as chairman of the Rail Road Committee during that time, he had a large share in shaping the railroad charters and policy of Massachusetts. He was for many years a member of the Prudential Committee of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions, and of the Boards of Trustees of Amherst College, Andover Theol. Seminary, and Phillips' Academy at Andover; to these and kindred institutions he devoted a large share of his time.

Mr. Child was married, in 1829, to Berinthia, daughter of Oliver Mason, Esq., of Southbridge, and by her had two daughters and one son. The son graduated at this College in 1855.

Samuel Augustus Maverick was born, July 28th, 1803, in Pendleton, S. C., then the residence of his father, who had been a leading merchant in Charleston: his mother was a daughter of Gen. Robert Anderson.

He studied law with Henry St. George Tucker, of Winchester, Va., and was admitted to the bar of his native state; but being opposed to nullification (his principles having even led him into a duel with Mr. Calhoun, in which Mr. Calhoun was wounded), he emigrated to Alabama, and thence in 1834 to Texas, arriving at
San Antonio, his future home, in 1835. During the Texas war of independence, he was taken prisoner by the Mexicans and sentenced to be shot. He was a signer of the Declaration of Independence of the new Republic, March 2d, 1836, and after the battle of San Jacinto, which secured the safety of Texas for a time, he returned to Alabama, where he married, in August of the same year, and in 1838 again arrived in San Antonio. In Sept., 1842, a Mexican force entered San Antonio, and overpowered the few Americans who attempted its defence: Mr. Maverick was carried to Mexico, and only released in April, 1843, on the intercession of the American Minister. He then visited South Carolina to look after his property, which he converted into investments in Texas lands, and in 1847 returned to San Antonio, where he resided until his death, Sept. 2d, 1870. In 1860 he advocated secession from the Union, but after 1861 took no part in public affairs. He had frequently served in both Houses of the State Legislature.

1826.

Eldad Barber, son of Eldad and Lois (Bissell) Barber, was born in East Windsor, Conn., Sept. 24th, 1801; and died in Florence, O., March 27th, 1871, in the 70th year of his age.

He completed his theological course in Yale College in the summer of 1829, having spent the winter of 1828-9, under the direction of the American Sunday School Union, in central and southern Ohio. He was ordained as a missionary under appointment of the American Home Missionary Society, Aug 26th, by the Litchfield South Association, at Woodbury, Conn., and for the next two years preached in the Presbyterian Church in Marion, O. From Apr., 1832, to Oct., 1835, he had charge of the Huron Institute in Milan, O., supplying also neighboring churches. From Milan he removed to Florence, O., and was pastor of the Presbyterian Church in that place from 1837 until his death.

In Sept., 1831, he married Mary, daughter of Dr. Ebenezer Ballentine (Y. C. 1777), of Marion, O., who died Sept. 15th, 1832, leaving one son now living. In Apr., 1834, he married Mrs. Hannah E. Crosby, formerly Miss Osborn, of East Windsor, Conn., who survives him: by this marriage he had two daughters, one of whom is still living.

Andrew Thompson, was the only child of William Thompson, and was born in Orange County, N. Y., Feb. 22d, 1806. He entered College in Sophomore year from Crawford, Orange County.
After graduation he studied law, first with the late James Smith, of N. Y City, and afterwards with the late Willard Crafts in Oneida County, where he married. Upon being admitted to the bar, he began practicing law in Ithaca, whence he removed to Oneida County. In 1838 he removed to N. Y. City, where he continued the practice of his profession until his death, which occurred March 10th, 1871, at the age of 65.

He had four children, three of whom, with his widow, now survive him, the only son following his father's profession.

PHILIP STEPHEN VAN RENSSELAER, son of Gen Stephen and Cornelia (Pattison) Van Rensselaer (Harv. Coll. 1782), of Albany, died in N. Y. City, very suddenly, June 1st, 1871, in his 65th year.

1828.

WILLIAM CARTER, son of Ebenezer and Rhoda Carter, was born in New Canaan, Conn., Dec. 31st, 1803.

From 1830 to 1833, he was a Tutor in this College, and at the same time a member of the Theological Seminary. In 1833, as one of the "Illinois Association" formed in this Seminary, he went to Illinois, where the rest of his life was spent. He first had charge of the Congregational Church in Jacksonville, being ordained by the Schuyler Presbytery in Oct., 1834. In Oct. 1838, he removed to Pittsfield, where he founded and ministered to the Congregational Church until March, 1866. His residence continued in Pittsfield until his sudden death, of heart disease, Febr 2d, 1871.

He was for many years a trustee of Illinois College, one of the early directors of the Chicago Theological Seminary, and a Corporate Member of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

He married, in Sept., 1833, Miss Elizabeth Bell, of Darien, Conn. They had no children.

1829.

JOHN LATHROP, son of Hon Samuel Lathrop, M. C (Y. C. 1792) and Mary (McCrackan) Lathrop, born in West Springfield, Mass, March 6th, 1809, and died in Buffalo, N. Y., June 16th, 1870.

He was fitted for College at the Westfield, Mass, Academy, then under the care of the Rev. S. M. Emerson.

After graduation he studied law in his father's office, for a year or more, but not relishing the confined life of a student, he chose
the profession of a civil Engineer. One of his earliest engage-
ments was in the construction of the Chenango (N. Y) Canal,
which occupied him from 1833 to 1837. Soon after he was ap-
pointed Resident Engineer on a section of the Erie Canal, with his
headquarters at Jordan, N Y. He remained in this position till
June, 1843, when he took charge of the laying out of a double
track on the N. Y. Central Railroad between Syracuse and Utica,
residing in Syracuse. In 1846 he was appointed Chief Engineer
of the Syracuse and Oswego Railroad, and held the place till the
completion of the work, about three years later. From July,
1849, to 1852, he resided in Buffalo, N Y., as Division Engineer
upon the Erie Enlargement; while he also superintended the con-
struction of an extensive breakwater and other important improve-
ments in the harbor of Buffalo. After a brief employment, till Dec
1853, on the construction of a portion of the Chicago, Alton, and
St. Louis Railroad, he returned to his former position, which he
again resigned in the summer of 1855, to assume the charge of the
Chesapeake and Albemarle Canal This important work was near
completion when interrupted by the breaking out of the civil war.
During the summer of 1862 he accepted a position on the Erie
and Pittsburgh Railroad, which occupied him for a year, and was
his last professional work, owing to his impaired health.
Mr Lathrop married, in 1838, Elizabeth Miller, of Oxford, N. Y.,
and had a son and daughter. His widow and daughter survive
him.

1831

WILLIAM WARD CUTLER, son of Hon Pliny Cutler, was born
in Boston, May 21st, 1812. His mother was Phebe, daughter of
Rev Ephraim and Mary (Colman) Ward, of West Brookfield,
Mass

His preparation for College was made at the Boston Latin
School and at the Mt Pleasant institution in Amherst.

After graduation he studied medicine in the Medical School of
Harvard University, receiving his diploma in 1838, and then
spent a year in further study in Paris. After his return from
Europe he practiced for a while in Boston, but not finding it con-
genial relinquished his profession, and removed to South Reading,
Mass., where he resided until the death of his first wife in 1850.
He subsequently resided in Northampton, Mass., New London,
Conn., North Andover, Mass., and finally in Norwich Town, Conn.,
where he died, Aug. 12th, 1870.
He was married three times: 1st, Febr. 4th, 1839, to Charlotte, daughter of Phineas Upham, of Boston; 2d, May 4th, 1854, to Mary, daughter of Maj Thomas W Williams, of New London; and 3d, Sept 5th, 1865, to Isabel, daughter of Hon. Allen A. Hall, of Nashville, Tenn., who survives him. He has left two children, a son by his second, and a daughter by his last marriage.

1832.

Collins Stone, the second son of Timothy and Eunice (Parmalee) Stone, of Guilford, Conn., was born in that town, Sept. 6th, 1812.

In 1833 he became a teacher in the American Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, at Hartford, Conn., and continued in that relation until Oct., 1852, when he became Principal of the Ohio State Asylum at Columbus. In 1863 he was recalled to the American Asylum, as Principal, and held that office at the time of his death. He was killed, almost instantly, Dec. 23d, 1870, in attempting to drive across the railroad track in Hartford, in front of an approaching train.

Mr. Stone studied theology with the Rev. Dr. Hawes of Hartford, and was ordained in Ohio as an evangelist, April 5th, 1853. At the time of his death he was a deacon in the Center Church in Hartford.

Mr. Stone left a widow, two sons, and three daughters: the elder son graduated at this College in 1862, and has succeeded his father in the charge of the American Asylum.

James Lockwood Wright, son of Joseph Wright (Y. C. 1804) and Sarah (Lockwood) Wright, born May 12, 1810, in Glastenbury, Conn., died in Haddam, Conn., Jan. 18th, 1871, aged 60.

He spent the three years succeeding graduation in the Yale Theol. Seminary, and then returned home. He preached occasionally, and was ordained to the work of the ministry, June 4th, 1839. He spent two or three years in Fair Haven, Conn., as a teacher, and then taught in his native town for a somewhat longer time. In 1848 he began to serve the Congregational Church in Burlington, Conn., as a stated supply, and was installed pastor there, March 7th, 1849. He laid down this charge at the close of the year 1854, and was installed over the First Congregational Church in Haddam, Conn., in May, 1855, where he continued till his death.

He married Lucy Ann North, of Middletown, Conn., May 30th, 1838, and had four children.
THOMAS WICKES, the second son of VanWyck and Eliza (Herriman) Wickes, was born in Jamaica, L. I., Oct. 31st, 1814. He entered Princeton Theol. Seminary in Nov., 1834, and remained there until Aug., 1836. He spent the succeeding year in the Theol. Department of this College, and was licensed to preach, in 1837, by the New Haven West Association. His first engagement was as a supply in the First Presbyterian Church of Troy, N. Y., during a fourteen months’ absence of the pastor, Dr. Beman, in Europe.

At the close of this service he was called in the spring of 1840 to the pastoral charge of the First Congregational Church in Marietta, O., and was installed, July 28th. He continued in this charge during nearly the whole of his ministerial life, resigning in the spring of 1869. He was then installed over the Congregational Church in Jamestown, N. Y., where he remained one year, resigning in Aug., 1870.

He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Wabash College in 1864.

He was married to Mary A., daughter of Rev. Dr. Alexander Gunn, of N. Y., Nov. 7th, 1838. She died in 1848. He married, secondly, Lydia Frances, daughter of Wm. Rockwell, of N. Y., Aug. 28th, 1849, who survives him. He left at his death one son and two daughters by his first, and one son and two daughters by his second marriage.

Dr. Wickes died, of cancer of the stomach, Nov. 10th, 1870, in Orange, N. J., while visiting at the house of his elder brother.

GEORGE WILSON MCPHAIL, President of Davidson College, Mecklenburg County, N. C., died there June 28th, 1871

He came to College from Norfolk, Va.

He was a Presbyterian clergyman, and received the degree of D.D. from Jefferson College, Pa., in 1857.

During the last five years of his life he was President of Davidson College, and had formerly been President of Lafayette College, in Easton, Pa., resigning in 1863.

WALTER CLARKE, son of Warner B. and Abigail A. Clarke, was born in Middletown, Conn., April 5th, 1812, and entered College in 1834, from Farmington, where his father then resided.
During the year succeeding graduation he taught in the Waterbury (Conn.) Academy, at the same time reading law. In 1839 he taught in Mobile. He afterwards studied theology (for one term in the Yale Theol Seminary), and in May, 1841, was ordained pastor of the First Congregational Church in Canterbury, Conn. From this church he was called to the South Church in Hartford, over which he was settled from June 4th, 1845 to Jan., 1859. He was for the next two years pastor of the Mercer street Presbyterian Church in N. Y. City, and for the remainder of his life was pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Buffalo, N. Y., where he died, greatly loved and respected, at the age of 59, May 23d, 1871.

He married, Aug. 26th, 1839, Mary A. Clark, daughter of Cyrus Clark, of Waterbury. She died in Hartford, Febr. 4th, 1849. He married, secondly, in 1850, Elizabeth G., daughter of Deacon Seth Teny, of Hartford, who survives him. He leaves one son, Rev. Samuel T. Clarke, who graduated at Hamilton College in 1862, and an adopted daughter.

He received the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Williams College in 1853.

Oliver Wolcott Mather, son of Ellsworth and Laura (Wolcott) Mather, was born in Windsor, Conn., Jan. 23d, 1815, and died, in the room in which he was born, Nov. 7th, 1870.

He taught in South Carolina after graduation; studied theology in the Yale Theological Seminary (1839–41); and was afterwards a settled minister (N. S. Presb., in Ohio, and from 1850 to 1860 in Michigan.

During his later years he was invalid, and resided in Windsor. He leaves a widow (his second wife), and one daughter.

1839.

Thomas Day, fifth son of Noble and Elizabeth (Jones) Day, was born June 18, 1816, at New Preston, Litchfield county, Conn. He was a grandson of Rev. Jeremiah Day of the class of 1756, and nephew of the late President Day. His brothers, Henry N. and Charles Day, graduated, the former in 1828, the latter in 1840.

After graduating he pursued his studies in the Yale Law School and then removed to Cleveland, Ohio, where he entered upon the practice of his profession. He remained in that city till April, 1864, when in the hope of benefit to his health he removed to New York city. In October, 1869, he went to Nevada on professional business where he continued till his death, which occurred very
suddenly just before his intended return home. He died of pneu-
monia, at Hamilton, Nevada, October 17th, 1870. He never
married.

1840.

**William Chauvenet, LL.D., ex-Chancellor of Washington Uni-
versity, St. Louis, died in St. Paul, Minnesota, Dec. 13th, 1870, at
a little more than fifty years of age. He had long been in poor
health, and on this account resigned his position in the University
in 1869. After traveling in the South without the benefit hoped
for, he returned to St. Louis in June, and in the autumn went to
St. Paul to try that climate; his disease terminated in paralysis of
the cerebellum.

Chancellor Chauvenet was born in Milford, Pa., and removed at
an early age with his parents to Philadelphia. His father, Wm.
M. Chauvenet, was a grocer, and wished his son to succeed him in
business: he was with difficulty persuaded by his son's teacher to
develop the boy's decided mathematical turn by a college course.

Immediately after graduation he was employed in taking me-
teorological observations at the Girard College Observatory, but
accepted in 1841 the place of instructor in mathematics at the
U. S. Naval Asylum in Philadelphia. Soon after, when it was pro-
posed to found a Naval Academy at Annapolis, the measure found
in him a strong advocate, and when the institution was established
in 1845, he was made one of the Board of Directors, Professor of
Astronomy and Mathematics, and Director of the Observatory.
For the next 14 years he was the chief agent in building up the
Academy. In 1859 he accepted the professorship of astronomy
and mathematics in Washington University, St Louis. In 1862,
on the death of his classmate, Chancellor Hoyt, the office of Chan-
cellof the University was also given him.

Professor Chauvenet published several works of great merit,
viz.—a text-book, entitled "Binomial Theorem and Logarithms"
(Philad., 1843, 8vo), "A Treatise on Plane and Spherical Trigo-
nometry" (Philad., 1850, 8vo.), a "Manual of Spherical and Prac-
tical Astronomy" (Philad., 1863, 2 vols., 8vo.), and an Elementary
Geometry (Philad., 1870, 8vo.)

He married, Dec. 30th, 1841, Miss Catharine Hemple, of Phila-
delphia, who survives him with five of their six children.

George Richards, the fifth son and eighth child of Peter and
Ann Channing (Huntington) Richards, was born in New London,
Conn., Nov. 2d, 1816.
He taught school for a short time, and in 1842 entered Andover Theological Seminary. A year later he removed to the Yale Theological Seminary, and 1844 became a Tutor in this College.

He was ordained, Oct. 8th, 1845, as associate pastor of the Central (Congregational) Church, in Boston, where he remained until 1859, having become sole pastor in 1851. After a visit to Europe, he took charge of the Congregational Church in Litchfield, Conn., in Dec., 1860. Thence he removed at the close of the year 1865 to Bridgeport, Conn., where he was installed over the First Congregational Church, Jan. 3d, 1866. He was dismissed from this pastorate, Aug., 1870. For a year or two previous, Mr. Richards had been afflicted with a nervous disease, which was accompanied with partial loss of sight and impaired reason, and which finally resulted in his decease, at Bridgeport, Oct. 20th, 1870.

In July, 1868, Mr. Richards was chosen a member of the Corporation of Yale College.

He married, in 1846, Miss Anna M. Woodruff, of Philadelphia. She is still living with five children: of whom the eldest son is now a member of the Junior Class in this College.

1841.

Gilbert Dean, son of Gilbert and Abigail Rogers Dean, was born in Pleasant Valley, Dutchess Co., N. Y., 14 Aug., 1819, and died of consumption at his summer-residence in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., 12 Oct., 1870.

After his graduation he studied law, and was admitted to the bar in Litchfield Co., Conn., and afterwards (May, 1844) in N. Y. From 1844 to 1855 he was a lawyer in Poughkeepsie, and for the rest of his active life in N. Y. City. He was chosen Representative in Congress in Nov., 1850, and again in 1852; in June, 1854, he resigned his seat, to accept the office of Justice of the Supreme Court of N. Y. State, for the Second Judicial District, and served in this office until Jan., 1856, being one of the Judges of the Court of Appeals for the last year. In 1862, he was chosen Member of the Assembly, and when the session began was the Democratic candidate for Speaker.

Judge Dean married, Sept. 28, 1841, Miss Amelia Smith, of Sharon, Conn. She died Sept. 6th, 1850, leaving one son and one daughter. He married, July 11th, 1855, Mary, daughter of the late Alvan Stewart, Esq., of N. Y., who survives him with her three sons.
1842.

JOHN HENRY ADAM was born Dec. 29th, 1822, and entered College in 1839 from Salisbury, Conn.

He studied law in Litchfield, Conn., until admitted to the bar, in the spring of 1844, when he began practice in Bridgeport, Conn., with Hon. Henry Dutton In Jan., 1846, he removed to N. Y. City; but was soon interrupted in the practice of his profession by ill health. After a short stay at his father's house, in Salisbury, he removed to Pottsville, Pa., in the autumn of 1847. He subsequently removed to Oyster Bay, L. I., where he was residing at the time of his death, Aug. 24th, 1870.

He was married, Nov. 8th, 1848, to Miss Sarah Sampson, of N. Y. City, who now survives him.

ISAAC ELLMAKER HIESTER, son of Hon. William Heister, was born in New Holland, Lancaster County, Pa., May 29th, 1824.

He commenced the study of law in 1843 in Lancaster, Pa., was admitted to the bar in 1845, and practiced law until his death in the same place. He held the office of Deputy Attorney General for the county from 1848 to 1850, and was a member of the House of Representatives in the 33d Congress, from 1853 to 1855. He was elected as a Whig, but not being in accord with his party on the Kansas and Nebraska Bill, was defeated at the election in 1854, as also in 1856 when he was the candidate of the Democratic party.

He died in Lancaster, Febr. 6th, 1871, in his 47th year. He was unmarried.

HENRY KIRKE WHITE WELCH, the oldest child of Dr. Archibald and Cynthia (Hyde) Welch, was born in Mansfield, Conn., Jan. 1st., 1821.

He taught in Brooklyn, Conn., from Oct., 1842, to March, 1843, when an affection of the throat compelled him to desist. After a few months passed in Wethersfield, Conn., where his father then resided, he went to Georgia for his health In the autumn of 1844 he returned, but finding his throat still sensitive, went South again, and spent the next two years teaching in Montgomery, Ala., at the same time studying law During the winter of 1846-7 he read law in Brooklyn, Conn., with his uncle, Jonathan A. Welch (Y. C. 1813). He afterwards spent two years in the Law Department of this college, and received the degree of LL. B. He was admitted to the
bar in March, 1850, and in June opened an office in Hartford, Conn., where he resided, engaged in the practice of his profession, until his death. He was a member of the State Senate in 1862 and of the House of Representatives in 1864 and 1865.

Mr. Welch married, March 24th, 1852, Miss Frances Louisa, youngest daughter of Professor C. A. Goodrich, of Yale College. His wife died Dec 2d, 1855; and he married three years later, Miss Susan L. Goodwin, of Hartford, who survives him with four sons and a daughter. The sudden death of his youngest boy, Nov. 15th, is believed to have brought on the illness which caused his own death, Nov 25th, 1870, at the age of 49.

1845.

William Burr Bibbins, second and youngest son of Elijah Bibbins, was born in Fairfield, Conn., Aug. 8th, 1823. His mother was Eunice Burr, daughter of the Rev. Andrew Eliot, pastor of the Congregational church in Fairfield.

For a few months after graduation he taught in the Academy in Southport, a part of his native town, and spent the next three years in the study of medicine in the College of Physicians and Surgeons, N. Y. city, where he graduated in 1849.

He served as Assistant Physician in Bellevue Hospital for one year to May, 1850, and afterwards as Assistant Physician in the Nursery Hospital on Randall's Island till April, 1852. He then began the regular practice of his profession in N. Y. city. While thus engaged he was, from Jan., 1852, to June, 1863, Visiting Physician to the Demilt Dispensary, and afterwards Attending Physician at the same institution until 1856. He was also from Jan., 1868, till his death, the Secretary of the Third Avenue Savings Bank, a responsible position of great labor, gratuitously bestowed.

He died in N. Y. city, Jan. 16th, 1871, of typhoid fever, contracted in the discharge of his professional duties.

Dr. Bibbins was never married.

His will, made in 1858, provides that after the death of his brother, the bulk of his property, including a Life Insurance Policy for $10,000, shall go to Yale College.

Ward Emigh, son of George P. and Eliza (Prindle) Emigh, was born in Great Barrington, Mass., March 14th, 1822, and died in Fishkill, N. Y., Febr. 16th, 1869.

He studied law with Robert Barnard, Esq., of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., until his admission to the bar in 1847. He then began the
practice of his profession in Union Vale, Dutchess county, N. Y.,
but in 1851 was obliged by the state of his health to seek recrea-
tion in travel. In 1852 he settled in Fishkill, where he remained
until his death, never in good health, and for the last three years
of his life not able to attend to his profession.
Mr. Emigh married, March 14th, 1847, in Fishkill Landing, Helen
A. Champlin, who still remains his widow. Two of his five chil-
dren died before him, and one has died since.

1850.

Oswald Langdon Woodford was the son of Zerah and
Minerva (Potter) Woodford, of West Avon, Conn., where he was
born Oct. 31st, 1827, and where he died, of typhoid fever, Oct.
21st, 1870.
He was for two years a teacher in the Cherokee Male Seminary,
and then entered the Andover Theological Seminary, where he
remained till Febr., 1855, when he returned to the Cherokees, and
was principal of the Male Seminary until Aug., 1856. He then
came to New Haven, to attend Theological lectures, and in May,
1857, went to Kansas as a Home Missionary. He settled in Grass-
hopper Falls, organizing a Congregational Church there, April
19th, 1858, but in Aug., 1859, he was compelled by the failure of
his health to give up his chosen profession and return to his native
town. He spent his remaining years with his parents, engaged in
farming. In 1865 he was a member of the State House of Repre-
sentatives.
He was married, first, to Pauline Avery, of Conway, Mass., Nov
18th, 1856. She died in Kansas, Febr. 26th, 1858. He married,
secondly, May 18th, 1859, Esther Butler, of Van Buren, Ark.
She survives him, with a daughter by the first marriage, and a
son and two daughters by the second marriage.

1851.

Henry Dorrance Wells died of disease of the heart in Charles-
ton, S. C., May 30th, 1870, aged 41 years. He was the son of
Joseph T. and Mary (Dorrance) Wells, and was born in Charles-
ton, Aug 30th, 1829. He studied law at the Yale Law School
immediately after graduation, but never practiced the profession.
He was employed in mercantile business at Charleston until his
death.
1853.

Henry Roswell Bradley died in Southington, Conn., 22 July, 1870, aged 38. He was the youngest son of Roswell and Julia (Newell) Bradley, and was born in Southington, 7 May, 1832.

After graduating, he studied law, first in the Law School at New Haven, and then with Hon. W. W. Eaton of Hartford. From 1855 until his death, he practiced law in his native town. Though laboring under great embarrassment from physical defects, he became a prominent man in the town, holding successively the offices of Town Clerk, Treasurer, Registrar, and Judge of Probate. He twice represented the town in the State Legislature, and was a member of the Senate in 1863.

Mr. Bradley was never married.

Thomas Prather Nicholas died in Louisville, Ky., Jan 27th, 1870, aged 35.

He entered College from Louisville, in the first term of Junior year. His residence continued at Louisville until his death. During the civil war he was Colonel of the 2d Kentucky Cavalry, in the Union Army.

1855.

George Talcott was born in West Hartford, Conn., in 1833, and died at Niagara Falls, May 29th, 1871.

He was for a few months after graduation in Commission business with his brother in N. Y. City. He then studied law, and practiced his profession in N. Y. until Jan., 1859, when he joined his brother in the wholesale drug business in Hartford, Conn. He was thus engaged until his death. He married Miss Laura W Cone, of Hartford, in 1862. She died in 1863, and Mr. Talcott was married a second time, May 16th, 1871, to Miss Eleanor S., daughter of Wm. S. Hurd, of Hartford. He died of pneumonia while on his bridal tour.

1856.

Francis Fellowes, Jr., was born in Hartford, Conn., May 8th, 1830, and died in the same city, Febr 18th, 1871, in his 41st year.

He studied law in his father's office until his admission to the bar, 26 March, 1859. Soon after, he formed a partnership with his father, which continued till his own death. He served as a private in the Hartford Rifles, 1st Regiment Conn. Vols., for three months in the summer of 1861.
He married, 23 Dec., 1862, Miss Annie T. Clarke, daughter of Alexander Clarke, Esq., of N. Y. city.

1858.

Henry Albert Wells, son of Albert and Emma (Hassert) Wells, was born in Sing Sing, N. Y., May 23d, 1838; and died in Peekskill, N. Y., May 27th, 1871, of disease of the heart, after confinement to his room for three weeks.

He studied law in Peekskill with his uncle, Edward Wells, and was admitted to the bar, in May, 1862. From that time he practiced law in N. Y. City until July, 1865, when he temporarily left his profession, to engage in the construction of some Oil Works, in Brooklyn. He was engaged in this and other business enterprises in New York City until his death.

1859.

Benjamin Spencer Catlin, eldest son of Benjamin H. Catlin, M.D., and Amelia D. (Spencer) Catlin, was born in Haddam, Conn., Sept. 14th, 1837. In 1842 his parents removed to Meriden, Conn., where they still reside.

After leaving College he studied medicine, and graduated from the Medical Department of this College in July, 1862. He was soon after appointed Assistant Surgeon of the 2d N. Y. Infantry, and joined his regiment on the banks of York River. He was for some time on duty in the hospitals in Washington, and was with his regiment at the battles of Fredericksburg and Chancellorsville. His regiment being mustered out of service, he was appointed in the autumn of 1863 Surgeon of the 21st (Griswold) N. Y. Cavalry: and his Colonel being made Brigadier General, Dr. Catlin was placed on his staff and became Surgeon in Chief of the Brigade. At the close of the war the regiment was ordered to the West, and his headquarters were at Denver. In Oct., 1865, he was mustered out of service, and returned to his father's residence. In the following winter he attended lectures in two of the Medical Colleges of N. Y. City, and in June, 1866, opened an office in Troy, N. Y., where he remained till Oct., 1870, when he returned home, prostrated by neuralgia. He so far recovered as to leave in January on a visit to his brother, residing in Barton County, Missouri; but in twelve days after his arrival he became delirious with marked symptoms of organic disease of the brain, and his death occurred February 15th.

He was brevetted by Gov. Hoffman, March 4th, 1870, Colonel for faithful and meritorious service during the war.
1862.

George Lee Woodhull, son of Richard and Fanny (Greene) Woodhull, was born, Oct. 3d, 1832, at Ronkonkoma, L. I., N. Y., being the seventh of a family of eleven children. One of his brothers graduated at this College in the class of 1850.

He studied theology for three years in the Theol. Department of Yale College. While preaching for a few months as a Home Missionary in Hartland, Conn., he became interested in the new opening for missionary labor in western Iowa, and was stationed by the American Home Missionary Society in May, 1866, at Onawa City, where he was ordained, July 18th, 1866. Besides doing the ordinary work of a pastor, he superintended the building of a church edifice (the first in that county), performing much of the work with his own hands. Excessive care and labor brought on a fever, and after an illness of four weeks, he died, Oct. 1st, 1870, among his people.

He was married, Aug. 28th, 1867, to Miss Eleanor Bristol, of New Preston, Conn., who survives him, without children.

1863.

Edward Gould Bishop, third son of George G and Julia (Taylor) Bishop, was born in Norwalk, Conn., Sept. 14th, 1838.

He was prepared for College at Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass.

In Sept., 1863, he entered the U. S. Navy, as paymaster, and served in the west Gulf Squadron, on the steamer Arkansas, until he resigned in Nov., 1865. He then entered the Law department of Harvard University, where he graduated in June, 1867. In the autumn of 1867, he commenced the practice of law in N. Y. City, where he continued until May 16th, 1870, when he returned to his father's house, hoping to recover from a severe hemorrhage of the lungs. A removal to St. Paul, Minn., was proposed, as affording the only hope of relief, but after a few weeks there he found himself rapidly sinking, and returned, reaching home but ten days before his death, which occurred on the evening of Aug. 28th, 1870.

Wilbur Ives, son of Henry and Eliza Ives, was born in Hamden, Conn., Jan. 3d, 1843.

In Oct., 1863, he entered the U. S. Navy, as Acting Assistant Paymaster, and remained in the service until Jan., 1866. He then commenced at once the study of medicine in the Medical Depart
ment of this College; but his failing health obliged him in the spring of 1867 to relinquish his studies. In May, 1868, he sailed for Europe in hopes of recovery, but his disease—consumption—was too deeply seated, and he returned only to die at his home in New Haven, Dec. 27th, 1870, aged 28 years. He was unmarried.

1864.

Charles Edward Booth, son of Charles H. Booth, was born in New York City, March 27th, 1843.

He left College early in Senior year, to enter into business as a commission merchant in New York. In 1866 he received from the corporation the degree of Bachelor of Arts, and was enrolled with his class. He continued in business, as above, until the time of his death. He died at his home in New York, after a few hours' illness, Sept. 18th, 1870.

Edward Taylor Mather, only son of Roland Mather, of Hartford, Conn., was born in Hartford, Aug. 30th, 1841.

He pursued the study of the law after graduation, but finally engaged in business. For more than a year from Sept., 1866, he was in the Dry-goods business with John V. Fairwell & Co., of Chicago.

In the spring of 1868 he formed a partnership for the lumber business, in the same city, and was so engaged until the latter part of July, 1870, when he started alone in a small row-boat on an expedition to Lake Superior. He rowed over Lake Michigan in safety, and crossed by rail to Marquette on Lake Superior; thence he started on Aug. 17th, with the intention of rowing along the lake shore to the straits, and then returning by steamer to Chicago.

From this time no tidings of him reached his friends, until a search was undertaken, and his body found, Oct. 25th, washed ashore near the mouth of Fox River, about forty miles east of Marquette. He was unmarried.

William Henry Palmer, son of Alexander Palmer, was born in Stonington, Conn., Aug. 17th, 1840.

He received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, N.Y. City, in 1867, and settled in Cleveland, O., where he was a practicing physician at the time of his death. He died of consumption, in Hartford, Conn., June 19th, 1871. He was married in Oct., 1870, to Miss Frances Collins, of Hartford.
1867.

Ernest Robinson, the youngest of eight children of Charles Robinson (Y.C. 1821) and Nancy (Mulford) Robinson, was born in New Haven, Conn., Dec. 20th, 1845, and died in the same city, Nov. 18th, 1870, aged 25.

He remained in New Haven after graduating, studying medicine during the first two years, and for the last year engaged in the insurance business. His health had been gradually declining, and an attack of inflammatory rheumatism in the region of the heart and chest caused his death, after an illness of about three weeks.

1869.

Frederick Gray Conkling, the eldest son of Col. Fred’k A., and Eleanora R. Conkling, of N Y City, died in New Orleans, Apr. 3d, 1871, in his 22d year.

He was born in N. Y. City, July 18th, 1849.

He entered this College at the beginning of the Sophomore year, from Columbia College, N. Y. After graduation he spent a year in Europe, and then entered the Law School of Columbia College, of which he was a member at the time of his death.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

1816

Richard Proctor Tracy died at his residence in Norwich Town, Conn., March 18th, 1871, aged 80. He was son of Dr. Philemon and Abigail (Trott) Tracy, and was born March 26th, 1791, in the same house in which he died. His grandfather, Dr. Elisha Tracy (Y. C. 1738), and his father, (M. D. Yale, 1817), were, for 40 and 55 years respectively, leading physicians in Norwich.

The subject of this notice studied medicine with his father, as well as in the Medical School, and settled in his native place, where he was engaged in practice for nearly sixty years.

He was unmarried.

[1821.]

Hiram Holt was born Jan. 31st, 1798, in that part of the ancient town of Windham, Conn., which is now Chaplin. He was the son of Nehemiah and Mary (Lamphearn) Holt, and the seventh
of fourteen children. After he became of age he began the study of medicine with Dr. Brewster, of Hampton, Conn., and afterwards continued his professional studies with Dr. Thomas Hubbard, of Pomfret, Conn., who became at a later date Professor of Surgery in the Medical Department of Yale College. He also attended two courses of lectures in this Medical School, but did not receive his degree until 1834, *honoris causa.* He established himself on the completion of his studies in Pomfret, Conn., where he continued in the active practice of his profession for almost fifty years, until his death, Nov. 30th, 1870.

Dr. Holt was twice married: Feb. 21st, 1828, to Marian, daughter of Major John Wilkes Chandler, of Pomfret, who died March 16th, 1857; and March 30th, 1858, to Miss Martha Colton, daughter of Eleazer Mather, of Brooklyn, Conn., who survives him. He left two daughters and one son, the son a graduate of this College in the Class of 1866.

1825.

**Henry Holmes,** oldest child of Hon. Uriah Holmes (Y. C. 1784) and Esther (Austin) Holmes, of Litchfield, Conn., was born in Litchfield, 14 Febr., 1795. His brother Uriah graduated at this College in 1816.

He settled in Durham, Conn., as a physician, where he remained until 1833, spending the winter of 1830-31 as a student at the College of Physicians and Surgeons in N. Y. City. The rest of his life was passed in Hartford, Conn., as a practicing physician. He was also for many years city coroner. For the last few months of his life he was an inmate of the Retreat for the Insane, where he died 31 July, 1870, at the age of 75. He was unmarried.

1833.

**Henry Harmon Rising,** son of Nathaniel and Lydia (Spence) Rising, was born in Suffield, Conn., in 1807, and died in Westboro', Mass., Aug. 17th, 1870.

He studied his profession in his native town with his brother, Dr. Aratus Rising, and attended three sessions of the Medical Department of this College. In 1834 he commenced practice in Westboro', Mass., where he remained until his death. In addition to his regular practice, he was the physician at the State Reform School, located in Westboro', from its establishment, in 1847.

The winter and spring of 1868–70 he spent in Florida, for the benefit of his health. His sudden death was the result of injuries
received the same day by being thrown from his carriage as he was about to visit a patient.

Dr Rising married Joanna F., daughter of Charles Parkman, of Westboro', who survives him. He left no children.

1840

Francis Williams died, May 23d, 1871, at Montmorenci Park, Aiken, S. C, in the 56th year of his age. He was the youngest son of Rev. Samuel P. Williams (Y. C, 1796), of Newburyport, Mass, and of Mary (Hanford Wells) Williams, and was born in Mansfield, Conn., Aug 31st, 1815.

He entered the Freshman class in this College in 1836, but was obliged by ill-health to leave before the close of the year. Upon the completion of his medical studies he settled in N. Y. City, and in 1844 removed to Newburyport, where he continued his practice. He was obliged by feeble health to give up his profession, and in 1854 he removed to Yonkers, N. Y. In 1856 he went to Hartford, Conn., and about four years before his death removed to West Haven, Conn. He married Caroline H., daughter of Hon. Wm. Bartlet, of Newburyport, and had 7 children. One son is a graduate of this College in the Class of 1869.

1844.

John Fremont Wells, second son and fourth child of James H, and Anne (Watkinson) Wells (both natives of England), was born in Hartford, Conn., Oct 11th, 1810.

He studied medicine with Dr. Wm. Pierson, of Windsor, Conn, previous to entering this medical school.

Soon after graduating he succeeded to the practice of Dr. Hubbard of Bloomfield, Conn, and remained there until 1852, when he removed to Hartford, where he continued in the uninterrupted practice of his profession until his death, in Hartford, May 4th, 1871, of rheumatism of the heart, after three days' illness.

He married, April 30th, 1834, Rebecca Colt, daughter of the late Elisha Colt, of Hartford, by whom he had five children, four sons and one daughter, who with their mother survive him.

1846.

Judson Candel was born in Oxford, Conn., in 1821. He taught school for several years near his home and in New Jersey, and in 1843 began the study of medicine in New Haven.
He settled in Pompey Center, Onondaga Co., N. Y., in the spring of 1846, and remained there, in successful practice and greatly respected, until his sudden death, by being thrown from his carriage, 11 July, 1870.

He was married, in 1851, to Miss Hale, of Oran, N. Y., who survives him, with two children.

1863.

Frederic Starr Treadway, died at New Haven, Conn., June 27, 1870, aged 36 years.

He was the son of George and Minerva (Merwin) Treadway, and was born in Norwalk, Conn., Aug. 10, 1833.

He entered the three months’ service in 1861, as a private in Company C, 2d Regiment Conn. Militia, under Col. Terry; but was at once detailed as hospital steward and served thus until mustered out. He then began the study of medicine, but before graduating, passed an examination and entered the nine months’ service as Assistant Surgeon of the 27th Regiment. He returned to graduate with his class, and immediately thereafter was appointed Assistant Surgeon in the 75th Regiment N. Y. Volunteers. At the close of the war, he married and settled in Williamsport, Pa., where he soon secured a large practice. While testifying in court, he was seized with apoplexy, from which he rallied, only to be stricken down by a second attack. From this he recovered sufficiently to permit his being brought to New Haven, where he had a third attack which proved fatal.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

1848.

George Charles Wilcox Hammond was born in Bolton, Conn., Oct. 3d, 1824, and removed to Ohio when nine years of age. He graduated at Western Reserve College in 1846, and after leaving New Haven, practiced law for a short time in Cleveland, O. He then went into the drug business in Cleveland, with Mr. E. F. Gaylord, whose daughter he had married. About 1863 he removed to Chicago, as General Freight Agent of the Alton and St. Louis R. R., and was so occupied until the early summer of 1870, when
he was compelled by illness to resign. He died, of congestion of the brain, at the residence of his parents, in Richfield, Ohio, Aug. 12th, 1870.

1868.

David Beveridge Brown, died of typhoid fever, in Independence, Kansas, Aug 18th, 1870, aged 21 years. He was the son of David B. and Alice H. Brown, and was born July 6th, 1849.

After receiving his degree, he returned to his home in Washington, D.C., was admitted to the bar and remained there until the following Spring, when his health being impaired he started for the West. From May to December, 1869, he was in Osage Station, Kansas, and then removed to Independence, a new settlement, in Montgomery County, where the hardships of the first few months told on him severely, and exposed him to an attack of typhoid fever which in ten days ended his life. He was unmarried.

Intelligence of the following death is received, too late for insertion elsewhere.

1797.

Charles Goodrich, the last survivor of his class, died at the residence of his son-in-law, in Penn Yan, N.Y., June 16th, 1871, aged 93.

He was born in Pittsfield, Mass., Apr. 2d, 1778, where his father, Hon. Charles Goodrich, died in the 96th year of his age.

Immediately after graduation, he married Amelia, daughter of Isaac Jones, of New Haven, and returning home took charge of his father's farm. He was soon after led by a sense of duty to commence theological studies, but postponed entrance into the ministry until after the death of his aged father. In 1822 he was licensed to preach, and in June, 1824, was ordained as an Evangelist by the Berkshire Association of Congregational ministers. He preached in various parts of Massachusetts and New York, without being settled, until in 1831 he removed to Havana, N.Y., where three of his children were living. For many years he continued to preach in destitute neighborhoods, generally under commission from the Home Missionary Society, until disabled by infirmities. In 1852 he removed to the house of his daughter, in Penn Yan, where he resided until his death.

He was the father of eight children.
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